



# The Paradise of Bachelors and the Tartarus of Maids

By Herman Melville

Createspace, United States, 2014. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 198 x 129 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*. The Paradise of Bachelors and the Tartarus of Maids is a short story written by American writer Herman Melville (1819-1891). It first appeared in the April 1855 edition of Harper's Magazine. Best known for his novel Moby-Dick, Melville wrote numerous books and short stories. A combination of two sketches, one set in the center of London's legal industry and the other in a New England paper factory, this story can be read as an early comment on globalization. In the first sketch, the London bachelors, all lawyers, scholars, or writers, enjoy a sumptuous meal in a cozy apartment near the Temple Bar. In the second sketch, the New England maids are young women working in a paper factory. Melville was inspired to write The Paradise of Bachelors by a trip to the Inns of Court in December 1849. The Tartarus of Maids was inspired by his visit to Carson's Old Red Paper Mill in Dalton, Massachusetts in January, 1851. Herman Melville (August 1, 1819 - September 28, 1891) was an American novelist, writer of...



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