

**MEGA WOODRUF.**  
By Mrs. Addie Detch Frank.

CHAPTER XXI.

The morning of the second day after the tragedy at Woodruff Hall was set for the funeral of Lina Woodruff. She had been dressed in a white shroud and placed in her narrow bed—a handsome casket—early in the morning. Mr. Woodruff arose and went down to the parlor, where lay the body of his second love—the wife who had so cruelly deceived him, but whom he had loved and trusted; the woman who had sought to take his life that she might be free to marry the man she loved.

As he gazed on the cold, still, white face and thought of how beautiful she had been, a shroud soon she must decay, his heart melted toward her, and he stooped and kissed the marble-like forehead of her whom he yet loved in spite of her wickedness and crime. Who would mourn her untimely death? Who would kneel and pray for her wandering spirit, that God might receive it into His fold? The shutters were closed tight, but the room was lighted by wax tapers. A year had not passed by since Lina's death, but the parlor, leaning on the arm of the master of Woodruff Hall; a few short words said by the minister and they were pronounced husband and wife. The funeral was to be private, no one but the immediate relatives being present. The body was to be taken to New York for burial, and in spite of his feeble health, Mr. Woodruff resolved to accompany the remains to their last resting place.

"Remember, dear papa, that you are all here, and if you do not take great care of yourself, you will also be taken away from me," said Meta, when he made known to her his intention.

"I know, my child; yet I have not the heart to allow her to be taken away from her home, without a friend to see that she is buried. No, my child, duty calls me; I must go."

"Then you will not refuse to allow me to accompany you. Do not say no, for I should be greatly worried about you until you returned."

"You need have no fears for my welfare, Meta; I will take Jack with me. Do all you can to make Arthur comfortable; I fear he is not long for this world," he said, shaking his head sadly.

"I too, papa, fear the worst. Dr. Gray told me only a few moments ago that he had little or no hope of his recovery."

"Then, my darling, remember his kindness to me, his brotherly love and attention, and make his last hours on earth as happy as possible. You once said that when you were disguised as Madam Reed, that he loved you very dearly, and wanted you to become his wife. You also heard my answer. When all others believe you guilty of sleeping with someone, of deceiving me and your friends, he it was who believed in your innocence."

"I understand your meaning, dear papa, and if he lives I will do as you wish; for I do not dislike anyone who has been very kind to me."

When the funeral service was over, the casket containing the body of the late mistress of Woodruff Hall was placed in a hearse and conveyed to the station, where it was transferred to the train and was soon on its way to New York, followed by Mr. Woodruff and his servant. It was not until hours from the time he left the Hall, that the casket had been lowered into the grave. The minister had said dust and ashes to ashes; the earth had closed over the grave of the unfortunate woman, who would sin no more.

The man she had so mercilessly sought to destroy knelt and prayed God to forgive her sins and receive her soul at last; the great tears coursing down his cheeks moistening her new made grave. In another hour he was back at Woodruff Hall, which did not seem to him much like the home it had been a few months before. He was not glad that Lina was dead, yet he felt relieved at having the burden of her trial and imprisonment removed.

It was necessary that Arthur's arm should be amputated just above the elbow. Accordingly two old and experienced surgeons were summoned to Woodruff Hall and performed the operation. The wounded man bore it bravely. Next morning he had a high fever and Dr. Gray was worried over his condition, for in case the fever could not be overcome the very worst might be expected. Everything about the house was quiet and no one but the doctor and nurses were allowed in the sick room.

On the third day after the tragedy Arthur was delirious, and he loudly for Meta, confessing his great love for her and pleading with her to pity him, to forgive the wrong he had once done her father and be his wife. His white, pinched face told that the end was near. All day long Meta remained by his bedside, while on the opposite side was Eugene, ever ready to do anything in his power to relieve the large, handsome man, whose life was slowly ebbing away.

