Laugh, and the world laughs with you; Weep, and you weep alone. For the sad old earth must borrow its mirth, But has trouble enough of its own. Sing, and the hills will answer; Sigh, it is lost on the air. The echoes bound to a joyful sound,

But shrink from voicing care. Rejoice and men will seek you;
Grieve, and they turn and go.
They want full measure of all your pleasure,
But they do not need your woe.
Be glad, and your friends are many;

Be sad, and you lose them all.

There are none to decline your nectared wine,
But alone you must drink life's gall. Feast, and your halls are crowded; Fast, and the world goes by. Succeed and give and it helps you live, But no man can help vou die. There is rooms in the halls of pleasure For a large and lordly train, But one by one we must all file on Through the narrow isles of pain.

A DOCTOR'S SECOND WIFE.

Dr. Brinsley belongs to the noble army of martyrs and heroes known as "country doctors." He was the sort of man you could love if you loved him; otherwise you would probably dislike him, for he was very peculiar; everybody said so. Now there are several ways of being particular, and the doctor's ways were not always pleasant ways —unless you loved him, and to her he had seemed the most perfect of men. He suited her and she suited him, and they had been very happy. It must not be supposed that her love had been of a cooing kind. Perhaps the doctor would not have enjoyed that. Darling Becky rejoiced in making bright, spicy, impudent remarks to her husband. Remarks which made his big brown eyes sparkle with delight; then he would meet her half way, and they would fight the most interesting little duels, followed by the most affectionate reconciliations. But it was now three long years since poor Becky had been resting in her quiet grave and the doctor's friends had de-

After much persuasion he had been particularly introduced to Miss Delia Swam "What a name!" thought the doctor, but as he looked at her he saw that she was fair, gentle, healthy and 26. "A good, sensible age; must be neat and orderly," was his verdict. In a moment of enthusiastic selfishness he had proposed to her, and in a momen of enthusi-

They were married. She lived in his house, she poured out his tea and coffee, she entertained his friends, and everybody said: "Oh, how much nicer she was than that other woman!" She was very popular with everybody, but she was not at all popular with the doctor.

To him "that other woman" was still all the world and the brightness thereof. So homeless did he feel in the presence of this much nicer woman that his visits to Becky's grave were the only happy hours of his new life. After awhile he became more accustomed to Delia, and then he began to give her free and frequent lectures on Becky. "She" used to say so and so, she used to do this and that, and as she had been right then, she must be right now and forever, and in everything.

Delia had married "from a sense of duty," and deserved to be punished; but it seemed to her that her punishment was greater than she deserved. She would not have wished that her husband should forget the wife of his youth, but she had expected that he would have some regard for the woman he had invited to preside over his household, and she had hoped to make him comfortable; to "do her duty by him," as she expressed it. Part of that duty she had performed in the most admirable manner; never had the doctor's house been so clean; never had his shirt bosoms shone with such lustre; but the heart which beat behind them she had been

unable to conquer. Was it her fault? Had she not tried to be kind, to be patient, to be meek? Yes, but it was the trying which spoiled it all, and she lacked the sweet boldness which love alone can give. She was almost afraid of that ungracious man, and she was jealous of Becky, much loved, happy Becky. At the end of six months of such a life the doctor noticed that Delia looked pale and thin. "You need a little fresh air," he prescribed, "and I shall take you out as often as I can." Not without some inward fear, but retired in ber very best, Delia sat in the buggy by the side of her lord. It was a balmy spring afternoon, nature few days ago, came across a negro who Julia, and. come to think," she continlooked so fresh, so bright, so happy, that a little of this happiness breathed itself into Delia's sad heart. The doctor must have been touched by these benign influences, for never before had he been so kind, so attentive to her, so talkative. She smiled several times, twice she absolutely laughed. She sat a little nearer to him, her cheeks bloomed and she was beginning to feel quite comfortable, when, as luck would have it. they happened to ride past a very small cottage, so small that Delia said, "Oh, look! I wonder how people live in such a tiny bit of a house?"

The doctor's brow grew dark. "In such a house as this," he said in his most impressive manner; "in just such a

Had Delia been suddenly shifted from India's coral strand to Greenland's icy sot heah an' dig a leetle an' sleep a leetle Tiffany, "all dressed up in silks and mountains the shock could hardly have an' chop off the las' root when I heah de laces, and garnet earrings cut on a bias, been greater. "His wife!" she thought, circus ho'ns blowin' on top the red skule"then, if she is his wife, what am I?" house hill."—Detroit Free Press. sat down in the hotel parlor and had to
refuse to go to the party at Mrs. Wither-Peculiar reasoning, perhaps, but Delia knew very well what she meant. All that evening she sat silently sewing and answering the doctor's remarks with a primness of dignity that surprised him. But he asked no questions and took refuge in thoughts of the old days when Becky sat in that same chair, sewing, too, but with such bright, loving looks, such an interesting way of saying things! And now what a difference! What, in truth, was this woman to him? Not a wife, not even a companion, only a housekeeper.

