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THURSDAY EVENING, Sept. 22.

The street market was steady to-day with fair receipts. About 500 bush of wheat offered and sold at 77c to 80c for spring and fall and at 71c to 72c for goose. Barley active, there being sales of 2000 bush at 50c to 68½c. Oats quiet, three loads selling at 36c for new and at 39c for old. Peas firm at 60½c to 61½c. Hay firm, with sales of 40 loads at $10.50 to $15. Straw steady, selling at $12 a ton. Dressed hogs unchanged at $7 to $7.25. Beef is still quoted at $3 to $4.50 for forequarters, and $5.50 to $7 for hindquarters. Mutton at $6.50 to $7.50; lamb at $9 to $10, and veal at $6.50 to $7.75 per 100 lbs.

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At the auction sale of fruit at Lumbers' Fruit Market the following prices were realized: Peaches—First-class, per bskt., $1 to $1.25; second do. 60c to 90c; third do. 40c to 50c. Pears—Bartletts, per bskt., 80c to 90c; do., per brl: $6 to $7. Crab apples—Per brl., 75c to $1; do. bskt., 15c to 20c. Apples—Cooking, brl., $1 to $2, sweet do., 75c to $1. Grapes—Concord, lb., 2½c to 3c; Niagara, do., 5c to 7c; Rogers, do., 4c to 5c.

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NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—Cotton quiet; uplands 9 11-16c, Gulf, 9 13-16c. Flour—Receipts 23,200 pkgs, weak; sales 17,300 brls. Wheat—Receipts 83,300 bush, exports none, sales 5,992,000 bush future and 318,000 bush spot; options ¼c to ¼c higher; spot steady; No. 2 red Sept. 79¼c, Oct. 79 9-16c to 80¾c, Nov. 87 1-16c to 87½c. Corn—Receipts 17,700 bush, exports 440 bush, sales 472,000 bush futures, 102,000 bush spot; options opened ¼c to ¼c lower, closing steady; decline partly recovered; spot shade higher; No. 2 Sept. 60¾c, Oct. 49¾c to 50c, Nov. 50½c to 50¾c. Oats—Receipts 78,000 bush, sales 140,000 bush futures, 112,000 bush spot; ¼c to ⅛c higher; No. 2 Sept. 33c, Oct. 33½c, Nov. 32½c, No. 2 32c to 32½c, mixed western 32c to 34½c, white do. 35c to 40c. Sugar easy, standard "A." 5¾c, cut loaf and crushed 6¾c to 6¾c, powdered 6¼c to 6½c, granulated 6¼c.

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CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—The wheat crowd were very much concerned this morning because the arrivals of spring wheat are grading low. This fact in addition to the heavy covering of the shorts late yesterday made a very stiff opening to-day. As the day advanced the crowd got quite nervous. The scalpers were disposed to be bearish but whenever the market got down a little there was much good buying of the cash article that they covered speedily. Wheat opened 69¾c, sold down to 69¼c, and steadied at 69¾c. The special firmness was not felt until about 12.30 p.m. when Oct. at once went up to 70½c, afterward closing at 70c. Leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—Sept. 69¼c, Oct. 70c, Nov. 72¾c. Corn—Sept. 40¼c, Oct. 41c, Nov. 41½c. Oats—Sept. 25½c, Oct. 25½c, Nov. 25½c. Pork—Year, $11.35, Jan. $12.15. Lard—Sept. $6.32½, Oct. $6.32½, Nov. $6.30. Cash quotations were: No. 2 corn 40¾c to 40¾c, No. 2 red 71½c, No. 2 spring wheat 69¼c, No. 2 oats 25c, pork $15 to $15.25, lard $6.35, short ribs sides $8.20 to $8.25, dry salted shoulders $8.25 to $8.30, short clear sides $8.60 to $8.65. Receipts—Flour, 24,000 bbls., wheat, 36,000 bush., corn, 272,000 bush., oats, 206,000 bush., rye, 1000 bush., barley, 74,000 bush. Shipments—Flour, 21,600 bbls., wheat, 20,000 bush., corn, 321,000 bush., oats, 65,000 bush., rye, none, barley, 31,000 bush.

