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Personal Talk With You.

At any time when requested to do so, the paper will be discontinued. But we expect that all arrears will be paid before such request is made. It is easy to ask us for a statement, which will be cheerfully rendered at any time.

A Drama of The Camorra

Actual Occurrence of Today Told in Story Form.

By ARTHUR A. TAYLOR

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Occasionally certain events in which there is what we call romance need only to be put in story form to make them twin brothers to fiction. The following is an example:

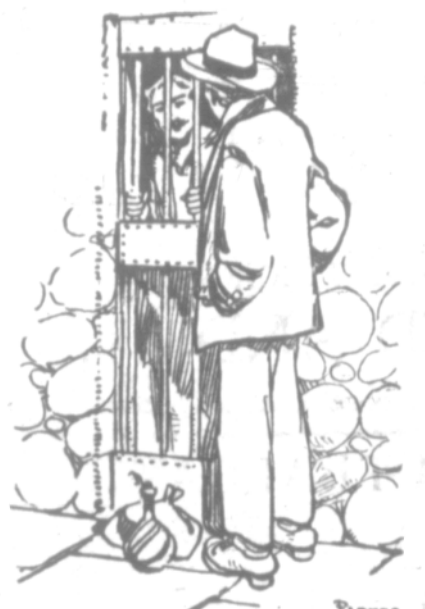
Two men, apparently of the lower grade of Italians, sat chatting in a wine shop in Naples. The face and hands of one were begrimed with coal dust, for by the carrying of that fuel he earned his living; the other was not at the time following any special calling.

"Gennaro," said the coal heaver, "tell me how to proceed to become a member of the Camorra."

"What do you mean by the Camorra?"

"Nonsense. I know that it exists and that you are a member of it."

"Well, Luigi, since you and I are close friends I will admit to you that I am a member of the Camorra. As to your getting into the society, you must prove yourself in full sympathy with its objects, which are to enable



"LUIGI, I AM IN LOVE."

its members to commit crime and evade the law. Why do you wish to join it?"

"That I may live without work. Look at these hands and my face covered with dust. Do you suppose I like such occupation? But what can I do? If I steal a few lire and am caught I go to jail. But suppose I belong to your society. I steal a thousand lire. I am arrested. The police suspect or know that I am a member of the Camorra. He from whom I stole the money knows me and that I stole it. But he learns that if he testifies against me he will incur the displeasure of the society. When he is called upon to identify me he cannot remember that he ever saw me before. He pockets his loss and I spend his money."

"Suppose I desire to remove some one who stands in my way. If I attempt it alone I suffer death; if supported by your society I am not convicted—I go free."

"By the bye, Gennaro, they say the police have got on to the truth as to the Cuccolo murder."

Gennaro smiled contemptuously. "The police know nothing about that matter. I know everything."

"Well, what do you know?" asked the other indifferently.

"Do you suppose I, who have taken an oath not to reveal the secrets of the Camorra, would tell you, an outsider, what I know about this affair? When you are a member of the society you will know such things for yourself."

"Oh, I care nothing about that matter. What I wish is to be able to live without work. I have a few soldi left. Let us have another liter of wine."

A month later Gennaro Abbatemaggio was arrested for some small theft, and Luigi Bucini went to see him in jail.

"How is it, Gennaro," said the latter, "that you are in jail? Is your society powerless to protect you?"

Gennaro smiled. "Do you suppose the Camorra risks its reputation for petty affairs like this? But you shall see me walk out of court a greatly wronged man."

"Well, you see that I don't forget you, Gennaro. I have brought you some fruit, some bread and a liter of wine. I managed to get my hands on quite a large sum of money recently, and I promise you that I will keep you supplied with comforts as long as it lasts."

"You are a true friend to do that?"

"What else can I do for you?"

"There is something I wish you could do for me, but that is impossible."

"What is it?"

"Luigi, I am in love."

"Now, my dear friend, you are showing that you have some affection for me. Tell me all about it. It may be that I can help you. Does she live here in Naples?"

"No, in Capua."

"What is her name?"

"Blanca."

"And what is that you would have me do for you that I cannot do?"

"Enable me to marry."

Luigi was silent for a time, then said:

"I have a surprise for you, Gennaro. I am able to place you in a position to marry your love. You have given me your confidence; I will give you mine. Know, then, my dear Gennaro, that this sum I spoke of getting my hands on is very large, and I covered my tracks so well that I am not even suspected. But I am placing myself in your hands by telling you of it. You can denounce me to the police and I shall spend my time in jail instead of my money in ease and comfort."

"Go on," said Gennaro impatiently.

"Very well. As soon as you get out of here I will divide my good luck with you. I will enable you to marry this Capuan girl you love so well."

