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BLUE GLASS.

BY MABEL VAUGHN.

Socrates Blunt sat in his little dark room thinking. Socrates was a great philosopher. He sat in his little dark room because his talents were unappreciated by the world; and he had only twenty-seven cents left with which to pay the landlady for a week's lodging, buy his dinner and a ticket for the lecture of Professor Wise on "Blue Glass.' This was the subject on which Socrates had been thinking for three weeks.

While he was now deeply engrossed in thought, he was startled by the sudden appearance of a little blue man, who sat curled up on the table before him. Socrates stared, the blue man nodded, winked, and said: "You don't know me, do you? Well, I know you and want you. My name is Vitrum Cærulum. I have some work for you to do. I am like you—I am to be famous before long, and I want you to help me. Fellow me.' Then, springing from the table, he led the way down stairs to the door, where there was a carriage in waiting for them.

"Jump in, now; be quick,' said he to Socrates, who was slowly trying to climb in.

"I am old you see,' said Socrates, apologetically, "and I'm not as brisk as I once was.'

"That'll be all right, and you'll feel as young as ever you did when you get inside the carriage. It has blue glass windows.'

"Where are you going!' asked Socrates.

"To my place,' said Vitrum, "in the northern part of the United States. You will only remain there long enough to equip yourself for a journey. My faithful disciple, Gen. Pleasanton, is working nobly in my cause, and I have selected you to be his right hand man. But here you are.'

Socrates arose slowly, and looked around for his cane.

"Nonesense!' said Vitrum. "What does a young body like you want with a cane?'

Sure enough! Socrates jumped gayly out of the carriage, and felt himself an altered being.

Before him Socrates saw an immense building of blue glass. Vitrum conducted Socrates to his private office, where he gave him the necessary directions for his journey.

A short time afterwards Socrates, carrying a leather case containing samples of blue glass, set off on his travels with two very important missions to perform; to alleviate the sufferings of mankind, and, in so doing to compel an unappreciative world to acknowledge Vitrum Cærlum as its greatest benefactor. Going to the nearest railway station, Socrates jumped on board a train, and was whirled rapidly away to New England. His destination was the small village of Tuckaway; for Vitrum being already well represented in the cities by General Pleasanton's labors, thought it wise to make himself known to the country portion of the intellectual New Englanders. Socrates traveled all night, and about 8 o'clock the next morning alighted from the train at Tuckaway.

"Hallo! stranger,' said the man at the depot, who was at once station master, post master and proprietor of the grocery and dry goods store of Tuckaway, "ain't you made a mistake? We ain't had a stranger here for two years. No? Wall, you're welcome I guess. Come in, and sit down.'

"Thank you,' said Socrates, "but I have'nt long to stay. I have a busy day before me. I am here as an agent for Mr. Vitrum Cærulum; perhaps you have heard of him?'

"Guess not,' said Jonathan, eyeing Socrates' leather case. "Who is he? and what you got inat 'ere concern?'

"Mr. Vitrum,' said Socrates, opening the case, "is the greatest benefactor of mankind,' and, holding up a sample of glass he added, "here is the most wonderful article in the world.'

"Looks like a piece of blue glass, I should say,' said Jonathan.

"Sir,' replied Socrates, in an impulsive voice, "that is what it is. French mazarine blue glass, recommended by General Pleasanton for sun baths, conservatories, graperies, etc.; cures all diseases, from toothache to lunacy; can be put in any window; cut to any size; warranted pure, inexpensive, wonderful!'

"What be you talkin' about?' asked Jonathan, "do you mean to say it's a patent medecine?'

"I will not waste my time and yours in talking,' said Socrates, "but if you will allow me, I will convince you by an experiment. Have you any such a thing as a lame cat or dog, or any other afflicted animal, in the house?'

"Waal, I reckon I have; I chopped off the cat's tail this morning by mistake; how'll that dew?'

"Just the thing,' said Socrates, as he fastened a piece of glass in the window.—The cat, meowing pitifully, was placed in the blue light, and they sat down to await results.