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A MIDNIGHT VISIT

It was late in the afternoon of the ... which Mr. Eldredge had removed ... smaller country house, and Helen and ... were standing together in the bedroom ass... to the latter.

"No, miss, I'm not mistaken," Violet was saying.

"But, Violet, there is not the slightest indication of a secret door," answered Helen, carefully running her hands over the highly-polished panels. "These handsome walnut panels are smooth and new as glass. Perhaps he has changed his plans," she concluded, anxiously. "If he has, I shall not know how to foil him."

"I think not, miss," Violet replied, confidently, "and for two reasons—first, the handsome paneling with which the whole chamber is finished looks precisely as he told Mr. Eldredge it would; second, I snatched a chance to measure the outside of the house, from end to end, on this side, and after that to slip into the room that should join this, and on measuring its width and the width of this, discovered that the measurements did not agree with the one taken outside. Without doubt, there is, as Mr. Stanhope declared there would be, a narrow, hollow space behind the closet in the other room, and inclosed in that space is——"

"Hush! hush!" interrupted Helen, with emotion. "It is too horribly shocking to utter in plain speech. But are you sure that delicate wire is to be used? Did he say it positively? Don't make any mistake, Violet!"

"He said it positively," declared the girl emphatically.

"Then there will be no trouble," remarked Helen, adding, with a great deal of earnestness: "But be sure you have your scissors ready to cut the wires on your side at the same moment that I do mine. Remember my signal, and don't take fright."

"Never fear miss," smiled the girl, brightly. "You'll find me all right when the time comes."

The afternoon had waned and midnight had followed. Helen's chamber was wrapped in darkness, but she and the faithful Violet sat there, silent, motionless and watchful as hawks. Suddenly the village clock rang the hour.

"Twelve!" whispered Helen, as the last sharp stroke rang out.

As the last sound died away, a heavy blow, quite sufficient to have awakened her had she been asleep, shook the panels so carefully examined that afternoon. The blow was followed by a wailing cry so startlingly mournful that, in spite of her preparation, a sharp ejaculation escaped her, as she and Violet sprung to their feet.

At the same instant the panels opened and closed, and an angelic-faced woman, robed in filmy white, and surrounded by a sofsly luminous circle of light, floated gracefully and silently toward the foot of Helen's bed. The countenance, irradiated by the same faint glow surrounding the form, was the spiritualized countenance of Helen's dead mother!

At the sight a deep sob broke from Helen, and mingled with a sigh gentle, heaving the breast of the spectet, as it lifted its fair, rounded arms, from which the drapery fell gracefully back, and extended them appealingly toward the bed, near which it had just paused. The next moment a voice—the well-known voice of Helen's mother—sighed plaintively:

"Child, obey thy father! Refuse no longer! I, thy mother, command thee! Adieu!"

And with the last word the lovely apparition dropped its arms and floated slowly and gracefully backward.

Prepared as Helen and Violet had been, the truly startling sight had thoroughly discomposed them. But the receding figure aroused them to the necessity of action. In a moment they were beside it. The next several sharp clicks attested that the work of cutting the wires was done.

Violet caught the figure as it fell, and Helen, after hastily lighting a lamp tore away the waxen likeness of her mother and other clap-trap arrangements, while quivering lip and then despatched Violet to the library to see if Mr. Eldredge was there.

"Be quick and silent, Violet," she whispered.

As the maid left the room Helen leaned over to the bureau and caught up an ebony casket, and then, taking the figure in her arms, stepped to the door. As she reached it it opened and Violet reappeared.

"Yes, miss, he is there," she whispered, breathlessly, "and Mr. Stanhope, too. I heard their voices, Mr. Stanhope is swearing."

