

DESOLATION.

Alone I sit in gorgeous state. And view my numbers treasures rare...

Dorcas Caledon, THE HEIRSS OF CALEDON HEIGHTS.

AN AUTOBIOGRAPHY. BY FLORENCE E. DIAMOND.

Be kind enough, dear reader, to imagine five years have passed since I was first brought to Caledon Heights...

I seemed quite alone now, for our next teacher was a gentleman, and a most disagreeable one at that...

Irring was at college, but he did not particularly distinguish himself, the servants declared who had heard Mr. and Mrs. Clayton discussing the scrapes he succeeded in getting into...

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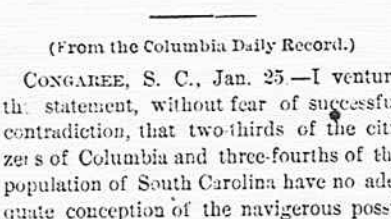
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BRICK-BRAC.

Sweet moments, my darling, We love each other now. But in the olden days...

He who does not look before he goes, but he that holds his peace doth reap. A helping hand at the right moment would save many from ruin...

More people are drowned in the intoxicating cup than in the sea. One talent carefully employed is better than a hundred merely possessed...

Men are not judged by their deeds nowadays; they are judged by their words and mortgages. He who does no good gets none...

A woman confesses to the marrying of eight husbands. Few women possess her power to fasten-eight men. Landlady-Jane, says Mr. Dumley...

"How odd it is," said Pat, as he trudged along on foot, "that a man never meets a team going the same way as he is."

A good, healthy business year, in spite of the Presidential election, seems to be the general conviction among conservative judges. Sweet potatoes, like the white, were found growing here when Columbus came...

New Orleans women cultivate camellias at such good profit that more than one woman is said to have "gone to Europe on her camellia haul." "Ah, yes," said a cabinet-maker to a crockery dealer...

"Dan, what wad yez call a man who stole a gallon of whisky and drank it, and got the jim-jams?" "Begorra, I think I'd call him a snipe thief!"

Johns-Straight thinks, Miranda, every time you draw a milk somebody dies. Mr. Jones-Well, I ain't going to stop breathing on that account. "Did it rain?" he exclaimed...

"Say, it rained so hard that afternoon that the water stood three feet on a slant roof." Begorra-Plase, can't ye help a poor man with a large family out of work? Schoolmaster-No, why don't you set your family at work?

Those who would render their charities useful should judiciously diffuse them. He who would have a good crop must sow with his hand, and not pour out of the sack into one heap. When a hotel clerk becomes an angel...

His wings are proportionately as wide as his earthly smile, he'll topple over the battlements of heaven unless his feet are adequately ballasted. "You needn't order me around, sir," said the washerman...

"I'm not the hired girl. It's Bridget's place to look after the milk. I'm the laundry lady." "That doesn't scare me, the man. I'm the P. W. G. R. of the O. G. G. G. and Miss Emmet Past G. W. of the Ancient Order of M. X. Q. Z., and I want somebody to take this milk." "Yes, sir," said the washerwoman...

"I see that a post-mortem examination is often made in murder cases. What does a post-mortem examination mean?" asked a young wife of her better-half. "A post-mortem examination, my dear, is intended to allow the victim to state verbally his own testimony against his assailant, and is taken down in writing." "Thanks, darling, and you won't look down on me, will you, because I haven't your education?" He said he wouldn't.

"For ten years past," said the new boarder, "my habits have been regular as clockwork. I rose on the stroke of six and at seven I was at work, dined at twelve; ate supper at six, and in bed at nine thirty; ate only heavy food, and hadn't a sick day in all that time." "Dear me," said the doctor, in sympathetic tones; "and what were you in for?" And in the awful silence that followed you could hear the hash grate to the t.

A mine of paint-clay has been found near McNair Station, Miss. Pittsburg, Lincoln county, Tenn., has subscribed \$25,000 for a bank. Prohibition will rule in all but about a dozen towns in Arkansas this year. The Jefferson county, Ark., grand jury has found nearly four hundred true bills this term.

