A HIDDEN DA It is a duty of the kidneys to rid the blood of uric acid, an irritating poison that is con stantly forming inside. When the kidneys fail, uric acid -

causes rheumatic attacks, headache, dizziness, gravel, urinary troubles, weak eyes, dropsy or heart disease. or heart disease. Doan's Kidney Pills help the kid-neys fight off uric acid - bringing new strength to weak kidneys and

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weak kidneys and relief from backache and urinary ills. A Utah Case Mrs. James Crooks, First St. N. W., American Fork, Utah, says. "For over ren years I was afflicted with kidney com-plaint. Often the pain in my back was so severe that I almost fell to the floor. The kidney secretions were unnatural. There was lameness across my loins. Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to my attention and they cured me." Get Doan's at Any Drug Store, 50c a Box DOAN'S KIDNEY FOSTER-MILBURN CO., Buffalo, New York

EASY MONEY.



First Lawyer-I wish I had been liv. ing in King Solomon's time. Second Lawyer-Why? First Lawyer-He had 700 wives.

Think of the divorce business he could have thrown in my way.

Tea's Conquest of Rome.

Of all the conquerors that have come to Rome no one has gained such a complete victory as tea has won in the Italian capital. Twenty years ago the British and American tourists who came to Rome were catered to in the matter of tea in a rather shamefaced manner in the strangers' quarter near the Plazza di Spagna, and "English Tea Rooms" was the legend to be seen in a few windows hard by Cook & Sons' offices.

Nowadays the palm lounges of the Grand and the Excelsio hotels at tea time are two of the sights of Rome, for all Roman society drinks tea abroad in the afternoons, and there are as many uniforms at 5 o'clock in the big hotels as there are at sundown on band days on the Pincan hill. All the big pastry cooks' shops in the Corso and the other principal streets now have "Afternoon Tea" in gold letters on their plate glass windows.

Hairy Food.

A traveling man stopped at a hotel recently, said the Cassody Times. He found a hair in the honey. He went to the proprietor and kicked. "I can't help it," said the landlord. "I bought onev. the traveling man found a hair in the ice cream, but the landlord said that was all right, as the ice had been shaved. Again he found a hair in the apple pie. This surprised the landlord greatly. "Why," said he, "they told me those apples were Baldwins."-Kansas City Journal.

BY BARONESS ORCZY. Author of "The Scarlet Pimpernel," "Petticoat Rule," Etc.

THE HEART OF A WOMAN

SYNOPSIS.

that truth would surely come out, that his innocence would of necessity be The story opens in Brussels. Louis Harris, a charming English giri of fam-ily, friends and wealth, while absently walking along the Boulevard Waterloo in a November rain, runs into a tragedy. proved.

But now, woman-like, she only long-ed for his safety, and forgetting all the tradition of her past life, all the old lessons of self-restraint, forgetting ev-erything except his immediate danger, she clung to him with all the true pas-tion in her which she no longer triad A man is found murdered in a taxi-cab; his companion who had left the cab some time before and told the chauffeur to drive to a certain address, had disap-peared and is unknown. sion in her, which she no longer tried to keep in check. The scene shifts to London. Luke de Mountford, Louiss's affianced, the nephew and heir of the eccentric and wealthy Lord Radcliffe is in trouble. An alleged direct heir, the unknown son of another brother, nas notified Lord Radcliffe of his claims. The oid man, passionately fond of Luke, claims that he has examined the papers and that the claimant is an im-poster.

ston in her, which she ho longer tried to keep in check. "No, Luke," she murmured in quick, i jerky tones, "it is not too late—not at all too late. You stay in her quietly and I'll ask father to go and speak to them. He'll tell them that you haven't come home yet, and that he is waiting here for you himself. Father is well known; they won't suspect him of shielding you; and in the meanwhile you can slip out easily; we'll send your luggage on. You can write and let us know where you are—it is quite easy— and not too late—" Whilst she spoke, she was gradually edging toward the door. Her voice had sunk to a horse whisper, for maddening terror almost deprived her of speech. With insistent strength she would not allow him to detain her, and he, whilst trying to hold her back, was afraid of hurting her. But at the last when she had almost reached the door, he con-