About o'clock in the evening Arthur fell asleep and slept soundly until midnight, when he awoke and was conscious. God had allowed him to once more gaze upon the face of the woman whose gentle advice had led him back into the path of righteousness when he was straying so far away from it. His smiles and his lips which in a few short moments would be closed forever, and spoke in a faint voice.

"Meta, my guardian angel, do you know how I love you?"

"Yes, Arthur, I know all," she answered, with tears in her eyes.

"And do you love me in return, my Meta?"

"Not as you, perhaps, would wish me to. Yet, when I say I do love you, I am not telling a falsehood," she replied.

With one look at his heart and the other at his forehead, Eugene listened in utter amazement at that which he had heard, for he had never thought of connecting Meta with Arthur, he being so many years her senior. What a fool he had been not to heed his own warnings.

"Thank God, my darling! And you will be my wife!" Arthur asked eagerly.

"If God spares your life, I will," she replied. But Meta knew that Arthur would never be any better than he was. Dr. Gray told her that it was impossible for him to get well.

"Do you really think I will die, Meta? But there, you need not answer, for I read in your face that which my short breath and weakness ought to tell me."

"Try and be content, Arthur. He knows what is best."

"It is so hard to die and leave behind that which is so dear to me. Why does God not spare me, that I might taste of the great happiness which was in store for me? I am not ready to die. Oh, my darling! I can not leave you. I am dying, throwing his arms around her as she leaned over him.

"Do not talk so, Arthur; you are only going on a little ahead of me. When God calls us we should be ready and willing to go without a murmur. He wants you in His crown of glory; yes, He needs you to fill a vacancy. Trust Him and you will be happy."

"I will try to do as my angel says. If I could call you wife once, I think I could die happy."

"I try to think of things which are imper-

Place your mind upon that which is before you; upon the one in whose presence you are going to, while there is no more sin nor sighing; where all is peace and joy."

"I try, my darling, yet I can think of nothing but you, who, if I could live, would be my wife. Many long, lonely hours have I spent in my bed, and my eyes have been out of this life just as I am ready to stretch forth my hand to grasp happiness," he said, his breathing becoming more difficult.

"Dear Arthur, think not of these perishable things you leave behind you. But of home, of your dear friends and eyes, and there is no more sin nor sighing; where all is peace and joy."

"Pray for me, my darling. I am growing faint; kiss me—farewell. I see my mother—a kiss—farewell."

Arthur gasped for breath, and then his soul took its flight to the God who gave it. All earthly trouble was over, and he believed his spirit was received into its new home with triumph. Whatever his sins in the past were, from the first day he had met Meta Woodruff he was a changed man; a man who had tried to reform and had met with success. Would he meet the woman he had once loved in his new home? Or had he entered a higher sphere than she had been able to reach, burdened as she was with such black deeds?

Meta leaned over the dying man and kissed him just as the last breath left him; then, kneeling by the bedside, prayed that the soul of the one who had just left this earthly home might be received in the loving arms of his Father and receive His blessing. How beautiful she looked there on her knees, with face upturned to God and hands clasped in prayer for the one who had once done her a father's great wrong. But that was all forgiven, and we will try to forget it. She then closed the eyes and the hands, and straightened the hands of all that was left on earth of the man she had said she loved. Turning to leave the room she saw her father's shadow in the doorway.

"God bless you, my child. Come, my darling. I fear this is too much for you."

"Of no, papa; it is no more than some one must do for me, some day," she answered.

Eugene had knelt at the bedside when Meta was praying, and he was still in that position, with his head buried in the bedclothes. The scene he had just witnessed had proven too much for his heavy heart, and the great tears rolled down his cheeks as he raised his head at the sound of Mr. Woodruff's voice.

"Come, Eugene, be a man, and bear our loss bravely. He was one to be loved by all who knew him and will be mourned by many. But none feel the loss more deeply than my daughter and myself."

Mr. Woodruff thought that Eugene was not grieving for Arthur, but of his daughter, whom Eugene now felt sure was lost to him forever. Arthur's sister, his only near relative, had been sent for the day before, but owing to sickness in her own family, she had not been able to come. Poor woman; her grief at the loss of her only brother was terrible to witness.

