The GIRL and the GAME

A Story of Mountain Railroad Life

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NOVELIZED FROM THE MOVING PICTURE PLAY OF THE SAME NAME. PRODUCED BY THE SIGNAL FILM CORPORATION.

SYNOPSIS.

"You are telling us," he said coldly, "that you disposed of one of the best quartz properties in the Superstition mountains for a song because your foreman told you the vein had pinched out. And you say your expert corroborated his statement. By what right did you go ahead in this fashion without calling us together to decide whether we did not want further expert advice on the possibility of locating the vein?"

"That part of the matter has been threshed out already," said Seagrue angrily.

"No, it hasn't," retorted the chairman. "Not to our satisfaction. Where the investment is so large, our inter-

...sounds," she replied, "very much like Mr. Earl Seagrue."

"What do you think, George?" demanded Rhinelander.

Storm shook his head. "It may be," he admitted, "that he's slipped one over on you."

Rhinelander seemed not seriously disturbed. "It wouldn't be the first time, if he had," he observed quietly. "But I'm going to have a look into this thing, and if that vein is really gone, I'll know why before I get through with the subject."

Followed by his companions, he joined the foreman. They examined the rock in turn and held a long discussion. The foreman suggested calling in an expert.

"No," said Rhinelander, stubbornly; "I just bought this mine on the recommendation of an expert; all I want is a little hard-headed, common sense here, and I am going to have it. The best authorities in the mining world told General Holmes he had a property here that would last as long as these mountains lasted."

"But Seagrue must have known all this," interposed Helen.

"He thought it time to unload, beyond a doubt," answered Rhinelander. "Helen," he exclaimed, "I know Seagrue better than you do. I know how full his head is of schemes and all that. But I want to tell you it is a fact that Earl Seagrue is a quitter. He gives up too quick and starts a new scheme. Now, I am not going to quit on the Superstition mine until I've made a thorough investigation of this trouble. I am not a miner," he...

...er and Storm were nowhere to be found—they had almost certainly been caught with the crew in the tunnel.

Spasmodic efforts were made to clear the opening. Men, losing their heads, rushed hither and thither, accomplishing nothing and adding to the panic that possessed everyone at the thought of the tragedy within the closed tunnel. Bidding a man to stop his useless efforts to tear away the fallen rock, she gave him directions as to what to do. "Telephone for doctors," she said hurriedly, "while I go over to the Neighbor mine for help."

Both hastened away. Helen reaching the edge of the cliff, where the aerial railway ran from the mountainside down to the valley below, stopped. It would take her fifteen precious minutes to run down the trail. Could she, by any possibility, ride down the aerial cable? On this railway the bags of high-grade ore were sent down to be loaded into the wagons below. It would take so long a time to get down the trail, and those moments might mean life to the men imprisoned in the tunnel.

She grasped the hook of the frail aerial carriage and clinging to it with both hands, pulled the release. Like a bird on wing, Helen shot far out from the mountainside and dropping at a sharp angle down the line, sped suspended between heaven and earth. As she dashed at dizzy speed along the spider-web cable, she caught confused glimpses of rock and stunted cedars shooting past underneath. It seemed as if the solid earth were flying in one mad film away from her in...

TWELFTH INSTALLMENT

BURIED ALIVE

The Imprisoned Men Were Passed Out.

Helen Told of the Disaster.

Grasped the Hook of the Frail Aerial Carriage.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

PLEASED THE WOODPECKER

Bird Takes Kindly to Tin Barricade Erected Against Its Peckings.

Mrs. John Poser of Main street, Newton, N. J., feared that a fine shade tree on her lawn would be killed by a woodpecker that appeared there every day and pecked away at a hole which he was making larger and larger. Therefore she had her husband tack a sheet of tin over the hole when the bird was absent.

Refusing to be discouraged and pretending he does not know the difference, the woodpecker now goes to the tree every day and pecks away like a trip hammer on the tin sheet. The neighbors are nearly crazy with the noise, and there is a law against killing woodpeckers.

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Offended Her Taste.

Apropos of the amusing comments on academic costume that so often reveal popular ignorance of the symbolism of hoods and gowns is the following story, told by a contemporary:

"A friend of mine," says the narrator, "is a curate in a local suburban parish. Some little time back he went up to Oxford to take his master of arts degree, and the following Sunday appeared in the pulpit resplendent in...

