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TORONTO MARKET.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

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Hogs, receipts, 35,000. Market strong; light, \$7.10 to \$7.65; mixed \$7.25 to \$7.75, heavy \$7.35 to \$7.80, rough \$7.30 to \$7.40, pigs \$5.60 to \$6.80, bulk of sales \$7.40 to \$7.70. Sheep, receipts, 17,000. Market, weak, Wethers, \$7.60 to \$8.25; lambs \$8.50 to \$11.

EAST BUFFALO MARKETS.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

East Buffalo, Jan 25—Cattle: Re-

medium \$6.25 to \$6.75; common \$5.50 to \$6.00; butcher cows, choice \$6.00 to to \$6.25; medium \$5.25 to \$5.75; canners \$3.25 to \$4.00; bulls \$4.25 to \$7.00; feeding steers \$6.00 to \$6.65; stockers, choice \$5.50 to \$6.25; light \$5.00 to \$5.50; milkers, choice, each \$60 to \$100; springers, \$60 to \$100; sheep, ewes \$7.00 to \$8.25; bucks and culls, \$4.00 to \$6.00; lambs \$11 to \$11.75; hogs, fed and watered, \$9.75; calves, \$4.50 to \$10.50.

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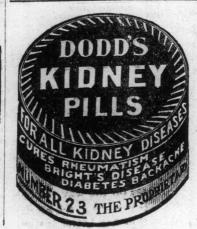
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THE DIAMOND FROM THE SKY

CHAPTER XXX.

Planning to Win a Millionaire.

AY broke on the other side of the mountain at the Lady Veronica mines. The hoarse whister the power plant woke the echoes of the mountain gorge. The miners tumbled from their bunks and stormed the greasy cookhouse. In the boss' shack the telephone rang, and a steepy assistant foreman took a message from John Powell, chief engineer at the workings on the other side, to which from the Lady Veronica mines a tunnel was driven four miles through the mountain. The message called for all hands to quit the job and come through to the new workings on Planning to Win a Millionaire. 0 00 come through to the new workings on 0 00 the other side. The message is delivered to miners, outside men, the cookhouse help, even to the ore strippers who have just begun to load the ore carrying cable cradle that carries the ore from the hillside outcrop across the gorge to the tipple on the other side of the ravine.

The whistle woke Esther and Quabba from where they had fallen exhausted in their flight on the rugged mountain side a mile or more away. It roused to their evil purposes in their waking hours Luke Lovell and Blair Stanley as

"That is the mine whistle!" exclaimed Quabba. "If we can reach the mine we will find Arthur Stanley, and we will be safe."

Neither Quabba nor Esther knew, as Blair and Luke did, that Arthur bad left the Lady Veronica mines and had crossed the mountain to his new workings. But Arthur Stanley, or John Powell, as California knew him, had now ridden away from the new workings in company with one of his foremen and was well on his journey across the great mountain range to distant Santa Barbara, where he had arranged to take over the palatial steam yacht that was to be delivered to him

Vivian Marston, in Los Angeles, had kept herself posted as regards Arthur's comings and goings.

Experienced and world wise, Vivian Marston laid her plans well. She knew Chicago, Jan. 25—Cattle, receipts, 4,000. Market, weak. Native beef steers, \$6.30 to \$9.75; cows and heifers, \$3.15 to \$8.20; calves \$7.75 to \$11.

Hogs, receipts, 35,000. Market though the strong; light, \$7.10 to \$7.65; mixed how telling and effectual a romantic or dramatic first meeting with the youth-from the yacute broker shortly before she had arrived at the same hotel. He had donned the expensive yachting attire that had been sent here for him and was on his meeting had been but a passing introduction at Mrs. Randolph's ball in Bichmord. In the excitement that followed and mused meet the yacute broker shortly before she had arrived at the same hotel. He had donned the expensive yachting attire that had been sent here for him and was on his way to the wharf as Vivian watched from the window of her room in the hotel and mused meet the yacute broker shortly before she had arrived at the same hotel. He had donned the same hotel and the true yacute broker shortly before she had arrived at the same hotel. He had donned the same hotel are the yacute broker shortly before she had arrived at the same hotel. He had donned the same hotel are the yacute broker shortly before she had arrived at the same hotel. He had donned the same hotel are the yacute broker shortly before she had arrived at the same hotel. He had donned the same hotel. He had donned the same hotel at the same hotel at the same hotel at the same hotel at the same hotel. He had donned the same hotel at the same hotel at the same hotel. He had donned the same hotel at the same hotel at the same hotel at the same hotel. He had donned the same hotel at the yacute same hotel at the same hotel. He had donned the same hotel at the yacute same hotel at the yacute same hotel at the same hotel at the yacute same hotel at the same how telling and effectual a romantic or lowed so swiftly when the diamond paign. heightened by the further climax of ing murdered Dr. Lee and his desper-

