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ONLY A GLIMPSE. BY ANNIE NORLAND. In Three Chapters—Chapter II. I could scarcely wait for breakfast to be dispatched before I walked over to Mrs. Werner's. What was my astonishment to learn that Ellen had gone with the early morning light back to her home!

“What is that?” I asked eagerly. “He has sent a messenger to inform her brother of the true state of affairs. He is her proper guardian, you know—when her husband falls to.” “How long before he will come?” I asked impatiently. “I do not know that he will come at all, but if he starts immediately after getting the message he will get here this evening. The distance is twelve miles, you know.” “I do hope he will come; Ellen will then feel that she has some protection.” “I do not know that she will, child. You must remember the sacredness of the marriage tie. It is difficult for any one to come between man and wife.”

“Blows and curses and deadly weapons should come between them?” I cried indignantly. “Oh! why did she go back to him?” “This morning he is sober, I suppose, and is himself again. Ellen's heart clings to him through all these scenes.” “Oh, Mrs. Werner! how great are the trials she must endure! May heaven avenge her wrongs!”

“A short time after this conversation Ellen Brent was awakened rudely by her husband one night as he returned from the saloon. He said excitedly: ‘Ellen, get up. Can't I wake you at all? Get up, I say.’ She was only half awake and rubbed her eyes, and stared at him.

“Ellen, I say! Have some sense about you. Get up, I tell you!” He stalked around the room, collecting some of his wearing apparel. She sprang up, saying: “Oh, George! what are you doing?” She laid her hand on his arm, and asked in frightened tones: “What does this mean?”

“Oh, my husband, tell me, what this means!” “I'll tell you what to do; that's enough for you to know.” He stormed so loudly that she hid her head in her crib, and screamed with fright. She ran to rock the crib, but her husband cried out with an angry stamp of his foot: “Confound that baby, if you are going to get the things do it, or I'll leave without them!”

The trial of George Brent came to hand. There was no prosecuting party, as the murdered man had no relatives in the country. The State placed for justice, but! sometimes when justice is in one side of the balance and gold in the other the shining metal brings down the scales. Friends rendered assistance. Ellen's home was stripped of many comforts, and the most rigid frugality exercised to meet the payment of the husband's sin. Bravely and heroically she did her part. She taxed herself with additional labors, and denied herself many comforts which before she had deemed necessary. He came to her with one word of reproach, only hoped on, that her husband might be saved from his evil habits and companions. It was not long before she saw a change come over him. He was unhappy, wretched. His nights were full of apprehensions and horrible dreams. She knew that remorse preyed upon him, and not many months passed before he sought oblivion in the wine-cup. Now commenced a long and trying trial. In drunken frenzies, unkind words, and even blows were given to the suffering, defenseless wife. Her woman's heart bore it all rather than appeal to friends for protection against her husband, and after each scene of violence she passed one word of tenderness melted the long heart again. At length the storms of rage became so violent that she was again compelled to flee from her home to save her life and that of her child. Again was she informed of her danger. He came to her aid; offered every inducement he could to prevail on her to leave her brutal husband and make her home with him. She refused to do this, and Mr. Holtbrock then had a long conference with Mr. Brent, in which it was rumored that angry words and dark threats were made.

Another chapter now opens in Ellen Brent's changeless, unhappy life, and I was to witness the shifting scenes. (To be concluded next week.)

Across the Jordan. Lieutenant Conder, of the British Palestine exploring party, has taken his exploring party back to Jerusalem for the winter, bringing with him the results of his first campaign across the Jordan. Over 600 ruins have been collected, more than 200 ruins have been examined, some 400 crumblings have been found, and plans, sketches, and photographs have been taken. In addition to the crumblings, several members of standing stones have been found, and ancient stone circles in connection with both classes of monuments. Among the stones explored are: Heshbon, Elelath, Madeba, Bal-Mon, Nebo, and Pisgab, the hot springs of Calbarhoe, Rabbath, Amman and the Jordan valley. Lieutenant Conder reports that he has found the place of the worship of Baal Peor and the site of Ramoth Gad; that he has an important suggestion to make as to the “bedstead” of Job; that he has discovered the method by which the enormous stones used at Enai were brought up from the quarries; that he has found a Sasanian building at Amman, which seems likely to illustrate in an interesting manner the architecture of the Kubbet-es-Sakhra at Jerusalem.

