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MY SUMMER

How it came about I know

She was merry - I a dress never thought of aught

The story goes as usual-

I am not, as a rule, contents

To be lived from 'neath my sky outing days continued as th

longer grew:
And hours filled with pleasure.
On from dewy morn to twilight,
full often somewhat later, with

flight as hours do.

She was standing on veranda As I started for redection in a walk

girl no more.

winter girl to be?"

One morning in September

She said, "Before you go out

On your usual meander thaps you'd like to know I'll be your

I think I must have shown her

That her blue eyes were a twinkle

Church and parson did their duty

Of your own transcendent beauty, But just a sofull reminder that I'm your all season

Unexpected Munificence.

have never given you anything for

phlint, "you never have."

Christmas present, have 19"
"No, William," answered Mrs. Skinn

we have ever had. What would you say to

"It would please me above all things."

A Poser for Pop.

"Did you ever fall up stairs?"

landed on the second floor."

"Of course not."

"Nonsense."

"I did."

Small Boy-Pop, did you ever fall down

Robert's Father-Gambie? It means to

play games of chance, thereby winning or

teacher by reading, "The little lam's

played games of chance on the hills, there-by winning or losing large sums of money."—Lowell Citizen.

"Jane," said Mr. Skinnphlint, a soft-

hen she pinned in my craval jeweled pearl She said, "It's not an emblem

With the ecstacy of teasing, she whispered, "Why not ask me, too, you

ned in my cravat a creamy

-J. S. Goodwin in Judge.

With her arrows deftly pointed ma-

Question That Troubles Literary People. A crucial question is, "Typewriter, or no sewriter?" At a "symposium" on this bject, George Spinney, of the New York mes, said, "Typewritten copy is much easier to edit." Ballard Smith the maging editor of The World, agreed that "typewriter copy is the only perfect copy to have." Richard Watson Gilder, of The Century, replied: "I much prefer type written copy. It is better for the eyes and more pacifying to the nerves." Mr. Car. rington, of Scribner's, although be admires he fine old Italian hand in vogue among the older authors, says that even a thoroughly legible hand and clear copy is not so welme to the editor as is a typewritten MS. The Dramatic Development society of New York demands that all manuscripts examined by its readers shall be typewritten by its own typewriters. Mapes Dodge, the editor of St. Nicholas, is reported now to refuse all manuscripts except such as is typewritten. Kipling, alough a most rapid writer with the pen,

telling verses with its aid. Still, one can scarcely imagine Haw-therne pounding out "The Scarlet Letter" on the typewriter, or Keats pouring out "Endymion" to the clicking accompaninent of the noisy machine.-Emily A.

has been recently introduced to the ma-

chine and has knocked off some of his most

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cured me of Hemorrhage of the Lungs when other remedies failed. I am a married man and, thirty-six years of age, and live with my wife and two little girls at Durham, Mo. I have stated this brief and plain so that all may understand. My case was a bad one, and I shall be glad to tell anyone about it who will Write me. PHILIP L. SCHENCE, P. O. Box 45, April 25, 1890. No man could ask a more honorable, busi-

ness-like statement.

Abreast and ahead of the sea is a crag's front cloven asunder.
With strong sea breach and with wanting of winds whence terror is shed. darkness on waters that thunder Abreast and abrest

At its edge is a espitiation facilities and newn for a lone man's bed. Propped open with rock and agaps on the sky and sea thereunder. But reofed and walled in well from the wrath

With splendor and sound of the tempest around

Abreast and ahead

#### ON THE BRIDGE.

When I tell you, my only friend, to whom I so rarely write and whom I more rarely see, that my lonely life has not been without love for woman, you will perhaps laugh or doubt.

'What!" you will say; "that gaunt old specter in his attic, with his books, his tobacco and his three flower potsi He would not know that there is such a word as love did he not encounter it now and then in his reading '

True, I have divided my days between the books in a rich man's counting room and those in my attic. True, again, I have never been more than merely passable to look at, even in my best days. Yet I have loved a woman.

During the five years when my elder brother lay in the hospital across the river, where he died, it was my custom to visit him every Sunday. I enjoyed the afternoon walk to the suburbs, where the air has more of nature in it, especially that portion of the walk which lay upon the bridge. More life than was usual upon the bridge moved there on Sunday. Then the cars were crowded with people seeking the parks. Many crossed on foot, stopping to look idly down at the dark and sluggish water.

One afternoon, as I stood thus leaning over the parapet, the sound of a woman's gentle laugh caused me to turn and ocularly inquire its source. The woman and a man were approaching. At the side of the woman walked soberly a handsome dog-a collie. There was that ! in their appearance and manner which plainly told me that here were husband and wife, of the middle class, intelligent but poor, out for a stroll. That they were quite devoted to each other was asily discoverable.