"Ah, my dear Luigi, what a man you are," said Gennaro, grasping his friend's hand, "and how much I shall owe you. Neither Blanca nor I have a soldo to marry on, but if you can lend me enough to set up a shop I will live a life like other people and not feel in constant dread. This will make the girl I love as well as me happy."

"I will lend you what you need for a shop and enough to start you in housekeeping. Goodby. I hope soon to see you happy and comfortable."

The next time these two men met Gennaro was out of jail and they were sitting in the wine shop where they first conversed. Luigi was speaking.

"I have the money ready for you, my friend, to enable you to marry your Blanca."

"And what am I to do in return for this favor?"

"Nothing of any importance. You know I have long wished to become a member of the Camorra. I cannot do that without a leverage. But fortunately you can supply that."

"Tell me what you know about the Cuccolo murder."

Gennaro winced. "That is impossible."

"Then I must remain outside the law, and when I am caught defying the law I must spend the best part of my life, as you have lately been spending a few weeks, in prison, or perhaps if I put an enemy out of the way I shall suffer death."

"But I can't understand why a knowledge of this murder is so necessary to your attaining an entrance to the Camorra."

"I will tell you. There are men in it who would oppose my admission. With a knowledge of the circumstances connected with this murder the society would not dare to reject me."

"I see. But what you ask for the favor you propose doing me is not the unimportant return you consider it. Suppose you should—"

"Betray you? Do you think so little of my friendship as that?"

"No, no, but I have sworn."

"What is an oath to such men as we? It is fear that holds us, and so long as you have nothing to fear from me what matters it?"

"I will think it over."

Luigi laid out for the wine they had been drinking and in doing so pulled out a great roll of bills. Gennaro saw them and fell under the temptation.

"Come with me," he said, "down to the sea wall. We will get a boat, go out into the bay, where we shall not be heard, and I will tell you all."

In a small street in Capua preparations are being made for a wedding. The groom is our old friend Gennaro; the bride is his Blanca. Both are better dressed than they have ever been before, and a feast more savory than either has ever partaken of is set before them and their guests. Blanca's father, who would not permit her to marry Gennaro so long as he had no visible means of support, is now going about in a new suit of clothes purchased with money borrowed from Luigi Bucini, with a broad grin on his face. The last of the wedding supplies, a barrel of wine, is being removed from a cart to the house.

And now the wedding party have returned from the church and are sitting around the festal board. Every one is happy, except that the groom keeps looking out of the window expectantly. Luigi has promised to attend the wedding but has not yet put in an appearance. Presently a man in the uniform of the national police turns into the street where he could be seen by Gennaro, approaches the house in which sat the wedding party, opens the door and walks in.

Had he been a specter he could not have created more consternation. The groom looked at him, and every vestige of color left his face.

"Do not trouble yourself about this change in my costume," said the sergeant of carabinieri. "You and I are under the protection of the government. This wedding and the capital with which you are to open your shop are advanced by his majesty the king. But more of this hereafter. For the present let us proceed with these wedding festivities."

Taking up a glass, he filled it with wine, held it aloft and said:

"To the health of our sovereign and the little bride."

The carabinieri from that time passed under his real name, Capuzzo. Acting under the special orders of the king of Italy, he had undertaken to secure evidence in the Cuccolo murder case, with which the government proposed to attempt the breaking up of the celebrated Bella Saggiola (the Beautiful Reformed Society), headed by Enrico Alfano. After the wedding festivities he took Gennaro into a private room, where they conversed for a long while. When they came out the groom was enlisted in the service of the government as a spy.

Probably no detective ever took greater risks during the period he was securing this important evidence than Sergeant Capuzzo.

Child Nature.

A child knows instinctively whether you are true or dishonest with it in thought as well as in deed. You cannot escape it. It may not always show its knowledge, but its judgment of you is unerring. Its life is stainless, open to receive all impressions, just as is the life of the plant, only far more pliant and responsive to influences. Upon the child before the age of ten we have an unparalleled opportunity for work, for nowhere else is there material so plastic.—Luther Burbank.

HOW TO TRAIN A PUPPY.

Care Should Be Exercised in Punishing or Dog Will Be Spoiled.

Just how and where and when the puppy is punished for committing a crime of budding doghood and doing what he knows is wrong is a matter of some import to both the owner and the puppy if he is in training, writes Amos Burbanck in Recreation.

A dog is in training at any time and any place in which he is being taught something that his master wants him to fully understand. Most dog owners are never taken to the field before they are old enough to understand a few commands. "Come here," "lie down" and "go to the kennel" are all part of his training.

The amount a dog is expected to know depends upon the man who owns him. Usually the more human brains that are mixed in with his training the fewer will be the commands given the puppy to learn. Puppies are a great deal like children. Some of the things they learn today that are not right they will have forgotten by tomorrow. And perhaps there will come a new bad habit that may stick for the same length of time.