A Spartan Bride. From the Chicago Times. A young man and his sister were hired to teach a school in Clay county, Kentucky, in partnership. The young lady to teach the first half of the school and her brother the other. Very soon after the young lady began teaching, one of her largest male students became her sweetheart, and in a short time they were married. Not long, however, after they were married the young group and another of the bride's students engaged in a little “knock-down.” Each of the offenders was brought before the fair disciple of the rod, was given an impartial trial, and the young groom was proven to be equally guilty with the other, and was given his choice of leaving the school or taking a whipping. He chose the latter; so his newly-made bride did herself fairly justice by use of the rod, gave her husband not a few stripes, and cutting the blood out in not a few places. Since then everything has passed off smoothly.

The “Womon Slave” Still Lived In. London Globe. Superstitions, however silly or miserable, somehow never die. There are thousands of men in London, especially those in the East, who in their places, in whose minds, linger still old sayings and notions of ill or good luck, and in whose habits their influence, even though unconfessed, and, perhaps, unrecognized, still holds sway. Spilling the salt, crowing knives, walking under ladders, are things to be avoided according to the canons of fortune, and, as a matter of fact, they are avoided or noted and bewailed when perpetrated. A strange custom has recently come to light at an inquiry respecting the death of a lad who had died from injuries inflicted from a pitchfork one of the witnesses was asked “if there was any blood upon it,” to which he replied “the fork was used if it had been used the fork and laid it up.” It appeared that the mysterious ceremony had been performed at the request of the lad's parents, who on a previous occasion when another son had been wounded with a fork and enjoyed the satisfaction of the great relief, the said witness of seeing the injuries rapidly healed. This curious impression is stated to prevail widely in Essex.

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CORPUS CHRISTI DISTRICT—First Round. Beville et al. at Corpus Christi, 1st Sunday in Jan. 1892...

MASON DISTRICT—First Round. Morrison et al. at Mason, 1st Sunday in Jan. 1892...

WAXAHACHIE DISTRICT—First Round. Rogers et al. at Waxahachie, 1st Sunday in Jan. 1892...

GEORGETOWN DISTRICT—First Round. Georgetown Station, 4th Sunday in Dec. 1891...

SAN ANTONIO DISTRICT—First Round. Fife et al. at San Antonio, 1st Sunday in Jan. 1892...

WACO DISTRICT—First Round. Colvert et al. at Waco, 1st Sunday in Jan. 1892...

FORT WORTH DISTRICT—First Round. Fort Worth sta. at Fort Worth, Dec. 21, 1891...

EASTLAND DISTRICT—First Round. Eastland et al. at Eastland, 1st Sunday in Jan. 1892...

BROWNWOOD DISTRICT—First Round. Bibb et al. at Brownwood, 1st Sunday in Dec. 1891...

LAMPASAS DISTRICT—First Round. Lampasas et al. at Lampasas, 1st Sunday in Dec. 1891...

SULPHUR SPRINGS DIST.—First Round. Sulphur Springs et al. at Sulphur Springs, 1st Sunday in Dec. 1891...

WEATHERFORD DISTRICT—First Round. Weatherford et al. at Weatherford, 1st Sunday in Dec. 1891...

Obituaries.

HOSKINS—Nancy Ann Hoskins was born December 12, 1827; died November 29, 1891, in Denton county, Texas...

WILBURN.—Joel J. Wilburn was born September 10, 1818, in Madison county, Alabama...

SEAL.—Anna Gertrude, daughter of J. A. and Alice Seal, was born October 1, 1874...

DROWNS.—Mallie Drowns was in her thirteenth year when she was afflicted with severe illness...