The man looked about thirty years of ge, was tall, slender and with neither ng nor handsome, but amiable face. That the news was far from pleasing, e came a little nearer—near enough for was doubtless a clerk fit to be someg better.

e woman was perhaps twenty-four. ras not quite beautiful, yet she was than pretty. She was of good size gure; and the short plush coat that re, and the manner in which she er hands thrust in the pockets gave to her a dauntless air be quiet and affectionate expreser face softened.

large distribute, her eyes being distinctly dark brown, her g that peculiar complexion ost quickly affected by any chang ened light shining in his eyes, "I think I

of her cheeks, the dark rim es, and other indefinable d some radical ailment. In "This Christmas, Jane," said Mr. Skinn-phlint in a voice trembling from unwonted ce that I had of that pair. while the an was smiling, a feeling of pity caper me. I have never detected the trace of that emotion. Perhaps in coman's face I read the trace of padily and mental suffering; perhaps in the perhaps in the company of feeling, "shall be a different one from any a present of some useful article for the "I would like it very much, William."
"Something, for instance, that would be both useful and ornamental? Something had already

noticed me a man nor her husband that you could select yourself? How would garded me ca "Then, Jane," said Mr. Skinnphlint, with an effort to retain his composure, "we seen them upon bridge, under extense Sunday.

The same instances on the next Sunday. need a new bootjack. Here is twenty-five cents to buy it with. If it costs less, Jane," he added in a broken voice, "you can keep the change."—Chicago Tribune.

"I fell the whole length of the stairs and

in them. tosing large sums of money.

On Sundays thereafter I w

That afternoon Robert electrified his ly to the bridge and wait passed, for it proved that this bey habitual Sunday walk. Some would pause and join those t down at the black river. I w and again, resume my journ the hospital while they thus st would look back from a distar bridge would then appear t abrupt ascent, rising to the de

and their two figures would st clearly against the background. It became a matter of care t observe each Sunday whether the of either had varied during the pr week. The husband, always pa alight, showed little change, and the frequently. But the fluctuations woman, as indicated by comple gait, expression and otherwise, were merous and pronounced. Often looked brighter and more robust that the preceding Sunday. Her face we be then rounded out, and the dark of cents beneath her eyes would be marked. Then I found myself elated But on the next Sunday the chehad receded slightly, the healthy lust "Bridget, why don't the landlady have of the eyes had given way to an ominor glow; the warning of death had re-

feeling, and had she swerved from that

"Sah! Oi'm thinkin' the proice av sugar turned. Then my art would sink, and, sighing, I would marmar insudibly: has riz."-Harper's Bazar. "This is one of the Lad Sundays." There came a time when every Sun-

Valuable Bric-a-Brac. Tom-In confidence let me tell you that I have won the heart of Miss Vieuxtemps day was a bad one. Congratulate me, dear boy, Jack—Certainly, my dear fellow, for you What made me love this woman? Simply the unmistakable completeness and constancy of her devotion to her d husband-the absorption of the woman

have won a golden prize. Tom-Do you think so?

Jack-I do indeed. I won it once myse!!

and had the misfortune to break it. As !

had to put a golden band worth sorra

thousand dollars around it to mens it!

know how dear it is -Chicago Times. Experiment on the action of different would surely have departed. otis on metals shows among others that bronze is much corroded by linseed oil, OPIUM Morphine Habit Cured in 10 oil, and that for lead the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to training the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to training the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to training the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to training the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to training the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to training the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to training the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to training the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to training the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to training the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to training the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to training the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night, if to the safest lubricant is to see her face by day and night.

pain for her-if these and many more things mean love.

My richest joy was to see her content with her husband, and the darkest woe of my life was to anticipate the termina-

tion of their happiness So the Sundays passed. One afternoon I waited until almost dusk, yet the conple did not appear.

For seven Sundays in succession 1 did not meet them upon their wouted walk. On the eighth Sunday I saw the dog Here might not a man drink capture of rest, or delight above ownder.

Beholding, a soul disembodied, the days and might that fied.

Beholding a soul disembodied, the days and was not with him. Apprehensively 1 sought with my area his from Man

sought with my eyes his face. Much grigf and loneliness were depicted there. Was he or I the greater mourner? I

I suppose two years passed after that day ere I again beheld the widowerwhose name I do not and probably never shall know-upon the bridge. The dog. was not with him this time. It was a fine, sunny afternoon in May. Grief was no longer in his face. By his side | was a very pretty, animated, rosy little woman whom I had never seen before They walked close to each other, and she looked with the utmost tenderness into his face. She evidently was not yet entirely accustomed to the wedding ring which I observed upon her finger.

