



SO QUEER

She doesn't like her work. "It makes her... I washed to wash, she goes off in a huff...

She don't like to iron. "It tires her arms so..." Pulling out a party for an hour you know...

In the morning she cannot do errands down town. For it tires her to walk in a calico gown...

And climbing the hill is one of her joys. The climbing the hill often makes her career...

When girls grow to women, and boys grow to men. If there's ever a time 'tis just about then...

Women as a rule are ambitious and bright. They do life's work with main and with might...

Of all the queer queers, man's tongue is the queerest. In town-meeting, caucus or club 'tis the nearest...

Whether boys then, or girls, or women, or men. In palace or hovel, or cottage, or den...

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A Detective's Story of a Woman's Neat Little Game.



TEN YEARS ago, in a certain good-sized town in Pennsylvania, there lived a family whom I will call Mitchell...

Mrs. Gray, as I might as well tell you now, was petite, good looking, a good talker, and, in a general way, captivating...



SHE TOOK A NOTE FROM THE TREE.

In his mind he could not remember that they had come home with her. Mrs. Gray had turned over to him Mrs. Mitchell's purse...

I was employed to proceed to the scene of the late accident and seek to trace the jewelry. The collision had occurred right at the depot in a small town...

and well-dressed man occupying the place vacated by her. An hour later, when I could examine the tree, I found a hollow in the trunk...

My theory was that she had an accomplice—the young man whom I had seen. The hollow in the tree was their post office. Next day I was at the park...

For two weeks after securing this information I hardly got sight of Mrs. Gray. For some reason she remained very closely at home...



"WELL, WHAT OF IT?"

deposited with him on the 14th of every month. It was simply passed in to him to be locked in the vault over night as it came up from Pittsburgh...

I promised Mitchell that a climax would soon be reached, and I then stated my all on what might happen on the night of the 14th...

What a nervy woman she was! She just simply laughed a bit as I led her up the steps and rang the bell...

The "what of it?" was a corker. Mitchell couldn't let the public know that his bank could be so easily robbed...

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