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SUPPORT PRESIDENT PARAMOUNT ISSUE

Democratic Keynote Sounded by Temporary Chairman Glynn.

DEFENDS NEUTRALITY POLICY

Advocates Defense Preparedness and Flouts Militarism Bugaboo—Discusses Domestic Policies and Eulogizes Mr. Wilson.

St. Louis, Mo., June 14.—Following is a condensed version of the address delivered at the opening of the Democratic national convention today by Temporary Chairman Martin H. Glynn, former governor of New York.

Gentlemen of the Convention: The...

...Britain their passports and sent them home.

But we didn't go to war. Pierce settled our troubles by negotiation.

When Van Buren was president a detachment of Canadian militia, during the internal troubles in Canada, boarded the U. S. ship Carolina in the American waters of Niagara river, killed an American member of the crew, fired the ship and sent her adrift over Niagara Falls.

But we didn't go to war. Van Buren settled our troubles by negotiation.

When Jefferson was president England seized hundreds of our ships and Napoleon hundreds more.

But we didn't go to war. Jefferson settled our troubles by negotiation.

When Adams was president France preyed upon our commerce until she had piled up in our state department charges of over 2,300 violations of neutrality's law.

But we didn't go to war. Adams settled our troubles by negotiation.

When Washington was president and "neutrality" first declared, war convulsed Europe. England and...

...maintain its neutral rights against every belligerent.

This convention must make it plain that all divisions among the American people stop at the ocean's edge.

Over and above every other reason that the nation may have for upholding its president, is the necessity of proving to the world that we are a united people.

So long as the other nations of the earth realize that the millions under America's flag think as one, believe as one and act as one in the face of foreign war, we shall be free from foreign intrigue, and all that it entails.

High above every other issue that this convention offers to the American people we must therefore write a vindication of American loyalty.

Our Domestic Policies.

Four years ago the people of this country entrusted their government to a man and to a party who promised that they would liberate the nation from the chains of industrial tyranny, who pledged themselves to break down the barriers behind which special privilege sat entrenched; who...

Temporary Chairman Glynn.

PREPAREDNESS

By EARL REED SILVERS.

Before going out Jim Chambers secured a sheet of paper, jotted down a single sentence, and then placed the note carefully in his wallet. He believed in preparedness.

In the library he was greeted by his older brother who, in the manner which older brothers have, nodded briefly.

"Where're you going?"

"To Edythe's."

"You're engaged, aren't you?"

"Yes, but it isn't announced."

"What'll she say about your trip to Westfield?"

"Nothing. What can she say?"

"You lived in the same house with Mildred Merritt, didn't you?"

"Yes."

The older brother stretched languidly. "Well, take this advice from someone who knows. Edythe doesn't...

THE EUROPEAN WAR A YEAR AGO THIS WEEK

June 19, 1915.

French took by assault Fond de Buval and advanced in Alsace.

Germans evacuated Metzeral after burning it.

Austro-Germans captured Grodek, crossed the River Tanew and took Komarno.

German submarine sank British steamer Dulcie.

June 20, 1915.

Germans made strong attack in Argonne after bombardment with asphyxiating shells.

Russians in general retreat before Mackensen, west of Lemberg.

Italians took more positions in Monte Nero region.

Turks defeated Russians near Olti, Transcaucasia.

British cruiser Roxburgh torpe...

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RAVES ABOUT OUR GARDENS

Writer Says They Are So Ravishing, So Sunlit, Abounding in Freshness and Beauty.

"I can't say enough in praise of the American gardens! I think I should rave about them if I ever let myself go," exclaimed Miss Carlisle. "They are ravishing—so sunlit, abounding in freshness and beauty! Do you realize that they are so brilliant that I can never show paintings of American gardens in the same room with English gardens, because they make them look quite dreary? Their one fault is that there is often too much statuary in them, and too much of it irrelevant. Frequently, too, they are not rambly enough, and seem a little self-conscious. In English gardens small stones mellow with years are used, and the furnishings add that warmth which breeds intimacy. It is the informal garden that attracts the artist. In England these abound, with their winding paths passing through uneven hedges of many varieties of flowers...

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