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The Annual Bicycle Race. CRICAGO, June 1.-The great annual Decoration day cycling event, known ocally as the Pullman road race, a run of some twelve miles from Chicago avenue and Van Buren street to the town of Pullman was contested yesteray by some hundred 'bike" riders, inluding men whose fame is national. The race was a handicap, the starters being placed according to their known performances with a view of giving Attoney Hand opened the argument everybody a fair chance to win the race. The day and the weather were perfect and it was a merry spin. The winner of the race was M. Neison of the Col- had entered into a contract of which umbia club, who had six minutes handicap and covered the distance in fiftyfive and one half minutes. He is the actual winner of the race, but the chief interest to cyclists centers in the time might sue for the money, but stood a winner, that is the man who covered the distance in the shortest time, regardless of the handicap, and to deter- Judge Jenkins again asked if the law mine who this man is requires much was not adequate enough to protect liguring by the judges.

The judges finally awarded the prizes as follows: First, M. Nezel, Columbia wheelmen; time, 55;17. Second, M. Nelson, also the winner of the race, Columbia wheelmen, 55:44. Third, Charles T. Kniseley, Illinois Cycling club. 56:11

#### Do not Seem Alarmed.

LEAVENWORTH, Kas., June 1.- The coal miners of this city do not seem in the least disturbed over the strike in other parts of the state. President morrow. Wallers, of the mine workers' union, arrived here last night and today is confering with men employed in the sity is in great excitoment, due to the several mines here, I', was expected that he would order the Leavenworth men out vesterday, but no such action was taken. He now states that the mine operators do not seem in the least for ner student in the High school and alarmed, as the ratio of union to nonunion men is one to five.

### Perforated His Lung.

MILAN, Tenn., June 1.-The little village of Edith was the scene of a sensational occurrance yesterday morning. Miss Maggie Adair married in December and was a widow in March, her husband loosing his life in a runaway accident. Harvey Daze, a local face were most frishtfully mutilated tough, since attempted to pay the widow attentions, but was repulsed. He defamed her character and persecuted her on all occassions. At a sirg ing class Friday night Daze attempted to see the lady home, was refused, used insulting language and had his jaws publicly slapped. Wednesday morning at a picnic the rutlian again insulted the lady. She was among tiers firing at a target. When approached she turned the gun upon Daze and shot him through the shoulder. Quickly firing again, she sent bullets into Daze's breast, one piercing his right lung, causing probably a fatal wound. The woman gave bond for her appearance.

### Six Persons Killed in a Wreck.

TYRONE, Pa., June 1 .- The train

Banday Opening not Decided. Chicago, June 2.-Great crowds gathered in the United States court of appeals to hear the argument on the application by the United States for an injunction restraining the man-agement of the world's fair from openin, the gates Sund.y. Judges Woods, Je.kins and Grossenp sat on the bench. Chief Justice Fuller was prevented by the illness of his daughter from sitting. Th firm of Wanamaker & Brown, through their attorney, sought to intervene in the suit, but were ruled out, The arguments were continued until late in the afternoon. Attorney Milchrist, for the goy mment, read the bill, which was a lengthy one, and its provisions were discussed pro and con. after this. He maintained that the exposition, in accepting the appropriation with the Sunday closing clause,

Sunday opening was a direct violation. Circuit Judge Je kins asked if the government had no remedy at law, to which the attorn y replied that it small chance of receiving the souvenir coins, as they have been distributed. the government. He insisted that the money was in the na are of a gift and followed by her little dog. On seeing the stranger she stopped, and assumed a that authorities agre. that where donations are made the remedy is in equidemure pace. It would be difficult to imagine a prettier sight than this child,

Attorney St. Clair made a long speech in behalf of the exposition, bristling with technicalities: He laimed the gover- ment could not bring suit for a specific performance, because it has remedy at law. The arguments will be resumed to-

# Killed With an Ax.

FALL RIVER, Mass., June 2 .- The thing so refined and Lairy-like should have been born of humble parents; but he said no more, and the rest of the discovery of an atrocious murder, riparty returning, they took their leave. valing in many respects those of Mr. They were driving through the woods when Miss Lee Aston cried outand Mrs. Borden. The victim was Miss men will quit work Thursday. The Be ha Manchester, aged 22 years, a figure! a descendent of one of the oldest famistood Jaques with his violin in his hand waiting till the carriage should have ies in this section of New England. passed, before he resumed the music his soul loved. Jaques' large hands and -he was last seen alive when her father, feet, his uncouth face, which looked rough-hewn and not finished off, caused accompanied by his son and a hired boy, left the city. On their return the an irresistible laugh. He heard, and even son ran into the kitchen and there saw in his gentle soul arose a feeling of bit-terness; but he comforted himself by the his sister lying in a pool of blood. A bloody ax was found in a woodpile near the back fenc . The head and and blood was spattered over walls and excitement of news. "Mammie, there's a 'ittle boy fishing ceiling.