And he gazed at her reflectively. It so
happened that Delia, who had been making desperate efforts to overcome her sulky mood, looked up at that moment and caught the full meaning of the doctor's eyes. Had he slapped her face she could not have felt it more, but she gave no sign. With white fingers that trembled a little she folded her work and said: "I am tired, I will go to my room."

Delia did not sleep much that night. "I must leave him," she decided at last. "I will not live with him unless I am really his wife. I cannot." Leave him; but how? She could not go back to her mother's house where questions would be asked which she was determined not to answer; and besides it was too near. Where could she go? A. few hours afterward that question was answered. She received a letter post- the father is German, the mother is saw Traveler. too near. Where could she go? A. few

"it is just what I wanted," she said to

pose there is some sort of fandango going on there." He make himself very comfortable. It was a cool evening, and he smoked his eigar, put his feet on the stove, with "no one nigh to hinder." what reason nobody knows, since young fallen in love with her; but Delia always | Biblical proverb.
relapsed into meekness, and all was lost. | The colleges are managed by very old As the days passed the doctor began to miss his housekeeper. "Why does she not write? Cold-blooded creature!" men. They are men so old that they ought to be chalked on the back as Noahs or Morgan Dixes. No man or boy, no

thusiastic about the doctor. "If he was down to the managers of colleges as a my husband I would flirt with him and sacred inheritance, without a shadow of make him fall desperately in love with reason to make it sacred. me," she declared.

"Flirt with him!" exclaimed Delia. ured and always the same, I sometimes cation is in the market, as are commer-wish he would be a little bit cross, just cial and other advantages. There is a

one is really contented and happy." | man and a woman have equal rights in cided that he needed some one to keep Then she became very homesick; not every grocery, every dry goods store, house for him. also missed herself, she had always been so long as they pay equal money; but so prudent, so submissive, and now she they attempt to buy an education and had done such a wild, wicked thing! Had the fossils of the college say that the she not promised "for better and for man's money is good, but the woman's is

One morning there came a tremendous | Can anybody imagine anything more ring at the door. Delia knew that ring, unjust than this? Is it political or comshe heard it all over her, and turned mercial or social fair play? What busipale. "Bound to get in," said Mamie, as | ness have the trustees of a college to say And she became as deeply interested in the party, the ball, and the more social the Windsor as if the doctor had come gathering? expressly for the purpose of ending his life there. But Doctor Brinsley was not lumbia College, and the privilege is realtogether defenceless. "I came to ask fused them! This will seem as strange

"Oh!" said Delia. And she went. magnificent", as Delia remarked, but the Doctor made quick work of them. "How soon will you be ready to come

summer. I think-I think-" But she be a little more gentle, more lover-lke. she would only have looked at him.

Then, slowly, she lifted up her eyes to don't appreciate the treasure they have OUR NAME IS ON EVERY PAIR. his. Was this the way he used to look at found. Becky? Not quite; no one should ever see that look again in the doctor's eyes. But Delia did not know that, and it seemed very good to her to be looked at mond. in this way.

"I will go whenever you like," she answered at last. Then the doctor did say something

gentle and lover-like. They were married already. Let us hope "they were happy ever afterward." -Denver Inter-Ocean.

On the Safe Side.

the highway near Charlestown, Va., a don't mind buying it for my daughter was grubbing out a stump near the ued, as she buttoned her six-button kid meadow fence, and after a few questions gloves and took her parasol to leave, "if about the farm products the Wolverine you've got five or six more real genuine asked:

stump out?" "Just fifty cents," was the reply.

at it?"

"Wall, nigh 'bout a week I recon." "And how much longer will it take?" morrow, but I recon I won't do it afore antee that the diamond named was a Friday."

it to morrow an' git my money, I'll be ing like knowing you've got the real bound to drap down to Halltown an' bet genuine thing. It's really so satisfyin' house as this my wife and I lived in the on a hoss race an' lose it all. Ef I wate to be sure!" greatest happiness when we were first | till Friday, I kin hab de means of gwine | inter de circus at Charlestown. I knows my weakness, boss, an' so I'ze gwine to

Why He Married Her.

In the forthcoming fascinating biography of the heroic Lord Lawrence | coal-scuttle into a caseful of dismonds there is, among many anecdotes, one eminently characteristic of the man, who basketful of diamonds and pearls and was as strong in his affection as in his will. He was one evening sitting in his drawing-room at Southgate, with his sister and other members of the family. All were engaged in reading. Looking up from his book, in which he had been

"She's upstairs," replied the girl.

