

"Nit — don't take it."

"Certainly not. It isn't for sale. Play us something, Mr. Crowther. My daughter will play your accompaniment."

Pete needed no second invitation, and they were soon making the air vibrate with waltzes, two-steps, and marches. Between selections Pete vented his enthusiasm over the violin. "If you ever get ready to take \$100 for it, give me the first chance, will you?"

"Yes, but you won't get the chance. We will never let that violin go out of the family."

Pete placed the instrument back into the case.

"Speaking about those Amigon goods," said he, "it's a big thing for a new store to get a reputation for classy goods, and the beauty of that Amigon line is that while the goods are the finest quality, the prices are no higher than other companies charge for ordinary goods, and they cost you less than these brands that are advertised so much. I want to show you the line, Mr. Stevens. The best stores in this State are pushing them. They will give any store a reputation. Let's take your price lists