We will leave her alone with her husband and her dead, and follow the master of the Hall, his daughter and Eugene, down to the grave. Mr. Woodruff is almost well again, and even though a dark cloud overhangs his life, he has all hope of it clearing away; when the sun will pour its rays of happiness down upon him and his daughter.

(CONTINUED MONDAY.)

"The Heroine of Lonesome Hollow."  
MADISON, Ind., Jan. 30.—This county is the home of a "heroine," the like of which perhaps there is not another in the State. Nestled at the foot of a hill, about three miles above here, near "Lonesome Hollow," is a small cottage, where lives the widow and orphan of Peter Dehans, who died about two years ago. From the door of this house one can look and see the beautiful Ohio, as it flows on its downward course, while the Madison and Brookburg pike runs past the door. Here the father and husband of this household passed away to the other shore, leaving his wife and five children at home, and one or two grown up children abroad. The eldest child at home was Miss Lily, aged eighteen; and curious it may seem, yet she has from the day of her father's death to this been doing all the manual labor that is required around the farm, which consists of twelve acres, seven of which are under cultivation; and not only does she plow, reap and mow, but feeds the horses and milks the cow. Her mother, assisted by some of the younger children, attends to the household duties, but this is too light for her. Such winter days as this, when farm work is scarce, she can be seen climbing the hills digging roots, which she carries home, and during these long evenings she will sit before the blazing fire, either drying, tanning or boiling the bark of it. Only last week she sold \$4 worth, which was a week's work. Nor is this her only avocation, but when the river is rising and carrying with it on its bosom driftwood, such as logs and fence rails, she can be seen at the edge of the water, hook pole in hand, waiting for a passing log, which she will plant her hook in, pull it ashore, and when she has a large pile will hitch her horse to it and drag it to the roadside above, where she saws and splits it and hands it down to convert into money. Her example could be copied by a great many of our dukes and dukes of the State with profit. She looks none the worse for all this, but has a robust form, rosy cheeks and bright eyes, and although the thermometer is almost down to zero, order a load of wood today, and she will haul it to town to-morrow. She is indeed a woman among women.

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The Amount of its Capital is \$5,500,000 00  
The Amount of its Capital paid up is 690,000 00

THE ASSETS OF THE COMPANY IN THE U. S. ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Cash on hand, and in the hands of Agents or other persons 115,800 08  
Real estate unincumbered 131,430 00  
Losses unadjusted, bearing interest at the rate of — per cent., secured as follows—Market value: 47,500 00  
United States 45, Registered 65,341 25  
New York City 75, Registered 47,500 00  
New York City 45, Registered 61,500 00  
New York Central and Hudson R. R., 75, first mortgage 22,274 00  
Reinsurance on paid 10888 9,392 55  
Debits for premiums 28,145 23  
Accrued interest 18,692 67  
Total Assets \$1,121,819 77

LIABILITIES IN U. S.

Losses adjusted and due 78,776 68  
Losses unadjusted and not due 78,776 68  
All other claims against the company 2,195 56  
Amount necessary to reinsure outstanding risks 446,890 92  
Total Liabilities \$1,121,819 77

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I, the undersigned, Auditor of State of the State of Indiana, hereby certify that the above is a correct copy of the statement of the condition of the above mentioned Company, on the 31st day of December, 1884, as shown by the original statement, and that the said original statement is now on file in this office.

In testimony whereof, I herewith subscribe my name and affix my official seal this 27th day of January, 1885.

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**COPY OF STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION**  
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On the 31st Day of December, 1884.

Located at No. 13 North Galena Avenue, Freeport, Stephenson County, Illinois.

