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BY THE LADY E. STUART WORTLEY,

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"THE VISIONARY,"

"QUEEN BERENGARIA'S COURTESY," ETC.

JOSEPH RICKERBY, SHERBOURN LANE,
KING WILLIAM STREET, CITY.

1840.

TO HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS
THE DUKE OF CAMBRIDGE,
THIS PLAY IS,
WITH HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS'S PERMISSION,
MOST RESPECTFULLY INSCRIBED.

DRAMATIS PERSONÆ.

MEN.

COUNT ENRICO MONTALBA.
COUNT GIULIO MONZANO.
PRINCE GUIDO BELLAFIORE.
IL DOTTORE REGGIO.
THE FRIAR ANSELMO.
MARCHESE DELLA MORIA.
MONSIEUR DE TOURS, *a young Frenchman.*
ANTHONY, *an old English Servant of the COUNTESS MONTALBA.*
ANTONIO, *Servant of COUNT MONTALBA.*
GIACHIMO, *Page to the COUNTESS MONTALBA.*
BLACK LUDOVIC, *a Brigand.*
A OFFICER.
RAPHAEL.

WOMEN.

EVA, *Wife of COUNT MONTALBA.*
FLOA CLANRONALD, *her Cousin.*
COUNTESS GIACINTA CASTELLANARIA.
FRANCESCA, *COUNTESS MONTALBA's Maid.*

Messengers, Soldiers, Bandits, Monks, &c.

EVA;

OR,

THE ERROR.

ERRATA.

Page	5, line 10,	The note of interrogation should be at the end of line.
—	20, — 14,	should be enclosed in parentheses, "A lovely silk," &c.
—	" — 16,	for might <i>read</i> harness.
—	" — 17,	— murdering <i>—</i> murder.
—	28, — 4, —	are merged, make <i>—</i> are merged—make.
—	35, — 14, —	o'erwhelming power <i>—</i> o'erwhelming's power.
—	71, — 20,	<i>read</i> Her means thus vast bring—
—	136, — 17,	for Deaths <i>read</i> Death?
—	147, — 25, —	confidantés <i>—</i> confidante.

Of golden summer's breath, to come with thee.—
 Gladly accepted I thine offer; thus
 Following thy flowery fortunes!—and behold
 I drink in health and strength with every breeze,
 That whispers hope, and reassurance, here,
 Baffled consumption has ta'en wing and flown
 Back to her clouds and vapours—and—I live!

EVA. How much do I rejoice, mine own sweet friend,
 That thus it hath been mine to minister

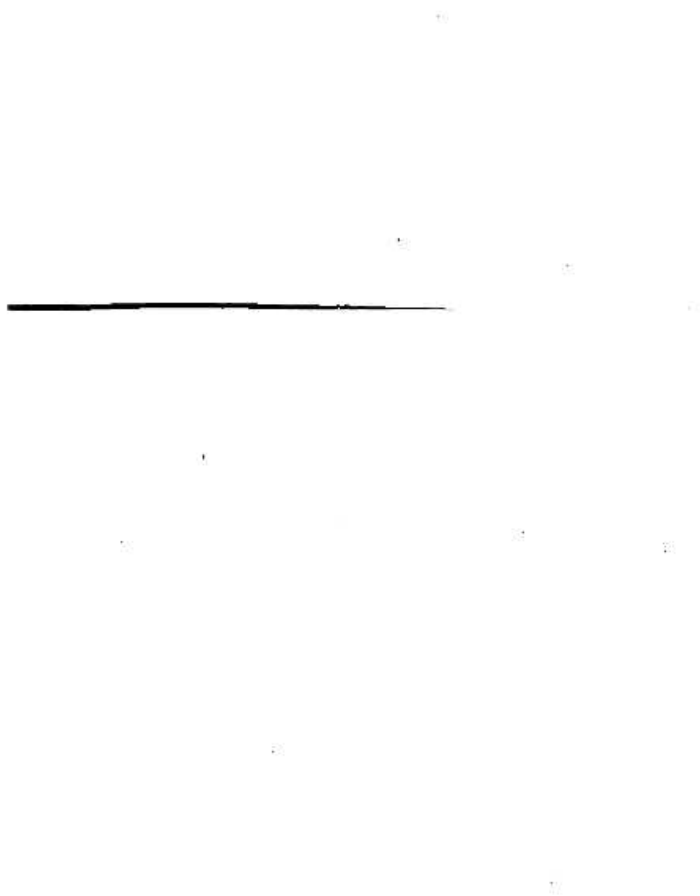


Figure 1. Percentage of the population aged 65 and over, 1950-2050.