

EL DEMONIO PASS.

One morning not long ago, on my way to St. Louis, I stepped on board a Mississippi steamer at Memphis, and almost the first man I met on the promenade deck was my old chum, Harry Wood.

"My life lost! Is the danger then so serious?" I inquired. "Yes, yes," she hurriedly answered, "and you must not think me unwomanly—I—my mother thought that one of us should come to meet you; and you know I could not let her take such a journey when—when I am so young and strong."

second's delay and my head would have been split, but now I caught the descending blow upon my carbine barrel, and almost in the same motion brought the latter down upon the skull of the swarthy brute, who sank lifeless to the ground.

horror over her own brave deed, I lifted her once more to the saddle, and we set out on our eight mile walk to her mother's home. Mrs. Fair met us long before we reached the hacienda, and was overwhelmed with joy on finding us both unhurt.

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