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A ROSE OF THE MOUNTAIN.

FROM THE ITALIAN OF SPERANI.

The following history of Rosa Manilla we gleaned from the driver and from others who had known the village beauty from her infancy.

Five years before she had been the most lovely girl of Dosoliro and the surrounding country-side, and the young men of Gravedona spoke with enthusiasm of her matchless beauty. They named her "The Mountain Rose," and even the dreaded custom house officers fell, one and all, a prey to the charms of the peerless daughter of Manilla the smuggler. But the latter guarded her with the most savage ferocity, giving her this brief counsel: "Amuse yourself as much as you please with these young fools but beware of seriously encouraging any one of them, more especially one of my own calling, for should you ever become the fiancee of a smuggler, the lives of both of you shall pay the forfeit."

All knew from the determined and desperate character of the man that he would keep his word.

As yet Rose had felt no temptation to disobey the imperious mandate of her father, for the young men of the neighborhood had each and all failed to awaken the slumbering passions of the dark-eyed beauty.

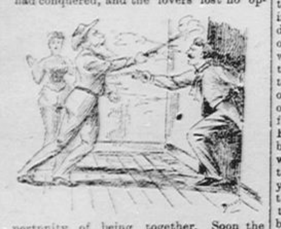
"I care for none of them," she said with a proud indifference, not unmingled with contempt. "But if ever I meet with one

whom I can truly love, the case will be different. I shall take my destiny in my own hands."

About this time, Constantino Valsassina, a daring smuggler, and famous hunter of the mountains, whose name was well known as a desperado in all the country round, appeared on the scene. He was strong, courageous, and handsome. The hitherto cold and impassive heart of the village beauty was stirred to its depths, and she determined that, come what might, she would wed no other than this one hero, this Napoleon of the forests. What did the young smuggler care for the threats and menaces of Manilla? He resolved that he would win the splendid Rose of the Mountains, and he kept his word.

She was just twenty years of age, and perhaps had tired of the lonely life she had hitherto been compelled to lead, or it may be that her affections, like some marvellous mountain plants, were late in flowering; for never before had Rosa Manilla's heart been stirred by that mysterious passion which men call love. The first time she met the hunter she only blushed deeply, and then turned pale. He noted the sigh, and then ventured one evening at sunset, on returning from the forest, to place a bouquet of mountain flowers on her balcony. Instead of receiving them with indifference or resentment, as was her wont, she raised the sweet-smelling blossoms to her lips and kissed them with a sigh.

From that moment, Valsassina felt he had conquered, and the lovers lost no op-



portunity of being together. Soon the neighbors began to gossip, and those who had at first pitied the girl, condemned to to live a solitary and loveless life, with strange inconsistency now blamed her severely for her disobedience to her father. Her companions, the village maidens, began to experience the pangs of jealousy, for the handsome smuggler had won other hearts besides that of the Mountain Rose; while the men felt wounded because each imagined that in past days she had shown some preference for himself, and hated his victorious rival accordingly. While they had felt that she could be the bride of none of them, they had been resigned to their fate; but the sight of the new-comer, the adventurer, winning the prize over their heads, was too great a strain on their generosity of feeling, and at last his daughter's weakness was revealed to the ferocious and vengeful Manilla. At first he refused to believed the report, for already certain young men, whose advances had been gently but firmly repulsed by the young girl, had endeavored to calumniate her. No, he would not give credit to the idea that his pure and stainless Rosa could be enamored of a desperado, after having refused the offers of so many respectable young men, any one of whom would have made her a good and suitable husband. He either could not or would not entertain such an unlikely and humiliating idea. Once he mentioned the subject to his daughter who laughed merrily at the tale, and both then turned the whole affair into jest and ridicule.

But one evening when Manilla passed the border with his smuggler's sack on his shoulders, the guard, who had hitherto (thanks to the charms of his daughter) feigned not to perceive him, fired at once, and was near wounding the old man. The ball pierced the bag, but hastily throwing down his burden, he luckily had time to escape. But what an awakening from his false dream of security! He doubted no more the tale of his daughter's disobedience, but with his habitual caution, he kept his own counsel, breathing not a word of his suspicions to Rosa, for he wished to ascertain the bitter truth for himself, determined that when he had done so his vengeance should be swift and certain.