On searching the house the police -may I speak to him? oh, mammie, may 12 found that the girls sedroom had been ritled of some of its contents. The rieager little face, and seeing how much it would delight her, consented; the boy lled bedroom leads to ehe theory that robery was the motive. could be no other than Edward Norton. Jaques was away in London transacting

### Concerning Railroads.

ST. PAUL, June 2 - There is a case on hearing in the United States circuit court of appeals which involves the existance of all the railway traffic assosiations in the country, on an appeal from a dicision in favor of the railways. rendered by Judge Ryner at Cneyenne, Wyo, last July. It is a suit against the trans-Missouri freight association and the roads constituting it, brought by United States District Attorney tdy, of the Kansas district under the

sherman anti-trust act. The railroads plead that association is necessary to prevent discrimination, and that the railroads are subject to the interstate go into the water. act, which was framed to prevent trusts. and that congress in passing the antitrust act, rejected an amendment mak-



amusements, taught her to climb trees and to wade in the water, to know the names of the trees and flowers, to fish for hours with a crooked pin, to build moss-houses, etc. The country-bred boy found the greatest amusement in teaching this sweet little Cockney all the com-monest knowledge of country life. Then the hotidays came to an end, and Ed-ward went off to his work, and Dita was caught up like a wild colt from the grass to be tamed and broken-in to harness. A governess arrived-a parcel of lessonbooks, a plano and some globes; and one snug litue room with windows opening into the cloister was turned into a school-

The old life in Edgar street, Soho, had completely passed away-so completely that no one but the Lovels and Jaques knew that Dita was not their child. This was Andrew's strong wish, and Nannie was not experienced enough to see that it might lead to embarrassment in the future. When Dita was about twelve years old, she told her the outline of her parents' history, suppressing their names; and she was glad to have done so, as at that ago the revelation was nothing compared to what it might have been in the future. It was curious to see the hereditary pecaliarities develop-ing themselves in the girl's character; the enthusiasm and strong powers of loving and disliking of her mother's race-the chivalrous loyalty from her father. There was danger that she might become too romantic, too exaited, but her faithful Jaques proved the best educator she could have. He directed her enthusiasm aright; he fed her imaginawith truth; at once encouraging and restraining it: hours together she spent with him reading the books he chose for her. In vain the conventional governess appealed to Mrs. Lovel against this; she would not listen. She saw that there was a necessary craving in Dita's existance for the great and chivalrous and teautiful things, and the wonderful tact and sympathy with which nature had endowed the uncouth Jaques taoght terness; but he comforted himself by the wildest and most factastic maneuver on or Dita would look round her for what what she wanted, and in her nearest and dearmother's room with her face full of the excitement of news. ceetness and high religious tone; and though the time came (and Jaques knew that it must come) when she awoke to the fact that the parents whom she loved so very dearly were not such as she was, never by word or gesture, never even by admitting it to herself, did she betray it. She loved them perhaps all the more that the feeling roused +p a feeling of protection of them from the whole world.

Dita grew and shot up; her long golden hair was woven into plaits, and she wore a pinafore. Each time that Edward Norton came home from school, he saw less or her, and pronounced her quite spoilt, and no fun; finally he never saw her at all, and she passed on through the last stages of her school-room life.

A still greater change had come over her gentle mother. As year passed after year it took away a little more life, a litthe more energy. She was fading, very, very slowly-imperceptibly to all but Jaques, who through life had been her

# "Yes, it is her first ball." "Hum!" Sir Edward gave a sort of trowl and lighted a cigar, Jack followed his example, saying as he did so, hesitat-

ingly-"Ahem-a-I suppose it would not realiv stand in a fellow's way?" "What?-I don't understand."

