

COUNTRY LUCK

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CHAPTER I. HOW IT CAME ABOUT.



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to have in return. He found that Hayn, like any other farmer with brains, had done some hard thinking in the thousands of days when his hands were employed at common work...

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In the direction where his father was not, and said: "Like Lucie very much. She's a new face; she's different from the girls about here. She's somebody new to talk to, and she can talk about something besides crops, and cows, and who is sick, and last Sunday's sermon, and next month's sewing society. That's all."

"Yes," said the old man. "It doesn't seem much, does it? Enough to have made millions of bad matches, though, and spoiled millions of good ones."

Phil was silent for a moment; then he said, with a laugh: "Father, I believe you're as bad as old Mrs. Tripey, whom mother always laugh at because she's a man's in love if he sees her daughter home from prayer meeting."

"Perhaps so, my boy—perhaps—and maybe as bad as you, for every time there's a bad thunder storm you're afraid the lightning'll strike the barn. Do you know why? It's because your finest coat is there. Do you see?" Phil did not reply, so the old man continued: "I'll make it clearer to you. You're my finest coat; there's more lightnings in a girl's eyes than I ever saw in the sky; you don't know when it's going to strike, and when it hits you you're gone before you know."

"I'm glad to hear that," said the farmer, with more than a hint of impatience in his voice. "You know 'twon't do either 'em any good to fall in love if they can't marry each other. An' what would Phil have to support his wife on? Would she come out here?"

"Oh!" said the old man; "that's the point of it, eh? Well, I don't mind 'baculidin' enough to see that they may marry one of Sarah's daughters, if it'll make life any easier for you, old lady."

"Much obliged," the mother replied, "but I don't know as I care to do visitin' down there."

"I should hope not," said Hayn, with considerable vigor. He now was wide awake. "What could they write about? You don't suppose I'll write anything about our goin' out there?"

"No, but young people sometimes find something to write about. You and I didn't when we were boys, but because we lived within a stone's throw of each other, an' you couldn't keep away from our house after dark; but Philip and—"

"For goodness sake, old lady," interrupted the husband, "don't you go on settin' your foot down at your husband's expense. I've got the match makin' fever. There isn't the slightest chance that—"

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