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THE OLD CLOCK.

Somehow back from the village street, stands an old-fashioned country seat; And poplar trees that shade the hall...

Which was the Heiress.

A fair, slender girl, with the golden hair blown away from the blue-veined forehead, and a soft violet light shimmering in her eyes...

VERTEE SANS PEUR.

He told himself that he was glad things had happened as they had, but he knew, spite of it all, that he would have felt better if Lilly had pined after him...

Our Father.

A good woman, searching out the children of want one cold day last winter, tried to open the door in the third story of a wretched house...

Keep it to Yourself.

You have trouble; your feelings are injured, your husband is unkind, your wife frets, your home is not pleasant...

Home Conversation.

Children hunger perpetually for new ideas. They will learn with pleasure from the lips of parents what they deem it drudgery to study in books...

Remedy for Painful Wounds.

Take a pan or shovel with burning coals and sprinkle upon them common brown sugar, and hold the wounded part in the smoke...

ADVERTISING RATES: For advertisements inserted at the rate of \$1.00 per square, 10 lines, or less, of this type, for the first week...

JOB PRINTING: We are prepared to do any kind of Job Printing at low rates for cash.

How Money is Made by Farming: Much labor is done on farms that is not farming in the true sense. By such labor no money is ever made.

Care of Horses at Night: As a rule, a too large share of grooming of farmer's horses is given in the morning.

Novels familiarize men's minds with society not confined to any age, country or class.

Now, be it known, that the feet of a horse require more care than the body.

The Detroit Free Press wickedly relates the following: Greeley's often reiterated advice that every family should have a hog...

Who are Bona-Fide Subscribers? According to the decision of Judge Sherman, in the United States Circuit Court of Cleveland, Ohio...