"Those sort of parents -what of fau ily and birth; it's a confounded nuisance when everything else is so desirable "Do you wish for the young lady, or

her money?" said Norton, coldly. "Both," said the other. "I don't know exactly that I should have chosen a daughter of Andrew Lovel as a wife but for the money: but, by Jove! I never would marry money unless 1 cared very

much for the possessor." Doant then marry for manny, but gos wheer munny is." said Norton, blowing a cloud of blue

being possessed of a large fortune makes me fight shy of her acquaintance. I have seen enough of that," he added,

bitterly. Edward Norton was very proud, and it had reached his cars that people coupled his name with the heiress and planned the return of the old place to the rightful family through this marriage. Even his mother had once im-prudently given a very slight mint to that effect, which had been taken with the rapid swerve of a shying thorout He was far from pleased at hearing that he was to be under the same roof with this lady for two or three

he said, decidedly. "I must go to Lon-don and buckle to. If a fellow has his own way to make in the world, he must not waste time, but plou along the road to fortune."

"I have the same road before me. said Jack, kicking a pebble out of his way. "But you seem inclined to take a short

cut, Jack. "It saves a long, dry, dusty grind with 200 miles an hour, one lean.

"Well, I wish you good luck. Shall we go in? It must be five o'clock, and I must take off my boots before joining the ladies."

Edward Norton threw away his cigar and went up stairs. His handsome dark face was overcast and gloomy as he viciously across the room. It was unbearable that the very first thing that happened on returning to his own country, should be the overthrow of his plans for carefully avoiding any intercourse with the inhabitants of his old home He imagined to himself that the object of Jack Lee Aston's admiration must be

a blooming, rosy girl, stout and fair-haired, with all the want of refinement to be expected from one of Andrew's race. It was some years since they had met. The later Eton holidays, and all Oxford vacations, had been spent by Sir Edward with his uncle, Mr. Norton, and abroad with his mother. Lady Norton had encouraged him to be very much with his uncle: she feared lest the haughty and somewhat imperious spirit of her son would be marred for want of a father's authority. In some ways Mr. Norton was the best guardian he could have, but by no means in all. He was a cold man, city,

just and upright, and gained nephew's strong esteem, but he had almost as strong a share the hereditary family pride as Sir Edward bimself, and involun-tarily encouraged it in the toy. No one the Sir

guessed how bitterly Edward regretted Salford. Like most imaginative people he had a passionate love for home. Lady Norton, a kind-hearted but rather weak woman, found herself unable to cope with her son's faults, so she contented herself with drawing out and strengthening his merits, and consoled herself with the thought that these faults were those of a generous-minded but untamed nature, and that rough contact with the world would tone them down. Her one injudicious hint about Dita Lovel had

NEBRASKA NEWS.

The government building at Fremont is under way at last.

Hail did considerable damage in the neighborhood of Snyder.

Grey wolves are doing considerable damage in Keith county among cattle und horses.

Bids have been asked for the erection

times, never looked better at this season of the year.

One hundred boys were brought smoke into the air. "Well, you are from Chicago to pull weeds in the beet wiser than I am; the fact of a young lady fields at Pierce.

> A stock company is to be formed at Plattsmonth to investigate thoroughly the late coal lind.

> It is said to be a rare thing when one or more new buildings are not started in Lodge Pole every week.

> A mastiff attacked Mrs. J. A. Miller of Nelson who attempted to keep the dog from biling a child. The child was badly bitten.

> A thief at Pierce gave up a valuable shot gun in settlement for a load of hay he had taken without the consent of the owner,

> Joe Neal and Harvey goodensug of Hemingford' collided while chasing a "Ioul fly" and were both knocked senseless by the shock.

> A Heming ford druggist has invented a flying machine which he claims will carry a man in midair at the rate of

A drove of ca the broke down a bridge near O'Neill and the owner of the animals was arrested and forced to pay for the damages.

George Kring was sent to the reform school trem Alliance for snatching a pulled off his boots and threw them purse containing \$5 from a little girl and failing to return it.

> A horse was stolen at Wellfleet, and is four asys' time the sheriff of Lincolu county recovered the animal and the you is man who rode it.

L. F. Lark of Randolph was kicked the chin by agreat big burly brute I a horse, and ean't even "chew the rag" for the pain it gives him.

The Beatrice Starch works have within the past month shipped over on carlords of goods to Sau Francisco, an Antonio and Waco, Tex.