The two lovers, entirely engrossed by their passion had gradually relaxed their habit of watchfulness, and having been so far fortunate in lulling the old man's suspicions, had become somewhat imprudent and careless. To surprise them in one of their stolen interviews was therefore an easy task for the wild old smuggler. He informed his daughter that he should be absent on business for three days, and then craftily returned in the middle of the first evening of his pretended absence. Rosa and Valsassina were sapping happily to-

still kept his loaded weapon by his side. When they least expected it, a knock was heard at the door.

"Ah!" cried Rosa, seized by an overpowering sense of impending misfortune, "it is my father!"

"Open, Rosa!" cried the old man, "open immediately. I am hotly pursued by the officers!"

Rosa at the same time was supplicating her lover to hide himself. This he at first refused to do, but at length, yielding to her entreaties, he retired to her bedroom and closed the door.

"At last," cried the enraged father, as he entered the house and looked around him. Then he added, in a tone of fury, "Where have you hidden him?"

"Hidden whom? In the fiend's name, what do you mean?" replied Rosa, striving as usual to laugh the matter off, though she grew as pale as death.

"Ah! you think to deceive me, do you! You will see—for if you love him, now is the time to utter a prayer for his soul." Quickly approaching the door of the chamber, he burst it open with one blow. But the hunter was prepared for him. Two shots were exchanged almost simultaneously, and with a fearful oath Manilla fell dead at the feet of his young antagonist.

And thus it was that the courageous and devoted lover of the beautiful Rosa became the murderer of her father, while the terrible shock had such a fearful effect upon the sensitive soul of the daughter that reason tottered on its throne, and the maniac we had watched scaling the dizzy heights was no other than the sweet Mountain Rose, whose tragic fate had been caused by the selfishness of her father and the cruel malignity and jealousy of the people among whom her lot was cast.

Nevertheless, as I looked on the soft eyes and pale, intelligent face of this humble heroine of the mountains, I could not help asking myself the questions, "Is Rosa Manilla indeed bereft of reason, or is her supposed madness only assumed for a purpose? Is it certain, beyond the possibility of doubt, that her outlawed lover indeed lies crushed beneath the rocks at the foot of the precipice? Is it the madness of love which leads that poor creature up those giddy heights, and strengthens that slight form to endure these almost superhuman toils? Or is it a true heroic love which thus enables her to brave every danger and to endure obloquy and disgrace for the sake of that one beloved object?"

But if the hypothesis of the death of Valsassina be a false one, and her madness only assumed, how could he possibly exist on these mountains, or in those forests, during the frost and snow, and amid the fearful tempest of Winter, without being obliged to descend into the valleys, and thus expose himself to the danger of discovery by the officers of justice? But was it indeed necessary that he should return to the Italian territory? Could he not descend on the other side, and under an assumed name dwell unknown in some remote village of La "Le belle Suisse?"

This was certainly not impossible. The peasantry of those parts are unscrupulous, and Valsassina would naturally find many accomplices and protectors among them, and would certainly prefer a country of smugglers, who delighted like himself in evading the law. An abode therefore in this well-known region would offer a more secure refuge for such a character than the great and well-guarded routes to England and America.

These similar considerations arose spontaneously in my mind, but the driver and other tellers of the story only shook their heads and laughed. For them Rosa Manilla continued to be the mad woman of the mountains, and her lover a crushed form long buried beneath the rocks.

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That same Winter such enormous quantities of snow fell from the mountains that the whole region greatly suffered, and many fatal disasters occurred. Among the latter, the cottage of Rosa Manilla was buried beneath a falling avalanche. It was generally supposed that she was absent from home at the time of the catastrophe. But when the snow was at length removed, and the mystery solved, two bodies were discovered beneath the ruins, that of the poor girl and that of a man still young, whom she held in a last passionate embrace.

ROBBED THE MAIL BAGS.

A VERY COOL BURGLARY AT KINGSTON.

Something Like Two Thousand Dollars Carried Off from Money Letters—The Work Evidently Done by Someone Who Was Well Acquainted with the Locality.

