

The Doctor's Dilemma

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CHAPTER XVI.—(Continued.) "You are looking rather low," she said triumphantly—"rather blue, I might say. Is there anything the matter with you? Your face is as long as a fiddle. Perhaps it is the sea that makes you melancholy."

never conquer it. Do you think that is true? Be candid with us." "Yes," I answered, "it is true. I could never love again as I love Olivia."

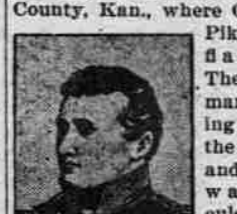


FOR THE YOUNG FOLKS

Two Accidents. I heard a loud crash in the nursery the other morning, and when I went to see what had happened I found things in a bad way. There had been a smash-up on the Great North Nursery Railroad. It seems that two trains, one carrying lumber (dominoes) and one carrying animals, had run into each other."

and skillful manner. I always felt that Mrs. Noah had more character than one might suppose from her expression, and her calmness in this moment of peril proved I was right."

HEROIC EXPLORER'S MEMORY. Honored by the Erection of a Monument to Gen. Pike. A lofty monument, dedicated at Kansas City, marks the spot in Republic County, Kan., where Gen. Zebulon M. Pike first raised the flag in Missouri."



GEN. Z. M. PIKE.

BETRAYED BY A TACK.

How a Bank Robber Was Brought to Justice. "One of the most remarkable captures in the history of my experience," said a well-known detective, "happened some years ago, and I need not mention the place nor the circumstance in connection with the case. It was in a case where \$30,000 had suddenly and mysteriously disappeared from a bank."



THE PRESIDENT AND THE WEEK.

ever, behaved very well. There were two lions, a camel, two bears and a kangaroo in full sight, and they were all quiet as lambs, and allowed the president to pack them hurriedly in a freight car without a struggle."

CAT NOW IN FAVOR.

Crippled, but She Helped to Find a Partner. "I recently filed a claim for the widow of a Mexican war veteran," said H. G. McCormick, of Cincinnati, "that has a rather funny story attached to it that I think will bear repeating, as it was brought about by a one-eyed, botanized cat of no pedigree and of absolutely no worth, that is now petted as a priceless treasure by Mrs. Maggie Tuttle, an aged widow, residing at Harrison, about ten miles from Cincinnati."

LONGEVITY OF PRESIDENTS.

Interesting Facts About Men Who Have Held the Office. Of the 23 Presidents who preceded Mr. McKinley only four died during their terms of office. Of these two—Lincoln and Garfield—were removed by the bullets of assassins."

He Had the Money.

A Western millionaire, who has made a fortune out of mines, and who is remarkable alike for his liberality and for his ignorance of his bank account, says the Chicago Inter Ocean, was asked one day to contribute to an object of charity. The canvasser suggested that one thousand dollars would be an acceptable contribution."

Commerce of the Thames.

Five hundred trading vessels leave the Thames daily for all parts of the world.