The Plattsmonth Journal indicates now the tich may grow richer by digging out the tons and tons of bituminous cosl that lies beneath the heart of that

The people of Allen, Dixen county, are frying to have the county seat removed from Ponca, and a petition for an election to decide the matter is being requisited.

Fruit prospects were withered in t'uster county by the late frost.

R. M. Dickson of Callaway, has had four ribs broken this spring. He has but few left.

Gotteleib Ilickman, a prosperous and industrious farmer living near Nortolk, is the father of a second pair of twins. The first were boys and the s cond arrivals are girls.

As the patients at the No asylum were being taken back to the main building from the amusement hall, where they had been dancing, twoof the patients, Mrs. Peterson of Ponca and Jacob Stevens from Keith county broke away from the crowd and dis appeared in opposite directions around the corner of the building. The attendants started in pursuit and captured Mrs. Peterson before she reached the outside gates, but were not so fortunate in finding Mr. Steavens, who is yet at large. He is one of the mild patients and will, therefore, be much more liable to succeed in getting away, since his sanity is not likely to be questioned by farmers or persons who may meet him. A woman named Sarah Abbott, bound for Norfolk beet fields, gave birth to a child at Columbus the other night. In the morning she renewed her journey on foot with her infant in a basket. Later she was seen to enter an outhouse carrying the basket. She emained some time in the building and then left, going toward the depot. No further attention was given the matter until a member of the family on going to the outhouse more than two hours later heard an infant crying A short search discovered a live child in the vault, which was taken out, proved to be a female child, healthy and strong, which fact is fully demonstrated by its having lived so long in such a foul place. The police were notified and the woman was arrested and placed in the county jall pending the action of the county attorney in formulating a charge upon which to try her. The child was placed in St. Francis hospital and is apparently none the worse for its experience at the hands of its mother, The woman denies having dropped it in the vault, but the has been fully identified by the woman at whose house the child was orn, and who waited on her and dressed the baby. The burning of the roller mill at Chadron entails a loss of \$25,000, nearly covered by insurance. North Platte merchants have organzed a protective association for the purpose of bringing shop-lifters and dead beats to spendy justice. A. W. Bowden, an insane man whose A. W. Bowden, an insame man whose home is at Wisner, has been arreated at Bloux City. Bowden became insame while attending college at Chicago and since that time has refused to talk,

on the Tyrone & Fairfield line, was wrecked on a down grade. The cars in which the camels and elephants were broke down while on the down grade and the next moment the train was running wild. Turning a sharp curve, t jumped the track and landed in a ditch a dreadful and complete wreck. The three sleepers used by the per formers remained on the rails. Otherwise the wreck was complete. The corrected list of dead who were taken rom the debris were as follows:

Frank Train, treasurer and ticke celler, from Indianapolis, Ind., J. Strayer of Houtzdale, Pa., William Mutterly of East Liberty, Pa., and William Haverly of Tyrone, Two bodies have not yet been identified.

of the seven seriously injured two. are believed to be fatally hurt. A wounded, but were able to proceed on captured with the exception of a and and a hyens, which are still at

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ing it applicable to roads. James Gilbert Released From Prison,

LONDON, June 2 .- James Gilb-rt, the dynamiter, has been released from Portland prison. He was sentenced in 1885 to penal servitude for life for having caused dynamite explosions at the tower and houses of parliment. The reason for his release is said to be the breaking down of his health. Priests and a nurse accompanied Gilbert to

London, where he was taken to a hospital in which a room had been en-William Evans and Louis Champaign, gaged for him by the Irish amnesty association, Gilbert's appearance cornumber of others were slightly roborates the recent reports of his dealth. He moves feebly, stoops and the journey. The animals were all has aged twenty years during his continement.

### An Indian Lynched by Mexicans

LAS VEGAS, N. M., June 2 .- Cecile Lucero, an Indian, was lynched in this sity by 1,000 Mexicans for the murder Rows, June 1.-The monetary situa of Jenignie Martinez and Julio Gonworse. The scarcity of silzales. His own father assisted in his ralyzing trade and the revival capture. Last week Martinez's body, of formed paper currency is believed to be inevitable. The parliamentary comhorribly mutilated by stones that had crushed his head to a jelly, was found on appointed to investigate the rebound to a burro wandering over the licity of the Italian senaported complicity of the Italian sena-tors and deputies in the scandals re-lating to the Banca, Romans and other plains. Julio was murdered several months ago in a similar manner.

