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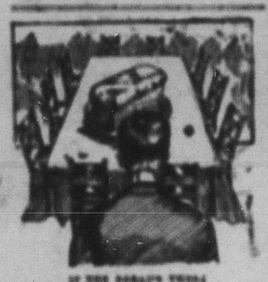

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# A Courageous ..Girl..

"What is it, Uncle Walter? What makes you look so sober? Have I done something naughty that you are going to scold me for?" she concluded, playfully as she bent forward and looked archly into his eyes.

His face grew luminous instantly as he met her gaze, while he captured her small hand and toyed with the rosy, taper fingers.

"Do I look sober?" and a brilliant smile chased the gloom from lip and brow. "I did not mean to, while you know I could not scold you if you were ever so naughty, and you are never that."

Perhaps everyone does not look upon me with your partial eyes," the lovely girl retorted, with a musical laugh.

The man carried the hand he held to his lips and kissed it lingeringly.

"Let me see," he remarked, after thinking a moment, "isn't it somebody's birthday today?"

"So it is! but I had not thought of it before," exclaimed the maiden, with a lovely flush sweeping into her cheeks. "And," with a far-away look in her eyes, "I am eighteen today."

"Eighteen!" and Walter Dinsmore started slightly while a vivid red suddenly dyed his brow and a look of pain settled about his mouth.

But he soon conquered his emotion whatever it might have been, and drove to say lightly:

"Well, then, somebody must have a gift. What would you like, Irene?"

She laughed out sweetly at the question.

"You know, I have very strange notions about gifts, Uncle Walter," she said. "I do not care much about having people buy me pretty or costly things as most girls do; I like something that has been made or worn or prized by the giver—something that thought and care have been expended upon. The little bouquet of blue-fringed gentian which you walked five miles to gather for me last year was the most precious gift I had; I have it now, Uncle Walter."

"You queer child" and the man, with a quiver of strong feeling in his tone, "You would like something prized by the giver, would you?" he added musingly. "Well you shall be gratified."

He turned again to his desk, as he spoke, unlocked and pulled out a drawer.

"Would you like this?" he asked as he uncovered a box about eight inches square.

"Why, it is a mirror! and what a mirror; and what a queer one! exclaimed the maiden, as she took from her hand to look and leaned her lovely earnest face reflected from a square slightly defaced mirror that was set in an ebony frame richly inlaid with gold and pearl.

"Yes, dear, and it once belonged to Marie Antoinette. Doubtless it reflected her face many times during the bitter hall of the last century, as it now reflects yours, my Irene," said Mr. Dinsmore.

"To Marie Antoinette!" repeated Irene, breathlessly, "to the Queen of France and would you give it to me, Uncle Walter?"

"Yes, I have kept it for you many years, dear," the man answered but turning away from her eager, delighted eyes and glowing face, as if something in them smote him with sudden pain.

"Oh! thank you, thank you! It is a priceless gift. What can I ever do for you? I think you have delighted I am!" Irene cried eagerly.

"Yes, you can something if and taking good care of it, and also by giving me your promise that you will never part with it while you live," Mr. Dinsmore replied.

"Of course I would never part with it," the young girl answered thoughtful. "The mere fact of your giving it to me would make it priceless, not mentioning that it is a royal mirror and once belonged to that beautiful but ill-fated queen. How did it happen to come into your possession, Uncle Walter?"

The man gave pale of this question but after a moment he replied, though with visible effect:

"It was given to your great-grandmother by a Madame Roquemaure, an intimate friend, who was at one time a lady in waiting at the court of Louis the Sixteenth."

"What was her name?" eagerly asked Irene — "my grandmother's, I mean."

"She was a French lady and her maiden name was Tornaux, and when her friend Madame Roquemaure, died she bequeathed to her this mirror, which once graced the dressing-room of Marie Antoinette in the Tuileries."

"What a prize!" breathed Irene, as she gazed reverently upon the royal relic. "May I take it, Uncle Walter?"

"Certainly," and the man lifted it from the box and laid it in her hands.

"How heavy it is!" she exclaimed flushing and trembling with excitement as she clasped the precious treasure.

"Yes, the frame is of ebony and quite a massive one," said Mr. Dinsmore.

"It looks like a shallow box with a mirror for a cover; but of course it isn't, as there is no way to get into it," observed the young girl, examining it closely.

Her companion made no reply, but regarded her curiously, while his face was pale and his lips compressed with an expression of pain.

"And this has been handed down from generation to generation?" Irene went on musingly. "Have you had it all these years, Uncle Walter—ever since you first took me?"

"Yes, and I have been keeping it for you until you should reach your eighteenth birthday. It is yours now, my Irene, but you must never part with it—it is to be an heir-loom. And if you should ever be married, if you should have children, you are to give it to your oldest daughter. And, oh! my child," the agitated man continued as he arose and laid his hands upon her shoulders and looked wistfully into her beautiful face, "I hope, I pray, that your life may be a happy one."