Suddenly the alleged Phillip de Mount-ford appears in London. After a short m-terview with Lord Radcliffe his claims are recognized and he is installed as heir. Without explanation Luke is practically disowned. Phillip seems to exert unlim-ited influence over Lord Radcliffe which puzzles his friends and defles investiga-tion. Lord Radcliffe will explain to no one. one. A year has passed since the tragedy in Brussels. Suddenly it is repeated in every detail in London. The victim is Phillip de Mountford. Every circumstance and a very apparent motive points to the dis-placed nephew. Luke as the murderer. In vain, Louisa, in her blind faith, tried to prove Luke innocent. Every investiga-tion brightens the chains of evidence. At the corner's inquest the startling devel-opment that the murdered man is not Phillip de Mountford but a common scoundrel denounced by his father and mother, who identified the body as their son, only complicates the situation. It does not in the least upset the appailing proofs of Luke's guilt. A warrant is is-station in life the police secretly warn him to leave the country before the war-fant is served. This he prepares to do Louisa sees him and asks him pointedly for the truth. He confesses his guilt. had almost reached the door, he con-trived to forestall her, and before she could guess his purpose he had pressed a finger on the button of the electric bell.

bell. She heard the distant tinkle of the bell, and this made her pause. "What is it, Luke?" she asked. "Why did you ring?" "For your father, dear," he replied

to: she reformed eagerly, you win go away?" He gave no immediate answer, for already the maid's footstep was heard along the passage. The next moment she was knocking at the door. Luke went up to it, gently forcing Louisa back into the shadow behind him. "Mary," he said, with his hand on the latch of the door, holding it slightly ajar, "just ask Colonel Harris to come here, will you?" "Yes, sir." The girl was heard turning away, and walking back briskly along the passage. Then Luke faced Louisa once again.

again. He went up to her and without a

Louisa sees him and asks him pointedly for the truth. He confesses his guilt. Here the heart of a woman discerns his lie and the real truth that he is protect-ing someone else. Immediately she asks herself,—Who? and intuitively reasons that Luke's love for his uncle must be bound up with the solution. In the mean-time the uncle has been stricken and no one permitted to see him. She demands that she be allowed to talk to him. Her request is denied but she insists, finally the physician grants permission. Lord Radcliffe recognizes no one and does not understand what is said to him. Alone with him for a moment she rehearses the story to him, although he is apparently unconscious. At the mention of Luke's name and the fact that he is accused of indulgence. When the physician returns he has spoken and demands that what he has to say be taken down and witnessed. He dictates a statement—The so-called Philip de Mountford who has been pass-ing as his heir was an imposter. Such a person had at one time existed and be-san the correspondence more than a spear before. Lord Radcliffe met him in Brussels to examine the proofs which he found correct. In his indecision between his duty to the real heir and his passion-ator flection for Luke he invites the real Philip de Mountford to ride with him through the streets of Brussels. Suddenly the impulse selzes him to solve the prob-lem then and there—hence, the murder in the taxi-cab which Louisa had witnessed. He went up to her and without a word took her in his arms. It was a supreme farewell and she knew it. She felt it in the quiver of agony which went right through him as he pressed her so close—so close that her breath nearly left her body and her heart seemed to stand still. She felt it in the sweet sad near of the huming kiesee seemed to stand still. She felt it in the sweet, sad pain of the burning kisses with which he covered her face, her eyes, her hair, her mouth. It was the final passionate embrace, the irrevoc-able linking of soul and heart and mind, the parting of earthly bodies, the un-ion of immortal souls. It was the end of all things earthly, the beginning of things sternal.

have heard you confess with your own lips that you killed that d-d scoundrel In a moment of intense provocation." "I had better not keep the police waiting any ionger, sir, had 1?" "No! no! that's all right. I'll take my poor Lou away at once, and we'll see after Edie and Jim-we'll look after them-and Frank, too, when he comes home" home

home." "Thank you, sir." "S'long my boy." And Colonel Harris—puzzled, worried and miserable—finally went out of the room. On the threshold he turned, moved by the simple and primitive in-stinct of wishing to take a last look at a friend.

at a friend. He saw Luke standing there in the full light of the electric lamp, calm, quite serene, correct to the last in at-titude and bearing. The face was just a mask—marble-like and impassive— jealously guarding the secrets of the soul within. Just a good looking, well bred young Englishman in fact, who looked in his elegant attire ready to start off for some social function.

Not a single trace either on his person or in his neat,' orderly surroundings of the appalling tragedy which would have broken the spirit of any human creature, less well schooled in self-restraint.

Convention was triumphant to the end.

The man of the world-the English which?—was here ready to face abject humiliation and hopeless disgrace as impassively as he would have received the welcome of an hostess at a dinner party.

CHAPTER XXXV.

WHICH TELLS OF PICTURES IN THE FIRE.