### Five Deaths From Diphtheria

ial institutions has resigned on the ground that the chamber of de-QUEBEC, June 2 .- The steamer Oremade valid the election of gon, which arrived at the Grosse Isle Aguglia, an opposition deputy, conuarenteen from Liverpool Monday to the advice of the commission. light' with 850 passengers, is still de weakness of the newly recon-ted cabinet is aggravated by this sined. Five deaths occurred on the assage and fifteen persons are ill on ward. The existance of cholera on ward is officially denied. It is said to be diphtheria.

### Instantly Killed.

BRISTOL, Tenn., June 1.-The Big Stone Gap Land company, capitalized at \$2,000,000, and with a bonded indebt-DECATUR, Ga., June 2 .- While of \$5,000,000 more, has been into liquidation by a suit in the heriff's posse was attempting to arrest six colored men on a peace warrant. ourt by the stock-hold-W. B. Malaby was instantly killed, and mismanagement and ont and ne of the perroes, named Co was in turo fatal y shot. Maloby led with one of his

let a piece of string she held in her hand

LADY MAJENDIE

CHAPTER XIV .- Continued.

The door opened and Dita tounded in.

with her great rare dark eyes and the floating cloud of golden hair, which made her like a fairy child.

Mr. Norton held out his hand, and she

"Your little girl, Mrs. Lovel?" he said,

went up to him with a natural grace all

inquiringly. "Yes, our little daughter." answered

Nannie, stroking down the wild hair

Mr. Norton felt surprised that any-

"Oh, look, mamma, there is an odd

Against a tall shadowy birch-tree

One day Dita came running into her

Mrs. Lovel looked at her flushed,

business for Andrew and Dita was with-

out playmates. Away she danced with

sober pace of her maid.

Fluff at her heels, far outstripping the

The boy sitting on the edge of the stream in the wood looked up

danced up to him; she was so taken back

that her poor little face fell pitously; he saw it, for he turned round and said-

away and he won't come back: what do

But Dita was quite subdued, she only

crept a little nearer and hung her head.

Well, out with it, little 'un.

courage can

Dita'

"Never mind, you've frightened him

at her with a furious frown as

her own.

lovingly.

"You are a funny little thing," said the boy, who was about twelve years old, and very handsome. "What is your name?

"Dita," she said. "I caught a fish," and she drew out a dead leaf.

"Would you like to see my fish." said the boy; and opening his basket he showed to her wondering eyes the glittering silvery back of a pretty trout; but alas! the sight proved too exciting for the inquisitive nature of Fluff- he darted forward, and would have thrust his nose into the basket, when a sharp push from the boy thrust him back. Fluff was a clumsy spoilt pet: he rolled over, gave a little squeak, and subsided

into the trout-steam, "Oh, Fluff!" shrieked Delta.

"Be quiet," said the boy; "he will swim all right," and he stood for a moent watching; then he saw to his sternation that Fluff's superabundan coat was pulling him down, that the he was fighting with his paws above his head instead of below him. He stretched out a branch, but Fluff took no notice. Dita stood motionless with her little hands clasped together in despair. There was no time to lose, and the boy jumped into the water, and waded after the poor pet, catching him just in time to save his life. He carried him out, and Dita received

Finif wringing wet as he was into her lap and covered him with kissos and tears.

"You must run home," said the boy, standing dripping beside her : "and change your things, or you will catch cold-

"Come home too," said Dita, rising and pulling his hand; but the boy drow away roughly, and said with bitterness-"Not I-it is your home now, not mine."

"Shall you be here to-morrow, boy?

aid Dita. "Yes, I will come and see whether you

have caught cold." Dita held up her face to be xissed, and then srotted away with Fluff in her