Helen did not wait to reply, but hurried down-stairs. She opened the library door without ceremony and entered. The two men started back with exclamations of dismay at her appearance. She walked straight to Barry Stanhope, her dark eyes flashing angrily.

"I am most happy to meet you, Mr. Stanhope," she bowed sarcastically. "Allow me to restore this wonderfully-fashioned figure and compliment you on your powers as a ventriloquist, and also thank you for the very pretty play enacted for my benefit."

And she dropped the figure at his feet, with an open scorn that roused him to a perfect fury.

"You know not what you do, mad fool!" he hissed in low, concentrated tones. "Your father and you shall pay for this! I'll beggar you both, and if every dollar of his indebtedness is not paid to the farthing within two days I'll throw him in prison and let him rot there till the last farthing comes! Don't—"

"Hold your peace!" commanded Helen, imperiously, while Mr. Eldredge sat in stupefied despair, gazing from one to the other.

"Yes, when you are beggars!" scornfully laughed Stanhope, in reply. "Till then—"

"Silence, villain!" said Helen, more haughtily than before. And with a glance before which he involuntarily quailed, she asked: "What is the amount of my father's indebtedness to you?"

He laughed sneeringly, and replied:

"Only the nice little sum of $40,000, my beauty! Do you think he is likely to dance happily to that tune?"

And another biting laugh ended the question.

Helen made no reply, but dropped to the floor.

"Violet!" she called.

The maid came running down stairs, and into the room.

"Violet, you are here to witness," said Helen. And then turning to Barry Stanhope: "Now, Mr. Stanhope, oblige me by writing out a receipt in full for the amount. The money is here!"

And she unlocked and threw open the casket she had placed on the table, thereby displaying the little pile of notes.

Barry Stanhope stared at her in a state of amazement too profound for words or deeds.

"Do you hear me, sir?" she repeated. "I wish you to write out the receipt immediately and deliver it to me the instant that I hand you the money. And be kind enough, sir, to word it so as to render null and void any note or notes of my father's which may now be in your possession."

Finding he still stared at her in the same imbecile way, she took the notes from the casket and counted out slowly and distinctly $40,000.

"You see, Violet?" she asked.

"Yes, miss," replied Violet, "exactly $40,000."

Helen gathered up the notes and again turned to Stanhope.

"I am waiting, sir," she quietly remarked.

At this reminder he leaned across the dining table at which he and Mr. Eldredge were sitting, and with a muttered imprecation seized a pen and a sheet of paper and, hastily writing a few lines, tossed the sheet contemptuously toward her.

Helen took up the sheet and handed it to her father. "Is it just as it should be, papa?" she asked.

For the first time Mr. Eldredge seemed to manifest some life. He seized the paper eagerly, exclaiming as he did so:

"Thank heaven, your game's up, Stanhope," adding, after carefully reading the receipt: "All right, Helen, give him the money."

The baffled wooer took it sullenly, and an hour saw Mr. Eldredge, with Helen and the servants depart.

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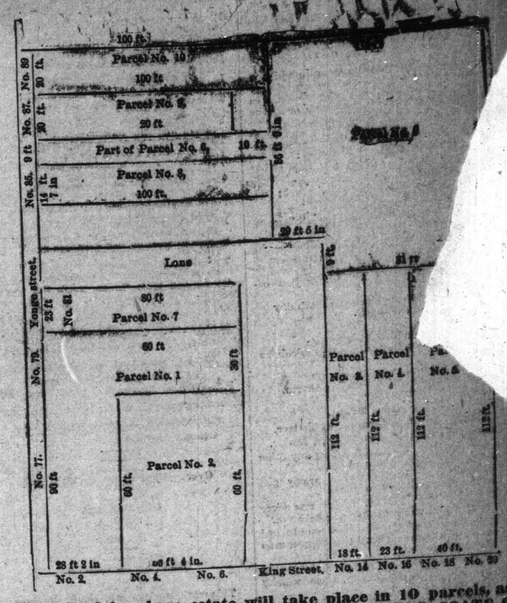

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