He returned to his book, and, looking up again a few minutes later, put the same question to his daughter and received the same answer. Once more he returned to his reading and once more he looked up with the same question. His sister broke in:

"Why, really, John, it would seem as if you could not get on for five minutes more'n I could put up with. He hit without your wife." my . daughter with a churn-dasher, and without your wife." "That's why I married her," he re- said that my wife was as homely as a

The Woman and the Fossils.

One evening, when the doctor came The woman did not ask for co-educa-home, Bridget met him at the door and tion in Columbia College, and that seems said: "Missus has gone, sir; she had to to be a reason why she should have no go a kind of sudden, but she said she education in Columbia College at all. would and tell you." "All right," ans She modestly asked to slide in at a side wered the doctor. "Gone to her mo-door at stated times and in stated ways; ther's," he explained to himself. "I sup- but that would necessitate a new system

But what the doctor really liked was to men and women and old men and women be hindered; he enjoyed watching the do have to associate, and there is really mild shadow of disapproval stealing no harm in the bare fact of association; over Delia's face; if she had frankly and but that she should ask education in anbriskly expressed her opinion, then other shape is equally objectable for very taken it back prettily, he might have numerous reasons, each as wise as a

The cold-blooded creature wrote. Her woman or girl, should appeal in vain for letter was dated from Denver. It said: the privilege of getting an education and DEAR SIR-I thought you would be paying for it. The privilege ought to be happier without me, so I came here. I as free to one as another, as are town am visiting Cousin Mamie. With best pumps and summer showers. There are wishes for your happiness, I remain sin-Della Brissley. | should not be educated above a certain "A pretty letter—and 'dear sir' to me! point, lest they improve too much and Gone to Denver! Who could have sup- nobody will be left to do the hard work posed she had spirit enough for that? that is necessary to general comfort. Of Bath. This ought to secure him a clean Little goose! Gone to Denver, by Jove!" the same species of logic is the proposition that men should be made wise and self, he was delighted. The next even-women should be kept ignorant. St. have self. ing he was on his way to Colorado. That | Paul said a foolish thing as to women, same evening, in far-off, lovely Denver, and Solomon, who respected women Delia and Cousin Mamie were comparing merely as they officiated as concubines, notes about their husbands. Delia had was equally unjust to the sex; and this been very cautions and Mamie was en- foolishness and this injustice have come

What better right has a man than a woman to be educated? The intellect of "Certainly, it would be all right, and | the one is as good as that of the other, so intererting! Now, John is so good nat- and it has a right to be as good. Edulaw protecting the civil rights of negroes. "What a sadly funny world this is," It seems to be necessary to have a law to thought Delia when she was alone, "no protect the civil rights of woman. A

she hurried to the door. "Is Mrs. Brins- | that this person shall have an education ley in?" asked a big voice. Mrs. Brinsley | and that one shall not? What business was in. She came forward smiling, rosy- have they to talk of the danger of intercheeked, collected, transformed. She course between young men and women held out her hand, she was glad to see who seek the advantages of their instituthe doctor; she presented him to Cousin | tions and are willing to pay for them, Mamie. They sat down. "Where are any more than they have to talk of the you stopping?" "At the Windsor." danger of the intercourse that attends

Women ask to be admitted to the Coyou if you would take a ride with me. | in 1900 as the fact that this country once The carriage is at the door. Come just as had slavery seems strange to us of the present period .- N. Y. Graphic

The mountains were "perfectly Ell Perkins on Buying Diamonds in New York.

Since they have discovered diamonds home?" he asked quietly.

"I don't know. I intended to stay all on Fifth avenue to be noticed. One young lady, reported to be young and could not tell him what she thought bandsome, wears finger-ring diamonds She was glad he had come; she wanted in her hair. A Chicago lady, staying at to go back with him; she loved him now. | the Fifth avenue, alleged to have lived But did he love her? If he would only with her present husband two weeks without getting a divorce, wears diamond The doctor was not very gentle; his mandress buttons; and even one of the colner was clear-cut and decided, but—if ored waiters—an African, too, right from the mines-showed me a diamond weigh-"How soon will you come home?" ing thirty-seven pounds, which he of-he repeated. "I want you to come fered to sell to me in the rough for \$4 a clear indication that even the Africans

This morning a lady from Oil City

"I understand solitaire diamonds are the best, Mr. Tiffany," she said; "please

show me some of them." "Here is a nice solitaire," answered the silver-haired diamond prince; "how do you like it?"

"Pretty well," said the lady, revolving it in her fingers. "It shines well; but are you sure it is a solitaire, Mr. Tiffany?'

"Why, of course, madame." "Well, now if you will warrant it to be A Michigander who was riding along a real genuine solitaire, Mr. Tiffany, I solitaires just like this one, I don't mind "What do you get for taking that taking 'em all, so as to make a big soli-

taire cluster for myself." "Yes, madame, we'll guarantee it to "How long have you been working be a real solitaire," smilingly replied tit?"

