

THE FIELD OF GOLD.

Oh, my beautiful field of flower-gold,
Waving your wealth so free
From out of so great and gay a store,

SHE WASN'T PRACTICAL.

Oh! Ned! Ned! Where are you, Ned?
Ellie Colebridge's tone was one of
anxious impatience as she came into
the sitting room of her pretty country house.

The window curtains parted, revealing
in the deep window seat a
little figure curled up, poring over an
open book.

"What is the matter?" inquired
Ned in a sleepy drawing voice.
"Mother!" said Ellie, dolefully,

"So they were, and here Charley
has gone for a week to Boston, and
Maggie left this morning. She is
only the eleventh girl I have had in
six weeks."

Ned pucker up a pretty rosybud
of a mouth, and it must be recorded,
shocking as it is—Ned whistled.

MAKING FORTUNES.

Paradise of the Brute and the Gold
Mine of the Bruiser.

"The offer of an athletic club of a
purse of \$80,000 for a brace of prize-
fights between popular bruisers is a
sad commentary on modern civilization,"

"America boasts that she is the most
enlightened and progressive nation on
the globe—that she is 'heir of all the
ages and foremost in the files of time'—

While hunting recently James
B. Peckham, a well known resident of
Preston, near Norwich, Conn., killed a
peculiar animal, the exact pedigree of
which he is very curious to learn.

There was undeniably a falling off
in the culinary department though
Ned and Ellie slipped away often to
superintend the performances of "No.
12,"

"You see dear, I am old fashioned
in my notions, and I believe in edu-
cating girls for wives and housekeep-
ers as well as for parlor companions."

"I don't know how often I have
found her curled up like a kitten in
the window seat, her eyes seeming to
be looking miles away, and her hands

"Do you remember our invisible
girl, Mrs. Claxton—the one who was
here when you first came?"

Electricity, where unretarded by
atmospheric influences, travels at the
rate of 288,000 miles a second.

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