

HE COMES UP SMILING

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SYNOPSIS.

The Watermelon and James, two young boys, were sitting on the porch of the Watermelon house, waiting for the arrival of their father. The Watermelon was a very handsome boy, and James was a very plain boy. They were both very fond of their father, and were very anxious to see him. The Watermelon was a very good boy, and James was a very bad boy. They were both very different from each other, but they were both very much alike in their love for their father.

CHAPTER V.—Continued.

In the crash on the Street which had broken the cotton ring and had brought a comparatively young and hitherto unknown man into prominence, Bartlett had not been that he cared to think about. Though his name had not appeared, he had been heavily involved. The ring had needed but a week, a day or two, to bring it to perfection, then in a night, from whence hardly a soul knew, having worked quietly, steadily, persistently, this unknown man had succeeded in defeating the ring in the face. Another week would bring complete collapse unless this William Hargrave Bartchelor could be supported. Clearly it had no price, preferring to fight to a finish, which was an admirable quality in one so young, but hardly to be desired in an opponent who almost invariably had every chance to win. Voluntarily, he would not leave the fight, but if he could be suppressed? The following Bartchelor was a crucial time. If he did not return until the day after:

Bartlett had left the city late the previous afternoon, now being away with Billy, away from the heat and worry of the game of battle, and now was William Hargrave Bartchelor, apparently doing the same thing. Clearly it was a dispensation of Providence. There was Billy, and after all William Hargrave Bartchelor was young and handsome, and he had been known to Billy before, or dined with him on some occasion. He certainly had made no attempt to hide his admiration for the particular one. Bartlett had chatted gaily with Henrietta and watched the two opposites, trying to decide if it would be possible to kidnap the great, take him away from Wall Street at any cost. Were Billy's charms equal to the attempt? William Hargrave Bartchelor was said to be a cold, hard-headed youth, who had risen by sheer grit and determination to the place he now held, riding rough-shod over his enemies and every one else's desires and pleasures. A calm, impassable young man, with cruel, keen eyes, the papers described him. William Hargrave Bartchelor, Bartlett decided that his square jaw and this mouth fitted the description fairly well, but that the eyes were a complete contradiction. They were neither keen nor cruel, not soft and mild and sleepy. The whole face was carefully neutral, and it were not for the jaw, Bartlett would have hardly believed it possible that Bartchelor was sitting opposite him. His own jaw, smiling and his eyes, looking at himself that he would keep him a week, either through Billy or otherwise. So strong is the power of suggestion, it did not seem to Bartlett to question the youth's identity.

"They were rising from the table now. The general, having dined to his satisfaction, was leaning with good humor and stories. Bartchelor himself a moment, Bartlett hurried to the telephone station in the office. He wanted for his own use, and he had had to write the telegram in English. It would be safe enough. The operator who would not be able to understand it anyway, and it would go through to his brother, who would be spending the day at the country place on Long Island.

"Have W. H. B." wrote Bartlett. "Will take him for a week's tour in the country, with Billy's help. Bartlett's own."

"Rush it," he ordered sternly, "and bring me the answer. I will wait for it on the porch."

The news soon spread that the strange dining with the general and his daughter was none other than the celebrated famous young stock broker, whose prime defiance of the Street was told in headlines in the daily papers, and whose life had been a lesson in the art of the game. It was thoroughly recognized in the Sunday supplement. When he had changed his seat, there had been a suppressed letter of amazement for the restriction of a great man, and those who made a study of money matters, and the fact that the man who stood on the porch after dinner, waiting for Bartlett to return, that the two were one person.

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The color of the cow is chiefly a matter of taste. Almost every color has its devotees, but "roan" appears to be the most fashionable. The promoters of the various breeds lay down rules regarding the color of their favorites, but in actual practice no really good cow is ever a bad color.

For my own part I like a white cow with a black nose as well as any, but she must be a white one. A dirty white, which is nothing more than a dirty cow with a black nose, is a very poor cow, "for soil" it is, this means that no cow can look her best if she is not kept clean, not even a blooded bull that is fitted with plenty of clean dry bedding to lay upon during the winter months, and other things being equal, they will be a credit to clean cows.