> thur, Vivian was sure. After this she had briefly seen him at "He is an old friend of mine," said the tournament at Fairfax. But these Vivian, smiling. "Too bad he went to brief contacts, Vivian realized, were as his yacht before I saw him. I know he nothing. She felt that to impress Arthur she must throw herself in his way as though the idea had just occurred to in some impressive manner, at a time her, she clapped her shapely and gem when there would be no distraction to covered hands together and cried: "I mitigate against the dramatic intensity know what I will do. I wired here beof the meeting as she planned it.

terested her, but as a bankrupt young owner of the sailboat had it waiting Virginia gentleman or as a fugitive for me anchored off the dock. If I from justice she had not deemed him | hurry I can sail out to the yacht before worth exercising her siren spells upon, Mr. Powell will be through looking it But here in California it was a far cry trial trip. Here, help me into these from the situation as it had been in Export cattle, choice, \$7.40 to \$7.80; staid Virginia. The fugitive young butcher cattle, choice \$7.00 to \$7.40; prodigal of Virginia was John Pow-



Vivian Marston Plans to Ensnare Arthur. ell, the multimillionaire, whose dazzling rise to riches through his oil investments had made him a marked man even in California, that wonder land where everything possible can

Vivian had sedulously kept out of Arthur's way in Los Angeles, and now that she had brought on Blair to aid her later, but had sent Blair away for the present that she might better work out her plan unhampered, Vivian Marston felt that the gods were kind, and

old life in Virginia was broken, now that he was John Powell, California millionaire, flattered, sought after. Every tie was broken, save perhaps his affection for Esther. But youth and



the palatial steam yacht that she had read in the papers would be delivered to him in the beautiful bay of Santa Barbara.

Her prospective prey had come or horseback and had met the yacht Richmond. In the excitement that fol- hotel and mused upon her plan of cam-

had been torn from her own fair neck by an unseen hand, an excitement millionaire, John Powell, has just bought, is it not?" she asked of the at-Arthur's arrest on the charge of hav- tentive hotel maid. The maid was quick to assent. "Have you seen Mr. ate fight and flight, the passing intro- Powell, ma'am?" the maid asked eagerduction had left no impression other ly. "He is so handsome all the young than perhaps the slightest upon Ar- ladies at the hotel are dying to meet

fore I came that a sailboat should be The reckless daring of Arthur had in- hired for me. The clerk told me the clothes." And with the hotel maid's assistance Vivian quickly attired herself in a fetching sailor costume, which helped to set off her rich beauty to ad-

vantage. Calling a taxl, she drove to the wharf to find the sailboat owner waiting for her. Declaring she was a good sailor of pleasure craft and could handle a small boat as well as any man—which was true enough—Vivian Marston refused the assistance of the bewildered sailboat owner. She had him run up the sail for her and left him at the wharf and headed the pretty craft in the direction of the graceful yacht and the direction and sailboat and sail stations.

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1.54 a.m.—For Hamilton, Toronto, Niagara Falls a the direction of the graceful yacht anchored far out. Already, with steam up and anchor weighed, the yacht was ready to start off on its first voyage 1.56 a.m.—For Hamilton, Toronto and East. 1.56 a under the command of its new owner,

Far away in the Sierras, in that wild and who had lost them in the flight in the night now sighted them again Quabba was first to sense the renewed pursuit. "There is Blair Stanley and Luke Lovell!" he cried. Esther gathered up her skirts and ran like a young frightened fawn beside her faithful

save her at the place of refuge. Arthur was far away, and a designing and unscrupulous, beautiful woman was conummating a desperate plan to ensnare

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Far away in the Sierras, in that wild region where lie the Lady Veronica mines, owned, like the great white yacht in Santa Barbara bay, by John Powell, another fair but younger woman seeks also this fortunate young man. Roused from the slumber of exhaustion, Esther and Quabba hastened along the mountain road toward the now deserted mine. By some unfortunate chance the evil pair who pursued and who had lost them in the flight in

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