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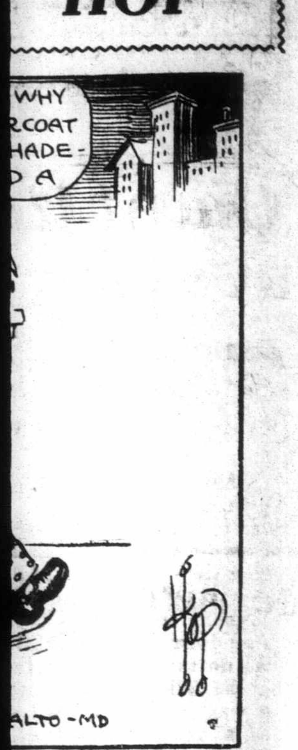

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"The Mystery of Agatha Webb"

By KATHARINE GREEN

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His energy—the energy of despair no doubt—seemed to make an impression on the other.

"You might as well proclaim yourself a forger outright as to force your father to declare this to be his signature," he observed.

"I know it," said Frederick.

"Yet you will run that risk?"

"If you oblige me."

Wattles shrugged his shoulders. He was a magnificent looking man and towered in that old colonial hall like a youthful giant.

"I bear you no ill will," said he. "If this represents money, I am satisfied, and I begin to think it does. But listen, Sutherland. Something has happened to you. A week ago you would have put a bullet through my head before you would have been willing to have so compromised yourself. I think I know what that something is. To save yourself from being thought guilty of a big crime you are willing to incur suspicion of a small one. It's a wise move, my boy, but look out! No tricks with me or my friendship may not hold. Meantime I cash this check tomorrow." And he swung away through the night with a grand opera selection on his lips.

Frederick looked like a man thoroughly exhausted when the final echo of this hateful voice died away on the hillside. For the last 20 hours he had been the prey of one harrowing emotion after another, and human nature could endure no more, but demanded rest.

But rest would not come. The position in which he found himself between Amabel and the man who had just left was of too threatening a nature for him to dwell upon any thought save how to avoid the doom menacing him. Hiding himself in his room, he sought a way of escape. But one presented itself. It was a cowardly one, but anything was better than to stand his ground against two such merciless antagonists as had arisen in his path. So he resolved upon flight.

Packing up a few necessaries and writing a letter, which he left on his table to be given to his father in the morning, he made his way down the stairs of the now darkened house to a door opening upon the garden. To his astonishment he found it unlocked, but giving little heed to this in his excitement he opened it with caution and, with a parting sigh for the sheltering home he was about to leave forever, stepped from the house he no longer felt worthy to inhabit.

His intention was to take the train at Porchester, and that he might reach that place without inconvenient encounters he had decided to make use as far as possible of the path through the fields. This led him north and along the ridge that overlooks the road running around the base of the hills.

But he did not think of this or indeed of anything but to step on quickly, for it was too desirable for him to leave on the early morning train for him to forfeit this chance of doing this by any unnecessary lagging. But he was not destined to take that or any other train out of Porchester at present, for when he reached the fence dividing Mr. Sutherland's grounds from those of his adjoining neighbor he saw drawn up in the moonlight just at the point where he had intended to leap the fence the form of a woman with one hand held out to stop him.

It was Amabel.

CHAPTER XIV.

THE DAGGER THAT KILLED AGATHA WEBB.

Confounded by this check and filled with an anger that was nigh to dangerous, he fell back and then immediately sprang forward.

"What are you doing here?" he cried. "Don't you know that it is 11 o'clock and that my father requires the house to be closed at that hour?"

"And you," was her sole retort. "What are you doing here? Are you searching for flowers in the woods, and is that valise you carry the receptacle in which you hope to put your botanical specimens?"

With a savage gesture he dropped the valise and took her fiercely by each shoulder.

"Where have you hidden my money?" he hissed. "Tell me or"—

"Or what?" she asked, smiling into his face in a way that made him lose his grip.

"Or—or, I cannot answer for myself," he went on, stammering. "Do you think I can endure everything from you because you are a woman? No; I will have those bills, every one of them, or show myself your master. Where are they, you incarnate fiend?"

It was an unwise word to use, but she did not seem to heed it.

"Ah," she said softly and with a lingering accent, as if his grasp of her had been a caress to which she was not entirely averse, "I did not think you would discover its loss so soon. When did you go to the woods, Frederick, and was Miss Halliday with you?"

He had a disposition to strike her, but controlled himself. Blows would not avail against the softness of this suave yet merciless being. Only a will as strong as her own could hope to cope with this smiling fury, whom he was more than ever determined never to marry.

