

DOCTOR JACK

By St. George Rathborne.

(Continued.)

"The account I read spoke highly of your courage, declaring that you performed prodigies of valor in behalf of your friend, but were finally struck down, and poor Aleck's body cast into the Bosphorus."

Doctor Jack's face grows singularly white, his eyes flash, and his hands open and shut with a spasmodic movement as his memory goes back to the scene she mentions. With an effort he calms himself. Through an open window the odour of flowers creeps and fills with sweet incense the stuffy little room. Somehow it seems to him as though this girl had brought the flower odour with her—they seem to be in common.

"Let us sit down, Avie—pardon me, but I heard Aleck call you by that name so often that it falls unconsciously from my lips—we can talk better and be more comfortable. Sit beside this window. Duhere we may hear the tinkling of the fountain nearby, and enjoy the fragrance of the flowers. Somehow, this puts me in mind of the many nights poor Aleck and I spent together—perhaps it is because you resemble him in a great measure. Aleck and I were great chums—he was the warmest hearted friend I ever had, and I shall never forget him; but it is needless for me to say anything about him to his sister, who must know him so much better than I ever could."

"Nevertheless, I drink in your words with rare pleasure, Doctor Jack, and that you are particularly interested in the sad event that deprived me of a friend and you of a brother."

"She nods her head, but does not look up—he knows her eyes are full of tears, and respects a fond sister's anguish."

"We were in Turkey at the time, and Aleck, who had never been in the

Orient before, was immensely taken with the strange things he saw there. He managed to get into a few serapes through his rashness, but they were small affairs, and the judicious expenditure of a little money cleared him."

"I must have been blind not to have seen that something was on the tapis, but at the time certain things worried me, of which I need make no mention, and I put Aleck in charge of a certain Effendi, who, for a round consideration, agreed to take care of him."

"I had managed to straighten out my affairs, when one day Aleck let a thunderbolt fall on my feet. He was in love. The object of his passion was a wonderfully beautiful girl, the inmate of a harem. Unknown to me, and bribed by Aleck, the Turkish Effendi had taken the boy into the grounds and introduced him to the harem, the eunuchs in attendance being made blind with gold."

"That settled the business. He fell head over heels in love with a girl called Sady, and she returned his passion. Night after night he had been meeting her in the gardens, and life without her was a barren waste."

"He reaved of her lovely qualities of mind and person—I was too amazed to speak."

"When I tried to argue Aleck swore he would never leave Constantinople without this girl as his wife—he would rather die with her than live without her."

"What could I do with such a hot head, Miss Avie? Words fell upon a deaf ear. He insisted that I should help him."

"As a last resort I agreed to see the owner of the harem, and leaving Aleck in the room we occupied I had an interview with the guide we had engaged."

"I discovered that the Pasha was away, but his agent could be seen, so an hour later I was in his presence. I could talk a little Turkish, but took an old schoolmate or hodge along to act as interpreter."

"Here I only met disappointment, for I found that the Pasha was one of the richest men in all Turkey, and would not sell one of the inmates of his harem at any price. Incidentally I also learned that the girl Sady was soon to become an inmate of the Pasha's seraglio as a wife."

"I knew full well that this news would drive Aleck wild, but to my surprise he took it calmly. I was deceived by his manner, and believed he had come to his senses."

"Several more days came, and we made preparations for leaving the City of the Golden Horn. Most of our things had gone, and I was thinking of getting tickets, when Aleck came to me and told me to make it three—that he meant to steal Sady from the harem on this night, and by his time the hold theft was discovered, we would all be outside of Turkish territory."

"I was amazed at his boldness, and told him he was mad. To make a long story short, I found that he was bound to attempt this insane project, whether I helped him or not, and as it is not my nature to desert a friend, no matter what the wild goose chase he may be engaged on, I found myself in the plot."

"Everything had been arranged. It was a moonlight night, and we had no trouble in entering the sacred grounds. Here Sady met us, and when I saw her face peep from under the veil I did not wonder poor Aleck had gone wild over her beauty, for she was charming—a Georgian girl, I believe."

"All went well until we drew near the boat, then out of the thicket sprang a score or more of savage looking Turks armed with clubs. They attacked us fiercely. I looked around for the guide, but he had disappeared, the heathen dog having betrayed us, seeing he could get no more money out of Aleck after that night."

"Both of us fought like tigers, but it was of no avail. I saw Aleck beaten down, and was sorely pressed myself. Above the fierce cries I heard the deep voice of a man whom I rightly judged to be the Pasha himself, shouting: 'To the water with the Christian dogs! Drown them like rats in the Bosphorus!'"

"I had falling of internal organs and had to go to bed every month; had irregular monthly periods which would sometimes last ten or twelve days," writes Mrs. L. Holmes of Coaling Street, Uniontown, Penna. "Had a long illness so bad that I could not eat anything hardly. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and Golden Medical Discovery cured me. I took three bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription' and one of the 'Golden Medical Discovery'."

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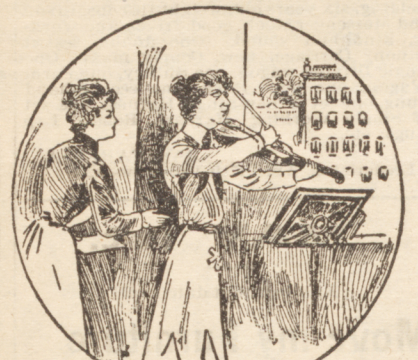
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Dec. 21, 1900, dwalyr.

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"Still, there may be too much washing," objected Mr. Van Brannan.

"Yes. Some chaps in Chicago have been arrested for washing postage stamps."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

The Only Thing to Say.

"What would you say," began the voluble prophet of woe, "if I were to tell you that in a very short space of time all the rivers in this country would dry up?"

"I would say," replied the patient man, "Go home and do likewise!"—Philadelphia Press.

SAID BY THE LITTLE ONES.

Some Bright Things Culled From the Talk of Youngsters.

Little Catharine, aged 2½ years, was one day examining her chubby hands and, turning to her mother, said: "Mamma, I's dot to have some new hands. Mine are full of holes."

A north side schoolboy, having good naturally helped a classmate with a difficult mathematical problem, was asked by the teacher, "Why do you work his lesson for him?" "To lessen his work," was the curt reply.

Little 6-year-old Harry, while reading a chapter of Genesis, paused and asked his mother if people in those days used to do suns on the ground. He had been reading the passage which says, "And the sons of men multiplied upon the face of the earth."

Johnny, aged 4, went into a nearby grocery and asked for a box of canary seed. "Is it for your mother?" asked the grocer. "No, of course not," replied the little fellow. "It's for the bird."

"What shall I say next?" asked small Harry, who was writing a letter to his grandmother. "Well," replied his 4-year-old sister, "you might tell her that the baby is now occupying my old shoes."

Little Ruth was visiting in the country, and one day she came running to the house with an egg in her hand. "Oh, grandma," she exclaimed, "here's an egg I got out of a nest just as an old hen was getting in. Isn't it lucky I saw it before she sat down on it?"

"Oh, mamma," exclaimed small Tommy, "see how fat Aunt Ella has grown!" "Yes, dear," said his mother, "but it isn't polite to say 'fat.' You should say 'stout.'" At the dinner table on the following day Tommy was asked if he would like some of the fat meat. "No, thank you," he replied, "but you may give me some of the stout."

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