"Why, Uncle Walter, how solemn you have grown all at once!" cried the young girl looking up at him with a smile, half startled, half grave. "One would think that you were giving me some sacred charge, that is to affect all my future life, instead of this lovely mirror that has such a charming and romantic history. I wish," she went on thoughtfully, "you would tell me just how you came to have it. Did it descend from father's to your mother's ancestors?"

To be continued.


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## JOE MENIER'S CRIME.

A Woman Who Had Eloped With Him, But Who Returned Home and Refused to Leave Again.

Sydney, Aug. 10.—A Fredericton special has Joe Menier, who formerly resided in the Lardoise District, who killed here, yesterday afternoon, that the wife of Napoleon Gaul, an employee of the Chat Factory, has joined the inventor on Miscou and Fox, the chief peacemaking the trip over bridges in the head of men. The woman was tired of her lonely life on Miscou, being miles in the bill, and, another is one of the right sort. Menier shot.

Mrs. Gaul will succeed Dr. Kingsley, for physician, Gaspe, but Menier, who is accused by Dr. Marshall, is in his place, and his recovery is doubtful.

The story back of the tragedy is that Menier landed with the Gaul family for some time and was the only news from her husband and six children.

Last Sunday Menier induced Mrs. Gaul to elope with him. They went to Dorchester, N.B., and lived there until the end of July, when Mrs. Gaul returned home. Mrs. Gaul returned to Dorchester to get her belongings, and came back last Friday night. Menier followed her to Gaspe, but said he would give her until a month to return to him, and if she did not he would come here and shoot her head off the cotton on the same. Such, reputedly, was his way by back streets to the house, found the woman sprinkling the lawn, and asked her to leave him. She refused and he began shooting.

## MARKET REPORTS.

Wheat Higher at Liverpool and Chicago — Live Stock Markets — The Latest Quotations.

Wednesday Evening, Aug. 9.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ½d to ¾d higher than yesterday, and corn futures ½d lower.

At Chicago, September wheat closed ⅛c higher than yesterday, September corn ⅛c higher, and September oats ⅛c higher.

LEADING WHEAT MARKETS

| | Sept. | Dec. | May |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 87⅞ | 89⅛ | 90⅛ |
| Detroit | 84⅞ | 85⅞ | ..... |
| Toledo | 84⅞ | 85⅞ | 85⅞ |
| St. Louis | 80⅞ | 82 | ..... |
| Duluth | 82 | ..... | ..... |
| Minneapolis | 80⅞ | 84⅞ | ..... |

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

| Grain— | | |
|---|---|---|
| Wheat, white, bush | $0 90 | to $0 92 |
| Wheat, red, bush | 0 90 | 0 92 |
| Wheat, spring, bush | 0 90 | 0 92 |
| Wheat, goose, bush | 0 79 | 0 75 |
| Barley, bush | 0 40 | ..... |
| Oats, bush | 0 40 | ..... |
| Beans, bush | 0 90 | 1 00 |
| Rye, bush | 0 75 | ..... |
| Peas, bush | 0 72 | ..... |
| Buckwheat, bush | 0 50 | ..... |

LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Liverpool, Aug. 9.—Wheat—Spot nominal. Futures firm; Sept. 6s 8½d, Dec. 6s 7½d, March nominal.

Corn—Spot easy; American mixed 5s 1d. Futures steady; Sept. 5s 1½d, Dec. 4s 10½d.

Bacon—Short rib strong, 46s; long clear middles, light, strong, 45s; do, heavy, strong, 46s 6d; short clear backs strong, 44s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, strong, 47s 6d; American refined, in pails, strong, 38s 6d; shoulders, square, strong, 34s 6d.

Cheese—American fine white, firm, 52s 6d; do, colored, firm, 52s 6d.

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.

New York, Aug. 9.—Butter—Easy; receipts, 15,618. Street prices. Extra creamery, 20½c to 21c. Official prices. Creamery, extra, 20½c; do, firsts, 19½c to 20c; do, seconds, 18½c to 19c; state dairy, common to extra, 17c to 20c; western imitation creamery, extra, 18c to 19½c; do, first, 16c to 18½c.

Cheese—Quiet, unchanged; receipts, 5724.

Eggs—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 9180.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Higher—Cattle Also Show More Firmness in the States.