I think that tears came to my eyes at this sight. Those great brown eyes, the forgotten by the one being in the world for whom that face had worn the aspect

Yet one upon whom those eyes never rested has remembered. And surely the memory of her is mine to wed, since he whose right it was to cherish it, had allowed himself to be divorced from it in so brief a time.

The memory of her is with me always fills my soul, beautifies my life, makes green and radiant this existence which all who know me think cold. bleak. empty, repellent.

You will not laugh then, my friend, when I tell you that love is not to me a thing unknown.

So runs a part of the last letter to my father that the old bookkeeper ever wrote.-R. N. S. in Philadelphia Press.

How Talmage Was Converted. You can take any man for Christ if you know how to get at him. Truman Osborne, one of the evangelists who went through this country many years ago, had a wonderful art in the right direction. He came to my father's house one day, and while we were all seated in the room, he said, "Mr. Talmage, are all your children Christians?" Father said, "Yes, all but Do Witt," Then Truman Osborne looked down into the fireplace and began to tell a story of a storm that came on the mountains, and all the sheep were in the fold; but there was one lamb outside that perished in the storm. Had he looked me in the eye I should have been angered when he told that story; but he looked into the fireplace, and it was so pathetically and

beautifully done that I never found any

peace until I was sure I was inside the

fold, where the other sheep were.-Dr. Talmage in Ladies' Home Journal. A paper on the scientific measurement of children was read before the Bromley (England) Naturalists society. The an thor, Rev. H. A. Soames, said he found such measurements as he described, taken every term, a good guide as to whether his pupils could be pressed with work or not. If the increase is regulaheight, he does not fear to press them. but if, on the other hand, the weight is passed. The dog re low, or if the height increases and not his eye. I prob would never have thought of the weight or if the increases and not the weight or if the increase in height is too rapid, he thinks it a very fair ex-

So these young a walked here even day, I thought This, perhaps, wa day, I thought this, perhaps, wa celt The insband, doubtless, Joseph Fahy, a clever lad, born in French Switzerland nearly half a century ago, rolled out two plates of gold and putting a plate of composition metal between made a "filled case." Since then he has brought the process to perfection, and his filled cases are now known to every jeweler on earth. They are not plated cases. They would, without the composition metal filling, be a labeled as a composition was a comp

"I was up stairs when I fell, an' so I fell
up stairs, didn't I? I started from the
third floor."—Street & Smith's Good News.

The Lambs Gamboled.

Robert—Pa, what does gambol mean?
Teacher said we were to find another
meaning for it before we recite this after
noon.

Robert's Father—Gamble? It means to curves. Of course, it will sometimes be found difficult to straighten out a curve and keep a legitimate grade; but if the laws required all railroads to go straight in all cuts and other dangerous places some plan would be devised by which this could be done. - Dallas (Tex.) News.

Working for Their Board.

Two famous philosophers-Menedemus and Asclepiades—when pursuing their tudies at Athens, were enabled to pay or their support and schooling by acting millers after school hours, receiving e munificent sum of thirty-six cents (b) drachmie) per night. Happily their felor students, upon hearing this, raised a subgription sufficient to defray the expensoof these deserving young men .-

Detro Free Press. Tarantulas Are Encuries. Tarauglas are considered deadly foes to Fr and are seldom found in com-Then imprisoned together there is was thought she could not live. sek other and are seldom found in comight, ce succumbs and is eaten by the or. Nature has done a service in mak-the tauntule so hideous and formidapokingan object. Indeed, it is owing is repusiveness that no greater num person are stung. The sight of the hairy pider crawling near by will ld resping sensation down the almost any one.-Florence Com-

Martine Made Love, And so your engagement and is really off! Yes. I got tired of ma-

Machine made love! What

le wrote all his letters on in the wife. Had the strange ways of a t -Ex-hange.

chance ever made known to her my e games, especially indevotion even to render me back love tero for love, then my own adoration for her men in which many eleo to carry the excite-ghest degree, are dan-Yes, I loved her-if to fill one's life gerot y in the final decisive the long preliminary Important Things in Court.

defendant at breakfast, and the latter called the waiter and said"-

"One moment," exclaimed the connect for the defense, "I object to what he said." Then followed a legal argument of about an hour and a half on the objection, which was overruled, and the court de cided that the witness might state what "Well, go on and state what was said to

the waiter," remarked the winning coun-sel, flushed with his legal victory. "Well," replied the witness, "he said, 'Bring me a beefsteak and fried potatoes.'

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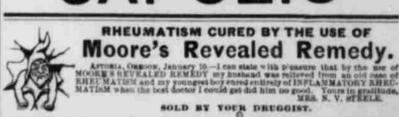
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