Clarksville, Ark., will follow the example of Little Rock and forbid the sale of cigarettes to boys. Mrs. Polly Butler, living near Cleburne, Ark., is eighty years old and has eighty-two grand children. Only \$60,000 has been secured of the \$500,000 subscription at Pensacola, Fla., to secure the Pensacola and Memphis road.

Two human skulls were recently unearthed at Clarksville, Miss., by men digging a ditch. Their presence there is a mystery. A Northern girl now living near Trenton, Tenn., takes her gun and goes afield and kills more game than any of the young men. At a ball near Hot Springs, Ark., recently a young lady, her mother, grandmother and great-grandmother danced in the same set.

ANOTHER BLACK EXODUS.

A Million Colored People to Emigrate to South America. (From the New York Star.) TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 22.—Three years ago several well-known colored men, men of means, met to discuss to the best method of relieving their people from the scourge of that servitude that prevails in the extreme Southern States...

While these agents were out, their principals quietly effected a secret organization, whose head is in Topeka, for the purpose of spreading the news by means of trustworthy agents throughout the Southern States. The men thus organizing represented nearly \$2,000,000 their own money and property...

While there will be two colonies or out-fitting points established in Honduras and Costa Rica, the main efforts of this new organization will be directed to moving the colored people to South America. There will be settlements established in the Guiana Highlands, directly north of the equator, and in the Brazilian Highlands...

Important concessions will be made by the Brazilian and Argentine governments in the way of lands and immunity from taxation, and aid in transportation, which will place the new haven within the reach of all who can secure money enough to carry them through the first season. Their rights and privileges as citizens are guaranteed, and owing to the mixed blood already existing in some of those countries, their color will not deprive them from political and social preferment.

A curious complication has arisen in consequence of the murder of the Woolfolk family by Tom Woolfolk near Macon, Ga., which was one of the most revolting tragedies of this generation. The murderer now lies in jail under sentence of death, and he has been approached by the heirs of both his murdered father and step mother. No one but the condemned man knows the particulars of the crime...

Three million women in the United States are working for wages. The man who cannot marry rich may at least secure a wife whose wages will make his home happy. "For ten years past," said the new boarder, "my habits have been regular as clockwork..."

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A TONGUE IN KNOTS. I contracted malaria in the swamps of Louisiana while working for the telegraph company and used every kind of medicine I could hear of without relief. I at last succeeded in breaking the fever, but it cost me over \$100.00, and then my system was prostrated and saturated with malarial poison and I became almost helpless. I finally came here, my mouth so filled with sores that I could scarcely eat, and my tongue raw and it filed with little knots. Various remedies were resorted to without effect. I bought two bottles of B. B. B. and it has cured and strengthened me. All sores of my mouth are healed and my tongue entirely clear of knots and soreness, and I feel like a new man.

STIFF JOINTS. A MOST REMARKABLE CASE OF SCROFULA AND RHEUMATISM. I have a little boy twelve years old whose knees have been drawn almost double and his joints are perfectly stiff, and he has been in this condition three years, unable to walk. During that time the medical board of London county examined him and pronounced the disease scrofula and prescribed, but no benefit ever derived. I then used a much advertised preparation without benefit. Three weeks ago he became perfectly helpless and suffered dreadfully. A friend who had used B. B. B. advised its use. He has used one bottle and all pain has ceased and he can now walk. This has been a most wonderful action, as his complaint had baffled everything. I shall continue to use it on him. Mrs. EMMA BRITTONS. Union, Tenn., March 2, 1886.

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Accidentally Shot. Mr. J. R. Price was accidentally shot at Driffin's mill, in the lower section of this county, on the 17th inst., by Mr. Wm. Slute. The two were talking of training pistols when the pistol Mr. Slute had was accidentally discharged, the ball passing through the fleshy part of Mr. Price's right leg. -Lancaster Ledger.

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