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Gen. Grant's Courtship and Marriage.

[From the New York Herald.]

The story that relates how he first saw the woman who was afterwards to become his wife is but one of the countless round of incidents illustrating the dependence of men's destinies on the caprice of fortune. Lieut. Grant, then belonging to the Fourth regiment of infantry, was ordered to report at Jefferson barracks, near St. Louis. It happened, as affairs similar so often happen, that in the same regiment he met an old classmate, now Brigadier General Dent. Thrown together in what was then no very congenial station for West Point cadets, accustomed to a wide range of cultivated society, they become naturally attached—in fact, more attached than they had ever been before. They occupied the same room and grew to be inseparable companions. There was that charming heartiness and negative brilliancy about Lieut. Grant that had a charm for his shy and undemonstrative room-mate. Mr. Frederick Dent's farm was not far away, and when off duty hither both the young officers would repair, and to them it was a veritable elysium. At that time Fred Dent was a young girl of about fifteen, not regularly handsome and little versed in the ways of the fashionable world, but she was an extremely sensible young lady, kind of heart and devoid of the coquetry and hoidenism so characteristic of the girl of the present period. Her chief delight was the discharge of household duties, and the innumerable things that enter into the daily routine of domestic affairs had her loving attention.

Her mother, according to the authority of Mr. Abel R. Corbin, of Elizabeth, New Jersey, who was then editor of the Missouri Argus, published in St. Louis, and a great friend of the Dent family, was a gracious and graceful woman. Aided by her daughters, she made the farm house the wonder of the surrounding country. It was not very large but it was a mode of comfort and unpretending elegance. Imported carpets in those days were rare in the country parts. The old familiar rag carpet was as high as the ambition of most farmers' wives aspired; but in the Dent mansion the looms of Kidderminster contributed to render one chamber, at least, as attractive as any to be found in the city of St. Louis. To this room all the favorite friends of the family were invited. Mr. Corbin, when the fatigue of his editorial labors compelled him to seek rest and solace, hied himself away to this blissful abode, and in that carpeted apartment, with his feet to the glowing embers, he says some of the brightest ideas of his life came to him. It was in the winter, however, when all the bleak and but semi-cultivated landscape made life cheerless out of doors, that the room of Kidderminster carpet put on its most bewitching airs. Then the two young officers would make it their most earnest task on earth to secure leave of absence from the dull and dreary routine of barrack life and betake themselves to the pleasant parlor and the cordial hospitality of old Mr. Dent. Here they were accustomed to play chess by the hour, and when that exhausting pastime cloyed there was singing and dancing and all manner of mirthful devices to pass the winter night.

The young girl of fifteen, it is natural to suppose, took a kindly interest in her brother's companion. He was young and, according to those who knew him at West Point, shapely and prepossessing. He was exactly the type of a young man to meet the fancy of a lady whose innate aversion to show and affectation was one of her strongest if not most admirable points. Here it was the foundation of that courtship was laid which four years subsequently ripened into the enduring bonds of matrimony.

It must have been with a heavy heart that the young lieutenant in the early summer of 1844 paid his last visit to the home of his companion-in-arms. So many things had contributed to make it a pleasant retreat that it is easy to conceive how painful the prospect must have felt of having to leave the seductive allurements of a hospitable board and the looks of affectionate regard for female eyes to face the dreary, fever-breeding swamps of Louisiana. He was ordered to Natchitoches for the purpose of being in readiness to carry out the policy of the Government toward Texas. It was here he smoked his first cigar, and who will say but the habit he then contracted was superinduced less by the absence of active employment than by the influence of the mystic and tender passion which had of late wrought the conquest of his soul?

In the course of time the Mexican war broke out, and Lieut. Grant plunged into it with an ardor foreign to the normal calm of his nature. Who knows—and here is where the romance should properly come in—but that the young officer, when storming the heights El Molino del Rey, had at the moment when the bullets whizzed around him like hailstones in a hurricane, his thoughts upon that far off farm house, where one at least in the wide, wide world was praying for his safety. He went gallantly through the war, and let it be asked again if it may not have been so that the soldier's heart and arm were sustained through all the fiery ordeal by the assurance of one woman's love? He was at this time only twenty-five years old, had served two years in camp and garrison under the best officers of the army, had accompanied Taylor in his brilliant campaign from Corpus Christi to Monterey, and finally in the double capacity of staff and company officer, had shared in the labor and honor of Scott's memorable conquest.

In August, 1848, after four years since first they met, Capt. Ulysses S. Grant was married to Miss Julia T. Dent, eldest daughter of Mr. Frederick Dent, in the Methodist Church of St. Louis. The marriage was as undemonstrative as the courtship. There was only four persons present at the ceremony, but there was something that made up for the absence of pomp and show; and where that is all things else may be dispensed with—true love. After a short leave of absence, Captain Grant returned to his regiment at Sackett's Harbor, whither he brought his wife, and here it is also fitting to drop the veil.

Since first he became of commanding notice before the American people to the present hour, his domestic life has been before the public as under a glass shade, plain for all to see. It has been a delightful picture of conjugal and filial love, faith and happiness, and it will surely be wished, by friend and foe alike, that whatever may be his fortune as a politician, he may live to celebrate his golden wedding, too.

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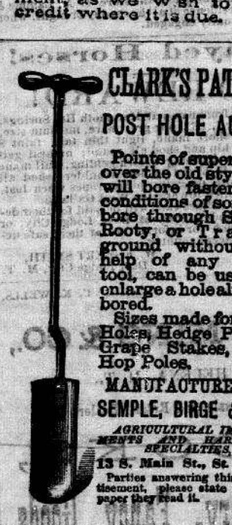

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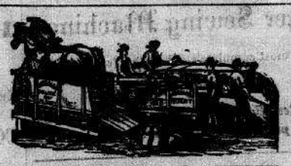

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