# AN AWFUL NIGHT.

I lived in my little house on the banks of the beautiful Hudson. It was an exquisite place, all set about with trees and glowing in the summer time with flowers. A happy woman might have been happy there. I was not. Whatever my story had been, it was not one to make life a joyful possession. But she—ah, she was as happy a thing as ever breathed! I used to marvel at her. She could bask on some green bank in the sun through a long afternoon and never grow weary of it; and while others worked she would trifle with a ball of worsted in the idlest way, tangling it, and throwing it aside at last. Life was playtime to her and she never pretended anything else.

Perhaps as we sat in the sun, I on the garden chair, she at my feet, we were thinking of the same thing. Perhaps her thoughts ran on that silky black hair of his, on that soft step, that graceful form, that long—but let me pause. Her thoughts were happy thoughts; mine wretched ones.

It was not I whom he came to serenade each night after the romantic habit of his race. It was she.

I wonder whether Satan led him on to meet his own fate, knowing what it was in me to do. Every night he used to come to the garden gate, just beneath my window, and serenade her.

Why should I write his name? Why should you ever know it? It cannot matter. I knew that those strains were meant for her ears, and that after a while I should hear her velvet footstep stealing softly down the stairs toward that little barred entry window. It was bold for him to come there. It was bold for her to meet him, but then they did not know what I felt.

And if they had been able to comprehend my emotions they would have felt no fear. For what can a weak woman do but weep?

Ah! they know very little of me who class me with such women. Tears are not for me. I could have shrieked and raved, but I had no wish to weep.

I am a Cuban woman. Hot blood runs in my veins, perhaps you would have sighed and uttered a prayer, and striven to sleep before those sounds broke the sweet midnight silence of the garden. I could not.

As I lay upon my pillow I used to hear the clock in the church tower strike it. Then I would say to myself, "In two hours." The thought was sufficient. Slumber flung away his leaden wings and fled on lighted pinions.

Sometimes I lit my lamp and tried to read. Through it all I waited and listened.

Eleven o'clock would strike. Then I said, "It is very near," and before the noon of night I always said, "He has come."

That first low note sounded on the air; another, higher, clearer, followed. I presume that to her attentive ears it was exquisite melody; to me it was as though I heard the music of the Inferno.

I could no longer lie still. I buried my head in the pillow, stopped my ears with my hands—thrust my fingers into them—muttered vain threats of destruction, and could, had I had my



THEN I FIRED,

will, have strangled with these small fingers of mine both of them.

When it was over, when I heard him depart, I used to fling myself upon my couch again utterly exhausted, and in a little while my anger would subside and unconsciousness would steal over me. I slept, but what a troubled sleep; haunted by dreams, in which I saw him and took vengeance upon him.

The morning found me exhausted, feverish, without spirit or appetite; and as the day wore on the thought of what the night would bring rendered me wretched.

But at last an awful thought crept into my soul and grew and strengthened there—a thought that curdled the blood in my veins and made me faint at first, but to which I finally became accustomed.

In the drawer of my bureau lay something which would rid me of him forever. She would never again steal down the stairs to listen to him at the grated window. It was a pistol.

I had learned in my very earliest youth to use the smaller firearms. I had even practiced with my brother in a pistol gallery and could hit the bull's-eye of a target as well as many men. It was a dangerous knowledge.

I thought of him standing in the moonlight just below my window, keeping me from rest or slumber by the strains she loved.

I wondered if my right hand had so far lost its cunning that I should miss my aim if it were that glossy, ebon-haired head of his, and I knew it had not. It was not so long ago that my own hand had caressed that head, but that thought did not soften me. Why should I care for him now that he had made me suffer so?

At first I only said, "I might kill him if I only would." At last I said, "I will."

Shall I ever forget the night when I sat in the darkness of my room waiting for his coming?

Without the moon was at her full, and the stars shone bright, as so many diamonds. I can see him still as he advanced toward the low gate. I can hear that low, long-drawn prelude which arose in a few moments after.

How far from his heart were all thoughts of calamity! How little he dreamed of impending death! I thought this at the moment, but it did not affect me. I drew the pistol from my bosom and took aim, steady, deliberate aim, at his smooth, black head. I made sure of him and then I fired.

The report filled the air. The smoke rolled away. I leant from the window and looked out. He lay in the dust of the road motionless.

I looked no longer. I crept into the room, and into bed. Do not ask me whether I slept after such a deed. Like Macbeth, I had murdered sleep.

