

REST.

Let us rest ourselves a bit! Worry? Wave your hand to it. Kiss your finger tips and smile. It farewells a little while!

BRAVE MARIE.

It happened in 1870, which is still spoken of as the "terrible year" in Bois-le-Duc. The war between France and Prussia had raged all about them, but not a soldier had been seen in the tiny village, for which the peasants daily thumbed their noses.

He, and his voice trembled in spite of himself when he spoke. "We saw a man enter this house just now," he said. "Tell me, my little maid, where he is."

ADRIFT.

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IRISH SONG.

On Enniskillen's fairy isle, Amid the blooming meads, We leaned upon the livery stile And listened to the thrushes.

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scene of destruction such as the boy had never beheld before. Presently the crew got the dingy to her davits, and then one of the men who had pulled her beckoned Ferris to go aft.

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