It did not take poor little Edie very In did not take poor fifthe Edie Very long to get her things on and to make ready to go away with Colonel Harris and with Louisa. Something of the truth had to be told to her, and we must do her the justice to state that when she understood the full strength "For your father, dear, he to be when she understood the full strength simply. "Then you will do what I want you to." she rejoined eagerly, "you will go away?"

demeanor. She pulled herself together with re-markable vigor, and before Mary, the maid, she contrived to behave just as if nothing of great importance had oc-

see her tomorrow and let her know when we all come back." "Very good, miss." Louisa gave ungrudging admira-tion, and whispered praise to the young girl. She was proud of Edle's be-havior, and grateful to her too. This atmosphere of reserve did her good. She could not have endured a scene of weeping and keep her own nerves in check all the while. It was close upon 8 o'clock when at

It was close upon 8 o'clock when at last they reached the Langham hotel. Colonel Harris ordered the dinner to be served in the private sitting room.

She understood and her resistance vanished. All that had been dark to her became suddenly transfigured and illumined. With the merging of earth-ly passion into that love which is God's breath, she—the pure and selfless woman. God's most perfect work on earth—became as God, and knew what was good and what had been evil. Neither of them spoke; the word "farewell" was not uttered between them. His final kiss was upon her eyes, and she closed them after that, the better to imprint on her memory She understood him so well, you see: "Kiss your feet, dear?" he asked. "" would lie down in the dust for your dear feet to wak over me. I only won der why God should love me so that he gave you for this one beautiful moment to me. Lou, my dearest saint, I cannot accept your sacrifice. Dear heart! As for imagining that I don't under-stand it and appreciate it, why as soon think that tomorow's sun will never rise. I worship you, my saint! and two solor do that most cover it. Sooner do that most cover and liso accept it. But the sacrifice it. But the sooner do that nost cover and y data the cowardice of accepting it. But the memory of it, dear, that I would a ceats y lought the source of the laiter, "ite poor this the scent of sweet peas floating gently to his nostriks. As be buried his lips in their fragrant soft paims he was mot utered balows was upon here is for imagining that I don't under-stand it and appreciate it, why as soon thisk that tomorow's sun will never rise. I worship you, my saint! and the cowardice of accepting it. But the memory of it, dear, that I will take with me. Do not think of me in fur the cowardice of sweet peas floating gently to his nostriks. As be buried his lips in their fragrant soft paims he was entiely happy. The world hasit floated away from him. He was has and the was fing memory. The supreme farewell had been his ips in their fragrant soft paims he was mont the words mash the words hasit floated away from him. He was has fing the vib his nostriks. As be buried his lips in their fragrant soft paims he was mont in the words hasit floated away from him. He was has fing the wish ment fing memory. The supreme farewell had been his lips in their fragrant soft paims he was mont in the word hasis in the suprement farewell had been his lips in their fragrant soft paims he was mont in the word hasis in the words has thas the word has has the words has tha

COULDN'T HAVE DONE BETTER SUFFERED

Marriage Arrangement Seemed Some thing of a Bargain, but It Turned Out Happily.

George A. Birmingham, the widely known writer, says there is no country in the world where marriage, at least in the peasant class, is more a matter of bargaining and yet shows a higher average of stability and content than Ireland. Sometimes the man has never seen the woman be fore they are brought together, the precise number of pounds, sows, or pigs to be handed over having been by that time settled.

This is illustrated in personal recollections just published by an Irish woman. She was visiting with an aunt at a cottage in the neighborhood, and admired a fine mahogany chest of drawers.

"Twas for that I was married," said the mistress of the cottage. A young farmer had also seen and admired. A bargain was struck. There was no money, but the bride was to have a couple of sheep, a yearling bullock and the chest. The prudent young man measured it, and then young man measured \$t, and then turned and asked:

"An' which o' thim little girls is it?" She was the oldest unmarried-"nixt the doore," as the phrase was. "An' so I wint," she said, "and was happy ever afterwards."-Tit-Bits.

HOW TO TREAT PIMPLES AND BLACKHEADS

For pimples and blackheads the following is a most effective and economical treatment: Gently smear the affected parts with Cuticura Ointment, on the end of the finger, but do not rub. Wash off the Cuticura Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water and continue bathing for some minutes. This treatment is best on rising and retiring. At other times use Cuticura Soap freely for the toilet and bath, to assist in preventing inflammation, irritation and clogging of the pores, the common cause of pimples, blackheads, redness and roughness, yellow, oily, mothy and other unwholesome condi-

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Forced to Work.

An Edwards county farmer was short a harvest hand. He went to Kinsley, a mile away, in his auto. He found a man there, dumped him into his auto and took him out to the farm.

