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EQUAL PARTNERS

By HOWARD FIELDING

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CHAPTER VIII. MAKING TROUBLE.

HILE Elmoreford was speaking, Alden returned, bearing a bunch of violets wrapped in such paper as florists use. "I was gone longer than I had expected," he said. "I did not know just where to find a florist. They are all covered up, you see. It is an evening that might wither a flower with a single breath."

"The bouquet somewhat awfully around the big table to Brenda, who in the act of receiving it was so startled by the sudden appearance of the ward detective, Barnes, upon the threshold that she let the flowers fall.

"With due allowance for his general lack of intelligence, it may be said that the countenance of Barnes was full of meaning. The man looked self-assured, confident and pleased.

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No one made any attempt to bring him back, and so he tramped for about a week, eating nothing but bread and milk, until he reached a certain town in the State of New York. He had a great piece of luck for young Elmoreford. He had a good doctor in the doctor's house for eight hours, without care or labor; enjoyed the advantages of the excellent schools in the village, and was nearly ready to enter college when his benefactor died.

The doctor left a good property, but he had no relatives except the one who had adopted him. He had no legal status, and one day he discovered that he had nothing at all except a trunk with a few dollars in it, and the sum of \$300.

The coincidence that this was the exact fact to New York decided Elmoreford's course. He arrived at the boarding house near the station, carried his trunk there on his shoulder and then went out to look for work. He had many occupations in the next five years, but none to his liking. Finally he became a clerk in a small hotel which was a haunt of many politicians, and was nearly ready to be thrown into his way, he developed into a lieutenant of the district leader, learning more tricks than he had the hardihood to play and prosper.

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FARM AND GARDEN

POULTRY FOR SHIPMENT.

Methods of General Interest in Dressing and Packing for Export.

In the poultry industry, as in every other, attractive marketing is an important feature and one too often overlooked. The Canadian experiment stations have developed considerable attention to the poultry industry. Special efforts have been made to learn the requirements of the English market. In a recent report of the Canadian commissioner of agriculture and dairying the methods of dressing, packing and shipping poultry for British markets are discussed. Some of the directions for shipping turkeys seem of general application. Among the principal points are the following:

Fucked turkeys are regarded as more salable than unplucked. Fast the birds for twenty-four hours to empty

FIG. 1.

Method of tying up legs, pushing down under the wing and hanging turkey: A, breast view; B, side view.

The method of killing turkeys in Norfolk is also recommended. It is as follows: The bird is hung up by the legs, the wings being crossed to prevent straggling. Next it is given a sharp blow on the back of the head with a stout piece of wood, which renders it insensible. The knife is then inserted into the roof of the mouth so as to pierce the brain, cutting it along the entire length. The bird is left hanging by the legs for a few minutes to allow the blood to drain out. Pluck at once, while still warm. As soon as possible keep them in pluck. As soon as possible keep them in pluck. As soon as possible keep them in pluck.

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