For scarcely was my light out when that serenade began again, more plaintive than before, but even louder. Knowing what I knew, having seen what I had seen, my horror can well be imagined. I knew that murderers were often haunted, but I did not expect to suffer from their fate so soon. Starting from my bed, I rushed wildly to the window. He sat there on the fence as black and slick as ever, and went on with his horrible music, and I knew then as I know now that old Captain Slocum, who lives next door, had only told the truth when he said that that cat had nine lives.

I know I shot him through the head, but he was up and at it again, and I shall try arsenic next time.

## TEMPERATURES OF ANIMALS.

The number of interesting observations on the temperatures of animals in relation to the temperature of the air or water in which they live are described by Mr. Alexander Sutherland in the latest volume published by the Royal Society of Victoria. It is well known that the temperature of the human body in health is 97 or 98 degrees Fah., and this is the same within a degree both in winter and summer.

The average body temperature of what are known as warm-blooded animals is a little higher than this, being 100 degrees Fah., and except in constitutional disturbances, this does not vary more than three or four degrees at any time of the year. No mammal, indeed, seems in good health to be warmer than 104 degrees, scarcely any descend lower than 98 degrees. The warm-blooded animals are thus animals whose temperatures, whether the weather be hot or cold, are practically uniform.

On the other hand, cold-blooded animals have no proper temperature of their own; they are warm in warm weather and cold in cold weather. A fish, a snake, a frog, or an insect, when at rest, is generally more than two or three degrees warmer than the air or water in which it is living. Mr. Sutherland placed some lizards in cold water, which was then gradually heated, and he found that in all cases the lizards became warmer as the water was warmed and cooler as the water was cooled—in other words, they depended upon external circumstances for their heat. But this is not absolutely true, for when angry, cold-blooded animals, like human beings, become hotter than usual, even a fish rising several degrees above the temperature of the water when it is exasperated.

Under normal conditions, however, fishes and reptiles have practically the same temperature as the medium in which they live; when it is warm, they become warm and active, and when it is cold they lose their bodily activity and become torpid. The animals which are active in all weathers are those which are self-supporting as regards heat, and whose body temperatures vary very slightly.

An interesting point brought out by Mr. Sutherland's observations of the temperatures of Australian animals is that the mammals which are classed lowest from considerations of body structure are not only the lowest temperature, but also of the greatest range of variability, being most affected by the temperature of the air or water surrounding them.

### How Snake Poison Kills.

The action of poisons upon the system is and always has been one of the most interesting of subjects. Just how and why it kills has but yet been determined through a series of experiments made by scientists. The following description is unquestionably the best and most lucid of any that has been given to the public: "The venom may be roughly separated into two parts—one acting upon the blood, and the other upon the nerves. When injected it immediately begins to create terrible destruction in the blood vessels, the walls of the veins are eaten away and an internal hemorrhage takes place. While this is going on a portion of the venom is attacking the nerves. Particularly susceptible to its ravages is the 'vasomotor' system, a nerve center which controls the muscles of respiration. Paralysis takes place in these organs, and the victim generally dies from an inability to breathe."

### Spontaneous Eloquence.

Not unfrequently the Irish peasant utters a saying which amounts to genuine spontaneous eloquence.

Charles Gavan Duffy, defeated in his struggles to make Ireland independent, was about to sail for Australia, a number of Irishmen gathered about him to say good-by. One of them brought an old prayer book, on a blank page of which he asked Duffy to write his name. One of his companions, who was provided with a more presentable volume, said: "It's a shame, Tom, to offer such a book to Mr. Duffy for his signature." "Arrah," retorted Tom, "Why shouldn't I offer it to him? Isn't it like himself, tattered and torn in the service of God and the people?"

### The One to Blame.

The Bookman tells this story, illustrating the humors of a school examination: "It appears that at an elementary examination in English, which was held in a school near New York, two sentences were given out to be corrected by the younger scholars. The first sentence was to be corrected as to its subject matter, and the second sentence as to its syntax. These were the sentences: 'The hen has three legs.' 'Who done it?' When the papers were handed in it was found that one of the scholars had apparently regarded the sentences as subtly connected in thought, for his answer was as follows: 'The hen done it; God done it.'"


### TOLD OF AMBER.

There is in one collection a string of amber beads the like of which is not known. The amber has a beautiful ruby color and held against the light the beads shine with a maze of pretty colors. It is valued at $2,000.

