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BY JERE CLEMENS.

CHAPTER VI. "Oh, love! what is it in this world of ours... Which makes it fatal to be loved? ... Twilight deepened into night before the spell was broken, and they rose to return to the family circle."

be the vows of yesterday may meet their fulfillment, and we shall bless the delay that prepared for us a more entrancing gladness... "Nay, my dear, it is bad enough, but not so bad as that. It would be unfeeling, and in my judgment, dishonorable to think of marriage with Miss Monckieffe, while her father and yourself hold commissions in opposing hosts."

leading a loving and a trusting woman... "Major Burr warmly grasped the hand of the veteran soldier—the big tears came into his eyes, and his throbbing heart almost choked his reply... "Will you not go with me to the boat?" she asked, "and give me every possible moment of your society?"

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Miscellaneous Reading.

Real Dragons Found in the Malayan Archipelago. "One of the most interesting orders, and at the same time one of the most difficult to fill, that I ever received, said the natural history collector, 'was for a collection of winged or flying animals other than insects or birds. In filling this order I was compelled to travel over a good part of the world.'"