

THE RISE OF PEGGY

The Romance of a Little Girl Who Bugged Potatoes.

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Peggy knew, when she saw her father hurrying up the path, that he was coming to get her to bug potatoes.



I'M GOING TO HAVE A RISE IN THE WORLD. MY NAME IS NOT "PEGGY HIBBARD," AT ALL.

under a cloud and I don't believe the bugs is very thick. Peggy looked disconsolately at the pail and the potato.

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she had dreamed over this phase of her life before without having made any arrangements for the education of a bright little girl who was unable to help herself.

But they came again a year later. "We are looking for Peggy Hibbard," said the old gentleman, with a merry twinkle in his gray eyes.

was in this one thing incorrigible; she was constantly putting her fingers in her mouth and stretching it as far as she could, puffing out her cheeks, and, painful to relate, even sticking out her tongue in her determination to make herself home.

present during a conversation the other day which the gentleman accompanying the family was described as a "henpecked husband." A few days later the subject of the gossip happened to call at the house while the little one was in the parlor.