Next morning, when the drunkard had come out of it, he asked how far it was to town. The farmer told him fifteen miles and promised to take him in the following Saturday if he would help harvest that week. The man worked all week without knowing that he was only a mile from town.-Kansas City Journal,

Willie's Strategy.

"Uncle George, I wish you wouldn't give Willie any more nickels.'

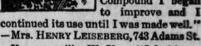
"Why, that's all right, Jane. The little fellow ran right up the front stairs to put the coin in his savings bank.



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Elgin, Ill.-"After fourteen years of suffering everything from female c

plaints, I am at last restored to health. "I employed the best doctors and even went to the hospital for itreat-ment and was take ar Te 3 ment and was told there was no help for me. But while tak-ing Lydia E. Pink-ham's Vegetable Compound I began to improve and I



Kearneysville, W. Va.-"I feel it my duty to write and say what Lydis E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I suffered from female weakness and at times felt so miserable

weakness and at times feit so miserance I could hardly endure being on my feet. "After taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and following your special directions, my trouble is gone. Words fail to express my thankfulness. I recommend your medicine to all my friends."- Mrs. G. B. WHITTINGTON.

The above are only two of the thor-sands of grateful letters which are con-stantly being received by the Pinkham Medicine Company of Lynn, Mass., which show clearly what great things Lydis E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound does for those who suffer from woman's line.

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Backache Rheumatis Kidneys and Bladde

curred. curred. "I am going to dine out tonight, Mary," she said quite caimly, "and I mayn't be home until sometime tomor-row. So don't sit up for me." "No, miss," replied Mary demurely, who kept her own counsel, like the well drilled, good class servant that she was

she was. "And tell cook that Mr. de Mountford won't be in either, nor Mr. Jim. I'll see her tomorrow and let her know

She understood and her resistance vanished. All that had been dark to be served in the private attang of course, none of them could eat any-thing. Their inward thoughts were following Luke de Mountford along

tions of the skin.

Adv.

Reversed.

Willis-Then he was really an honest congressman?

Gillis-He was frankness itself. When he retired he said he felt as if the country had served him long enough .- Puck.

CAREFUL DOCTOR

Prescribed Change of Food Instead of Drugs.

It takes considerable courage for a doctor to deliberately prescribe only food for a despairing patient, instead of resorting to the usual list of medicines.

There are some truly scientific physicians among the present generation who recognize and treat conditions as they are and should be treated, regardless of the value to their pockets, Here's an instance:

"Four years ago I was taken with severe gastritis and nothing would stay on my stomach, so that I was on the verge of starvation.

"I heard of a doctor who had a summer cottage near me-a specialist from N. Y .- and as a last hope, sent for him.

"After he examined me carefully he advised me to try a small quantity of Grape-Nuts at first, then as my stomach became stronger to eat more.

"I kept at it and gradually got so I could eat and digest three teaspoonfuls. Then I began to have color in my face, memory became clear, where before everything seemed a blank. My limbs got stronger and I could walk. So I steadily recovered.

"Now after a year on Grape-Nuts I weigh 153 lbs. My people were surprised at the way I grew fleshy and strong on this food." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

"There's a reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are grauine, true, and full of human interest. Adv.

CHAPTER XXXIII-(Continued.)

She understood him so well, you see! "Kiss your feet, dear?" he asked. "I would lie down in the dust for your dear feet to walk over me. I only won-der why God should love me so that he gave you for this one beautiful moment to me. Lou my degreet saint L cannot

He had her two hands imprisoned in his, the scent of sweet peas floating gently to his nostrils. As he buried his lips in their fragrant soft palms he was entirely happy. The world had floated away from him. He was in a land of magic with her; in a land where the air was filled with the fragrance of sweet peas, a land of phantasmangorie the land of Fata Morgana, which none can enter save those who love. Time sped on, and both had forgotten the world. The fire crackled in the hearth, the clock alone recorded the passing of

the clock alone recorded the passing of time. The noise of the great city—so cruel to those who suffer—came but as faint echo through the closely drawn

curtains. There was a discreet knock at the door, and as no reply came from with-in, it was repeated more insistently.

Luke jumped to his feet, and Louisa retreated into the shadow. "Come in!" said Luke. The door was opened, quite softly from outside, and the well drilled serv-ort said.

ant said:

"Two gentlemen to see you, sir." "Where are they, Mary?" he asked. "In the hall, sir." "Did they give their names?" "No, sir."

"No, sir." "Where's Miss Edie, Mary?" "In the drawing room, sir, with Col-onel Harris." "Very well. Then show the two gen-tiemen into the dining room. I'll come in a groupst"

"Very good, sir."