Just as they reached the door. Mr Loval came out and met them. His con-signation was great on sseing the dripping condition of the child; her freek, overything in a deplorable condi-tion, and he severely scotded the maif for foring eight of her charge, while Dits few away to tell her stary to "maumie" The fittle adventure bore important fruits. Dits must no longer run wild; her education must begin. For one more happy anebackled month the child was free, setting into innumerable scrapes, ad sivays spending a thoroughty happy part of the day with Edward Norton, who isitiated her into all norts of enchanting oval came out and met them. His con

was gone, and she sat down by him, and confident, and who loved her dearly He saw the refinement of ill-health stealing over her; he did not mistake the trans-

parency of her hands for the delicacy produced by the life of a fine lady; and that she was always lying on the sofa more and more, told its own tale to him. Andrew was either too absorbed or would not understand. Nannie was fading early while still in the prime of life; she was not clever, she was not strong, and the transplanting had wounded the der little fibers, without which the life of the strongest plant grows faint. Jaques lived with his mother in a

pretty cottage just behind the garden; they lived humbly but very happily. Un-der his care the Salford library was becoming a rare and valuable one, and it flattered Andrew's vanity so much that learned men should write to him and ask for the favor of seeing his books, that in

this one particular he permitted himself extravagance, and Jaques reveled in the works his carte-blanche enabled him to procure.

### CHAPTER XV.

"Yes, she's a stunner," pronounced Mr. John Les Asten, commonly called Jack, the second son of the Lee Asten family. A voice of a different caliber answered

A voice of a different calleer answered him coldly. "Whatever Miss Lovel may be, there is no standing the father." "Money covers a multitude of sins," said Jack, laughing; "but there is no trace of the paryenue about the fair Perdita— she is the prettiest creature I ever saw; and as for manners, I have never seen her equal."

e was a pretty child," answered Sir Edward Norton. "But 4 have been abroad so long that I have only a slight recollection of her features; and only a strong recollection of that ass, her father, peppering me in the legs when your governor asked him to shoot in your when overts. I suppose ne has not killed any one since?

"He has never handled a gun since, poor old boy. I shall never forget his face when you tumbled down; it took half the nonsense out of him at a blow, and they say he is much improved.""
"Well, then, my misfortune has proved

od fortune for others, for he used to arry his gun like a walking stick. I insured my life before I accepted your nyitation to stay here for this ball, as I thought you would want me to walk through the turnips to-morrow." "I wish your mother would have

come.

"She is very happy at the Grange with my uncle; and she drives nearly overy day to see Mrs. Lovel-it is the most

wonderful infatuation." "Inshe not a great invalid?" "That is what it is; it is partly a sort of charity visit, though I confess my mother is devoted to her." "You will see the helress to-night," ald Jack.

What! is the coming here?

rankled in her mind; he looked upon his mother's friendship for Mrs. Lovel as an infatuation; and so sensitive was he on the subject of the Lovel's that he was inclined to think that all were combined in a conspiracy to compel him to marry the heiress. A kind of stiff shynese made him blush as he walked down stairs and feel furious that he was doing so. There was a great deal of laughing and chattering going on in the drawingroom. Meta Lee Aston, a young lady no longer young, was seated at the plan with all the younger members of sing a glee, "Let the bumper toast go round," and enjoying the mistakes they made

Mrs. Lee Aston, Miss Ashburn, her elder sister, and Mrs. Arthur the eldest son's wife, were seated round the teatable

Sir Edward possessed himself of the "Pall Mall," and sank into a large armchair by a reading lamp.

TO BE CONTINUED.

# Anthony Trollope's American Charac ters.

ters. Trollope's attitude toward Americans is thus touched upon by Henry James: "His American portraits, by the way (they are several in number), are al-ways friendly; they hit it off more happily than the attempt to depict American character from the European point of view is secontemed to depict American character from the European point of view is accustomed to do; though, indeed, as we ourselves have not yet learned to represent our types very finely-are not apparently very sure what our types are—it is per-haps not to be wondered at that trans-atlantic talent should miss the mark. The weakness of transatlantic talent. in this particular, is apt to be want of knowledge; but Trollope's knowledge has all the air of being excellent, though not intimate. Had he indeed striven to learn the way to the Ameri-can heart? No less than twice and, possibly, even oftener has he rewarded the marit of a scion of the British aristoc racy with the hand of an American girl. The American girl was destined girl. The American girl was destined sooner or later to make her entrance into British fiction, and Trollope's treat-ment of this complicated being is full of good humor and of that fathorly in-dulgence, that almost motherly sym-pathy, which characterizes his attitude throughout toward the youthful fem-inine. He has not mastered all the springs of her delicate organism, nor sounded all the mysteries of her con-versation. Indeed, as regards these latter phenomena, he has observed a faw of which he has been the sole ob-server. 'I got to be thinking if any one of them should ask me to marry him,' words attributed to Miss Bon-cossen, in "The Duke's Children,' have much more the note of English-Ameri-cas than of American-English.