

CHAPTER XVII.-Continued. | plain. Murier and I were much to- my question?" The winds proving unfavorable, it gether, and much to one anotherwas not until an evening in early July close comrades. He lost an arm at will answer you frankly. Whenever I that the "Black Petrel" anchored in Wagram, was decorated, and pen- have seen the emperor, which of late the harbor of Bordeaux.

Knowing the location of Greloire's he has since lived with his married him tranquil, almost to indifference." house, Lafitte lost no time in reaching sister, Madame Teche, whose husband it, and was admitted by a sleepy-eyed is a farmer. We will go first ing with growing indignation, broke also retain their popularity. Among tern in brighter colors and thicker the coarsest hopsacking. It is too my eyes. The pain at times was so inservant, who led the way through a to Murier; he is close to the into the conversation. spacious hall to a closed door at the emperor-perhaps in his service, farther end; this he opened noise- and I doubt not that he will be able lessly, and announced Jim's presence. to arrange for an interview. But of this

Greloire started hastily; with a joyful and do all in his power to serve us." with outstretched hands.

broken way, and come back to the old | can we depart?" fold!"

Lafitte grasped the welcoming hands | perfected their plans. saw, beneath its look of momentary no prolonged stop until Toulon was gladness, one of keen anguish; and reached. They arrived there early one the younger man wondered what afternoon, and rested until the followtrouble had come to his friend.

"I cannot say as to that, old com- more especially-felt like ghosts re- loire and Lafitte-the former more rade," was his guarded reply. "I have turned to former scenes as they ramcertainly broken away, for a time, at bled about the slightly changed joyment in the cuisine of the fishing least; but for how long, and to what streets. purpose, the near future must decide They left their horses at Toulon, invitation, -not 1."

only for an instant; and, placing a picion, they crossed over to Leghern, had come for Murier to report for chair for his guest, he pressed him to and, chartering a large fishing smack, duty; and, promising to return with take breakfast.

This, however, Lafitte declined, ex- port of Elba, where the emperor re- to be entertained by his sister. plaining that he had already partaken | sided. of the meal aboard ship.

you should be in such haste to see offering his services as guide, he led lined sharply against the liquid glory me," said Greloire, as he began to eat, the way from the beach, across a of the cloudless sky, when he returned doing it in a perfunctory fashion that grassy field, until, having passed with the information that the emperor

a keen glance-"why have you come?" fertile valley, planted with vines, as man; and shortly afterward they, "To ask you to take me to the em- were also the opposite hillsides.

find some way of serving him." Greloire's fork fell upon his plate. | with one shirt sleeve swinging empty | through a gateway of the hills.

"The emperor!" he repeated, a of the arm that should have filled it, cloud of anguish sweeping all the was walking slowly about, a large dog brightness from his face. "Know you following at his heels.

of Murier's question. "Cannot one do this without having seen him?"

"Indeed yes, m'sieur," replied Murier, in a tone of strong emotion. "Are there many hearts in America, may I ask, who hold him thus?" Lafitte hesitated a moment before

answering with an emphasis that left nothing for Murier to desire, "If they knew him as do I, every heart would feel as does mine. As it is, nowhere in France is his name held more sacred than in Louisiana. Now, M'sieur Murier, will you not answer

"Certainly, M'sieur le Capitaine: I sioned, and then went to Elba, where has been frequently, it has been to see

whose face the reminiscent look had | and-

-Louisiana." The talk was interrupted by the re-

appearance of Madame Teche, who summoned them to dinner; and Gre-

especially-who had found little ensmack, were not slow in accepting the

and pushed on by hired conveyance to By the time full justice had been Grelcire's face clouded again, but Cannes. Then, in order to avoid sus | done to the generous meal, the hour sailed for Porto Ferrajo, the principal all possible speed, he left the guests The twilight was near, with the

The Teche farm was about a mile in- glow of sunset paled in the valley, and "I feel greatly flattered, Jean, that land; and one of the younger men the shadows climbing the hills outindicated the performance of a duty. through a piece of woods, they came would, at 8 o'clock, receive Greloire "You are very welcome. But"-with out upon an eminence overlooking a and his friend, the American gentleguided by Murier, took their way peror. and, if it may be, help me to Below lay a spacious wooden dwell- across the darkening valley, and ening, and near it a man, coatless, and tered a grassy road that wound

FAMILY LOVE IN JAPAN.



Modish Trimming. The bouillonee is still a modish trim-

Here Greloire, who had been listen. ming and the narrow plaited frills the popular trimmings for cashmere clusters.

