

was hearing his friend's voice now,

and thinking it might afford some clue to the judge's whereabouts, Mahaffy took it up and read it. Having mastered its contents he instantly glanced in the direction of the City Tavern, but it was wrapped in darkness.

SYNOPSIS.

his definite conclusion. "But he'll be at Boggs' the first thing in the morning-most likely so far gone he can hardly stand!"

The letter, with its striking news, made little or no impression on him just then; it merely furnished the clue he had sought. The judge was off somewhere marketing his prospects.

stairs, and, without removing his clothes, threw himself on the bed. He was worn down to the point of exhaustion, yet he could not sleep, though the deep silence warned him that day was not far off. What ifbut he would not let the thought shape itself in his mind. He had witnessed the judge's skill with the pistol, and he had even a certain irrational faith in that gentleman's destiny. He prayed God that Fentress might die quickly and decently with the judge's bullet through his brain. Over and over in savage supplication he muttered his prayer that Fentress might die

Mahaffy watched for the coming of the dawn, but before the darkness lifted he had risen from the bed and gone downstairs, where he made himself a cup of wretched coffee. Then he blew out his candle and watched the gray light spread. He was im- watch. patient now to be off, and fully an shadowy uncertainty of that October the place of meeting, but he had Fentress rode up, attended by Tom

one fine Sunday to go for a row on the

loch. They accordingly sailled forth

in search of the boatman, whom they

met just leaving his house dressed in

his Sunday best and carrying a Bible

"We want to go for a row." said one

"Dae ve no' ken it's the Sawhath?"

"Yes, yes," expostulated the tour-

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answered Sandy; "ye'll no' get a boat

frae me the day, forbye I'll hae ye tae

ken that I am an elder o' the kirk."

think whit the meenister'll say."

under his arm.

of the tourists.

selves.

English Milking Machine. An English milking machine is

Caring for Parsnips. If seed corn is stored properly it Parsnips for table use will possess should be thoroughly dry in from a much milder and sweeter flavor if three weeks in the south to eight covered with some sort of refuse weeks in the north, and if kept dry right where they grew and allowed to it will be safe from injury except by remain in the ground and freeze be-

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among the rushes? Weel, she's ready wi' the cars inside. Jist ye gang down there an' row oot tae the middle o' the loch, an' I'll come doon tae the bank an' swear at ye; bit never ye mind, ye jist row on an' I'll call for the money Monday."-Ideas.

King's Watch in Pawn.

A time-honored London tavern, the Castle, at the corner of Cowcross street, facing Farringdon street, enjoys the unique distinction of being also a fully-licensed pledge shop.

ters, "that's all very well for you, but Over a door in the bar, which gives we don't require you with us. You access to the landlord's private room, can go to church; we can row our and thrown into bold relief by the official document behind it, the his-"Ay, ay," said the elder, "but jist toric three-sphered symbol is discernible. Anyone may here negotiate

By royal warrant a few days later he invested that obliging boniface with the right of advancing money on pledges, and from that time down to the present a pawnbroker's license has been annually granted to the

Castle. This hostelry is mentioned once or twice by Dickens.-Stray Stories.

Small Light. "Pilkins says he doesn't believe in hiding his light under a bushel." "I shouldn't wonder, when he can hide it just as well under a thimble."

Only Deeds Count. We should believe only in deeds; words go for nothing everywhere .--

make sufficient use of his lungs. Breathe as much as you can and talk as much as you can. That is the recipe for reaching an old age and remaining young."

> Some one whispered: "Now I see why women generally live longer than men. They talk more."

The Way She Felt. 'My dear, if I should fall in love with another woman, would you sue insects and vermin. for her alienating my affections?"

asked Mr. Smathers, tentatively. "No, indeed," answered Mrs. Smath ers, who had recently been outpoint ed in a little domestic argument. "I would ask the woman to give me a 2 cent postage stamp and call it tirely by themselves.

Feed for Colts.

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her a thin slop for the first two or three feeds after farrowing. Increase worked by pedal power. Storing Seed Corn.

