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FLOY'S SILENCE

(Continued from last issue.)

"They'd better ask who she was here last night," Katie Maguire whispered, venomously. "Mr. Hale wasn't the only one."

"You don't mean Mr. Murdoch? Why you might as well accuse a parson!" cried two or three at once.

"No, I don't mean Mr. Murdoch. Somebody else was here after hours, with a mighty poor excuse—somebody that holds herself quite too high and mighty to go with ordinary folks."

"Floy Irving? O kosh! She came to oblige Ann E. Floy's one of the nicest girls in the store."

"Maybe, but if I was Mr. Hunt I'd look into her obligingness a little."

Of course this was before Floy's face, but she caught enough side glances and incautious words to make her feel very uncomfortable. "It's only Katie's spite," she told herself, but she went to work feeling flushed and nervous, not forgetting however to give Robert Murdoch a nod and a smiling good morning!

How gravely he returned it! But of course this suspense was harder for him than for the others. A little later she saw him entering the private office.

A particularly exasperating customer taxed her attention to the utmost for the next quarter of an hour, but her long breath of relief as the woman departed was cut short by the ominous words:

"You are wanted in the private office, Miss Irving."

"What for?" Floy gasped, in dismay.

"I do not know. No doubt they will tell you." Was it only her fancy or was the tone frosty with suspicion? She saw the girls around exchange startled glances, heard Katie's exultant whisper, "You see! Didn't I tell you so?" and Jennie's indignant "Hush! That doesn't mean anything."

Of course it did not. Floy told herself. It was only their excitement and nervousness to such a trifling matter. To be sure, girls were not summoned to the private office often. But why should she be nervous? What if she had seen Robert Murdoch entering that private room just a little while ago? The villain in a story-book might make a false accusation to rid himself of a troublesome witness, but in real life—if only her cheeks would burn so fast that it seemed to choke her, she carried her head bravely.

Inside the dreaded portal she passed, outwardly calm, inwardly fighting down a panic. The partners and head bookkeeper were in close consultation. Kindly Mr. Hunt nodded to her, bidding her sit down, but nervous Mr. Vane snapped out shortly: "We hear that you were here after hours last night, Miss Irving. How is that? And how did you get in?"

Floy explained briefly why and how she had returned, forcing herself to speak steadily, although all the time something seemed whispering in her ear, "How should you know unless he has forestalled you by his own suspicion on you? Why did you let yourself be convinced so easily? Did-

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And she could only tell herself, desperately, "I told him he might trust me. I can't help my word unless I am sure."

"How long were you here?" What did you do? Be exact, now," Mr. Vane demanded, while Mr. Hunt leaned back, watching her with an odd, startled air that fascinated and alarmed her, as if he were expecting she did not know what. Certainly not the matter of fact answer she gave.

"Not over twenty minutes, I think."

"Topped to exchange a few words with Mr. Murdoch—maybe for a minute. I put the counter and drawers in order as quickly as possible, and went out as I came in. The watchman spoke to me while I was at work and just did not delay me."

"And what were you talking about, if I may ask?" Mr. Vane snapped. Mr. Hunt's eyes twinkled as he waited for her answer.

That voice seemed to roar in her ears. "Tell it all! You will never have such a chance again. Can't you see that he has accused you to save himself?" But she said steadily, "Oh, the watchman told me about coming back so as to talk with Mr. Murdoch. We told each other how we happened to come back to the store, and—"

"And what?" Mr. Vane demanded sharply, as she hesitated.

"A little about how nervous these thefts were making us all," she finished, boldly.

"What do you think about these thefts, Miss Irving?" Mr. Hunt asked suddenly, his eyes twinkling more than ever.

Once more Floy desperately fought off a great temptation. "I don't know what to think."

He chuckled, rubbing his hands together in satisfaction. "You understand stenography and typewriting, I am told?"

"Yes, sir," gasped Floy, staring. She had taken great pains to learn, hoping to find a better position, but so far none had offered.

"Well, I am without a private-clerk this morning. Sit down there and put these letters into shape, if you can. These to be answered according to the notes I have scribbled on them. You show the proper form of course."

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