Amber is widely distributed throughout the globe. Barbarous African tribes wear it as ornaments; in Finland and Lapland they believe amber oil is a curative for rheumatism, neuralgia and similar troubles. One thing well known has been the attractive power of amber and long before the principle of the magnet was thought about the ancient Greeks called amber elektron.

In olden times amber was probably found in Greece and Sicily. The orientals had a real veneration for amber and a Turkish pasha would lay up treasure by purchasing it. In central Russia there is an earth amber and it is argued from this that the salt sea must at one time have covered the place. This Russian amber is of a whitish hue. Some people prefer the clouded amber, others will have nothing but the clear. The reason smokers are so fond of amber mouthpieces and holders is that you cannot destroy amber by dissolving it unless you resort to an exhaustive scientific experiment; it is absolutely nonporous, nothing will sink into it; a simple washing will cleanse it of nicotine and it is a nonconductor of heat.

### WISE AND OTHERWISE.

A woman's idea of strategy is to spend a dime in an effort to save a nickel.

Love blinds some men, and it makes lots of others too near-sighted for military service.

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CHANCERY ORDER—State of Michigan. In the Circuit Court for the county of Oakland in chancery. Minnie L. Luther, complainant, vs. Daniel M. Luther, defendant. It appearing by affidavit on file in said cause that the said defendant, Daniel M. Luther, is not a resident of the state of Michigan, but resides in the state of New York. On motion ordered that the said Daniel M. Luther appear and answer in the said cause on or before the 25th day of January, A. D. 1899, and in default thereof that the bill of complaint in the said cause be taken as confessed by the said defendant. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said county, and that said publication be continued therein once in each week for six weeks in succession, and that a copy thereof be personally served on defendant.

Dated September 19th, A. D. 1898.

GEORGE W. SMITH, Circuit Judge.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss. At a session of
COUNTY OF OAKLAND, } the Probate Court for said county of Oakland, held at the Probate Office, in the city of Pontiac, on the 16th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present, Thomas L. Patterson, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of WILLIAM S. YOUNG, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Ada J. Russell, praying for the probate of an instrument in writing, heretofore filed in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased.

It is ordered that Thursday the 20th day of October next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be appointed for hearing said instrument, and it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC, a newspaper published and circulating in said county of Oakland.

THOMAS L. PATTERSON, Judge of Probate.

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Present: Thomas L. Patterson, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of FREDERICK REMOLE, deceased.

Wilhelmina Remole, administratrix, with the will annexed, of said estate, having filed in this court her annual report and made application for the allowance thereof.

It is ordered that Thursday the 20th day of October next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said application and the examination and allowance of said annual account. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Oakland.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss. At a session of
COUNTY OF OAKLAND, } the Probate Court for the county of Oakland, held at the Probate Office in the city of Pontiac, on the 6th day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present: Thomas L. Patterson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of STEPHEN COPAGE, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Almeron Whitehead, the executor, for license to sell the real estate of which said Stephen Copage died seized, for the purpose of distribution.

It is ordered that Monday, the 26th day of September next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear at the time and place aforesaid, and show cause, if any exists, why said petition should not be granted. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Oakland.

THOMAS L. PATTERSON, Judge of Probate.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss. At a session of the
COUNTY OF OAKLAND, } Probate Court for the county of Oakland held at the Probate Office in the city of Pontiac on the 26th day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present: Thomas L. Patterson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of HUGH WILSON, deceased.

On application of Charles A. Wilson, the administrator, with the will annexed of the estate aforesaid, for allowance of his final account and settlement of said estate.

It is ordered that Monday, the 26th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be appointed for hearing said application and allowance of said final account. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Oakland.

THOMAS L. PATTERSON, Judge of Probate.

Sept2-Sept23

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE—In the matter of the estate of THOMAS O'TIERLEY, deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed by the Honorable Thomas L. Patterson, Judge of Probate in and for the county of Oakland state of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims against said estate, and six months from the 25th day of February, A. D. 1898, having been allowed by said Judge of Probate to all persons holding claims against said estate, in which to present them to us for examination and adjustment, notice is hereby given that we will meet on the 1st day of October, 1898, and on the 25th day of February, 1899, at 10 o'clock a. m. of each day at the Exchange Bank, the village of Birmingham, in said county, for the purpose of receiving and adjusting such claims.

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