London, Aug. 9.—Cattle are quoted at 12c to 12½c per lb.; refrigerator beef, 8½c to 9½c per lb.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

Montreal, Aug. 9.—About 700 head of butchers' cattle, 25 milch cows, 200 fat hogs, were offered for sale at the East End Abattoir to-day. The butchers were slow in coming out, as they had bought on Monday all the cattle they require this week. There is very little improvement over the low prices for cattle on Monday's market, and lambs are lower than they have been this season. There are no prime heifers on the market. A few of the best sold at about 4½c per lb., and from that down to 3½c per lb. and very few for pretty good cattle, while the common stock sold at from 2c to 3c per lb. Calves sold at $2.50 to $8 each. There is very little demand for milch cows, which sell at from $30 to $40 each. Shippers paid 4c per lb. for good large sheep; the others sold at about 3½c per lb. Lambs sold at $2.25 to $4.25 each. Good lots of fat hogs sold at about 5c per lb.; small, chaps 4½c at 4¾c per lb.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET.

East Buffalo, Aug. 9.—Cattle—Receipts, light, steady; prime steers, $5.25 to $5.50; shipping steers, $4.90 to $5.15; butchers, $4 to $4.75; heifers, $2.25 to $4.40; cows, $2.75 to $4.25; bulls, $2.50 to $3.75; stockers and feeders, $2.90 to $4; stock heifers, $2.50 to $3.

Veals—Receipts, 200 head; slow; 25c lower, $5 to $6.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 2000 head; fairly active; steady to strong; heavy, $6.30 to $6.40; mixed, $6.40 to $6.50; yorkers, $6.35 to $6.45; pigs, $6.50 to $6.60; roughs, $5.25 to $5.50; stags, $3.50 to $4.25; dairies, $6 to $6.05; grassers, $5.90 to $6.05.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 400 head; sheep steady; lambs 25c higher; lambs, $5.50 to $7.25; yearlings, $5.75 to $6; wethers, $5 to $5.50; ewes, $4.25 to $4.50; choice, mixed, $5.50 to $4.75.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, Aug. 9.—Beeves—Receipts, 1213; good to prime steers firm to 5c higher; medium and common steady; bulls and cows slow to 10c higher; steers, $3.25 to $5.35; Texans and westerns, $3.60 to $4.90; bulls, $2.50 to $3.60; cows, $1.60 to $3.25. Exports, 4200 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 9020; veals dressed steady, mostly $1 to $1 higher; buttermilks steady; good veals sound. Veals, $4 to $6, early sales of prime and choice up to $6.25 to $6.50; few tops higher early; outside quotations at close, $6; choice milk, $5.50 to $6; buttermilks, $3 to $3.25; few veaklie buyers at $5.75 to $5.90.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4200; sheep more active and good, heavy sheep firmer; good to choice lambs firm to 10c higher; medium and common steady; sheep, $2 to $4.50; choice, $4.75; culls, $1.50 to $3.50; lambs, $5.70 to $8; one car, $8.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 4610; market strong; state hogs, $6.50 to $6.75.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000, including 1000 Texans and 2000 westerns; good to prime steers, $5.10 to $5.60; good to medium, $3.75 to $5; stockers and feeders, $2.25 to $4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 29,000; market steady; mixed and butchers, $5.60 to $6.35; good to choice, heavy, $6.30 to $6.42; rough, heavy, $5.90 to $6.05; light, $5.75 to $6.30; bulk of sales, $6.05 to $6.35.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 35,000; sheep strong; lambs steady; good to choice wethers, $4.90 to $5; fair to choice, mixed, $4 to $4.85; native lambs, $5 to $7.35.

CHEESE MARKETS.

Picton, Aug. 9.—At our cheese board to-day, 11 factories boarded 651 boxes, all colored, and sold at 10 13-16c. Buyers: Ross and McKay.

Woodstock, Aug. 9.—At the regular weekly meeting of the Woodstock Cheese Board here to-day there were 1162 boxes boarded by 11 factories. Highest bid, 10¾c, which is the highest we have sold this season. No sales reported on board.

Mayor McBride Divorced.

Berlin, Aug. 10.—The civil tribunal of the Seine yesterday pronounced a judicial separation in the case of Major John McBride, who was a prominent member of the Irish Brigade of the Boer army in the South African war, and his wife, formerly Maud Gonne, the well-known Irish agitator, who has been called the "Irish Joan of Arc." Mrs. McBride retains the custody of their child, while the major will be permitted to visit periodically. The question of an alimony dispute will be heard at a future sitting.

Best Crop in History.

Winnipeg, Aug. 10.—The wheat crop conditions are reported above favorable than at any time in Alberta's history. The fall wheat harvest is well under way and grain is grading No. 1 hard. Collections are reported by the banks of Alberta to be exceptionally fine and implement sale dealers outlines were never so good.

Carriage Workers Strike.

St. Catharines, Aug. 10.—Yesterday morning about a dozen male workers in Hamilton's carriage works went out on strike for higher wages. They were being paid $1.50 a day, and they asked for $1.75.


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