"And think you, Murier, that such a house frocks is a narrow plaited frill state of affairs is to continue? Can of silk. The frill is set on in a bold you believe that his wonderful powers Greek key design upon the full skirt At the sound of the servant's voice I am certain-that he will welcome us, are crushed-lost in this indifference and the skirt has a very shallow plain of which you speak? No! I believe yoke, which gives snugness just about exclamation he jumped to his feet "Good!" exclaimed Lafitte, from that, sooner or later, he will rise the waist line and is cut in two points in the front. Frills trim the sleeve

"Jean, Jean, lad! It is truly thy vanished. "And now, Greloire, let us | "Sh-h!" warned Murier, with a and edge the turned down collar, and very self! An' thou hast at last consult as to the details. How some to the imperative gesture. "This is a silk matching that of the frilling is time and place, old comrade, when it | used for the girdle and for bows set Then while the day grew, the two is wise to do no believing aloud. Let down the bodice front. A model of us talk no more of such matters, but delicate gray cashmere has bands of and shook them cordially. But his Lafitte and Greloire set out on learn from M'sieur le Capitaine some- appliqued embroidery in shades of eyes, still searching Greloire's face, horseback that same evening, making thing of that wonderful country of his gray and white run around the full skirt border, the simple surpliced bod-

> ice, which also acts as trimming for the sleeves.

Voques in Velvet Gowns.

The majority of the velvet dresses are made in the princesse style unless the waist has a boxed satin girdle comprising almost the entire bodice. Few have much trimming, and one very handsome red velvet dinner gown was entirely plain save for the deep bertha of old rose point lace. On the pale shades, as blue and green, pearl bead embroidery is effective, and there are numberless ways in which the gown may be adorned with large bead embroidered patterns both on skirt and waist.

There seem to be two favorite models for velvet dresses, the one having the material draped across front and back, the skirt and waist in one piece, the other trimmed rather elaborately with satin made with a wide pointed satin girdle.

A Pompadour Negligee.

A pompadour negligee is Louis XVI. in pattern, and fresh and pretty for the morning. The facings are of pink silk, and a huge bow of blue catches

A WOMAN'S MISERY.

Mrs. John LaRue, of 115 Paterson avenue, Paterson, N. J., says: "I was troubled for about nine years, and what I suf-

fered no one will ever know. I used about every known remedy that is said to be good for kidney complaint, but without deriving permanent relief. Often when

flounces, each of which had a ribbon possibilities of variety, running from alone in the house the backache has border bringing out the almond pat- the sheerest handkerchief grades to been so bad that it brought tears to early to express even the most mod- tense that I was compelled to give up est opinion, but if present showings my household duties and lie down. are indicative, the finest and coarsest | There were headaches, dizziness and linens tend to crowd out medium blood rushing to my head to cause

bleeding at the rose. The first box of The first linen shirt waist suits im- Doan's Kidney Pills benefited me so ported are made with full, plaited | much that I continued the treatment. skirts, usually with a box-plaited front 'The stinging pain in the small of my panel. The decorations on most of | back, the rushes of blood to the head the early models comprise Japanese and other symptoms disappeared."

embroidery set off by rare lace or Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers. 50 cents per box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Punctured Bubble.

The phrase "punctured bubble" is in pendant form are attached to chains over a fitted lining. The yoke is of applied to any person, enterprise or cream lace, bordered with a bias band | thing that in the beginning looks bril-Rouid brooches are a whim of the of velvet, ornamented with round mo- liant and promising, but which, after tifs of soutache, and with three ruf a short existence, is punctured by Peridot is one of the stones in evi- fles of the mousseline de soie. Straps criticism and then disappears as

Pasteboard Resists Bullets.

At some firing experiments by the Swedish government the bullets failed to penetrate targets made of pasteboard three inches in thickness, yet they easily pass through planks five inches thick.

Book Brings Big Price.

The sum of \$20,000 was paid at a Londo nauction for a "Codex Psalm arum" of the year 1459, of which only twenty copies were originally printed.

Life of Telegraph Wires.

Telegraph wires will last for forty years near the seashore. In the manufacturing districts the same wires last only ten years and even less.

A New York contemporary wants to know if Julius Caesar is dead. We have not noticed his death notice any

tailored styles. of platinum.

next season.

moment.

encircled by tiny diamonds. For lingerie waists the leg o' mut-

Picturesque Idea, in Black.

Quite conspicuous in Paris is a fancy for running lines of black ribbon velvet or moire ribbon on a lace or spot-net foundation. For a black creation, such is a telling treatment. and a little "chef d'oeuvre" of a gown. straight from Paris, arranged after this style, was of fine black lace, mounted over white chiffon, the velvet lines concluding in a semi-circle of jet balls, as light in weight as the proverbial feather.