A despatch from Kingston says:—Only a year ago the mail bags were robbed at the G. T. R. station, which is about a mile and a half from the city, and a large sum of money stolen. On Wednesday night another burglary and theft of a similar nature was successfully executed, and about $2,000 stolen. The bags are driven in a waggon from the post-office about 10. 30 o'clock to the station, where they are deposited in a room, which is located next the general office and the agent' office. Being near these two places, one of which is always occupied, the bags were thought to be safe without a guard. Former experience proved differently, however. The burglar must have known the buildings well, because he broke a pane in the general office, opened the door, went down a trapdoor, passed under the agent's office, and up a trapdoor into the room where the mail bags were deposited. He took the bags down into the cellar, and there at his leisure extracted the contents of all the registered letters. He left the ordinary letters untouched, so that the fellow was a most competent letter rifler. He was not only well posted about the buildings, but knew how to go about his work of plundering. Wheel tappers saw the burglar getting out of the window, and yelled at him, when the fellow sprang through the window on the other side of the building and disappeared. Had there been lights on the station platform, the thief would have been seen by at least two men, who an rout of the restaurant when they heard the crash of glass. The station platform is in total darkness. Citizens feel that the government should at once adopt means to secure the safe delivery of mail matter on the train. At present it is taken through a lonely road by an unarmed young man, who at times has very large sums of money in his possession. It is very strange that on the two occasions when the bags were robbed the money mail matter was unusually heavy. Richardson Bros. are heavy losers by the robbery. Six young men have been arrested by the police. There names are: Thomas Clark, Pat Clark, A Brown, J. McDermot, J. Dinsmore and W. Cooper, a former driver of the mail cart. They were found near the station, but it is thought they are innocent. The two Clarks are ex-convicts.

THE FINEST SPECIMEN OF NEWZEALAND TATTOOING.

Found at Last.

Inventor—"I've hit a money-making thing at last. The preachers will go crazy over it, and it will sell like hot cakes. It's a church contribution box."

Friend—"What good is that?"

Inventor—"It's a triumph. The coins fall through slots of different sizes, and all dollars, halves, quarters, and dimes, land on velvet; but the nickels, and pennies, drop on to a Chinese gong."

ABOUT THE HOUSE.

Keep the Leaves Clean.

One of the difficulties in the cultivation of plants in a sitting room is that the dry air and dust tend to clog the pores of the leaves. Deprived of the rain which would naturally cleanse them, and not often watered with a rose pot or syringe, the plants kept in a room are apt gradually to lose their health and look miserable, if they do not altogether die. The best remedy for this is the regular use of a small piece of soft old sponge with slightly warm water, and if a little soft soap is added, all the better. Especially is this necessary in the winter, when dust is rife, and as "blight" is then at its weakest point a thorough cleansing during the cold months will result in freedom from it during the summer. Practice and delicate handling are needed for success. Some plants are much easier to sponge than others. Amongst these may be mentioned the India-rubber plant, and also small specimens of palms, both of which need frequent washings when grown in a room. Orange trees and many other plants exude a kind of sticky, essential oil, which catches the dust; they, therefore, require special attention. Aspidistras and many other plants need sponging often to keep them in health; in fact, all plants with evergreen foliage, and others which will bear it, are strengthened and improved by the free use of the sponge.

Kerosene In Washing.

Directly after breakfast the boiler is put over the stove with one pail of water, half a cake of hard soap shaved fine, and two tablespoonfuls of kerosene. Let this come to a boil and add two or three pailfuls of water as may be required and put in the cleanest clothes dry; let them come to a boil and remain over the fire twenty minutes. Take them out and put in the towels and other things and leave them in the same way. Pour enough water over the clothes in the tub to cool them sufficiently to enable one to wring them out of the suds, and put them at once in the rinsing water which has been blued and made ready for them. After standing a short time, the clothes may be wrung out and are ready for the line. Nothing need be rubbed unless a collar or wrist band may be the better for it. Some very particular persons put the clothes in a tub before rinsing and pour boiling water over them, letting them stand in it until cool enough to handle before wringing them out to be rinsed.

