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HER GOLDENROD DYE

By MURIEL CHANCE.

It was the most wonderful experience that Nancy had ever had. For a long time after it happened she could not make herself believe that it was true.

She was weaving in the attic, making the homespun rugs which had become a village industry in the little Pennsylvania town. Her winter's work brought in enough money to buy a few luxuries for her bedridden mother and clothes for Nonie, at school.

Suddenly a knock came below and, when Nancy went down, she saw a young man, a stranger, standing at the door.

"I am told that you make the best rugs in the village, Miss McLane," he said. "May I see some of your work?"

She showed him some. Certainly the contours were straight, and not higgledy-piggledy like those of most of the village rugs. However, the young man was interested in other details than that.

"My name is Cyrus Brown, and I am from the rug factory at Altoona," he said. "We want to buy the secret of your vegetable dye—the yellow one."

Nancy laughed. "There isn't any secret about that," she answered. "Everybody here knows that. It's goldenrod. You steep the flowers in hot water and add a little alcohol and—" And Nancy gave him the secret.

"May I come another day when you are making the extract?" asked the young man.

"Yes, I reckon I'll be making some this day next week," Nancy answered.

"Seems to me, Nancy," grumbled her mother, when he had gone, "you might have got hold of a young fellow like that instead of that good-for-nothing Jim Penny."

Nancy said nothing. But she sighed a little that night when Jim, out of work as usual, sat glumly at her side and asked, for the tenth time that year, when she would marry him.

Nancy and Jim had been engaged for years. But he had never held a position more than a week or two, and, while the girl felt the bond of old association, she had begun to think seriously of the future.

When Mr. Brown called, a week later, Nancy had a steaming pot of goldenrod extract upon the table, and he was quickly initiated into the mystery of dyeing the fabrics.

"It seems too good to be true," said the young man. "We thought those vegetable dyes had been forgotten long ago. I am authorized to pay you this in remuneration." And he handed her a crisp bundle of bills.

Nancy drew back. "Why, Mr. Brown," she said, "everybody knows how to make goldenrod dye. It isn't worth anything—really."

But he left the bills upon the table and, declining to stay for supper this time, departed. When he had gone Nancy looked at the money. There were five hundred dollars!

Breathless, she ran after the visitor, but he was out of sight. And so she came back and wrote a letter to the rug factory explaining that a mistake had been made.

Her mother, though inclined to agree with this view, was strongly against Nancy's posting the letter.

That evening Nancy, radiant, ran to Jim with a cry of pleasure and told him what had occurred, showing him the bills.

To her amazement Jim became almost inarticulate with anger.

"Five hundred dollars for a trade secret!" he shouted. "Why, it's worth five thousand at the least."

"But, Jim, everybody knows how to make goldenrod dye," Nancy protested.

"We'll tell them that we stipulated for five thousand," he said, "and I'll take this lot, Nancy, to make a first payment on that cottage I spoke about."

A few days later the young man called again.

"We have received a letter from a Mr. Penny, threatening to bring suit on your behalf for five thousand dollars—" he began. "The company sent me to investigate. Do you really make such a claim, Miss McLane?"

"Mr. Brown, I don't want to take a penny!" she cried. "Why, I—I gave you the secret and—"

She brought the money and thrust it into his hands. "That shows you what I feel about it!" she cried.

And it took the whole afternoon, until supper time, before Mr. Brown could convince Nancy of the value of a commercial secret. In fact, it took so long that Jim came in upon the couple unawares as Mr. Brown was explaining to Nancy after supper was over.

"Hum! I guess I see where the nigger lay," remarked the young man, surveying the couple with a cool stare. "Nan, if you're going to let yourself be cheated out of your money by a swindler like that, all I say is, I wash my hands of you."

Nancy got up with dignity. "Perhaps you would like to talk to Mr. Brown alone," she said meaningly.

But Jim Penny beat a hasty retreat. Writing letters was more to his taste. He wrote Nancy a long one after the engagement was announced. It contained a request for money. But the girl never knew that, because she put it in the fire unopened. She had left Jim Penny behind her now that the new life was at hand.

"He's just another trade secret between us, dear," said her fiancé, laughing.

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Forcefully was that a bar out at Cambridge, Nebraska, succeeded in raising eighty-eight bushels of corn from one acre. It naturally follows that a system that can teach a boy to accomplish what the men have failed to accomplish must be of some benefit. He closed by predicting that the time would come when the public schools would be the center of the community life, and would be acknowledged as the first great factor in our economic development.

The double quartet of the High School gave two very pleasing songs, which brought loud applause. Many of the audience were under the impression that this was the end of the program, and others were uncomfortable owing to the cold, so that the last address which was to have been given by Mr. E. E. Maurer was postponed until some future time.

Wednesday morning was spent in judging the cattle and it was very evident that the boys in the agricultural class took a keen interest in this phase of the Institute. By the way these boys are quick to catch the point and they were greatly benefited by having concrete examples to work upon. In the afternoon the pupils of the Lincoln building gave a song recital which convinced everyone that the teaching of singing in our public schools is a decided success. Singing is now taught in all the grades of our school and we have reason to be proud of the achievements of the youngsters.

In the evening the High school orchestra furnished the music which was up to standard in every respect. Miss Florence Johnston gave a reading which was well received. Miss Johnston has a clear voice, exact enunciation and a pleasing delivery.

Hon. E. M. Pollard was then introduced and delivered a splendid address of "Nebraska as an Agricultural State." The speaker forcefully reminded us that this state is primarily a farming state and that all our forces ought to be united to make the most out of our soil. Much had been accomplished in the past but we are far from perfection. The farmers' congress, the state fether and the agricultural schools together with the hearty co-operation of the farmers themselves would and will make wonderful strides in the next few years. The speaker showed a thorough familiarity with his subject and his address was much enjoyed.

Dr. R. V. Nicholson Dentist

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