Five minutes had elapsed; the cat had ceased to meow; her tail had grown five inches.

"Dew tell?' ejaculated Jonathan.

Ten minutes more; the tail now measured fifteen inches.

"Long enough?' inquired Socrates.

"No; let it grow. Did you ever!'

At the end of half an hour the cat's tail measured nearly a yard.

"Well, I reckon I've got the handsomest cat in the country,' said Jonathan, as he released the animal. "Give us yer hand, stranger; I'm yer friend. Goin', eh? Well, you kin send any one to me for a reference, and I'll do my best to help you; but that cat's tail will speak for itself.'

Socrates took the only road he saw, and walked for some distance without seeing a house. Finally he came up to a white cottage, on the piazza of which sat a little old man, reading.

"Good morning, sir,' said Socrates.

"Angels and ministers of grace defend us,' cried the little man. "Sir, you descended upon me like an avalanche.'

"Excuse me,' said Socrates; but I have an article here which I am sure a gentleman of your taste and genius would be interested in.'

"Bring forth your treasures,' said the little man somewhat mollified. "Hezekiah Paine will behold them.'

Socrates displayed the glass, gave a long account of its merits, and referred him to Mr. Jonathan Winkle, on whose cat he had just wrought so wonderful a cure. "And it's so simple, sir, that you only have to sit in the light when the sun is shining, and, presto! you're well.'

"In the immortal works of Gloucester,' cried Hezekiah. "Shine out, fair sun, till I have bought a glass.'

"Thank you, sir,' said Socrates. "Shall I put a pane or two in the window?'

"Proceed.'

"But I would like, sir, before leaving to show you, practically, the working of this wondrous cure. Have you no suffering you would have relieved?'

"Nay,' said Hezekiah; "yet, hold! Can it avail in this respect? My Shakspere's print is very small, and sorely tries my eyes. Think you, if I should sit in blue light my eyes would stronger be? 'To be or not to be?' Speak, friend!'

"I have the very thing—blue spectacles, said Socrates.

Hezekiah put them on and cried: "The letters are so monstrous grown that the tails of the y's would rival that of Mr. Winkle's cat. My friend, may you prosper! The good wishes of Hezchiah Paine attend you!'

But a short distance further was a farm house, and into the kitchen Socrates went.

"Pray don't be alarmed, ma'am,' said Socrates, "I have important busines in Tuckaway, and refer you to Mr. Winkle and Mr. Paine, who will vouch for my good character.'

As before, Socrates entered into a long dissertation on the merits of blue glass, and gained Mrs. Stickleback's consent of putting a pane in the window.

"You may put it in, but I reckon you won't find any sick folks round this house,' said she. But Socrates was shrewd, and a pan of eggs on the table had not been unobserved by him, and he moved it into the blue light.

"Now I'm going on with my cookin',' she said, "but I kin talk jest the same.'

"Well,' said Socrates, "you seem to have a good farm. Raise many chickens!'

"Waal no. We've had rather bad luck this year.'

"I don't see any chickens outside,' said Socrates.

"Why no; we never let a chicken around here. They catch everything up.'

"Listen,' said Socrates, "I hear a chicken now.'

Cheep! cheep! cheep!

"If there's a chicken out there—Mary Jane, George Henry, you go drive them chicks out!'

Cheep! cheep! cheep!

"Hurry up, Mary Jane, while I bile the eggs for dinner. Sakes alive!' screamed Mrs. Stickleback, for on the table in place of the eggs was many half grown chickens.

"Blue glass,' said Socrates, and immediately sold her glass enough to cover her hennery.

By night Socrates had finished his work in Tuckaway, and returned the next morning to the place of Vitrum Cærulum. As he entered Vitrum's private office he was followed by a lady, and by another, and still another, until the room was filled and more were waiting outside.

"Ho, wait, stop!' cried Vitrum: "I can't have so many here at once, one at a time!'

"Excuse me, Mr. Vitrum,' replied the lady who had entered first, and who made herself spokeswoman, "but we have the same case to present, and the same advice will do for all.'

