

THE POWER OF LOVE.

As far as are the heavens from the earth... The world you own from mine...

And yet you tell me that you did not know... The love that fills my heart...

Such is the power of love, that like the rays... Of summer's golden sun...

Saved by Her Voice.

It was springtime and bonny day in England... The soft breath of the wind...

A man followed her with hesitating steps... As though he feared a repulse...

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STYLISH GOWNS FOR FASHION'S LEADERS.



Country-house toilet of gray tulle. The skirt is made with plaits of various widths...

STOPS A SHIP QUICKLY.

Drug Brake for Vessels Which May Prevent Many Collisions. The necessity for stopping a vessel in a short distance often occurs...

An electric thrill ran through the audience, the horror and despair of the tragedy before them seemed suddenly real and tangible...

In the excitement of the scene no one had noticed the sudden arrival in the hall of Dr. Harrowden...

There was the flash of a knife, an exclamation from Dr. Harrowden, and then, as he dropped, stabbed in the shoulder...

Dr. Harrowden, whose faintness was only temporary, had risen already, and disregarding the help offered him...

Eva lay there insensible, with the marks on her white neck where the Count's fingers had gone near to suffocating her...

"How can I ever thank you enough?" she said to Dr. Harrowden, when, after many days of suffering from the Count's stiletto wound...

"The thanks are due really to yourself," he said gently. "Your kindness in singing to that poor little child was the cause of your preservation..."

"What?" exclaimed the mother; "do you wish to grow up undyepetic, like your uncle John, of Easton, Pa.?"

The child was sullenly silent, but manifestly much impressed. It was more than likely that his natural habit of introspection would serve to set him right without further objective influence...

Whether or not there is any truth in the prediction of a pessimistic scientist that, in another generation or two, the human race will be comparatively hairless and toothless, we know not...

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OF INTEREST IN IOWA.

A DIARY OF NOTEWORTHY HAPPENINGS.

Unknown Son Claims Share of Davenport Doctor's Estate—Jail Delivery at Tama—Modern Woodmen Win a Suit—C. B. & Q. Wreck at Afton.

The appearance in Davenport of a claimant for part of the estate of Dr. P. W. Cunningham, who died Aug. 12, has caused some sensation...

A desperate prisoner in the Tama city jail, aided by friends on the outside, has made his escape...

Losses a Sailor's Insurance. The suit brought by Mrs. Jessie Kerr of Manly, Iowa, against the Modern Woodmen of America...

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Three Killed in a Wreck. Engineer Peter Johnson of Ottumwa, and Fireman Lynn Sprawl of Ottumwa, and a unidentified man were killed in a wreck at Afton on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy...

Stabbed by a Doctor. Dr. R. M. Hammer, one of Newton's physicians, was probably fatally wounded Oscar Wheatcroft...

W. C. T. U. Holds Session. The sixth annual convention of the Eleventh Iowa District W. C. T. U. held a two days' session in Lyons...

Dunkerton Depot Burned. The Chicago Great Western depot at Dunkerton, Iowa, was destroyed by fire on the night of the 20th...

J. M. Deming Gets \$10,000. The Iowa Central has commenced laying steel at Dillon.

Swiftest Vessel Afloat. The highest speed ever attained by a steamer has just been recorded by the Viper, a torpedo boat destroyer...

The Penalty. The Boston baby fretfully refused to get the bed beans.

Women Becoming Bald. Whether or not there is any truth in the prediction of a pessimistic scientist...

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Waterloo has 3,586 persons of school age.

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The hospital at Creston is being improved and enlarged. New gasoline street lamps have been introduced at Allison...

Free rural delivery service has been established at Aurora. The deposit in the banks at Oskaloosa aggregate \$1,537,445.51...

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New quarters have been provided for the City Council at Iowa Falls. The aggregate deposits in the banks of Webster County is \$1,143,893...

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CAMPAIGN OF EDUCATION.

Democratic Party is Conducting Such Campaign This Year.

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TO SUBDUCE A PEOPLE WHO ASK ONLY FOR FREEDOM.

In carrying it out, the great American republic has turned its back upon its most sacred traditions.

By force the McKinley administration is seeking to make the Philippines a subject colony, without any regard to the "consent of the governed." It is to rule an alien and distant people as Great Britain rules India...