The Amount of its Capital is \$200,000 00  
The Amount of its Capital paid up is 200,000 00

THE ASSETS OF THE COMPANY ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Cash on hand and in the hands of Agents or other persons 216,573 42  
Real estate unincumbered 13,500 00  
Bonds owned by the Company, bearing interest and secured as follows, market value: 100,829 50  
City, Town, County and Other Bonds 100,829 50  
Loans on Bonds and Mortgages of real estate, worth double the amount for which the same is mortgaged, and free from any prior incumbrance 75,419 23  
Debits otherwise secured 41,242 45  
Debits for premiums 531,728 33  
Total Assets \$1,620,798 97

LIABILITIES.

Amount owing and not due to banks or other creditors 12,071 55  
Losses adjusted and due 12,071 55  
Losses unadjusted and not due 61,935 84  
Losses unadjusted, waiting for further proof 1,149,732 15  
Amount necessary to reinsure outstanding risks 1,149,732 15  
Total Liabilities \$1,226,808 54  
The greatest amount allowed by the rules of the Company to be insured in any one city, town or village—Discretionary 5,000 00  
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The Amount of its Capital is \$500,000 00  
The Amount of its Capital paid up is 600,000 00

THE ASSETS OF THE COMPANY ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Cash on hand, and in the hands of Agents and in bank 308,736 65  
Real estate unincumbered 139,882 55  
Bonds and Stocks owned by the Company, as per schedule 579,540 50  
Loans on bonds and mortgages, being first lien on unincumbered real estate, worth double the amount loaned 12,021 25  
Debits otherwise secured—Towns on collateral, and unpaid premiums 35,049 45  
Total Assets \$1,020,170 41

LIABILITIES.

Losses adjusted and due 38,715 97  
Losses unadjusted 70,825 00  
Losses in suspense, waiting for further proof 8,125 24  
All other claims against the Company 280,708 35  
Amount necessary to reinsure outstanding risks 307,720 75  
Total Liabilities \$600,175 00  
The greatest amount in any one risk, special cases of the Company 15,000 00

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In testimony whereof, I herewith subscribe my name and affix my official seal, this 27th day of January, 1885.

[L. S.] JAMES H. RICE, Auditor of State.

**COPY OF STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION**  
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Located at No. 175 Broadway, New York.

The Amount of its Capital is \$1,000,000 00  
The Amount of its Capital paid up is 1,000,000 00

THE ASSETS OF THE COMPANY ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Cash on hand, and in the hands of Agents or other persons 193,031 05  
Real estate unincumbered 103,000 00  
Bonds and Stocks owned by the Company, bearing interest at the rate of — per cent., secured as follows, market value: 1,445,250 00  
U. S. Bonds, 45, Registered 226,750 00  
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Morris and Essex Railroad Co. Bonds 61,500 00  
Central Pacific R. R. Co. of California, Bonds 28,500 00  
Mississippi State Bonds, 45 20,000 00  
Loans on bond and mortgages of real estate worth double the amount for which the same is mortgaged, and free from any prior incumbrance 127,430 00  
Debits otherwise secured 7,825 84  
Debits for premiums 51,000 00  
All other securities 51,000 00  
Total Assets \$2,700,975 63

LIABILITIES.

Losses unadjusted and not due 82,932 02  
Losses unadjusted 70,825 00  
Losses in suspense, waiting for further proof 31,852 92  
All other claims against the Company 945,718 89  
Amount necessary to reinsure outstanding risks 1,121,744 15  
Total Liabilities \$1,121,744 15  
The greatest amount allowed by the rules of the Company to be insured in any one city, town or village, varies according to locality, class of buildings, fire department, water facilities, etc. 25,000 00  
The greatest amount allowed to be insured in any one block, varies according to locality, class of buildings, fire department, water facilities, etc.

STATE OF INDIANA, Office of Auditor of State.  
I, the undersigned, Auditor of State of the State of Indiana, hereby certify that the above is a correct copy of the statement of the condition of the above mentioned Company on the 31st day of Dec. 1884, as shown by the original statement, and that the said original statement is now on file in this office.

In testimony whereof, I herewith subscribe my name and affix my official seal, this 26th day of January, 1885.

[L. S.] JAMES H. RICE, Auditor of State.