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CHAPTER V.

Golden Escapes From Joliet.

Regan had drunk a cocktail during Louis' absence, and managed to clear his brain enough to realize that the conversation being carried on should (as Louis had suggested) be more secret; so when the youth returned he was ready to accompany him to the room engaged.

"How did you manage to get into the club?" Regan asked in a suspicious tone.

"I never got in."

Regan started. "How did you know about it, then?" he asked, amazed.

"I know very little about it," was the candid answer. "You know I am supposed to have killed a man? It was during my imprisonment in the Tombs that I first learned of the existence of such a society. I was invited to join it, but at the cost of more 'stuff' than I could then raise. But learned enough to know that there was such a place as the 'city,' and I now want to find out how to get there."

"I am looking for a bright confederate," said Regan. "I've got onto one of the easiest 'snaps' afloat these days. One of those bold daylight robberies that only requires nerve to successfully carry it out. There is about two thousand apiece for three good men who can carry it through."

"I'm your man," replied Louis promptly.

"All right," acquiesced Regan, "if you really have the nerve (sneeringly) to undertake a real 'job,' I'll put you in the way of it."

"You'll excuse me, Mr. Regan," said Louis, calmly, still intent upon drawing his antagonist out, "but how am I to judge of the sincerity of your statements? A while ago you admitted to me that you were making a good living—not by arresting 'us boys'—but by extorting 'hush' money from 'my people.' How am I to be convinced that you are not trying to trap me?"

"You needn't fear me," coolly replied Regan, biting at the tempting morsel of injured innocence held out by Louis, "for I am going to take a hand in the game myself. You will feel satisfied if I am with you?"

"How was the escape brought about?"

"Yes, if you work on the inside. But who is your partner?"

"That is the worst part of the scheme; otherwise it would be perfectly safe. The concoctor, the instigator, the man I want to please in this, is a person who has just escaped from Joliet. A dangerous criminal, with an enormous reward offered for his recapture, and of course the police are on the look out for him in Chicago."

"Say no more," said Lang. "I know who you mean—Simeon Golden!"

"You know him, then?"

"He was my companion in the Tombs."

"This is indeed a streak of 'luck,'" said Regan enthusiastically. "When Sim broached this job, he had fears of not being able to find a pal he could trust. I am certain now that he will be satisfied with your! It takes a powerful lot of money to get into the club you know; but it will take less if you can interest 'the scout' in your favor. You have as much at stake as I. You have a plan on foot to raise your wind, what is it?"

"Regan," replied Lang, in a tone meant at once to be respectful yet positive, "what I have in view requires but a single head to work. And, in fact, no one but me could work it. Should you come in on the deal, you would want your divy, and I need it all to pay my way into the country. You want me to aid you in your scheme, but no help is needed in mine."

"Your scheme ain't ripe yet! How long do you suppose Golden will consent to remain in town after working our racket with all Chicago of the look out for him?"

Lang appeared crestfallen at this. "Don't you think he can be prevailed upon to remain long enough for me to work it? You know he is paid to bring recruits to the city. How do you suppose he escaped from impregnable Joliet, unless he had help from the outside?"

"Why do you suppose Golden places himself in my power?" asked Regan, proudly.

"Don't know," replied Lang, but he guessed pretty shrewdly.

"Simply because it was I, Jack Regan, who got him out of limbo! I was told that by giving Golden this aid I could save my entrance fee. I am as much a member of the club as he is; but he knows the way to the city, and I don't."

"Well, I must say you have made a 'killing.' How was the escape brought about."

"Oh, easily enough!" replied the flattered Regan. "I will tell you about it. I engaged the services of a lawyer, and went down to Joliet for the ostensible purpose of getting Golden to confess that he had a partner who was implicated with him in the crime. The judge, in passing sentence told Golden that if he would confess to having had an accomplice he would give him a light sentence, and we worked on the plan as if we were after such a confession; and readily obtained permission to interview the prisoner.

"Golden was brought into the prison reception room; a guard was placed over him, but no suspicion was entertained of me or the lawyer, so we were quite free to talk out of hearing of the guard. Golden asked for a chew of tobacco, and wouldn't write until he got it. I was prepared for this, and was the only one who had any. In it was a fine tempered steel saw for sawing iron. The confession was filled out with the name of a man whom Golden knew to be dead. As a reward, the prisoner was given more comfortable quarters, an outside room, where he was allowed to breathe a little outside air. This room overlooked the stone-yard and side-track which ran through it.

"This was over a month ago. In the meantime Golden managed to saw partially through the bars of his window, during the moments when there was a good deal of noise being made by passing trains. A week ago I went down to Joliet and engaged a suitable room and wardrobe for his reception when he should make his escape. At last came a rainy night and dark. Fortune seemed to play into our hands; I saw the opportunity to open the switch leading into the prison yard, and a freight train backed down and ran into the prison gate and wall and was wrecked. All night long workingmen and wrecking engines were working upon the wreckage to clear the track.