"A man does not need to wait long to miss his own," said he. "And if you have taken this money, which you do not deny, you have shown yourself very shortsighted, for danger lies closer to the person holding the money than to the one you may vilify by your threats. This you will find, Amabel, when you come to make use of the weapon with which you have thought to arm yourself."

"Tut, tut!" was her contemptuous reply. "Do you consider me a child? Do I look like a babbling infant, Frederick?"

Her face, which she had lifted to his in saying this, was so illumined, both by her smile, which was strangely enchanting for one so evil, and by the moonlight which so etherealizes all it touches, that he had to think of that other purer, truer face he had left at the honeysuckle porch to keep down a last wild impulse toward her, which would have been his undoing, both in this world and the next, as he knew.

"Or, do I look simply like a woman?" she went on, seeing the impression she had made, and playing upon it. "A woman who understands herself and you and all the secret perils of the game we are both playing? If I am a child, treat me as a child; but if I am a woman"—

"Stand out of my way!" he cried, catching up his valise and striding furiously by her. "Woman or child, you shall know that I will not be your plaything to be damned in this world and the next!"

"Are you bound for the city of destruction?" she laughed, not moving, but showing such confidence in her power to hold him back that he stopped in spite of himself. "If so, you are taking the direct road there and have only to hasten. But you had better remain in your father's house, even if you are something of a prisoner there in company with my very insignificant self. The outcome will be more satisfactory, even if you have to share it with me."

"And what course will you take," he asked, pausing with his hand on the fence, "if I choose destruction without you rather than perdition with you?"

"What course? Why, I shall tell Dr. Talbot just enough of what I know to prove you to be as desirable a witness in the impending inquest as myself. The result I leave to your judgment. But you will not drive me to this extremity. You will come back and"—

"Woman, I will never come back. I shall have to dare your worst in two weeks, and I will begin by daring you now. I"—

But he did not leap the fence, though he made a move to do so, for at that moment a party of men came hurrying by on the lower road, one of whom was heard to say:

"I will bet my head that we will put our hand on Agatha Webb's murderer tonight. The man who shoves $20 bills around so heedlessly should not wear a beard so long it leads to detection."

It was the coroner, the constable, Knapp and Abel en route to the forest road on which lived John and James Zabel.

Frederick and Amabel confronted each other and after a moment's silence turned as if by a common impulse toward the house.

"What have they got in their heads?" queried she. "Whatever it is it may serve to occupy them till the two weeks of your probation have passed."

He did not answer. A new difficulty had entered his already overcrowded life.

Let us follow the party now winding up the hillside.

In a deeply wooded spot on a side road stood a little house to which John and James Zabel had removed when their business on the docks had terminated. There was no other dwelling of greater or lesser pretension on that road, which may account for the fact that none of the persons now approaching it had been in that neighborhood for years, though it was by no means a long walk from the village in which they all led such busy lives.

The heavy shadows cast by the woods through which the road meandered were not without their effect upon the spirits of the three men passing through them, so that long before they reached the opening in which the Zabel cottage stood silence had fallen upon the whole party. Dr. Talbot especially looked as if he little relished this late visit to his old friends and not till they caught a glimpse of the long, sloping roof and heavy chimney of the Zabel cottage did not shake off the gloom incident to the nature of his errand.

"Gentlemen," said he, coming to a sudden halt, "let us understand each other. We are about to make a call on two of our oldest and most respectable townsfolk. If in the course of that call I choose to make mention of the $20 bill left with Loton, well and good, but if not you are to take my reticence as proof of my own belief that they had nothing to do with it."

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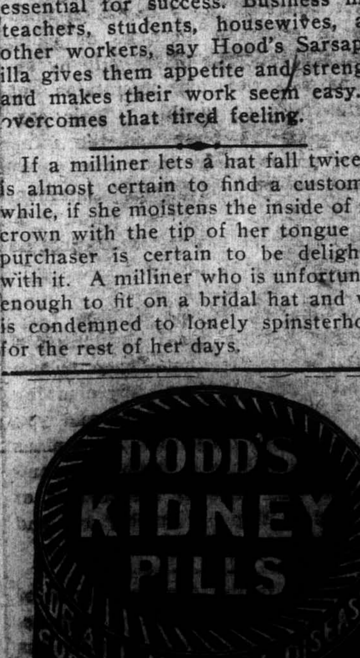

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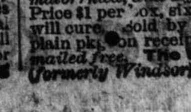

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