Apples Stewed With Lemons.

Pare, core and quarter twelve goodsized apples; put over the fire with one quart of water, one cup of sugar and one large lemon cut into thin



A new waist recently brought out in Paris is termed a blouse-bolero. Corduroy walking suits are now drawnwork. made with plaited skirts.

was accordion-plaited, the full short and black dots.

Tan and Oxford are the preferred colors for rain coats, and in the plain

The sleeves are shirred on the inside.



knots are of ribbon, matching the

Flowers from Seed.

or February will bloom freely through

Grilled Almonds.

Apple Snow.

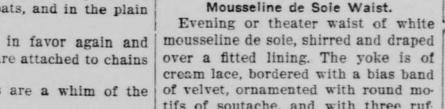
the cool fall months.

Pansies from seed sown in January

velvet.

Amethysts are in favor again and dence in new jewelry and it is usually of the velvet and frills of lace orna quickly as a broken bubble.

ment the front. ton sleeve is predicted as a leader for and are finished with bands of the



skirt being finished with three deep The new linens almost exhaust the

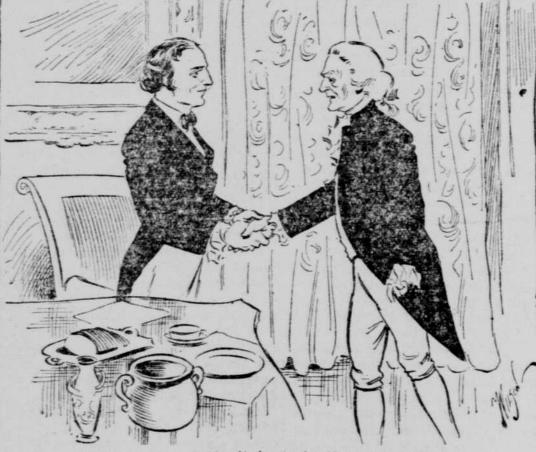
not what has happened—that he is no | "Murier himself, by all that is for longer emperor of France?"

is now ruler of all Europe."

armies, one after the other, although playfully.

tunate!" muttered Greloire, raising a "What!" cried Lafitte, starting from hand to better shade his eyes from the

"I can explain everything in a few They were close enough to see Murwords," replied Greloire, evidently ier's perplexed face as he turned for a lack of genuine feeling. I retrying to repress his feelings, and as- quickly and looked toward them. But sume a calmness of manner. "The | the perplexity was lost in a glow of Russian campaign was most disas- glad eagerness, as he came forward trous. and the emperor returned, and grasped Greloire by the arm, beaten. The allies followed him to while the latter's hands caught the Paris, where he defeated their three coatless shoulders and shook them



"Jean! Jean, lad! It is truly thy very self!"

he was outnumbered five to one. But | "Aha, old comrade." Greloire cried he lost many men, some of his most laughingly, "I rejoice to see that the trusted marshals turned traitors, and Elba sun has made those cheeks of he was forced finally to abdicate. thine less white than when I last saw Then the allies-those who had been them, in the hospital. Thou are well?" Answering of Familiar Cry Proved proud of his friendship, and sought his "Quite well, my dear Felix, I assure

France."

most depths of his nature.

his chair. Then he added lightly, glare of sunshine, after which he took "You are jesting, or trying to surprise a deep breath, and sent his voice me. Perhaps you will tell me that he ahead in a vigorous and prolonged most repugnant to the good taste of shout.

ing morning; and the two-Lafitte

The stoical training may render more unsympathetic a coarse nature, but repression to the refined soul brings an exquisite capacity for pain scarcely conceivable by those who are free to give utterance to every emotion.

nese it is not expected that one That same son fainted with grief when to its cause.

home he carries with him his draped designs. They are trimmed lavmother's letters, mounted on a beauti- ishly with real laces, with medallions ful roll of ivory and brocade, and on of varying kinds and character, with the anniversary of her passing beyond his mortal ken quietly devotes only an irreproachable cut and finish

CAUGHT IN CLEVER TRAP.

Undoing of Criminal.

would be closed for an hour.

It is Deep and Strong, But is Not Displayed to the Public.

(To be continued.)

