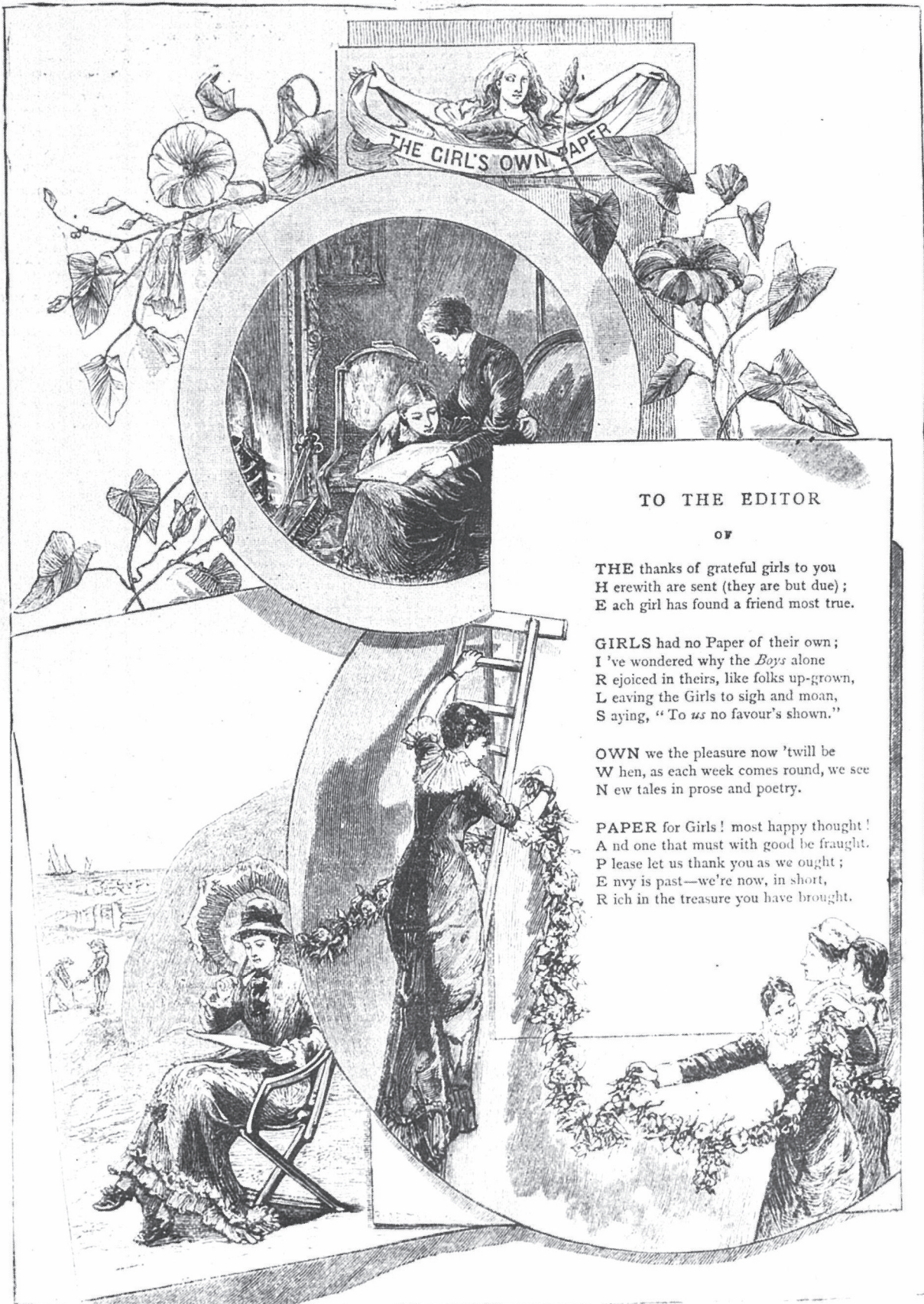


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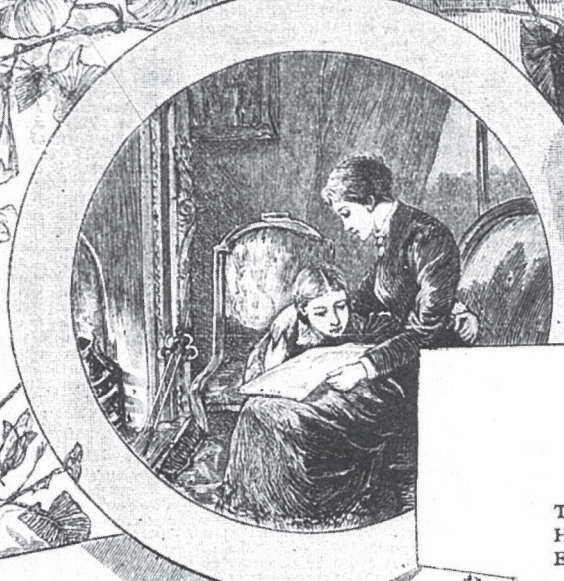