This is not the policy of the Great American republic. It is the new and dangerous policy of imperialism. McKinley as a Chaser. President McKinley spends a large portion of his time chasing across the country from Canton to Washington...

Washington and back again. First he goes to Canton and sits on the front porch and wonders why the millions of grateful workmen don't come up and thank him for the full dinner pail...

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Plain, Desirable Answer Wanted. Of any Republican answer, where, the World-Herald asks: "What is the policy of the Republican party in the Philippine islands?" Drop such phrases as "the full measure of freedom"...

Should Reform at Home. There seems to be no disposition in New England to commend anything in the South; all its sympathies appear to be lavished upon the "down-trodden colored race." Yet, as a rule, the colored people fare at least as well as the white toilers in the factory towns of New England...

Some are willing to give up in gratitude for past favors and in expectation of personal call from Hanna or some other strong talker. There's millions in it!—Chicago American.

of doctors is not needed for the small number of medical officers. The department insists that the sick reports have not been doctored, and it is therefore responsible for the large number on the list. An Honest Confession. The people generally think the intention of Mark Hanna and others of his kind is to make this country an empire that they might be perpetuated in power so long as they may be permitted to live, yet it is only now and then that any of those who would be willing to see Mark Hanna in power for life, make an honest confession...

The fact is rapidly developing that while men like Boutwell and Wellington are deserting the trust and monopoly standard steadily the Democratic organization is solidly united, harmonious and pulling together with a will—so much so that many political wise-creeds believe that even if Hanna could throw twice the number of millions he is gathering and expending into the scale he would be hopeless of carrying the election.—Washington Times.

There is no argument that the imperialists of the Hanna-McKinley party can bring forward in justification of their course toward the Philippines, except the fact that has been pointed out in the time immemorial in support of their right to rule subject people by their strong arm and to crush their liberties by the tyrant agency of military power.—Kansas City Times.

The Republican editors are not quoting much from Lincoln these days.—Washington Post. McKinley and his platform both ignore the constitution. They make no mention of it and have no use for it.—Columbus, Ohio Press-Post.

The Imperial President has been heard with paternity by the American people and has fallen to justify empire and to surrender to empire.—St. Louis Republic. Roosevelt is trying to treat imperialism as a joke. This is in accord with the Imperialist policy of campaign, but it does not divert the attention of the people from the great issue now before them.—Atlanta Journal.

The Sultan of Sulu naturally is deeply interested in the presidential campaign. He understands that if his good friend McKinley is defeated his salary and harem expenses will no longer be drawn out of the United States Treasury.—Kansas City Times.

In his letter of acceptance Mr. McKinley asserts that our government had no jurisdiction over the Philippines till after the treaty with Spain was made. A. J. Johnson, a member of the House, has a proclamation asserting jurisdiction over the whole country.—Grand Rapids Democrat.

The silence of such men as ex-President Harrison and ex-Speaker Reed, like the outspoken opposition of others like Senator Wellington, Carl Schurz, ex-Governor Bowdoin, Benjamin Franklin, and ex-Attorney General Monro, is causing the Republican managers a great deal of uneasiness.—Rochester Herald.

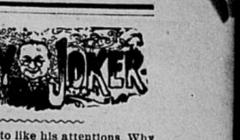
Taxpayers in this country are already paying enormously for imperialism. They will pay still more heavily if the policy of empire remains in power. They will never receive any benefit from this appalling tax. The benefit will accrue to the trusts and the monopoly millionaires who control the policy of empire.—St. Louis Republic.

The Gray Matter Test. "What did Aunt Minerva say about the shirt-waist man?" "She said you had to keep his belt on the right place all the time he'd find out he wasn't any smarter than woman."—Indianapolis Journal.

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THE PRESIDENTIAL FAT-FRYING PROCESS.



"You seem to like his attentions. Why don't you marry him?" Because I like his attentions.—Brooklyn Life. "My wife is helping run one of these rummage sales." "Well, don't you like it?" "Like it, oh, yes; I lived all last week on a ham bone, and this week I suppose I shall have to subsist on lettuce."—Indianapolis Press.

Automatic grand opera: Mrs. Brown (at Mrs. Smith's table)—Oh, dear, that dreadful Miss Smith is singing again. I wonder what she started her? Tom Brown (aged 7)—I started a penny down her back when she wasn't looking.—Chicago Journal.