Public demonstration of affection is the Japanese, and it is the absence of this which is so generally mistaken call one man who was so devoted to his mother (though I doubt whether he could ever have been said to have "talked about" her), that when she died, while he was abroad, his depression was so profound that my husband watched him with anxiety, lest he should commit suicide said a writer in the Outlook.

son as his to him, and by the Japa- me-not blue, and the ferns green. his mother died, and when conscious- able favor as the days go by, and in

To this day, whenever he goes from verely plain or the more graceful cooked. handsome braids, or they are left with

a portion of the day to meditation and | for their sole decoration. The threespecial thought of her. Even to his wife, despite the closest bond of love, he says not: "This is the day of my riety of appearances, the coat and mother's death." ?

skirt admitting of a wide choice in the

fashionable trade.

slices, and boil for a few minutes; then put in the apples and boil until a straw will pierce them easily; remove from the stove, put the apples in a dish and pour the strained syrup over them; serve warm or cold. Citron slices, currarts or raisins may be velvet and puffs and frills of lace. The added to the sauce.



been opened, keep the lid raised, or an annual wallflower now in cultivabetter still, cut it off so the contents tion that blooms freely through the is spreading the news broadcast.

Stand the jar to be filled with hot wallflower fragrance and colors, provfruit on a steel knife blade or a cloth ing highly satisfactory as a substitute sufferer from Diabetes and Bladder wet with very hot water, and there for the perenaial variety.

Another man said to me: "I rarely it at the throat. Great flowing sleeves When sweet corn is served on the require two years from seed in which mother may be just as dear to her tures. The roses are pink, the forget- much sweeter and keep warm longer. display each year, as the plants usu-

should utter one's deepest feeling." Velvet Gowns Very Much in Favor. rately, then scalded in sweet spiced

leave it for a few hours. This works

Novel Modern Gingham.

ples (cored and quartered), but not perhaps capable of the greatest va-Gingham in general is beginning a through a fine sieve. Beat the whites boom season, though few old-fashion- of three eggs stiff, add half a cup of skirt admitting of a wide choice in the matter of bodices. The chiffon vel-vets and velveteens are so soft that a speaking acquaintance, much less a speaking acquaintance, much less a lightly in a glass dish, garnished with the accusation of bulk, which has. relative, of her one-time summer stand- jelly and serve with boiled custard.



where. SPREADING THE

NEWS BROADCAST.

That Dodd's Kidney Pills cured his Diabetes. After long suffering Mr. G. Cleghorn found a permanent relief in the Great American Kidney Remedy.

Port Huron, Mich., Jan. 30th .- (Special)-Tortured with Diabetes and Bladder Desease from which he could apparently get no relief, Mr. G. Cleghorn, a bricklayer, living at 119 But-

Old-fashioned wallflower being a perennial, does not bloom until the tler St., this city, has found a complete and permanent cure in Dodd's spring following. There is, however, Kidney Pills and in his gratitude he

"Dodd's Kidney Pills made a man of summer and fall. This has the true me," Mr. Cleghorn says. "I was a Disease. I was so bad I could do no

work and the pain was something Foxgloves are mostly biennials and terrible. I could not get anything to help me till I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. They helped me right from the first and now I am completely cured. I have recommended Dodd's Kidney Pills to all my friends and they have found them all that is claimed for them."

The novice should memorize this thoroughly. Boil one cup of sugar and Ills from Backache to Bright's Dis-Dodd's Kidney Pills cure all Kidney ness returned rose to make light of a the styles in which they are accepted rule: White meats well done, dark one-fourth cup of water till it "hairs." ease. They never fail to cure Rheu-

> ish brown remove from the fire and One month in the school of afflic-To soften beefsteak smear a cou- stir them until the sirup turns to tion will teach thee more than the ple of teaspoons of salad oil over the sugar and clings irregularly to the great precepts of Aristotle in seven. years; for thou canst never judge

rightly of human afrairs, unless thou, Las first felt the blows, and found out Steam or stew three large tart ap. the deceits of fortune .- Fuller.

> There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by D⁻aggists. 75c.

hitherto rendered them unsuitable for bodice uses, has fallen away utterly, and one sees as many velvet as chiffon

piece velvet costume is one that is

After a can of condensed milk has

will be exposed to the air.

will be no danger of a broken jar.

speak of my mother, for a foreigner of lace and chiffon and small lace ruf- cob, leave a few of the inner husks on to bloom. Seed should be sown every does not understand that a Japanese fles turning back at the throat are fea- the ear when boiling, as it will be second year, if you desire to have a

> A novel pickle is made by combin- ally die after blooming. ing sweet corn and cabbage, each sepa-Velvet gowns increase in fashion- vinegar and canned for winter use.

Blanch a cupful of almonds and dry "little dizziness," without reference now their uses are manifold. One sees meats underdone, except in fowls, Throw in the almonds, stir occasion- matism. them in princess forms, either the se- which should always be thoroughly ally. When they turn a faint yellow-

meat, place it between two plates and nuts.

wonders in softening the fiber.