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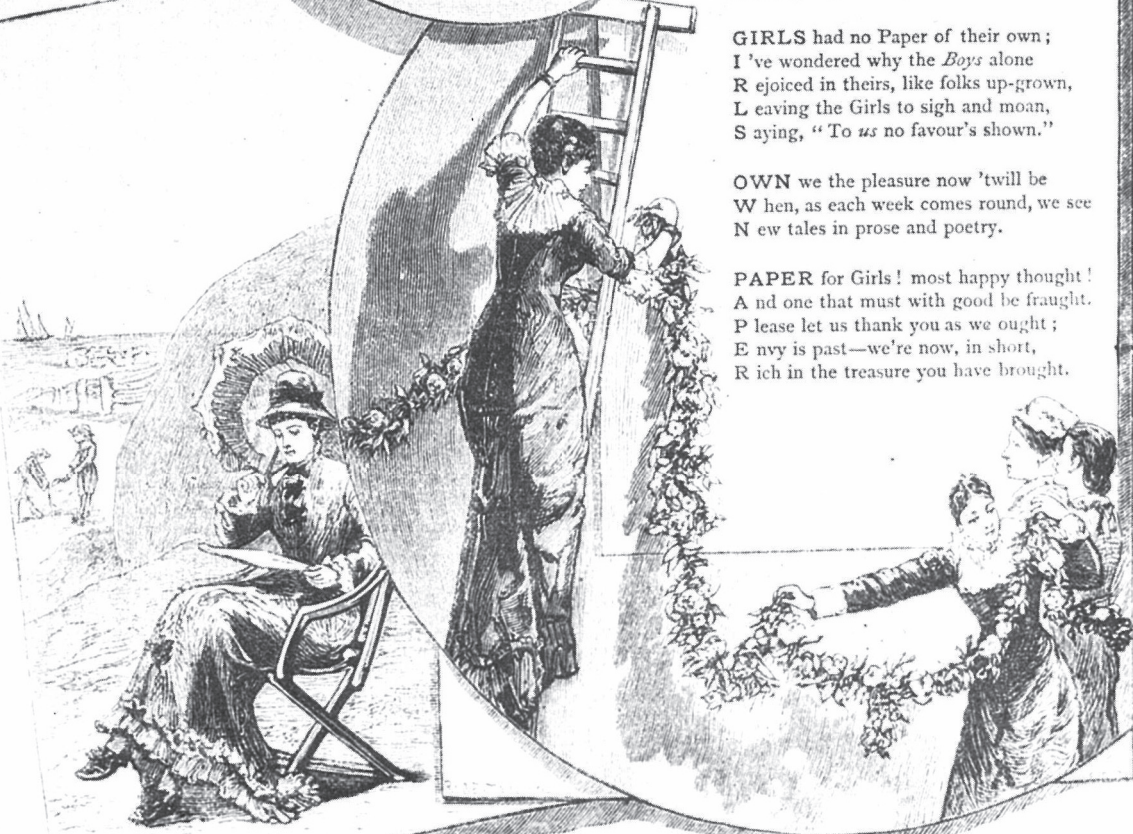
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THE thanks of grateful girls to you
 H ere with are sent (they are but due) ;
 E ach girl has found a friend most true.

GIRLS had no Paper of their own ;
 I 've wondered why the Boys alone
 R ejoiced in theirs, like folks up-grown,
 L eaving the Girls to sigh and moan,
 S aying, " To us no favour's shown."

OWN we the pleasure now 'twill be
 W hen, as each week comes round, we see
 N ew tales in prose and poetry.

PAPER for Girls ! most happy thought !
 A nd one that must with good be fraught.
 P lease let us thank you as we ought ;
 E nvy is past—we're now, in short,
 R ich in the treasure you have brought.



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