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DUST AND ASHES.

She practiced on him all his wiles. Till in love's net she caught him. And showered on him her sweetest smiles. When to her feet she brought him.

A LAWYER'S RUSE.

How a Nevada Disciple of Blackstone Conquered Two Boreas. A lively fight the result of the experiment—General Destruction of Office—Bite—Success—An Expensive, but Successful, Stratagem.

Littleton Coke, a leading lawyer of the Comstock, is, outside of a courtroom, one of the mildest-mannered men that ever cut up a witness or an intestate estate.

Through pretense of business in the big city, two men became visitors to a snug and quiet, second-floor office, who proceeded to discuss with the chrysalis state of mere rapid murderers into such intense and active bores that they became the terror of his life.

Poor Coke's "affliction on sore long time bore" without being able to devise any plan whereby he might rid himself of the two bores who were agitating down his gray hairs in sorrow to the grave.

One day, when one of these tireless "tormentors," whose name may be written "Jones," was drilling the lawyer through and through, causing him to sweat blood all regardless of a malign coldness that shone in the legal eye—the conversation turned upon gratuity.

Although a perfect magpie himself, Jones at once asserted that, above all other things, he abhorred a loquacious person, man or woman. "Of course," said the lawyer, "I am not loquacious in the case of a woman, but constant gabble from a man I can not endure."

"And it never occurred to you, Jones," said the lawyer, "that you are yourself a pretty unloquacious talker, and you are by some suspected of having kissed the Blarney stone?"

Smith's eyes flashed and his hair bristled. "Ha!" he snorted. "Jones says that, does he? The ass! What does he know about it? He has surveyed the wreck of his office and inspected a nose in the fragment of a mirror that still remained attached to its frame."

THE CEREALS. Their Origin and Habits—Growth in Semi-Polar Regions. Recent numbers of Nature contain interesting papers by Professor Schuber on the original habitat of some of the cereals, and the subsequent cultivation in the Scandinavian lands.

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stinger on your nose. Never speak to me again, sir, on any occasion." and Jones departed in a towering rage.

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CARDS AT THE WHITE HOUSE

A Review from the White House—Some Characteristics of the Cards. One of the sources of revenue of the Government comes from the White House. In the last three weeks over 6,000 people have contributed to it by sending their card to the President.

It is not always the rural or illiterate office-seekers that the had penmanship comes from. Some well-known men are very poor penmen.

Representative Randall, when he leaves his card-case at home, writes his name on a blank slip in clear, running hand. Everybody can read it.

Senator Gorman dashes off "Arthur Gorman and friends" easily and quickly. He writes a legible, though a careless, hand.

Representative Morrison is a frequent visitor. He never comes with a card, and writes his name in a firm, business-like hand that is very legible.

Senator McDonald has not been to the White House much, and he always brings printed cards.

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RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL.

Mrs. Livermore was the first woman to ever speak before a Harvard College assembly. She spoke there recently.

The Boston Latin School has celebrated its two hundred and fiftieth anniversary. It is spoken of as the pioneer institution of the public school system of America.

Fourteen States have now adopted laws requiring temperance instruction in public schools. The additions the present year are Pennsylvania, Kansas, Nebraska, Oregon, Wisconsin, Alabama, Maine, Missouri and New Jersey.

The Roman Catholics claim about 100,000 converts last year. The United States, two-thirds of whom reside in the States of Maryland, Kentucky and Louisiana.

A clergyman desiring contributions for a special object, tipped up an ox horn at the church door. Upon this he inscribed his aspirations to this effect: "This horn was once the horn of a hog, and now it is the horn of a man."

Prof. Blackie is not the only eccentric master the young men of Edinburgh University have had. One of them, Prof. Christian—whose son became eminent in Edinburgh Medical School—once having caught a student writing in his Latin class, ordered him to stand up and speak as follows: "I am writing to you, smiling, and, above all, no tipping of the wink; for such things are hurtful to yourselves, baneful to the republic, and will bring down the gray hairs of your parents, and will bring down the gray hairs of your parents, and will bring down the gray hairs of your parents."

The sunshine of life's highway comes from happy hearts. If foolish, nature made man; if wise, man made life.

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