

THE FACE IN THE PLANK.

A TRUE GHOST STORY.

Last summer I was living at the upper edge of Harlem I always came down town in the morning by the elevated railroad, being usually in a hurry. In the evening having more time to spare, I preferred going home by the boats that ran up the East river.

One evening when I was on the boat going up the East river, I had a strange and startling experience. Night had set in early, as the day had been dark, and the river front was not yet fully lighted. The boat was running pretty close to the New York shore, and I was at my usual place, on that side of the boat, on the lower deck, as near to the water as possible, leaning on the rail and gazing attentively at the water and the docks.

It was when we were passing a pier a little way above Corlear's Hook that my strange experience began. The pier that I speak of was planked up at the sides and at the water end with upright planks, which were probably fastened to stringers across the piers. I had noticed that before, as I had been observing long the river, being a minute or two. At the time I speak of there was also a bright lantern light at the head of the pier, doubtless intended as a signal for some vessel that was expected to land there.

Suddenly, while I was gazing at the pier, which was especially interested in it, a human face became visible in one of the planks near the middle, as if it had been framed there. It was a man's face not at all good looking, with coarse and brutal features and with wild and staring eyes. The light from above neither brightened it up nor cast it into the shade, but enabled it to be clearly seen from where I stood. I should add that the tide was then low, and that the spot at which the face was framed in the plank appeared to be a little below high water mark.

The vision—that was what I was compelled to call it—was so weird and unexpected that it startled me. Though not at all timid, I am a nervous person, and I confess it upset me. In another moment the boat passed beyond the pier, and I lost the view of that pallid and sinister face, but not by any means the remembrance of it. I had been working very hard of late compressing a good deal of my sort of labor into a very few hours every day, and there had been more or less worry mixed with it, and my nerves were very hot. It was natural therefore, that I should believe that I was beginning to be ill, and that my illness afflicted me with the unpleasant faculty of seeing things that did not exist.

As there is not a particle of superstition in my nature, I told myself that I had been the victim of an optical illusion, and that there could not possibly have been any such face framed in the plank of the pier as that which I supposed I saw.

That was also the opinion of my wife when I related my experience to her. Though I had reason to suspect that she took a more serious view of the vision than I did, she was of the opinion that I had been overworking myself in the hot weather, and that I needed rest and recreation. There was nothing for it, she said, as good as country air and an absence from work and business bother, and she was determined that I should have the air and the absence.

All the way down and up the Harlem and East rivers whenever the tide would serve me. Of course I could not be expected to row against the swift East river current, and I became quite leamed in the matter of tides and eddies.

One evening in September, as the tide would be favorable at least as far as the mouth of Harlem, I invited Charley Guest to take passage in my rowboat, and to submit to a late dinner at my home in Harlem. Charley was detained by business, as it happened, and it was dark when we got away. I took the oars and he took the rudder lines, and went up the East River with the tide.

In rowing up previously, though I passed close to the pier which I have mentioned, I had never again seen the face in the plank. Therefore I was compelled to connect with the Harlem boat and the suicide, and that circumstance impressed me.

On this occasion we had passed Corlear's Hook, and were a little below and in sight of that pier, when a rowboat came up and passed us a way. It was rowed by two men, who were evidently pulling their best, and in the stern was seated a man whose face strikingly reminded me of the face I had seen framed in the plank. Opposite the pier he jumped overboard, and the remaining two men in the boat without seeming to notice his performance, pulled swiftly under an open dock, and disappeared.

Charley and I allowed our attention to be attracted to the man who went overboard. He partly dived and partly swam to the pier, showed his head there a moment, and then suddenly and unexpectedly sank. I was so much startled that I could not see to do anything. Before we could recover from the surprise, another boat came from the same direction, with two oarsmen, and a man in the stern and one in the bow. Their manner in the plank was that it was a police boat, and the detective sergeant in the bow hailed us quietly, and wanted to know if a rowboat had passed us there.

As briefly as possible I told him what we had seen, and he caused his boat to be pulled in there, and followed with mine, watching him while he apparently was to be examining the planking of the pier.

"What do you mean, in the tone of a man who has found something, and he requested me to stay there, and to take one of his men into my boat, while he went for help. I could not make out the meaning of this, and my policeman could not or would not explain it to me, though he examined his revolver carefully, as if he expected some desperate work."

Shortly after I heard voices and the tramping of feet on the pier above, and then a sergeant's boat came round to where I was.

"Those chaps are getting to be mighty smart," said he. "What chaps? What do you mean? What are you after?"

"River thieves, and it is very lucky that you happened to be just where you were, so that you could point out their den. Just look here."

He pulled a spring catch near the edge of the river, and then almost high tide—and a square of plank opened out, and showed a hole into which the water flowed freely. A pistol shot from within told us that somebody resented this intrusion. The sergeant closed the hole at once, and it was not long before the rising tide covered it entirely.

I heard the rinding of planks above, and then I went overboard. I may call the bows of the dock, and two policemen brought to the head of the pier the man whom I had seen in the rowboat that escaped.

"That's the man," said the sergeant. "Take him in and lock him up tight. That's Dan Skilly, he continued addressing me, 'one of the worst of the river thieves, and the leader of the East River gang. I might never have found his den if it had not been for you.'"

I was not at all surprised at this. I had seen the man in the rowboat and the panel in the plank, and I was really glad that my supposed optical illusion had such a solid basis of fact.

The sergeant hailed a tug which towed Charley Guest and me in my boat up Harlem in a hurry. At home I took pleasure in explaining the affair to my wife, and the beauty of it was that Charley and I were not called upon to appear against the river thief, who was sent to Sing Sing last November.

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