"Of course the prison guards were doubled, but that made no difference with Golden's escaping. I managed to mingle unperceived among the wrecking crew. At a signal from me, when the din was at its height, Golden let himself down from the window, by means of a rope made from tearing his blanket into strips and dropped unperceived into a rain water cistern directly beneath. At a second signal from me, just when a passenger train drove in sight, whose noise increased the din and attracted attention, Golden made his run for liberty across the open space to where conveniently upon the track stood a car with a derrick upon it. He climbed to the top of the swinging arm of the hoisting machine, threw the end of the chain over the wall, where I caught it and held it in place while he drew himself over unseen. I had clothes and disguises handy, and it wasn't more than five minutes before I had made a new man of Golden; and he was safe in the room prepared for him."

"You certainly worked it slick! And I will have to do something pretty foxy to outdo you if I go," said Louis with admiration in his tone.

"That's what you will!" said the gratified Regan. "And you will have to do it quick! Golden, you must know, is not going alone. His escape was planned by one of the agents, and the same party has deputized Madam Mendom to get together a small company of 'lady emigrants' to take to the city. That is another reason why he can't stop. If you can manage to rob a bank in the early morning, and assist us in the evening, you can go—but whether you do or not, you can make a couple of thousand as your share in our deal."

"I am certain that you mean your remarks to be highly sarcastic," said Lang, as a brilliant plan flashed through his mind. "But I will show you that I can rob a bank in the morning, just as you say, and will be on hand to help you in the evening. I tell you right now, I'm going, see? When do we three meet to plan this scheme of yours?"

"We don't have to meet," answered Regan. "If Golden arrives safely from Joliet, as I am positive he will, I will see him to-night and tell him about you, and if he thinks everything all right in the morning I will go down to John Atley's livery stable and charter a horse and light delivery wagon for the day. Should the deal be on, you will find the horse hitched in front of Pat Karragan's saloon, which is next door to Stephen Johnson's dry goods store. About twelve o'clock, whether you make your play or not, you come around and drive off with the wagon, and see that the horse is well fed and rubbed down, bringing him back about four o'clock.

"During this time I will be inside the saloon playing pool or cards for a blind. In bringing the horse back, drive into the alleyway facing west, so that when we draw off with the swag we can trail several blocks through the alleys without running across a car track. All you will have to do will be to watch the mouth of the alley, between seven at night and possibly twelve or one o'clock in the morning, and at the right moment help load up a lot of silks and linens, and drive off. Golden and I will do the work unless the program is changed."

"Well, if that is all you want of me," said Louis, "I'll leave you and kind of get my thinking cap on; I must pull strings for myself."

"Don't the magnitude and daring of the scheme paralyze you?" asked Regan, gazing in astonishment at the calm composure of the lad.

"No!" replied Lang quietly, rising to go. "My palm doesn't even itch. You imagine that I am giving you tafty about robbing a bank? While you are getting ready to work your scheme for $2,000, I'll raise $10,000! Do you think I can do it?"

"I am not so sure you can't."

"And it will be at the Jim Denver's expense, see?"

"I don't see how," replied Regan half questioningly, "and I'll have to take your word for it. But I've come to the conclusion that you are capable of anything."

They walked out to the bar together, and Regan took his parting drink alone, while Louis lit his cigar. Then they bade each other good night.

If the treacherous detective had not been under the influence of drink, he never would have made a confidant of Lang. When he began to ponder on the doings of the evening, he could not but realize the amount of valuable information he had been foolish enough to give away. And he fully realized that Lang had in nowise compromised himself. It was a matter of chagrin to him.

"What if Lang should play us false?" soliloquized Regan. "What wouldn't Golden do to me if he knew that I had given away the secret of the existence of the city? Treachery! I must not hint at it! I must not act but as if Lang was already a member of the society. In helping Golden to escape I have gone too far! I must enter the country. It is my only chance of freedom. I must make myself rich and famous—It has been the one dream of my life!"

What could these words of Regan mean? There is no doubt that Regan was two-faced; neither an honest detective, nor a thief recognizing the code of "honor among thieves." Evidently Regan has an object in desiring to enter the city. Did he intend to betray his confederates? Time will make his intentions clear.

(To be continued.)

TRAINING OF THE IDIOT.

If Taken at an Early Age He Can Be Taught.

Driveling idiots if taken at an early age can be made useful men and women. The methods of one institution for idiots which I visited can be cited: The instructor arranged several idiots of the same grade on the floor and, commencing with a newcomer, he gave the child its first lesson by placing its hand on a dumbbell and striking the bell with another. The child started and involuntarily removed his hand from the bell. The exercise was repeated several times and this was the first lesson, and was regarded as satisfactory.

The second child had been under instruction for six months and he noticed the descent of the bell in the doctor's hand and withdrew his hand from the bell before it was struck. The third child had been under instruction nine months and when the blow was falling withdrew his hand and also the bell, and there was a faint smile on his face. The fourth child had been in the school two years and showed his advancement by imitating the awkwardness of the other boys during the exercises. When the doctor approached him he seized the bell and struck the doctor's with a loud laugh.