Punishment must be given with a great degree of care. To spoil the disposition of a puppy is very easy. To punish an old dog for an offense that was committed in the intensity of his work for you will spoil him for life. That old saw about the dog that is old not being able to learn new tricks is all muck. Go to any professional trainer and he will tell you so.

A dog is like any other animal. It learns something all the time. It is well to begin the handling of the puppy so that a stern word or gesture or scowl of the face will show him that you are displeased. A dog that is naturally bold will be punished as much by this sort of punishment as one that is very timid. It is all a matter of starting the training with him. To adopt the whip at the beginning of the breaking is not right. It takes too much courage out of the dog.

PRINCESS MARY.

Only Daughter of King George a Very Domestic Miss.

Since King George V. ascended to the throne the most talked of young lady abroad has been his only daughter, and her very latest photo has just reached America and is shown here. Her royal highness Princess Victoria

is shown in a very domestic pose, sitting at a table and looking at a book.

Notice of Guardian's Sale.

Pursuant to an order of the County Court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Wasco, made on the 10th day of February, 1911, from and after the 20th day of May, 1911, I, the undersigned, guardian of the estate of Mary E. Sherry, a minor, shall proceed to sell at private sale for cash, all right, title and interest of said minor (the same being one undivided one-seventy-eighth) in and to that certain real property and rights in real property, situated in the state of Oregon, particularly described as follows:

West half of the Southwest quarter Section 37.

Southeast quarter of Section 34.

Northwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section 35.

North half of the Southwest quarter of Section 35. All in Township 3 South, Range 11 East of the Willamette Meridian.

Also West half of the East half of Section 3.

Southeast quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section 3.

East half of the Southwest quarter of Section 3.

Northwest quarter of Section 10.

Southwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 10; all in Township 4 South, Range 14 East of the Willamette Meridian; and the right to use as much of the banks of the Deschutes river, where the same crosses or touches the Northwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 35, Township 3 South, Range 14 East of the Willamette Meridian, as may be necessary or convenient in the development of power on the Deschutes river above or below said last described forty-acre tract; and also the right of way across said last described tract for pipe lines, easements or flumes on such line as may hereafter be selected.

Hid will be received by me at the office of the County Clerk, in the county of Wasco, at the Dalles, in the county of Wasco, and state of Oregon.

CHRIS JOHNSON, Guardian as aforesaid.

State of Oregon.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the estate of Frank S. Clark, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly itemized and regularly verified, at the law office of E. W. Stark, in the Dalles, Ore., within six months from the date of this notice, and all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate are requested to make payment to said executor.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1911.

NANNIE E. CLARK, Executor.

State of Oregon.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon.

April 14th, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that Leslie Smith, of Ajax, Oregon, who on January 9th, 1906, made Homestead No. 141-1 serial No. 00449, for lot 1, section 14, and six sections 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, Township 12 South, Range 12 West of the Willamette meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office at the Dalles, Oregon, on the 28th day of May, 1911. Claimant names as witnesses: Hugh Scott, John T. Pope, Harry E. Palmer, Walter G. Smith, all of Ajax, Oregon.

State of Oregon.

C. W. MOORE, Register.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of Henriette K. Seberg, deceased, has filed his final report and account as such administrator in the County Court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Butte, and that Monday the 5th day of June, 1911, at the hour of 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day and the court room of said court has been appointed by said court as the time and place for the hearing of objections thereto and the settlement thereof.

Dated and first published April 28th, 1911.

J. R. KASBERG, Administrator of the estate of Henriette K. Seberg, deceased.

Y. L. LITTLEFIELD, Attorney for Administrator.

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Teaching the Teacher.

A village parish clerk who employed a grammarian to teach his daughter heard him with much surprise define the use of the articles "a," "an" and "the."

"You cannot place 'a,' the singular article, before plural nouns. No one can say, 'A houses, a horses, a'."

"Hold there," said the parish clerk. "I must contradict you in that. Don't I at church every Sunday say 'Amen'?"

—London Mail.

To the Stranger Within Your Gates.

In New England—What do you know?

In New York—How much you got?

In the South—Who are you?

In the West—What can you do?

—Life.

Candid.

"What do you mean by 'being candid,' pa?"

"Speaking unto others as you would not like them to speak to you."—Puck.

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How to Wash Bedclothes.

To wash heavy bedclothes make a warm suds with good soap and let the comfortables or blankets soak in it for awhile. Then take a new clean hoe for a pounder. Pound well and pound again in another suds. Rinse thoroughly and hang on the line without wringing. If a hose is handy spray plenty of water over them when on the line. The cotton comfortables will not mat when washed in this way.

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