"Oh, madam, excuse me, I think you have been here before; have you not?'

"I have, sir,' she replied, "and I now have to report to you that your advice has failed to produce the desired effect. I have had, as perhaps you will remember my telling you, the charge of about fifty girls in an institution of learning.'

"Yes, I remember,' said Vitrum, in an awestricken voice, "and you asked my advice respecting that worst of all ills to cure the incessant clatter of a school-girl's tongue.'

"I did,' replied the lady, solemnly.—"That was two months ago. Since that time I have carried out your advice to the letter. I have had blue glass put in all the windows of the school; I have worn blue glasses myself, and have made all the girls wear them; I have had blue glass covers put on all the books; I have administered blue glass powders by the dozen, but all to no effect.'

Vitrum started, struggled, and sank into a seat. Then in a hoarse voice he said: "Enough, I am conquered. Against this blue glass cannot avail.'

The ladies rose without a word, and, in a long, sad procession, left the room.—Vitrum turned to Socrates and said: "My friend, you have witnessed the only defeat which I have ever experienced. Never mention it to the world, but believe me, to cure this evil, something more powerful than blue glass is needed. For all other ills—national, political and private—the sovereign cure is blue glass."

TO PREVENT ACCIDENT.—There was recently a trial for murder in Ireland, in which the evidence was so palpably insufficient that the judge stopped the case and directed the jury to return a verdict of "Not guilty." A well-known lawyer, however, who wished to do something for the fee he had received from the defendant, claimed the privilege of addressing the court. "We'll hear you with pleasure, Mr. B.," said the judge, "but to prevent accident, we'll first acquit the prisoner.

MR MEDILL, editor of the Chicago *Tribune*, has been presented with a French Testament, printed in 1668.

Beecher's Defense of the Jews.

Mr. Beecher's sermon at Plymouth Church last Sunday was entirely upon the Seligman-Hilton controversy, and as a defense of the Hebrew population stands out as one of the most powerful efforts the great orator ever delivered. Here is a specimen:

"Of what must they be ashamed?" continued Mr. Beecher. "Are they keen in bargaining? Have they ever stolen $10,000,000 from a city? Are courts bailing out Jews or compromising cases with them? Are Jews in our jails begging for mercy? Do they not pay their debts? Do they live on what you throw away? Is it true that they can make money when you in the same business and at the same time, might become bankrupt? Then shame on you. For high honorable dealings the Jews give a larger number of trustworthy people than our own race. They are the last people who should be insulted, whether by retail or wholesale. [Applause.] If you had sought for a race in all the nations which should not be frowned upon, it is the Jewish race. Of all places, in a hotel, [laughter], where people try so hard not to soil their garments, [renewed laughter], of all places, in a hotel with one thousand rooms, in Saratoga, should such a scene as that of recent date not have occurred. Saratoga, where persons are instructed, sometimes by ministers and sometimes by Morrisseys.—[Laughter.] There is a hotel designed to accomodate two thousand persons, but aristocracy has so developed itself that no one can go there to meet others than those who made their money yesterday by selling codfish. [Laughter.] It ill-becomes a man who never made a dollar to reproach those who have made fortunes by their own industry and thrift."

THANK God some of us have an old-fashioned, sweet-voiced mother, with eyes in whose clear depths the love light shone, and brown hair, just threaded with silver lying smooth upon her faded cheek. Those dear hands, worn with toil, gently guided our tottering steps in childhood, and smoothed our pillow in sickness; ever reaching out to us in yearning tenderness, when her sweet spirit was baptized in the pearly spray of the river. Blessed is the memory of an old fashioned mother. It floats to us now, like the beautiful perfume from some wooded blossoms. The music of other voices may be lost, but the entrancing memory of her's will echo in our souls forever. Other faces may fade out and be forgotten, but her's will shine on until the light from heaven's portals will glorify their own. When in fitful pauses of busy life our feet wander back to the old homestead, and crossing the well-worn threshold, stand once more in low, quaint rooms, so hallowed by her presence, how the feeling of childish innocence and dependence comes o'er us, and we kneel down in the molten sunshine, streaming through the open window—just where long years ago we knelt by our mother's knee, lisping, "Our Father." How many times when the tempter lures us on, has the memory of those sacred hours, that mother's words, her faith and prayers, saved us from plunging into the deep abyss of sin. Years have filled great drifts between her and us, but they have not hidden from our sight the glory of her pure unselfish love.

