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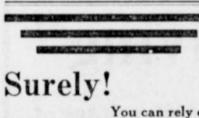


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Or What the Doctor Discovered in the Heat of New York.

By JUNE GRAHAM.

Copyright, 1912, by Associated Literary Press.) "Did he take it, mother, did he?" "Now girls," Mrs. Vernon protested,

prance." "But, mother, I'm dancing for joy," all, fifteen-year-old Bab protested. doctor thought, watching that radiant 'Ho's such a dear."

"But he takes his meals all out, Jo. fore.

And I let him have it for eight. He

nice boy."

moustache, mother?" "Carlotta, not so loud. No, he is -Indiana, I think he said-to take up ure.

a special summer course here, and he distractions."

point penetrate. The guilty four surtounded her with sober faces and

grave, sympathetic eyes. There was Bab, blonde as a Christ- isn't used to a galaxy, girls." nas doll, and tall for her age; Josephne, demure and brown eyed, with watin bands of dark hair bound about

KODAK her small head, Madonna-wise. Bab said that Jo resembled a sleek young toe, with wide surprised eyes; Virginia came next, wondrously gentle, and fair like Bab. All the Vernon mischief found spring and gount in Virginia's silence, and just

P.-I. Build'g, Seattle tow she sighed, as if over the doctor's with her fox hair and fox eyes, half it." plosed and full of amber glints, Carotta who would wear gowns of dull apple greens, and tenderest browns tame and intelligent as he can be." and mauves, and look like a grave, weet princess malden.

"We won't bother him, mother dear." said Carlotta now, kindly and saith someone. He has a most intellianderstandingly. "Don't you worry."

So Dr. Arnold settled down in his summer quarters contentedly, thankfully. The house was one of the old mansions in the Washington square flatrict, long since turned into a select coming place. With four daughters to care for and educate in her widowbood, Mrs. Vernon had chosen this as the most comfortable, and as Virginia put it, inconspicuous way of earning a iving in New York.

The doctor liked it. He was from a small town, thriving, but lacking frills.

a chemist who, while experimenting has succeeded. Ever since his interne with electricity, happened to place car- days in Chicago he had longed to bon electrodes connected with a dy- spend a season each year in New namo into a bowl containing some Fork, taking up special courses in one crushed coke and clay. first chance. There were no distractions, no annoyances at the Vernon touse, he found. True, in the early morning as he passed out for break-'ast he caught sight of various young

persons, all with averted faces and hasty footsteps. "Good morning, doctor," each would

murmur, and gravely would the doc-You can rely on tor acknowledge the greeting. He

to and fro along the narrow walks. paced the girls, drying their hair in the sunlight. Women to him meant DRIED THEIR HAIR frail, nervous, pitiable creatures, handlcapped by the old curse of Eden. Young or old, rich or poor, he had grown to class them indiscriminately as patients of the Infinite, ever ailing. These girls were not of this class Every vibrant electric hair on their lovely heads upheld its own affidavit as to their perfect health, and even while the doctor mused, impersonally, professionally even, out stepped Carlotta, her tawny curls clinging to her preathlessly, "not all at once, please. head, a huge turkish towel wrapped Yes, he took it. Eab, dear, don't around her shoulders over a dress of slik the color of a lify leaf. Sunlight and firelight mingled, the

topknot steal the sun's glory. She low-"For how much?" asked Josephine, ered her head and swept the curling briskly. "It's worth ten with break- mass forward, and the doctor knew no fast, mumsle, summertime, you know." man's eyes had ever seen its like be-

He moved the curtains back with one seems such a quiet person, just a big hand, and lo, the four lifted innocent eyes of wonderment, and Virginia "Boy? Hasn't he a Vandyke and asked: Are we disturbing you, doctor?"

And the doctor was abashed. He juite smooth shaven. He is a doctor. protested that he was not being dis-He has come on from the middle west turbed, but that it was a great pleas-

Bab chuckled. The doctor bowed needs a quiet place to live, with no discreetly and withdrew his head, seized his hat and went out for a walk She paused impressively to let this to forget the view of the garden disclosed.

"I'm afraid we did disturb the doctor, girls," said Carlotta. "Maybe be

"Are we that, Carlie?" Bab cried joyously. "Something starry and beauteous! He looked at you the longest." "His eyes were glued to your hatr," pronounced Jo.

Carlotta laughed.

"That's a neat little picture, Jo, I must say. Hope they come off easily. Boston Evening Transcript remarks. Remember once at school when a boy threw chewing gum at my hair, I mean my rippling curls, and you girls had inpending fate. Last of all, Carlotta to cut it out before mother discovered

> "Well, I don't care," said Virginia, firmly. "I think the doctor is just as "Intellectual, Gene. Animals are in-

telligent." 'Man is the noblest brute of all,

gent face." Every Saturday afternoon the doctor's study hour was interrupted by what he called in his heart of hearts is as follows: the hair washing festival of the houris. young and human, and he had an aphe watched for Carlotta and her

his weeks of special study. One evening he was late from a lec-Mrs. Vernon met him, a triffe pale and worried.

"Was there any accident in the subway, doctor? The girls are late, too." take away the injured. It's the Washington theater."

"The girls are there. Bab and Carlotta and Jo. Virginia stayed to keep me company. Oh, doctor, my girls-"

fessional self.

Supposition! Said Joan I think tho' I don't know. My Father keeps a Wild West Show. Because he said, he'd got grey hairs Trying to beat the Bulls and Bears

BOYS ON A STOCK EXCHANGE Amsterdam Youths' Privilege for Discovery of Gunpowder Plot-En-Joyed Nearly 300 Years.