As I have already pointed out, fashion in color appears to have changed considerably, and thus it comes to pass that what the roan cow gives credit to a white bull calf, her owner



Dairy Shorthorn.

becomes exasperated. Agricultural science is progressive, but we have not yet attained to such a high standard of perfection as to be able to secure roan female calves in order, there are certain compensating circumstances, for the white cow frequently gratifies her owner by giving birth to a roan female calf. Why, then, should we despise her?

The most important features of the cow are shape, head, and udder. If she possesses a well-developed frame; if her head is broad upon the forehead, and a good udder between her hind legs, she will do good service on the farm, though she may not please the fancy of a prospective buyer in the matter of color.

Some cows live too long before the seal of their lives is exacted. Their present appearance is that of a good animal, but they do not fulfil the promise of their youth. They are a source of revenue to the trader, but they disappoint the farmer who buys them for milking purposes. They change hands frequently, and are only saved from final disgrace because, though they are a complete failure as far as producing milk is concerned, they possess a faculty of putting on flesh rapidly. These cows have simply missed their proper vocation in life. A little guidance at an early age of their career would have put them on the right track, and they ought to have been directed towards the butcher's block.

If the better does not milk creditably the first season, don't allow her to be served a second time. Life is too short, and agriculture too serious a business, to waste time milking cows which do not give sufficient milk to pay for their own upkeep. She is a good thrifter who not feed her well and get her ready for the butcher's block as possible. You will be conferring favor upon the agricultural community generally by so doing.

It is a common error to suppose that a cow is usually a good milker. This is not usually a good milker. This good milking cow is generally placid and kindly in disposition, and how she pays for her own upkeep. There is nothing of "strutting" about the so-called milking cow of provender is forgotten, and she stands patiently awaiting her end until the operation is complete.

If the cow will not stand to be milked, unless she has a tub of provender under her nose, it is because she has been brought up in that way. Animals and humans behave well alike in respect to food, and a habit

LARGE FARMS FOR BIG MEN

Small Pieces of Land Are Better Than Large Tracts of Land—Capacity of American Farmer.

Big men require big farms to make money. They must have money which to expend their activities in.

This is not saying that every man who happens to own a large farm is successful or that every man who happens to own a small farm is unsuccessful because of his personal shortcomings as a farmer.

There are many big-hearted farmers on the small farms of the east who have spent most of their lifetimes in making out a very moderate living without being able to properly educate their children or provide against the future day when they can no longer work.

These men have failed because they did not have land enough upon which to extend their mental and physical energy.

Many men in the west have settled down on their little farms on large areas without making out a living, they were too small for the land they own—they are mistaken.

There is a great deal of talk about cutting up the large farms of the west into small areas, and it is true that the tendency is toward small farms, but it is not so simple as it seems. It is not so simple as it seems, for a man to succeed at a farm or stock raising on a limited area, and the wheat and beef, pork, etc., of this country will always be raised on large farms.

In New England, where in any of the eastern states, where the average of tillable land is from 25 to 30 acres, machinery cannot be used at a profit. To cultivate a tract of 250 acres, from \$2,500 to \$3,500 would be required, and not enough profit can be made by general farming to maintain this equipment and make a profit, because it cannot be used to advantage.

Farm tools must be used to their fullest capacity during the entire cropping season to make them profitable. It does not pay the farmer to buy a mow or to cut five or ten acres of grass, nor a harrow or to cut the same amount of hay.

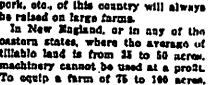
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The small farms is below the average mentality and business capacity of the average farmer of America. The man who is struggling to earn a livelihood on 50 acres who would become wealthy on 500.

CORN CUTTER IS AUTOMATIC

Whole Field Can Be Harvested With Machine Invented by Oklahoma Men in Short Space of Time.

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Sociable Was Big Success.

The Boston Benn Party given by the members of the Kensington club, like the Boston Tea Party, was a success, and the club netted a nice sum to be used to buy fire fighting apparatus for the village.

At eight o'clock the people of Almont and vicinity began to arrive at J. R. Sherwood's house, Saturday night, and from that time until midnight the evening was a continuous merry time. Many of the oldtime pastimes were on the evening's program and all entered into them with a zest that was delightful.