Getting Religion Cheap.

"Can I not be as good a Christian as there is any need for, and yet stay in the house and keep my religion to myself."

"Now I see what you are after. You are trying to get religion as cheap as possible. Your questions show at once that you don't know anything of what it is to be a 'good soldier of Jesus Christ.' Just think for a moment of the ridiculous position you put yourself in. Fancy a man saying, 'Can I not be a good enough soldier, and yet sit all the while at the fireside? Can't I be good enough soldier without putting on that red coat, which everybody looks at; and shouldering that rifle, and going to the front, and fighting, and perhaps getting a knock on the head? I can be a first rate soldier without any of that trouble and danger.' Now what would you think of that man as a soldier?—Wouldn't you tell him he was no soldier at all but an even down coward, and that his profession was a farce? Of course you would. And what am I to think of that question you have asked? Don't Jesus tell you to take up the cross and follow Him? No cross, no crown, you know.—Trying to get to heaven as easy and comfortable as possible means, if I read my Bible aright, that you have never started yet.

HE entered the store modestly, and asked for the proprietor, who was pointed out to him. You advertised for a clerk? he said. I did. Are you in search of a situation? asked the merchant. Yes, sir. I am was the reply. Permit me to ask you a question or two. Of course you belong to a base-ball club? said the merchant, with a bland smile. No, sir, I do not, was the answer. You don't! said the merchant, his face growing grave. Well, then, of course, you belong to the Young Men's Christian Union? I must confess, sir, said the young man, with a tremble in his voice, that I do not. Then, sir, said the merchant, a smile breaking out all over his face, you take off your coat and go to work, you're the man I want.—*N. Y. Dispatch.*

THE GOLDEN MOTTO.—"I count only the hours that are serene,' is the motto of a sun-dial near Venice. There is a softness and harmony in the thought unparalleled. Of all conceits it is surely the most classical. "I count only the hours that are serene." What a bland and care dispelling feeling! How the shadows seem to fade on the dial-plate as the sky lowers, and time presents only a blank unless as its progress is marked by what is joyous, and all that is not happy sinks into oblivion! What a fine lesson is conveyed to the mind—to take no note of the time but by its benefits, to watch only for the smiles and neglect the frowns of fate to compass our lives of bright and gentle moments, turning always to the sunny side of things, and letting the rest slip from our imaginations, unheeded or forgotten! How different from the common art of self-tormenting!

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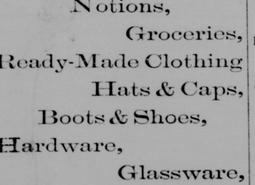
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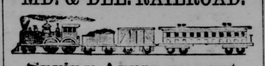
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Hillsboro,	5.10	12.10 P. M.
Ridgely,	5.25	12.25
Greensborough,	5.45	12 45
Goldsboro,	6.00	1.00
Henderson,	6.10	1.15
Marydel,	6.25	1.25
Slaughters,	6.40	1.40
Kenton,	6.55	1.55
Clayton, Arrive	7.10	2.10
Wilmington,	8.50	4.20
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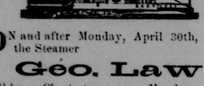
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Circuit Court for Caroline Co., in Equity.

ORDERED this 11th day of June, in the year 1877, that the sale made and reported by J. W. Bryant, Attorney for the Citizens' Building & Loan Association of Caroline county, Mortgagee in the case, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 20th day of August next; provided a copy of this order be inserted once a week, for three successive weeks, in some newspaper printed in Caroline county, before the 20th day of July next.

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