"I must confess to a great deal of egotism," said Willie Washington. "Indeed?" responded Miss Cayenne. "Yes, I think about myself too much." "Oh, that isn't egotism. That's merely the usual human tendency to worry over trifles."—Washington Star.

"Where is the American section?" asked the visitor to the Paris show. "Oh, monsieur," replied the polite attendant, "ze Americanes! Zey are such great people—and we love them so much—that we all yours—effery section—that isn't North American."—Philadelphia North American.

Solitary Angels: Mamma!—It is very naughty to tell lies, Eva. People who do so don't go to heaven. Eva—Did I never tell you, mamma? Mamma—No, dear, never. Eva—Won't you be careful, mamma, when you are talking to the angels, because they are very naughty. Mamma—What?—Washington Star.

"Were you interested in the piano recital?" asked the musician. "Well, answered Mr. Currox, "it was a little slow at first; but after I caught the spirit of it and got to guessing with the others whether it was time to applaud or only a rest, it was to be quite a game."—Washington Star.

"I'll tell you how you can find out," said his big brother. "Next Tuesday is his birthday; make him a present of a box of cigars like you gave me Christmas." "But how will that prove his love?" asked the innocent maid. "If he gives them away he doesn't love you; if he gives them away he doesn't love you."—Chicago News.

"Did you say this was a comic opera war?" asked the Filipino soldier who came into camp with a flag of truce. "That remark is very unbecoming," said our general says he will be willing to take you at your word. He wants to know if you can fix the show up so there will be fewer marches and more dialogue."—Washington Star.

"Dear aunt," said "I wonder what has become of your innocent journal?" He didn't say a word. "The other recipe in it that I wanted to try." He smiled, for now he was assured that he had done wisely, when he burned it. Even a good-natured man may grow weary of having experiments tried upon him.—Chicago Post.

"Now, boys," said the teacher to the juvenile class in history, "who can tell me what Gen. Washington said to his lieutenant while crossing the Delaware amid the floating ice?" "I can," replied a youngster, "he said, 'I will take you, young Tom, what did you class?' queried the teacher. "He said, 'How'd you like to be the ice man?'" replied the incorrigible Tommy.—Trained Motherhood.

"I have had no trouble," said "How do you manage it?" "I take my two boys with me." "And can they really help you?" "Yes, really help me!" she exclaimed; "well, I should say so. One of them played right tackle on his college football team and the other is champion catch-as-catch-can wrestler of his class."—Chicago Post.

"Yes, George, you very distinctly said in your sleep, 'Is it my aunt?'" "Mean? Why, that's simple. I was dreaming I was a boy again, waiting for Christmas. And when another boy asked me if I didn't know who was his aunt, I said, questioningly, 'Well, my auntie?' The dear old lady brought me up, you know." "Oh, you darling, big-hearted boy."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"I suppose," said the woman who had snatched every kind of candy she could reach by thrusting her arm over the protective railing, and finally had bargained for five cents' worth of butterscotch, "all this is adulterated. You couldn't sell it so cheap if it wasn't." "Yes, ma'am," returned the salesman, solemnly. "It's all adulterated. That butterscotch you're getting, for instance, has ninety little butter and not a bit of Scotch."—Chicago Tribune.

She had asked the advice of the family physician. "Old Mr. Kreesus has a weak heart," he had said. "I've inquired," "Yes," replied the doctor. "A very weak heart. He is likely to drop off after the slightest excitement." "And there is no doubt about his health?" "None. He is a very rich man." "The reason I inquire is that he has asked me to be his wife," said the frank young woman. "Indeed?" "Yes, I am glad I sent for you. I know now just what to do." "Yes?" "Yes," said the noble girl. "We will have a very quiet wedding followed by a large and exciting reception. Thank you so much, doctor."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

First Knight to the Chinese. One of the greatest Chinese discoveries was a kind of iron ore which attracted iron—the magnet. Then they found that a bar of magnetic iron set free always points to the north. That is the magnetic compass, without which, travel at sea would be almost impossible. They were the first people to find a cheaper way of carrying goods than even our railroads. In building they discovered the greatest of all inventions—the arch.

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