Colored clothes are washed out of the suds, after the white ones have been disposed of. In using kerosene, the only skill required is to use the right amount of it, a tablespoonful to a pail of water being about the right quantity, and a little practice soon teaches one how to manage. Putting the clothes in the boiler dry saves time and labor and answers every purpose.

Useful Recipes

Anderson Jelly Roll.—Use one-half cup of flour, one-half cup of sugar, one-half teaspoonful of cream-tarter and one-fourth teaspoonful of soda and two eggs. Bake in a thin sheet and spread while warm with jelly; it may be served with whipped cream.

Carrots and Beets.—Scrape carrots, wash and cut into dice together with an onion, put into a saucepan in boiling water and cook until tender; drain and set back. Have a pint of boiling milk in a small saucepan, season with salt and pepper; rub together one tablespoonful of flour and one of butter and stir into the boiling milk; when it boils up pour over the carrots.

Wash beets carefully so as not to break skin, cook until tender, pare and cut into dice. Season with salt and pepper and a generous bit of butter, stir together until very hot, then serve.

Mangoes—Get small, green muskmelons or cantaloupes. Cut a small square from the side of each and with a teaspoon scrape out all the seeds. Make a brine of one pint of salt to a gallon of water. Cover the mangoes with it while they boil. Let them stand two days, then drain and stuff with the following mixture: Two quarts of chopped cabbage, cup of white mustard seed, three tablespoonfuls of celery seed two tablespoonfuls of salt, half a cupful of grated horseradish. Fill each mango with this mixture and into each put an onion and a small cucumber. Place the square back, tie together and pour boiling vinegar over them. Use a bit of alum in the vinegar.

Cream Sponge Cake—This is a familiar recipe to old housekeepers but is repeated for the benefit of beginners. Break two two eggs into a cup and fill up with sweet cream, one cup of sugar, one and a half cups of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder.

Tomato Jelly For Salads.—Peel and stew eight medium sized tomatoes. Melt one quarter of a box of gelatine in a quarter of a cup of water and add to the tomato which has been rubbed through a strainer and seasoned with salt and pepper. Pour into a mould and set on ice to harden. When cold garnish with crisp lettuce leaves and pour over all a mayonnaise dressing.

Fried Apples.—Select large rather tart apples, wash and slice them across without peeling. Have the slices about half an inch thick. Have a tablespoonful of butter hot in a saucepan and lay the slices in to brown. If a sweet sauce is liked sprinkle on a little sugar and cinnamon before turning the slices. Another way is to brown them in hot salt pork fat without sweetening.

Puddings.

Apple Pudding, No. 1.—Cook a pint of coarse Indian meal in two quarts of rich milk till it thickens. Take it from the fire, stir in a quart of cold milk, two-thirds of a cupful of sugar, two tablespoonfuls of white flour, a quart of finely chopped tart apples and two teaspoonfuls of cinnamon. Pour into a deep pudding dish and bake slowly for three hours stirring often during the first hour. It is best cooked sitting in a shallow pan of water. Serve with or without liquid sauce.

Apple Pudding, No. 2.—Peal, slice and stew in a little water till soft enough to mash, six medium tart apples. Into the sauce which they make stir a large tablespoonful of butter, three of sugar, and the juice and grated yellow rind of a lemon. Stir two tablespoonsfuls of flour into two cupfuls of greated bread crumbs, mix this with the apples, and then stir in two well-beaten eggs. If the mixture is too thick, add a few spoonfuls of water. Turn into a buttered pudding dish, and bake for forty minutes. Serve with hard sauce.

Apple Manioca Pudding—Dissolve four tablespoonfuls of manioca in a quart of water, and in a farina kettle over the fire stir till it thickens. When it cools, stir in two eggs beaten together with a tablespoon of butter, sweetening to taste. In the bottom of a pudding dish place a layer of stewed and sweetened eighths of apples, flavor with lemon, pour over the manioca and bake.

Apple Ginger.—Boil to a thick sirup two pounds of white sugar with three half-pints water, adding one ounce ginger as the sirup boils. Pare, core and quarter two pounds of hard apples. Soak in cold water five minutes then boil in the sirup until they are transparent, cooking so gently that they will not break. Remove the apples to a deep dish and pour over them the sirup.