As the evening drew on the different members served a supper that would have delighted the most exacting epicure. In preparing a way to secure partners for supper, a number of pictures from magazines and papers had been cut in pieces each and distributed among the guests and the two people who held the matched pieces of a picture were to be partners for the supper.

Another sociable is being planned by the club for further the securing some sort of fire protection—the Business Men are TOO busy to do anything in that line.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is hereby given that certain mortgage executed and delivered by Adam Deiler and Louisa Deiler, his wife, mortgagors, to Joe Brown, Brothers, Bank and Trust Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of North Dakota, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Morton, and State of North Dakota, on the 13th day of February, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m., and recorded in book 67-1 of Mortgages at page 232 will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in said mortgage and hereinafter described at the front door of the Court House in the City of Mandan, County of Morton and State of North Dakota, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., on the 1st day of December, 1913, to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage on the date of sale.

The premises described in said mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are described as follows: The North West Quarter (nw 1/4) of section nineteen (19) in township one hundred thirty five (135) north of range ninety nine (99) west of the fifth Principal meridian, Morton County, North Dakota.

The mortgagors having failed to pay three installments Forty four (\$44.00) Dollars due November 1, 1911, and Forty eight (\$48.00) Dollars due November 1, 1912 and November 1, 1913, respectively, on the mortgage being foreclosed, the mortgagee hereby elects to declare the full amount thereof due and payable, and there will be due on the day of sale the sum of Four Hundred Ninety seven and 80/100 (\$497.80) Dollars, together with the attorney's fees and disbursements allowed by law. The mortgagors having in pay interest sixty six (\$66.00) Dollars due November 1, 1911, Seventy two (\$72.00) Dollars due November 1, 1912, and Seventy two (\$72.00) Dollars due November 1, 1913, on a prior mortgage on the hereinafter described land, the mortgagee herein elects to include in the amount claimed to be due under the mortgage being foreclosed.

Dated this 13th day of November, 1913.

Bank Brothers State Bank and Trust Company, Mortgagee.
R. A. Ripley, Attorney for Mortgagee.
Mandan, North Dakota.
(Legal Advertising.)
First publication Nov. 22nd, 1913.

(Serial No. 012561.)
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Notice is hereby given that I, C. S. Land Office at Bismarck, N. D. December 4, 1913.
Notice is hereby given that
Chancy H. Claffin,
of Balm, Morton Co., North Dakota, who, on June 31, 1909, made a mortgage, Serial No. 012561, for \$5,000.00, to the State of North Dakota, on the NW 1/4 of Section 85 W. 5th Principal meridian, land filed under intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Registrar and Receiver, United States Land Office at Bismarck, North Dakota, on Jan. 30, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Bertel Wing, of Balm, N. D.
Peter Kristian, of ..
John Behm, of ..
Charles P. Starr, of Judson, N. D.
R. N. Stevens, Registrar.
(Legal Advertising.)
First publication December 9th, 1913.

Notice of Mortgage Sale By Advertisement.

Notice is hereby given that certain mortgage executed and delivered by Fred Miller and Agnes Miller, mortgagors, to the United Lumber and Machinery Company, mortgagee, dated the 24th day of September, 1912, in and to the County of Morton, State of North Dakota, and State of North Dakota, on the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1912, and recorded in book 67-1 of Mortgages at page 232 will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in said mortgage and hereinafter described, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Mandan, County of Morton and State of North Dakota, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., on the 1st day of December, A. D. 1913, to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage on the day of sale. The premises described in said mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same, are situated in the County of Morton, and State of North Dakota, and described as follows: North and Quarter (NE 1/4) of Section Twenty-eight (28) in Township one hundred thirty five (135) north of range ninety nine (99) west of the fifth Principal meridian.

There will be due on such mortgage at the day of sale the sum of \$177.00 Dollars, and the Mortgagee elects to include in the amount to be sold the sum of \$177.00 Dollars, together with the attorney's fees and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated at Mandan, N. D., this 13th day of November, 1913.

W. H. Brown, Attorney for Mortgagee.
Mandan, North Dakota.
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