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Miss Hunter is most particular with regard to the appointments of her dressing-room, and as a rule has her own maid to attend her at the theater, and do everything she may require. But one day this maid falls sick, and Miss Hunter is compelled to have recourse to one of the dressers of the theater.

pinafore tied up with ribbons! The bishop's daughter sunk down to be a dresser in a theater! It is impossible! It cannot be!

for the effect of her words. Lena's eyes blaze liquid fire. Into her white face there streams a torrent of blood that dyes it crimson. Her delicate hands are clenched like tiger's claws, and with a scream of fury she dashes from her chair, and buries her talons in Susie's fair throat. The attack is so sudden that the girl has no chance of resisting it.



She feels her rival's nails digging into her tender flesh, her eyes protrude, her power of speech is gone; in another moment perhaps she might have become unconscious, when the hold is as suddenly relaxed, and the wretched Lena sinks in a crushed heap upon the floor, sobbing her heart out at her feet.

ing matter of the food—greatly increases the growth of pigs. The reason for this is quite evident and simple. It is that this food so encourages the development of muscular tissue, of which the vital organs mostly consist, that the digestion and assimilation of the food are made much easier and effective; that the food is eaten with better appetite, and is far better digested. In fact, the machinery of the pig is so much improved by this feeding that its work is done much more effectively and consequently so much more profitably.—Agriculturist.

FASHION'S FANCIES. Reasonable Suggestions that Will Interest the Ladies. The fashionable silks this season have more effects, and more with silver or gold threads running through it are very effective. Tulle fabrics of all sorts abound in the shops, but they require very careful blending with other materials to make them becoming.

CHAPTER XXIII. They have turned into a quieter street by this time, and as the incredible assertion reaches her ear she stops and stands back against the wall. She can hardly breathe, and her heart beats audibly.

She draws herself up to her full height as she finishes the sentence, and regards her rival with an air at once dignified and indignant. But she is little prepared,

He—Do you really think Jack is in love with you? She—Certainly, I have the most positive proof. He never knows whether my hat is on straight or not.—Buffalo Times.

National Pig Feeding. Careful experiments have shown that the liberal feeding of foods rich in protein—which is the so-called flesh-form-

Embryo Lawyers. In the law schools of this country 84 per cent of the students are graduated every year, or more than one-third,

Spanish Cruelty in America. Writing of Spanish cruelty in the new world the historian, Las Casas, says: "As for the continent, it is certain, and what I myself know to be true, that the Spaniards have ruined ten kingdoms there, bigger than all Spain, by the commission of all sorts of barbarity and unheard-of cruelties. We dare assert without fear that, in space of those forty years in which the Spaniards exercised their intolerable tyranny in this new world, they unjustly put to death over 12,000,000 of people, counting men, women and children, and it may be affirmed without injury to truth, upon a just calculation, that during this space of time above 50,000,000 have died in these countries.

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