Apple Compote.—Boil one part of sugar and two of water for a few minutes, then simmer in the sirup small apples, pared and cored. When tender remove to a dish and boil the sirup down to one-third the original quantity. Pour over the apples. Serve cold with cream.

Apple Cream.—Boil whole apples until soft; press through a sieve and add a generous quantity of white sugar and the juice of one lemon. Beat egg whites to a stiff froth, add to the apples, beat all until white and serve on glass dishes.

A general strike of bakers in England is likely to occur in the near future for the eight-hour day.

THE CZAREVITCH, WHO SUCCEEDS THE CZAR OF RUSSIA.

NICHOLAS II. IS EMPEROR.

THE CZAR OF RUSSIA BREATHES HIS LAST IN LIVADIA.

After a Long and Gallant Fight for Life Alexander III. Succumbs to a Complication of Diseases.

Alexander III., Czar of Russia, died in Livadia at 2.15 o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

At noon the action of the Czar's heart began to enfeeble rapidly. About 1.30 o'clock unconsciousness supervened, and the action of the heart became intermittent, until its pulsations ceased altogether.

He calmly awaited the end, with his consciousness broken only occasionally with short periods of coma. On Thursday morning he looked for the last time from the windows of the palace.

He was long silent, then he said it was pleasant to feel that he could pass his last hours on Russian soil. Wednesday night he had no sleep. He was racked constantly with violent coughing and hemorrhage. His heart grew so weak that it often seemed to have stopped beating. These distressing symptoms became more accentuated at 10 o'clock in the morning, but shortly afterward the Czar rallied slightly. He was fully conscious. He wished the sacrament to be given him in the presence of the family, and he received the viaticum with grateful fervor. An hour and a half later he was seized with violent spasms. It seemed as if death had come, but he rallied again, and at 12.30 he appeared to be free from pain. But the weakening heart beats and breathing told his physician that the end was coming fast. He was conscious almost to the last moment. At 2.15 his eyes closed slowly and he ceased breathing. The body will be embalmed in Livadia and will be exposed in the palace chapel for a day or two. Several state officials left St. Petersburg for Livadia in the evening.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS.

According to the tentative arrangements made the body will be conveyed aboard the Imperial yacht Polar Star to Odessa. It will be escorted by the whole Black Sea fleet, which has orders to assemble at once off Yalta. From Odessa the body will be taken on a special train to St. Petersburg, and will be placed in the Cathedral of Saint Peter and Paul. The final ceremonies will be held probably in about two weeks.

Betting on the Rain.

At Calcutta and Bombay, when a rain-cloud crosses the sky, there is a rush for a rain gambling establishment, and large amounts of money are deposited in wagers. The bets are made as to whether or not the rainfall will exceed a certain fixed quantity. The natives show frantic excitement, and indulge in wild gesticulations and anxious speech from the time the rain-cloud appears until the result is known. Most of the gambling is done by men who form a class by themselves.

Re-enforcements Wanted.

Little Girl—"Oh, mamma! Come quick!"

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PURELY CANADIAN NEWS.

INTERESTING ITEMS ABOUT OUR OWN COUNTRY.

Gathered From Various Points From the Atlantic to the Pacific.

Meaford has an astronomical society.

Schomberg would like to be a police village.

A new school has been opened in Winnipeg.

A pig at the Ottawa fair weighed 1,070 pounds.

The C.P.R. exhibition car is going to New York State.

Ottawa will have a winter carnival opening Jan. 15.

More than 500 horses were entered at the Brampton fair.

The skeleton of an infant has been found at Owen Sound.

There was a poor yield of honey in Perth County this year.

Dr Lumley is the president of the new "Glencoe Club."

A number of dairy stations are to be located in Manitoba.

While in Brockville Gen. Booth secured $400 for the Army.

Meaford will vote as to a waterworks system next month.

The market price of British Columbia 6 per cents. is now 140.

Evangelist Horner got $500 for two weeks' work at Chesterville.

The sealing season this year has been one of the best on record.

A vocophone band is to be organized in the village of Wellesley.