And the discreet little maid retired, closing the door after her.

CHAPTER XXXIV.

WHICH SPEAKS ONLY OF FARE-WELLS.

word.' But at the door he paused once more—in obvious hesitation. "There's nothing else I can do for you?" he asked. "Nothing, sir. Thank you." "You—you were not thinking—of—" "Of what, sir?" asked Luke. Then as he saw the other man's eyes wandering to the drawer of the desk, he said simply: The door had scarcely closed, and already she was near him. "Luke," she whispered, and her voice was horse now and choked, "the po-

"That's about it," he said. "I thought

that they meant to let me get away." "So father understood from Sir Thomas Ryder. What will you do, Luke?

can't do anything, I am afraid.

too late

A very little while ago she had hated the idea of his going. Luke a togtive from justice—was a picture on which it was intolerable to look. But now the "I think it blunder I sup subordinates." "I suppose "U think the blunder I sup

was intolerable to look. But now the womanly instinct rose up in revolt, at the very thought that he should be ar-rested, tried, and condemned! What wattered if he were a fugilive, if he were ostracized and despised? What mattered any thing so long as he lived. "I suppose so." "Well, Luke." said Colonel Harris "Well, Luke." is a colonel Harris with a deep sigh, "I have known you ever zithce you were a child, but, by G---d, man! I confess that I don't un-mattered any thing so long as he lived. "They suppose so."

the very thought that he should be ar-rested, tried, and condemned! What mattered if he were a fugitive, if he were ostracized and despised? What mattered anything so long as he lived and she could be near him? A very little while ago, she would have done anything to keep him from going: she almost longed for his arrest and the publicity of the trial. She was so sure

undying memory. The two men remained alone, and Colonel Harris without any hesitation held out his hand to Luke de Mount-ford. dear

ford. "The police are here, sir," said Luke, without taking the hand that was of-

dear?" "Not a bit of use, Lou. And I sup-pose you would like to be alone?" "I shan't go to bed, dear, unless you go to the club." "Very well, Lou. It seems the right thing to do, doesn't it? You go to bed and I'll go to the club for an hour. As you say it's no use sitting strains into fered him. "I know they are," muttered the oth refuse an old friend's hand." Then as Luke—hesitating no longer —placed his burning hand in that of his friend, Colonel Harris said quietly, almost entreatingly: "It's only a temporary trouble

"It's only a temporary trouble, eh, my boy? You can easily refute this abominable charge, and prove your in-

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abominable charge, and prove your in-nocence?" "I think not, sir," replied Luke. "I cannot refute the charge and my in-nocence will be difficult to prove." "But you are mad, man!" retorted the older man hotly. "You are mad! and are breaking a woman's heart!" "Heaven forgive me for that, sir. It is the greatest crime." Colonel Harris smothered a powerful oath. Luke's attitude puzzled him more and more. And his loyalty had received such a succession of shocks today that it would have been small wonder if it had begun to totter at last. He turned away without another word. But at the door he paused once more—in obvious hesitation. "There's nothing else I can do for you" he asked. "Wathing sir. Thank you." The turned such as succession of the situation. "There's nothing else I can do for you" he asked. "Wathing sir. Thank you." The turned such as succession of the situation. "There's nothing else I can do for you" he asked. "Wathing sir. Thank you." The situation situation is a succession of the situation. "The situation do the si "Nothing, sir. Thank you." "You—you were not thinking—of—" "Of what, sir?" asked Luke. Then as he saw the other man's eyes wandering to the drawer of the desk, he sald simply: "Of sulcide, you mean, sir?" Colonel Harris nodded. "Oh, no." rejoined Luke. And he added after a slight pause: "Not at "Source of the desk and he added after a slight pause: "Not at "Not at the saked. "You will find that you have more re-serve power, hence you will need to rest less frequently. Accordingly, you will live more in the present, checking the old tendency to cross bridges which Meanwhile, it is indeed necessary to know how to rest along the way, and one should learn not only to take long breaths between. but to intersperse ments of refreshment in the great of the sale of the sale

added after a slight pause: "Not at present." "What do you mean by that?" "I mean that I shouldn't exactly hang for the murder of the Clapham brick-layer. I shouldn't let it come to that. I am sorry I did not manage to get "I think they did mean to. Some blunder I suppose on the part of the subordinates." "Well, Luke," said Colonel Harris

Her Opportunity.

"And he ran right down the back stairs to the nearest candy shop."

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Every man has a secret hope that efuses to come out.

