toward the person insures domestic happiness.

26—(Nine of Clubs)—The park foretells a new love, when very near; if distant, false friends.

27—(Four of Diamonds) — The dog, if near, represents true friends; if distant and surrounded by clouds, beware of unsuspected enemies.

28—(Five of Diamonds)—The anchor denotes successful ventures in business and love; and surrounded by 11, 13, 29, 30, 31, 35, breach of trust; near the dog, fidelity of the one you love.

29—(Six of Spades)—The mouse predicts loss by theft; near by, it denotes recovery after great difficulty; but distant, the loss will be irretrievable.

30—(Ten of Spades)—The rod near, predicts family quarrels; distant, pecuniary losses.

31—(Ace of Clubs)—The roads,

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turned to the dark clouds, foretell misadventures; but far from the person, the evil consequences may be averted.

32—(Eight of Spades)—The mountains near by indicate the presence of a mighty enemy.

33—(Five of Clubs)—The clover leaf is the bearer of good tidings; but if near clouds, it denotes great chagrin; if, however, No. 2 does not lie near 29 or 28, the chagrin will be of short duration and happiness will follow.

34—(Deuce of Spades)—The star insures success in all enterprises when near; when very distant, some unlucky events.

35—(Ten of Clubs)—The tower, surrounded by clouds, denotes sickness, and, if adjoining, death.

36—(Eight of Hearts)—The cat indicates flattery; if near No. 6, fore-tells personal injury; near 29 and 30, it denotes strife.

37—(A of Spades)—The rapiers warn against assaults which meaten and will occur sooner or later, according to the distance from the person.

38—(Seven of Diamonds)—Flames on the hearth indicate good fortune and neutralize the evil of near-lying unlucky cards and increase the value of lucky ones.

39—(Nine of Diamonds)—The heart signifies great joy.

40—(Queen of Clubs)—Wine is the symbol of cheerfulness and gavety.

41—(Nine of Spades)—Roses indiça beauty and rugged health.

42—(Queen of Spades)—Armor is a sign that someone is looking at the person with great love and longing.

43—(Six of Clubs)—Lightning denotes surprise, disagreeable in accordance to the distance.

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44—(Eight of Diamonds)—The broken glass foretells ill luck for long years, if near; but if distant, death of a friend.

45—(Jack of Clubs)—The order denotes honor, recognition of labor; near 48, a sure sign of business success.

46—(Deuce of Clubs)—The railroad forecasts a long journey; if near 44, a serious accident; if near 29, a robbery.

47—(King of Spades)—The bride insures for single persons the fulfillment of their highest aims when near; if distant, turbulent married life.

48—(Three of Diamonds)—The money safe indicates riches; if shut toward the person, it denotes loss by speculation.

49—(Four of Spades)—The eye, when near, denotes great interest taken by friends; when distant, it signifies suspicion.

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50—(King of Clubs)—The bear is the sign of successful speculations.

51—(Six of Diamonds)—The lion presages a sudden shock from bad news.

52—(Jack of Spades)—The shepherd indicates an intense love of life and strong fellow feeling.

In order that the foregoing explanation of the different cards may be practically demonstrated, we give the following specimen reading, the lay-out, after shuffling and cutting the cards, appearing thus:

49 1 2 28 17 51 3 34 10 41 8 38 35 4 42 18 23 36 46 30 20 7 26 19 27 5 31 21 22 29 39 40 24 14 9 33 13 43 25 32 37 44 48 6 12 45 50 47 15 16 11 52

The lady has true friends (27), but is surrounded by many flatterers (36) and her domestic happiness is

threatened (30), though through the influence of a dear friend (42) who has just returned from a journey (46) harmony is restored (20, 7). Although the lady meets with a sad disappointment in her love affairs, she will find another lover (23, 26). She will also have great financial and social success (34, 3, 10, 1, 2, 17) through the watchfulness of friends (49). A sad disappointment and sickness threatens her (8, 35), but the evils are averted by (38), which lies between the dangerous cards, and the lady, who being fortified with fine health and beauty (41, 5). is enabled to resist the evil influences of (8, 35), which are also to some extent nullified by the power of (28). She will have some success in speculations, but this will be followed by bad news (51), from the shock of which she will recover and continue to be successful in her financial affairs (4). She will meet with a serious loss by theft (29),

but the mystery of the robbery will be discovered (22); and although misadventures of that nature will threaten her hereafter the evil effects will be neutralized (31) by a change of residence (21). She will make a voyage (16) to a foreign country, where she will have great pleasure and much gayety (39, 40), and gain many warm friends (24). She will receive good news from home (14. 33), but this will be followed by misfortune and embarrassment (9, 43) due to the machinations of enemies (13, 32), whose persecutions caused the death of a dear friend (44). She will return to her native land, marry and experience much domestic happiness (25), and her success in pecuniary matters will continue (48). She will receive a letter announcing large profits from speculation, which success, however, will lead to unpleasant relations with her husband, but which will not last long, as she will forgive him for his follies (12)

and rash expenditure of her money, and thereby prevent the destruction of her domestic happiness. Her enemies will become less active (11), because in her they will recognize characteristics (52) which have gained for her great honors and wealth (45).

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