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IN AN OLD HAT.

An auction was going on at the old yellow farm house on the hill. Bachelor Barker was dead, and his heir, a young nephew who had never seen since the boy was four years old, had come down to sell things and some furniture about such a property. He never could have intended all that wealth to go to a boy he did not like enough to ask over for the summer.

Henry Biehl, sitting at the front window, cutting out calico short-waists for Mrs. Black's five little boys, laid down her shears for once in her life, and with her hand on the sill watched the people as they walked or drove past, and entered in at the gates of the late Mr. Barker's premises.

Miss Camilla felt her handkerchiefs as she sat this to herself. "Can we stand at the grand window and looked off toward the mountains. 'We're going to be happy as ever folks were,' said he. Here the tears began to fall. 'Oh, Ben,' she sobbed, 'to think we quarrelled after that, and didn't speak to each other for years, married, and I refused two offers—good ones. But, Ben, I guess we'll meet upon some time and make up.'

Why Benjamin Barker had put it in his hand to know. He often carried the papers there. Perhaps he meant to leave it in his safe keeping, but he died very suddenly, with hat and coat on, as he was about to drive out. But as he was found, and was all right. Nothing had yet been taken away. She was very much surprised to find the papers there. Perhaps he meant to leave it in his safe keeping, but he died very suddenly, with hat and coat on, as he was about to drive out.

Stones that will swim in the Human Eye. Eye-stones are really portions of the covering of certain shells and serve to close the entrance when the animal draws itself within. They are of various kinds, but those used as eye stones are hard stony bodies, about the size of split peas, one-third to one-sixth of an inch in diameter, and have a smooth, rounded, and shiny surface.

Production of Heat in Living Bodies. Heat of combustion of its principal nitrogen compounds contained in living bodies, and their role in the production of animal heat, by M. Berthelot and Amber. The heat of combustion of the principal nitrogen compounds contained in living bodies, and their role in the production of animal heat, by M. Berthelot and Amber.

How they Proposed. "One of the recent revolutions in fiction," said a bald-headed, jolly old fellow, who sat in the center of a group that filled the window of a Broadway hotel the other day. "is the way in which the heroes propose marriage to their heroines. In this generation the novelists don't bother with it, but whether they are any truer to life than those who wrote and went to their reward before them is an open question."

Depew's Tribute to Columbus. In his speech to the Press Club of Chicago, Hon. Chauncey M. Depew of New York, after speaking of the World's Fair and its objects, and also of the former World's Fairs held in this country, paid the following grand tribute to the memory of Christopher Columbus.

Niles on Taxation.

At the meeting of the State Board of Agriculture at Wellburg last Thursday, Hon. J. R. Niles, ex-Auditor-General of the State, made some remarkable statements regarding taxation in this State. He said: "The dollar of one man is equal to the dollar of every other man. If that dollar is invested in Government bonds or in mortgages it is no more secure than the dollar that lies in farming land. Both dollars should be under the same obligations, but such has been the machinery of legislation in Pennsylvania for the last 20 years that the dollar of the farmer does not pay 3 per cent interest and is made to pay five times more taxes than the dollar in mortgage interest pay."

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