



A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

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CHAPTER XXXIII.

A Revelation Concerning the True Order of Marriage.

"Well, he never did overtake himself, that I knew of," said the bishop. "Not eating ain't my sign with him. Now it would be any sign. I never believed in fasting the flesh. The Spirit of the Lord ain't ever so close to me as after I've had a good meal of victuals—meat and potatoes and plenty of good apple and a couple of pieces of pie. Then I can unbutton my vest and just eat and get and hear the promptings of the Holy Ghost. I know some men ain't that way, but then the time when I benefit my inheritance in Zion the puriest. And I'm mighty glad Brother Joseph turns out to be a mortal." "Of course you heard the news."

"What news, Brother Seth?"

"Brother Brigham said here at 11 o'clock from New Harmony."

"We're getting the bowery ready down to the square tonight so to have services out of doors."

"He's coming to-morrow?"

The words came both from Prudence and her father.

"Of course he's coming. Ben Hadley brought word over. They'll have a turkey dinner at Bell Wardie's house and then services at two."

The flushed little man with the revelation felt himself grow suddenly cold. He had thought it would be just to launch his new truth in Amulon and let the news be carried to Brigham. To get up in the very presence of the Lord, in the full gaze of those cold blue eyes was another matter.

"But it's early for him. He doesn't usually come till after conference, after it's got cooler."

The bishop took on the air of a man who does not care to tell quite all that he knows.

"Yes, I suspicion some one's been sending tales to him about a certain

constraint they talked a little while of other things. But as soon as the bishop for a few minutes the subject turned to him, almost fiercely.

"Say, now, what did that old goat-whiskered lion mean by his blintzing words that afternoon?"

"The little man was troubled."

"Well, the fact is, Brigham has meant to marry her."

"No, don't worry, you'll have let him go. Say, I'd hate to feel sorry for holding off on you like I have."

"No, don't do that kind of me."

"Well, what were you going to do?"

"I hardly know."

"I know—did that old, to-day, I know, and it will be all right. Trust me. I lost my faith for a moment just when I heard Brother Brigham was coming to-morrow; but I see how it is—the Lord has wished to prove me. Now there is the more reason why I should make it all right to-morrow."

"How the time's about up. I've been here over two months now, just because you were so kind of helpless, and one of our wagon-trains will be here before you hear of this."

"He would've ever married him, wouldn't he?"

"No, she refused to accept; she refused to consider it all."

"He was burning again with his fever, and there was something in his eyes that drew his attention to overcome Follett's indignation."

"Well, let it go till to-morrow, then. And you try to get some rest now."

But the little man, flushed though he was, felt cold from the night air, and piling more logs on the fire to draw his chair closer to the front of it.

"As often as Follett awakened through the night he felt his heart heavy, sometimes weeping what looked like a little old bible, sometimes speaking aloud as if seeking to memorize a passage."

The last Follett remembered to have heard was something he seemed to be reading from the little book: "The Lord is my Shepherd: I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters."

He fell asleep with a feeling of pity for the little man.

Real Estate Exchange

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The following is a partial list of Farms, City and Village Lots, and Real Estate generally which we have for sale. As our list is constantly changing, we request that parties will write us if they do not see what they want in this list.

- 178 Street corner on west side of Bain street, for property of Royal Oak, Birmingham. Price \$2,000. About 2000 sq. ft. lots, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the north side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the south side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the east side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the west side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the north side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the south side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the east side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the west side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway.
- 179 Farm in Springfield township for sale or lease. For property of Royal Oak, Birmingham. Price \$1,000. About 2000 sq. ft. lots, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the north side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the south side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the east side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the west side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway.
- 180 Farm in Avon township, 15 acres of good land, all cleared, small orchard, on highway, suitable for small farm. Price \$1,000.
- 181 Farm for sale in town of Southfield, 8 acres, all cleared, four good buildings, gravel and concrete driveway, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the north side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the south side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the east side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the west side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway.
- 182 Two lots in Royal Oak, Block A, Standard location.
- 183 Corner lot, 100 feet front on Maple avenue in Springfield township, Birmingham. Price \$2,000.
- 184 One and one-half acres, just south of New Street, Birmingham. Price \$1,000.
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- 188 One of the best-located and most equipped lots in the village, and in absolutely the best location, with lot, bath, toilet and cold water, and a beautiful view of the city. Price \$1,000.
- 189 One and one-half acres, just south of New Street, Birmingham. Price \$1,000.
- 190 Seven-room corner on Avon Street, just north of New Street, Birmingham. Price \$2,000.
- 191 Vacant lots No. 54 and 56, Block B, Wilson's Addition, Royal Oak, Birmingham. Price \$1,000.
- 192 One and one-half acres, just south of New Street, Birmingham. Price \$1,000.
- 193 Thirty-five acre farm in town of Birmingham, on the town line 6 buildings, including barn, garage, and driveway. Lot on the north side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the south side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the east side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway. Lot on the west side of the street, with front porch, garage, and driveway.
- 194 Fifty acres in Township of Troy, adjoining the city of Troy, Michigan. Price \$1,000.
- 195 One and one-half acres, just south of New Street, Birmingham. Price \$1,000.
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A PROCESSION, A PURSUIT, AND A CAPTURE.

Follett awoke to find himself surrounded by a group of men. They were rushing through the streets, and he was being carried along. He was blindfolded, and he was being led towards a large building. He was being carried along by a group of men, and he was being led towards a large building. He was being carried along by a group of men, and he was being led towards a large building.

"I'm Afraid He'd Find It. Hard to Marry Another Girl—He Simply Couldn't."

Prudence looked at the young man carrying on down the street. He looked sharply at Prudence, who had been looking at the ground, and felt grateful that he had not seen her. She had been looking at the ground, and felt grateful that he had not seen her. She had been looking at the ground, and felt grateful that he had not seen her.

Settled Case Right There

Revenue Officer's Argument Cogent and All-Convincing.

Miss Dorothea Klumpke, the astronomer, was talking about the difference between the sky and the earth. She was talking about the difference between the sky and the earth. She was talking about the difference between the sky and the earth.

Rajah's Triumph Over Motor Car

Today we came upon a rajah driving in a motor car drawn by a pair of horses. He was driving in a motor car drawn by a pair of horses. He was driving in a motor car drawn by a pair of horses.

Unprofitable Accumulation

If I knew a miser who was giving all the pleasure of doing good to others, all the pleasure of doing good to others, all the pleasure of doing good to others.

Painter for Fishermen

Lo, the poor Indian, when he went down to the beach, and he went down to the beach, and he went down to the beach.

Cause and Because

Let a man have his own way about everything and anybody can get along with him. Let a man have his own way about everything and anybody can get along with him. Let a man have his own way about everything and anybody can get along with him.