RAINE.—Morton A. Raine was born November 25, 1863, and died October 29, 1891...

MOORE.—Near Moscow, Polk county, Texas, James B. Moore, November 20, 1881...

McEACHEN.—George Franklin McEachen was born in England, 1878...

TRIMBLE.—Mrs. Cordeila Ann Trimble, wife of William Trimble, was born February 21, 1856...

NEELY.—Bro. George Willie Neely, Jr., was born in Washington county, Texas, September 22, 1860...

BLACK.—Miss Keturah Black, daughter of David L. and Maria Black, was born in Caldwell county, Kansas...

HARRIS.—Died, at the residence of her father, near Waxahachie, November 25, 1891, Miss Katie, eldest daughter of Bro. Mackey...

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Texas Christian Advocate. Secular Summary.

A settlement between the Spragues and their creditors, which has been virtually accomplished, will give the latter nearly one-half the principal of their claims.

During the first fortnight after the arrival of the British court at Windsor Court, a number of visitors will be "commanded" to the castle, including several of the ministers.

The sale of the effects of the Russian Minister afforded a good illustration of the rage which exists among a certain class of fashionable society...

The laws of Canada prohibit the banks from loaning money on their stock. With the view of ascertaining whether this has been done the finance minister has called upon the banks of Toronto and Montreal...

The new Chinese minister is of noble family, is fifty-eight years of age, and for ten years was superior of the arsenal at Canton.

Mayor Carlton, of Port Huron, reports that in the burned district of Michigan winter wheat looks very finely, but for the lack of fences is being badly trampled by cattle.

The locks affixed to the desks of members of the Ohio Legislature are such an intricate pattern that they can not be operated by skeleton keys...

The Comptroller of the Currency will answer a congressional inquiry by stating that thirteen national banks received their deposit of bonds...

The Western trunk-line roads recently received information that ten steamship lines are systematically directing all immigrant business over four Eastern trunk roads...

The crop report for Michigan, published by the Secretary of State, compiled from reports made during the present month, indicates that wheat has been sown in 1,834,529 acres.

The annual report of the Lake Shore road shows gross receipts of \$17,970,000, and net earnings of \$9,684,000.

A canny bird at Kingston, N. Y., imitates the notes of a bobolink exactly and with such liquid sweetness, that unless seen, a person would suppose a bobolink was singing.

The New York Shipping List gives a report that the Inman Line has refused to accept the new steamer City of Rome, she having been badly strained at the time of her launch.

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A bill to confer the suffrage on all who can read and write passed both houses of the Italian Legislature on the 21st.

A Philadelphia paper says: "Montpelier," the home and burial place of President Madison, was sold at auction last week, and a subscription has been started in Virginia to place a stone over the grave of President Tyler.

Colonel Rockwell, it is said, is the only person who actually saw the assassinated President die. He was detained by Secretary Stanton as soon as President Lincoln was shot...

A caveat relating to an improvement in postage stamps has just been filed in the United States Patent-Office by Mr. T. A. Mays, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

The railroad commissioners of Missouri have sent a letter to Manager Gault, of the Washburn road, declaring the center span of the St. Charles bridge unfit for the transportation of passengers with reasonable safety.

Jewish refugees from Russia are said to be arriving in Chicago faster than they can be cared for. During the last six months no fewer than one hundred families have sought homes and employment there.

In the races at Charleston, Honduras and Keno fell, breaking the color-bones of their riders. In the hurdle contest McDonald tumbled, seriously injuring his jockey, and Biness and Lynchup also went to the ground.

Hon. Jonathan Chase, of Rhode Island, is said to be the only seater in Congress. On taking his seat in the House he affirmed instead of swearing and from the gallery his wife and two daughters, clad in gray with demure quaker bonnets, looked down upon him.

Mexico, says a correspondent, is a member of the Postal Union, and sends letters all over the world for five cents, yet charges her own citizens twenty-five cents postage and denies them the privilege of linking their own stamps.

