

THE EVENING NEWS.

Wednesday, December 13, 1871.

A YANKEE CAPTAIN'S ADVENTURE.

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"Are you captain of this vessel?" asked the leader of the boarders, as he approached the old male.

"What is your cargo?"

"Machinery for steam engines."

"Nothing else?" asked the pirate with a searching look.

"At this moment Captain Spinnet's eye caught what looked like a sail off to the southward and eastward, but not a sign betrayed the discovery and while a brilliant idea shot through his mind he hesitatingly replied:

"Well, there is a little something else."

"What is that?"

"Why, sir, I have not ought to tell," said Captain Spinnet, counterfeiting the most extreme perturbation.

"You see, it was given me as a sort of trust, and it wouldn't be right for me to give it up. You can take anything else you please, for I can't help myself."

"You are an honest coddler at any rate," said the pirate, "but if you would live ten minutes longer, just tell me what you've got on board, and exactly the place where it lays."

The sight of a cocked pistol brought the old man to his senses, and in a deprecating tone he muttered—

"Don't kill me, sir, don't, I'll tell you all. We've got forty thousand silver dollars nailed up in boxes just for'ard of the cabin bulkhead, but Mr. DeFore didn't suspect anybody would have thought of looking for it there."

"Perhaps he didn't," chuckled the pirate, while his eyes sparkled with delight. And then turning to his own vessel, he ordered all but three of his men to jump on board the Yankee.

In a few minutes the pirates had taken off the hatch, and in their haste to get at the silver dollars they forgot all else, but not so with Spinnet; he had all his wits at work, and no sooner had he the last of the villains disappeared below the hatchway than he turned to his boys.

"Now, boys, for your lives. Set, you slip your knife across the fore and peak hatchways, and you, John, cut the main."

Be quick now, and the moment you have done it jump on board the pirate. Andrew and Sam, you cast off the rigging's grappling, and then you jump—then we'll walk into them three chaps aboard the clipper. Now for it."

Spinnet was the last words out of the old man's mouth than his sons did exactly as they were directed. The fore and main hatchways were out, and the two grapples cast off at the same instant, and as the heavy grapple came rattling down, our heroes leaped on board the pirate. The moment the clipper fell at liberty, her head swung off, and before the astonished buccanniers could gain the decks of the fisherman their own vessel was nearly half a cable's length to the seaward, "sweeping grand" away before the wind, while the three men who had been left in charge were easily secured.

"Hallo, there!" shouted Captain Spinnet, as the luckless pirates crowded around the lee gangway of their prize, "when you get them 'ere silver dollars, just let 'em know that the form and pistol shot was the answer the old man got, but they did him no harm, and, crowding on sail, he made for the vessel he had discovered, which lay dead leeward of him, and which he now made out to be a large ship. The clipper cut through the water like a dolphin, and in a short space of time Spinnet inflated up under the ship's stern, and explained all that had happened. The ship proved to be an East India man, bound for Charleston, having, all told, thirty men on board, a portion of whom at once jumped into the clipper and offered their services in helping to take the pirate.

Before dark Captain Spinnet was only a few miles within hailing distance of his own vessel, and, waving a trumpet to his mouth, he shouted:

"Schooner, ahoy! will you quietly surrender yourselves prisoners if we come on board?"

"Come and try it," returned the pirate captain, as he brandished his cutlass above his head in a very threatening manner, which indicated that he would fight to the last.

But that was his last moment; for Seth crouched below the bulwarks, taking deliberate aim along the barrel of a heavy rifle, and as the bloody villain rose in the air, he heard the pirates, the sharp crack of Seth's weapon, and then a sharp death peal, and the next moment the pirate captain fell back into the arms of his men, with a brace of bullets through his heart.

"Now," said the man, as he leveled the long pivot gun, and sized a lighted match. "I'll give you just five minutes to make up your minds in, and if you don't surrender, or if I see every one of you into the other world."

The death of their captain, and withal, the sight of the pointed pivot gun—the peculiar properties of which they knew full well—brought the pirates to their senses, and they threw down their weapons and agreed to give themselves up.

Two days from that time Captain Spinnet delivered his cargo safely at Havana, gave the pirates into the hands of the civil authorities, and delivered the clipper up to the government, in return for which he received a sum of money sufficient for his independence for the remainder of his life, as well as a very handsome medal from the Government.

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TO ALL CONCERNED.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons claiming to be entitled to any portion of the estate of the late John D. Smith, deceased, that the County Court of Salt Lake City, at its next session, will be held at the Court House, in Salt Lake City, on the 13th day of December next, to receive and determine upon any claim or claims that may be presented to it by any person claiming to be entitled to any portion of the estate of the late John D. Smith, deceased.

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