Fifty acres of peas yielded 900 bushels on a Bruce County farm.

The new Methodist church at New Lowell has just been dedicated.

James Finlay, St. Thomas, has fallen heir to £300,000 sterling.

Camp McKinney, B. C., people are petitioning for a post office.

It is said that the C. P. R. office staff at Vancouver will be reduced.

St. Andrew's church, Belleville, will be rebuilt at a cost of $30,000.

A new German settlement is to be established near Stonewall, Man.

A Newmarket man recently slept sixty-three hours without waking.

A new Presbyterian church is building at Kettle River, Grand Prairie.

The gross debt of this Dominion has now reached the sum of $310,190,727.

Good coal is selling in the Edmonton district for 50 cents a waggon load.

The Vancouver Knights of Pythias will build a hall for their exclusive use.

A new company will operate the Pennington-Baker seating works at Dundas.

George Griffin, of Perth, recently killed a 300-pound bear in that neighborhood.

Tuberculosis has broken out among the cattle in Kent county, near Chatham.

Rev. Geo. Flower, of Guelph, is the new pastor of the Christian church, London.

It cost the city of Winnipeg $15,000 to stamp out last year's smallpox outbreak.

There are more medical students at Queen's University this term than ever before.

Mr. Masters, a British veteran, died in the Home for Incurables, Winnipeg, last week.

It took eight men and a pair of dogs to take a coon at Thompsonville, the other night.

Roderick McKenzie, of Brandon, Man., formerly of Ontario, recently attempted suicide.

The mission boxes of the Glencoe Presbyterian church were recently rifled of their contents.

A genuine carp weighing five pounds was caught in the Niagara River at Lewiston last week.

L. G. Jarvis, London, has been appointed Superintendent of the Agricultural College at Guelph.

The Megantic branch railway in Beauce county, Quebec, was opened on Thursday at St. Everist.

A Goderich lady has a dahlia 4 inches in diameter, 2½ inches deep, of exquisite tint and beauty.

A stock company, known as the Oxford Horse Breeding Association, has been organized at Woodstock.

Michael Montague, formerly of Kingston, was killed at Buffalo, having been blown from the top of a car.

A Watford man brought a pair of sand hill cranes from Winnipeg four feet high and broken to harness.

A private trial of the Hamilton and Grimsby Electric Railway has been made with satisfactory results.

A special train containing 192 Chinamen passed through Winnipeg last week. They are on their way to China.

The Grand Trunk elevators at Sarnia are blocked with grain, and there are no cars available to relieve the glut.

At the Brantford Police Court last week a man was fined $25 and costs for maliciously shooting a St. Bernard dog.

The St. Thomas street railway has been taken over by new proprietors, and an improved service is promised.

Grundy, the ex-deputy registrar of Peterboro', has gone to Chicago to take a course in the Moody Bible Institute.

The expense to be borne by London and county in connection with the juries for the Middlesex Fall Assizes is $1,478 40.

Guelph citizens are trying to subscribe $20,000 towards establishing a rolling mill for the manufacture of iron from scrap.

An effort is being made to reform the Kent constabulary and the appointment of a salaried high constable is recommended.

In a Woodstock barber shop there is a beautiful specimen of the floricultural family in the shape of a flowering maple, about six feet high and in bloom.

The Manitoba Provincial Government has taken over the affairs of the town of Morris. Through mismanagement and extravagance the indebtedness of the town exceeds its assessed value.

The Truth of It.

Teacher—Johnny, can you define for us the difference between "caution" and "cowardice."

Johnny—Yessum. When you're scart to go out on a boat an' stay at home for fear it'll sink, and the boat comes in all right, it's "cowardice."

Teach.—Well!

Johnny and if you're scart and stay at home and the boat does sink then its "caution."

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The largest plow in the world, perhaps, is owned by Richard Gird, of San Bernardino County, California. This immense sod turner stands eighteen feet high and weigh 36,000 pounds. It runs by steam, is provided with twelve 12-inch plow shares, and is capable of plowing fifty acres of land per day. It consumes from one to one and a half tons of coal per day, and usually travels at the rate of four miles an hour.

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