Thus the rudimentary and dormant nerve cells had been aroused and began to enlarge; first, the sensory nerve centers of touch were stimulated and began to enlarge; then the closely affiliated centers of sight were excited; still further the process of stimulation proceeded, until the higher groups of nerve cells were aroused and the mental process of reasoning cause and effect began and the driveling idiot became a reasoning being.—Dr. Stephen Smith in Leslie's.

SENSE OF SMELL IN BIRDS.

Many Proofs That It Is Not Acutely Developed.

A study of the habits of flesh-eating birds shows that if they possess the sense of smell at all it is not sufficiently acute to enable them to use it in finding food.

All observers agree that when a carcass is hidden, by never so slight a screen, it is safe from the attacks of vultures and other carrion seekers; but the most remarkable proof of the ineffectiveness of the sense (if it exist at all) is afforded by experiences which Dr. Guillemard was good enough to relate to me. Many times it has happened, he tells me, that, having shot a wild beast or other game, which was too heavy to carry home, he has disembowled it and hidden the carcass in the hole of an ant-bear."

On returning with natives to carry it to camp he has found a circle of vultures standing round the spot where the offal had been thrown, completely unaware of the carcass within a few yards of their beaks. Of observations proving the possession of the sense of smell he can cite none, unless we are willing to accept as evidence the belief, which is very general among fanciers, that birds are attached to the smell of anise, and the similar belief of gamekeepers in some parts of the country that they are attracted by valerian. It is said that pigeons may be prevented from deserting the dovecote by smearing their boxes with oil of anise. Poachers are supposed to lure hen pheasants from a wood by anointing gateposts with tincture of valerian.—Natur

REDEEMS ALL BAD MONEY.

New York Church Member Keeps Collections at Par.

"We have a member of this congregation," said an usher in a Lexington avenue church, according to the New York Press, "who contributes to its support in an unusual way. He pays his pew rent all right, but he has a rooted objection to dropping a coin in the collection plate. No matter whether the collection is counted and given to the treasurer of the church, Some Sundays there is a good deal of it. It seems as though men and women who have Canadian dimes and quarters, mutilated coins of all denominations and money that was never made in the mint feel justified in dropping it into the collection box. When the treasurer gets a handful of this money he calls the old man into the vestry after the Wednesday evening prayer meeting and hands the money for it. The old man puts the bad coin in his pocket and takes it home."

Thought She Couldn't Live.

Moravia, N. Y., June 5.—Mr. Benjamin Wilson, a highly respected resident of this place, came very near losing his wife and now that she is cured and restored to good health his gratitude knows no bounds. He says:

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How Birds Build Nests.

Swallows and house martins build by sticking together pellets of prepared road mud. Most of the material is obtained from the drying puddles on the high roads. If not mixed with anything else the tendency of these pellets would be to crumble when dry. But the swallow tribe is supplied with a mucous secretion which enables it to gum these particles together. The swallows' nests, from which the Chinese "bird's nest soup" is made, are constructed of this mucous matter only. An Indian swallow which builds little boat-shaped nests against the trunks of lofty trees practically makes them of dried saliva.

Tea Cigarettes Supplant Morphine.

London fashion devotees are said to be giving up morphine tablets in favor of cigarettes made from carefully blended green and black teas, the nervous effects of smoking which are even more powerful than that produced by tobacco. Dizziness, partial stupor and extravagant visions are given as the leading symptoms, victims having frequently to be sent to private sanitoria.—London Good Health.

Prefer Black Teeth.

The trade of tooth-stainer, followed in eastern Asia, is as old a calling as any. The natives prefer black teeth to the whiter kind, and the tooth-stainer, with a little box of brushes and coloring matter calls on his customers and stains their teeth. The process is not unlike that of blacking a boot, for a fine polish is given to the teeth. The pigment is harmless.

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Astronomer's Strange Diet.

The eminent French astronomer Lalande, either really possessed, or else affected, an excessive fondness for spiders and caterpillars as articles of diet, and would eat them with apparent relish. He always carried a supply of these insects about with him in a bonbonniere.—Critic.

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This distinction between just and unjust discrimination is clearly recognized in the conclusions of the International Railway Congress, published yesterday:

"Tariffs should be based on commercial principles, taking into account the special conditions which bear upon the commercial value of the services rendered. With the reservation that rates shall be charged without arbitrary discrimination to all shippers alike under like conditions, the making of rates should as far as possible have all the elasticity necessary to permit the development of the traffic and to produce the greatest results to the public and to the railroads themselves."

The present proposal is, as Mr. Walker D. Hines of Louisville showed in his remarkable testimony the other day before the Senate Committee at Washington, to crystallize flexible and justly discriminatory rates into fixed government rates which cannot be changed except by the intervention of some government tribunal, and by this very process to increase "the temptation to depart from the published rate, and the lawful rate in order to meet some overpowering and urgent commercial condition."—New York Sun.

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