

# NEAL of the NAVY

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He stopped the car before a house. It was an ordinary dwelling. There was no sign of life about it. The grass in the dooryard was a foot high. Everything appeared unkempt. But in the parlor window was a sign: To let furnished. Hernandez stepped into the dooryard and peered into the windows.

"We'll let it furnished—free—for a short time," he said.

He forced the door and entered.

"All the comforts of home," he said, smiling, "fetch in the girl."

Back in the city, Neal, off duty once again, sought Annette at her hotel.

"She's gone again—alone," said Mrs. Hardin, "she would go. She's so restless she couldn't sit still."

Neal smiled. He was not worried. He got a saddle horse and started off in the direction taken by Annette.

Back in the deserted furnished house, Hernandez still looked about him.

"We can hide here till doomsday," he laughed, "running water, too. Look here. Everything but food—everything. Look—yonder on the mantel—every pen and ink. This place was meant for us." He bowed low. "Ah, my charming friend Senorita Illington," he said to Annette who had recovered consciousness and was staring about her in astonishment, "you have had a long sleep—and pleasant dreams I hope."

He drew down the shades and switched on the light.

"See," he added, "you have slept till evening—pretty sluggard. And how is your good health. No bones broken. That is well."

Annette did not answer. Suddenly she leaped to her feet.

"Joe," she cried, "Joe Welcher—you here?"

"Yes," returned Hernandez, again bowing. "Joe is here—he has always been here—with us. Joe is our good friend. We owe him much—much."

He turned a smothering smile on Welcher. Annette uttered an exclamation.

"Joe—Joe," she cried, "is it—true?"

Joe turned away—his chest heaving, his eyes upon the floor. "Aw, I'm no good," he muttered.

"Never mind, Joe, fair one," said Hernandez, taking from his pocket a legal document already carefully prepared, "we have business at hand. This document—you should really know what it contains. It is in proper shape, I assure you. A bit soiled perhaps, from long disuse in my breast pocket—but well worked. Look—it is complete. It is even acknowledged before a United States consul in Central America—acknowledged by you, fair one."

"It is not," snapped Annette.

"Fair Inez here," went on Hernandez, "signed it Annette Illington—the consul was quite satisfied that she was you. But—I have erased her signature—I she lacks the cleverness called for. And your signature may be on record somewhere—who knows. Comparisons are odious. Let us therefore be complete. Take in your hand a pen, my pretty. Sign your name, over this erasure—opposite this seal."

"I'll never sign," returned Annette.

"You will sign," said Hernandez evenly, "and you will hand over to us all the evidence you have upon your person. Sign."

"No," said Annette.

"Well and good," went on Hernandez in honeyed accents. "Beast—hold her firm. Disobey and the lash for yours." Hernandez took from his coat pocket a piece of cord. He tied the ends together.

Despite her struggles he fitted this noose-like cord over Annette's head and thrust into it a piece of wood. Then he began to twist.

"Tell me when you've had enough," he said.

Like a stone from a catapult Joe Welcher hurled himself across the room and was upon Hernandez in a flash. Under the assault Hernandez retreated violently to the wall, striking his head against the mantel.

"Are you crazy, you—worm?" cried Hernandez with a snarl.

"I've—turned," snarled Joe in return.

Without waiting for breath he flung himself once more at Hernandez.

"Help!" cried Hernandez. "Inez—tackle this mosquito."

Inez was a valuable ally. She attacked Joe from the rear, and her assault was effectual. Her onslaught was so severe that it caused Joe to retreat. He did retreat until he faced them both.

"Now," said Hernandez. And both descended upon him. Joe was ready for them. He seized a chair and whirled it about his head—frenzy lending him violence and strength.

"Come on!" he cried, "all three of you at once!"

With one wild fling he brought the chair crashing down on Hernandez's head. No, not on Hernandez's head. It fell short of that, but crashed on something else—the chandelier above Hernandez's head.

There was a ripping, tearing, cracking sound—and then a crash. Down came the chandelier in a tangled heap upon the floor.

For one instant there was a cessation of hostilities. The shades were down—the lights extinguished—the room plunged into semi-darkness.

Annette watched in affright. Suddenly a strange, familiar odor assailed her nostrils.

"Stop—stop!" she cried.

But none heeded her. The brute still held her fast. And Joe, in his wild and ungovernable frenzy, was once more at it with the chair, clearing a

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**FOR FRIDAY ONLY**  
Men's Corduroy Pants; Worth \$1.50; for 89c  
Double stitched, made good and strong of a heavy ribbed corduroy. Limit, only one pair to a customer.

**FOR FRIDAY ONLY**  
Men's Odd Coats; \$2.25  
From \$10.00 Suits ... \$4.75  
Here's your chance, you need one. Made of neat mixtures. All sizes, 34 to 42.  
**FOR FRIDAY ONLY**  
Men's New Trousers; 99c  
Worth \$1.50 a Pair, for \$1.29  
Well tailored, of good worsteds and cassimeres. Strong and durable; all sizes and attractive styles.  
**FOR FRIDAY ONLY**  
Boys' Knit Toggles; Worth 39c; for 19c  
In a variety of different colors and closely knitted.

**FOR FRIDAY ONLY**  
Boys' Raincoats; Worth \$3.00; for \$1.79  
Made of a good double texture, waterproof material; sizes 8 to 16 years.

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Men's Raincoats; \$1.95  
Worth \$3.00; for \$1.45  
Made of a strong, double texture English waterproof cloth. In tan or dark gray. Very new, distinctive and serviceable.

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These have the storm collar and extra heavy lining. Only twenty some, all told. Be prompt.  
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Worth \$1.50, at \$1.29  
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**FOR FRIDAY ONLY**  
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**FOR FRIDAY ONLY**  
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# KAUFMAN'S MARKET SQUARE "UNDERSELLING" STORE

### Postage Stamps Are Given For Change Now in Paris

(Correspondence of Associated Press.) Paris, Nov. 24.—Notices have been posted in many of the Parisian cafes that patrons who do not have the right change to pay for refreshments will have to accept postage stamps or checks for change for any sum less than ten cents. This is another indication of the scarcity of coppers, which numerous collections for charitable purposes have withdrawn temporarily from circulation, and the fact that since small money became scarce there has been a tendency on the part of the people to cling to what they have. Some people are said to be hoarding coppers because they are afraid they will get entirely out of them and others, it is charged, are collecting them with the less worthy motive of making five francs premium on every hundred francs in copper coins delivered at certain confidential points. It is the old story of the Germans trying to drain France of its copper. The real reason is thought in official circles to be simply that the absence of gold overworks all the minor denominations, copper and nickel, as well as silver.

The mint is handicapped by the mobilizing of some of its machines for other urgent work for the national defense and the copper coinage fell last month to 100,000 francs.

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