Of the many quaint and curious customs, traditions and privileges prevailing in Holland none is more extraordinary than a certain privilege that has been enjoyed by the boys of Amsterdam for nearly 200 years, the At a fixed time each summer these

boys gather by the hundreds in the great square called the Dam, situated in the center of the city. Each boy has a drum slung over his shoulder. Facing this square is the stock exchange, and on the occasion in question just as soon as the day's business is over as many of the boys as possible crowd into the building. They proceed to the floor of the exchange. where, pursuant to this old custom,

a ball in the canal that in those days in all her myriad phases. Most of all the piles on which the building stood, found instead of his ball a boat moorstrange red gold curls, tawny as some ed in a dark corner and loaded with fox of the woods. And he prolonged boxes of gunpowder. This showed clearly enough what was afterward old days, itinerant barbers attending ascertained with certainty, the inten- to their customers' wants in the

with the leading citizens of the city. sunk in the canal and the Spanish mly essential to heircutting. plot thus frustrated.

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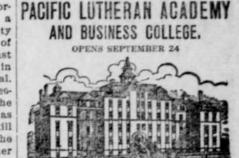
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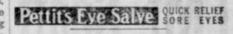
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they are permitted to march about, singing and beating their drums. The origin of this custom, it is said, One afternoon of the year 1622 a

Did he watch for it? The doctor was crowd of boys playing in the Dam lost rods. preciation of the beautiful. Also, had skirted one side of the square. One he not come to New York to study life of the lads, while climbing in among

ture. As he bounded up the stairs, tion of the Spanish conspirators to streets or in the customers' home.

When the burgesses asked the boy in the whole world, makes the laundress smile.

Ave Maria.

HOSTETTER'S Stomach Bitters wondered how many daughters Mrs. Vernon had. to help you in cases of Saturday afternoon there were no

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classes at the clinics. The afternoons were for home study, he had decided. Seated by one of the long French windows, half hidden by cool art scrim jurtains, he beheld one very young person sally stealthily forth into the

back garden and proceed to dry her bair in the sun. It was a pretty garden, small as

some toy one of Nippon. A stray bit of holy writ flittered airly through the foctor's mind. "My love is like a garien inclosed."

This was a garden inclosed in high brick walls, hidden by heavy masses of ivy. In the small diamond center of grass stood a tiny arbor, overrun with wistaria. There were pansy beds and mignonette borders, and low groups of dusky red and gold nasturfums.

The doctor closed his book and regarded the young person drying her hair in the sun. It was beautiful hair. She might have been the love of the South Wind, My Lady Dandellon, with that golden glory falling about her. Her hair took on most wondrous glints in the sunlight, the doctor mused. This must be one of Mrs. Vernon's daughters. The youngest, possibly. Her shoulders drooped in schoolgirl fash-

The doctor resumed his reading. Presently when he glanced up there were two girls in the garden. Industriously and without regard for the world above the garden, they dried their hair in the sun.

Josephine's hair was very long. She ooked like some brown nymph of the woods when it fell about her. The doctor became meditative, almost retrospective. In this day of artificiality and pretense it was refreshing and reassuring to find here, in the heat of New York, such normal, beautiful crowns of glory, he told himself. It showed poise of health, of mental and physical health.

Here Virginia stole forth, robed in the white garments of a blameless life, her long blonde curls dripping like some Lurline of the Rhine.

"You'll get your kimono all wet," admonished Jo, the practical. Virginia laid her fingers to her lips.

"Mother says we must not talk. We might disturb the doctor, girls." The doctor cleard his book and laid It on the desk. Beneath his windows.

Nobody was killed, Mrs. Vernon." hind him. Swinging along Waverly place, around Fifth avenue, and so to the Eighth avenue stand, the doctor took a taxi up to the hospital where Little Device Held in Hand Enables the injured had been taken.

Yes, there was a Miss Vernon, they told him. Her sisters had only minor injuries in the crush that followed the fire panic.

He told them he was the Vernon family physician, and was taken to the long ward where Carlotta lay with other girls and women. He drew the screen around her cot and knelt.

"Dear, dear, are you badly hurt?" he asked huskily. For the first time in his career the doctor lost his professional calm. Carlotta opened her eyes and smiled.

"Not much, doctor, not nearly so much as most of the poor creatures. My shoulder hurts, and-what do you think-my hair caught fire from a falling curtain as we came from the boxes. Not all of it-'

It lay on the pillow about her, singed and shortened, but beautiful as ever. and the doctor pressed his face down on it.

"I came to take you home to your mother, Carlotta," he said. "Do you mind?"

"Mind what?" asked Carlotta. "I'm awfully in love with you, dear, and upset, and-oh, don't you know what it all means to me?"

Carlotta's hand stole out to rest on his bowed head.

"I know," she whispered. "I'm afraid we did bother you, doctor." "Say Jack."

She moved her head nearer on the pillow. "Better take me home, hadn't you-Jack?"

First Time George Leaves Home. "George is always looking for opportunities to show his devotion." "Yes."

He said if I telegraphed him he wanted me to be sure to send a night message. Dear boy. He wants to sit up all night to get it."

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#### Low Down Dog.

Small Edna was out walking with her mother when a dog with unusually short legs passed them. "Mamma," said Edna, "did you ever see such a low down dog as that?"

bring them home. And keep yourself of the town would like to be permit- terested in railway matters. The othsteady. They will need you, you know. ted to make the floor of the exchange er day, waiting with his mother in a their playground during a certain train mysteriously "held up" at a way-His cheery, strong voice buoyed her part of the year. The request was side station, Freddle pondered: "Mamup even after the door slammed be- granted; and so the custom survives, ma, I guess this is where the en-

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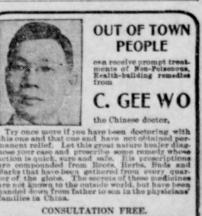
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