Mr. Tiffany, and then the head of the house went up to his private office, and in the presence of four hundred clerks "Wall, I spects I could finish it to- sat down and wrote out his official guargenuine solitaire. As the lady bore the "Why?" certificate from the big jewelry palace, she observed to herself: "There's noth-

> But that evening her fiendish husband refused to buy the diamonds-"and then this beautiful woman," said Mr. refuse to go to the party at Mrs. Wither-inton's because her jewels did not match

her polonaise!" "Oh, dear!" said the great jeweler, and in the fullness of his grief he poured a and watches and silver spoons, and a

garnets into the coal stove. A Just Cause for Shooting.

During the war, while General Steele

manded Steele. "I had a right to shoot him, General." "Did he insult your wife?" "Wussen that, General."

"Did he strike you?" "A heap wussen that."

"What did he do?" "Why, General, the cuss said that I was an uneddycated man. That was cow, but, General, when he insinewated agin' my college trainin' Icouldn't stand

inarked "Denver, Colorado," it came from "dear cousin Mamie," and as she read her letter Delia's face brightened; the lather is German, the mother is Visiting and reception dresses grow more simple, dinner toilets more elabrated the fellow can speak."

WIT AND HUMOR.

A child of seven or eight said that when the Bible speaks on "children's children," it must mean dolls.

"Little Ah Sid," started across the continent by The San Francisco Wasp, is having a tremendous newspaper boom Stamford, Conn., is eleventh in population, sixth in wealth, and fifth in the number of telephone subscribers in the

There are several dozen exchange 'skins" who are entirely too previous. with the originalities which appear in

The Yonkers Gazette has a Chinese proof-reader. At least we judge so, when he lets "Gleeley" stand in type for "Greeley."

Connecticut papers affirm that it is by no means certain that the bridge over the Thames river at New London will be built this year.

Noticed by the Philadelphia Times: 'It is in the nineteenth century that hu-

The Crown Prince Frederick William of Germany has been gazetted Knight of the Grand Cross of the Order of the

Annanias and Sapphira would never have succeeded as editors of a newspaper. George Washington would have been a better man in their place.-Whitehall Times.

Mining is not the only field for the unscrupulous speculator. Last year 32, 700,000 bales of cotton were sold in New York, and only 600,000 delivered .- Denver Tribune. From The Lyons Press: The remark

she made was something like this: "If he

quits." She seemed to be insulted. A lady in Chicago had her face enameled in a smile. Invited next day to a dear friend's funeral, she was obliged to grin through the whole per-

A Rare Instance.

"Father," began a Cass avenue lad the other night, "is Mr. T. a good man?" "Yes, my son. I regard him as one of the best men in Michigan.

"Do you believe he would lie?" "What, young man! are you crazy? sir. Mr. T. wouldn't lie for all the gold on earth. What makes you ask that question?"

"Why, when a man says he saw a ruary, what do you call it?"

"Did he say he saw one?"
"He did."

best.-Harvard Lampoon.

"Are you sure?" "Oh! I heard him tell three different men so. Didn't he lie, father?"

"N-n-o, I think not," mused the father; 'but let it be a great moral lesson to thousand years that a robin comes up here from Tennessee at that date and exhibits himself to a single citizen and returns on the afternoon express!"—De
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"Why did you shoot the soldier?" de
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[San Francisco Examiner.]
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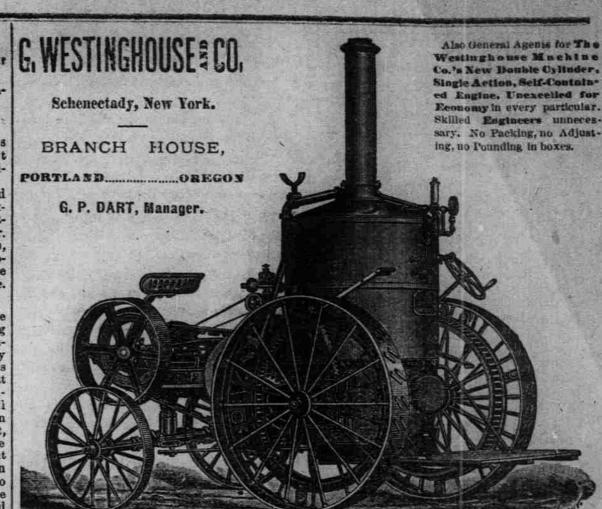
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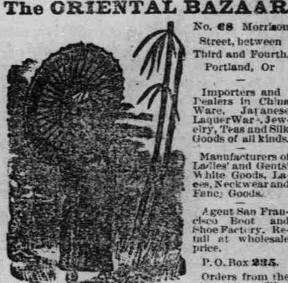
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