An innocent looking servant girl kept her employer's family in a fright for six months, at Norwich, Connecticut, by signing the door-plate with the name of the devil.

The use of money in elections is an evil only less deep-seated and demoralizing than the spoils system. It is a growing evil, and one whose cure is not guaranteed by the progress of the movement.

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OUR GRANDMOTHERS.

Our grandmothers were not only wise, but they were also very kind. They were the ones who taught us the value of a stitch in time saves nine.

The elevated roads in New York will soon build a third track along the Ninth Avenue line, and run fast trains to a point twenty miles out.

Guilean could never sleep at proper hours, cursed with abnormal activity, his nerves were always on the qui vive.

Of 254 samples of vitrials lately analysed by the Berlin authorities, forty-four proved adulterated.

Watch Carefully Your Health. Are your hands and feet cold? Does your pulse beat irregularly?

General Prado, ex-president of the republic of Peru, is in New York. He declares that his country will never consent to the annexation of part of her territory to Chili.

Worse than Death is the agony endured from kidney disease, for which Dr. J. A. S. Sherman's Compound is the only reliable cure.

A New York correspondent of the Chicago Inter-Ocean gives a startling account of the treatment of the children of the rich by nurse-maids who take them to the parks.

Dr. Harter's Iron Tonic is a preparation of Protocoll of Iron, Peruvian Bark and the Pharmacopoeia, and is the most reliable medicine for the treatment of Dyspepsia, General Debility, Female Diseases, and all the ailments of the system.

On a wharf in Boston a Herdic coach containing a gentleman and two ladies was dragged into fifteen feet of water by a runaway horse.

Two Catholic priests of St. Louis, Ryan and O'Hanlan, took a buggy and went on a lark in the suburbs.

Our exports of breadstuffs during the last eleven months have been \$210,318,432, as against \$257,231,045 for the same period last year.

The grand jury of Bexar county having advocated the licensing of gambling houses in their last report, the San Antonio Evening Light says both pertinently and forcibly: "Now, if the gambling houses cannot be reached under the present law what evidence have we that by putting them under heavy license the law will be enforced."

The German police have had a considerable increase of their multifarious duties. The Socialists in Switzerland adopt every kind of device to circulate their papers in Germany, and of late have sent them as business circulars stamped with the names of eminent firms, who, to their disgust, now find all their letters and circulars examined by the imperial police.

James Gordon Bennett sent a cablegram from Paris to Secretary Frelinghuysen stating that he had transferred six thousand rubles to Gen. Ignatieff to aid Captain De Long and his party. The distance by wagon from St. Petersburg to the point where the shipwrecked crew are stopping is 4000 miles.

THE REV. GEO. H. THAYER, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to SHILOH'S CONSUMPTIVE CURE."

ARE YOU MADE miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Yellow Skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure.

WHY WILL YOU cough when Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief? Price 10 cts., 50 cts., and \$1. Sold by C. W. Preston & Co., Galveston.

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"The stone rejected of the builders," is in very truth becoming the cornerstone of the reform edifice in Great Britain.

The Christian Philosophy Quarterly is the title of a new periodical published for the American Institute of Christian Philosophy, by A. D. F. Randolph & Co., New York, at \$2 a year.

Mr. George Munro's neat and very cheap editions of the November issues of the Contemporary and Fortnightly Reviews and of the Nineteenth Century are published. They offer an inviting list of discursive, chiefly upon topics of present interest, by well-known and able writers.

Western Bell Revolver, No. 9; greatest bargains ever offered by a responsible firm. Sold by Saxon Importing Company.

A fine watch at \$17 with remarkable offer of the old and reliable watch of J. G. W. Phillips & Co. Sold by Saxon Importing Company.

Let every girl, man, woman and child, look up the advertisement of the LADIES' REMEDY, (CANTHARIS) in another column.

The strike of shopkeepers at Madura, in the Madras Presidency, as a protest against the pressure of municipal taxation, is described in the Bombay Times as an universal. On the 21st of October all the bazars, shops and stalls, without an exception, had been shut for three days.

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