

LIGHTS AND SHADOWS OF A CITY

AS SEEN BY A SALT LAKE WOMAN

"Ye winds, ye unseen currents of the air, softly ye played a few brief days ago."

PEOPLE seemed to sense an ominous note in the gale that hurried itself against our town a week ago. They felt strange apprehensions of they knew not what. Some looked upon it in the light of a warning.

"We're no nearer safety in these mountains, than on the open prairie, not one bit!" emphatically remarked an old lady. "If the Lord undertakes to warn us, or punish us, the mountains are not going to stop Him."

"Warn us against what, pray?" asked her somewhat irritable other-half. "I tell you, the city's awful wicked and corrupt, and you mark my words, that hurricane was to show what can be done with her, if she don't mend her ways; else, her fall will be swift. She'll be swept from the face of this dreadful earth."

"That'll settle her politics, all right," was the sharp rejoinder. "There may be more truth than poetry

in 'grandma's' prophecy—that is, more truth than poetry in her assertion of the city's wickedness and corruption.

"Well, I felt some terrible calamity hung over us, sure enough," said her neighbor. "Natural causes are all right enough; but I've noticed Nature has her own peculiar way of eliminating the human race. Look at San Francisco; natural causes you say, grandfather; shook up the town pretty much, and cleaned out some wickedness, just the same."

"What's all that rubbish to do with natural causes?" snapped grandfather, as he walked out unable to follow the line of philosophy.

That there is corruption and wickedness, socially and politically, running riot in our city, sufficient to make the angels weep, and bring down heaven's wrath in the shape of a hurricane, widest of all the winds, as a direct warning, is no doubt too true, according to the statement made by this dear old grandmother. As it is a city, the storm could not have veered some of it out, if not all, an aweful certainty, since she always clean; whisked through the brains and hearts of certain politicians, leaving awful gaps to be sure—but at the same time leaving something pure, if nothing but an aching void; hurried itself like a bomb into the center of cer-

tain small circles given to innocent card playing. 'Tis a pity these "unseen currents of air" could not have carried warning to haunts and hearts given to evil ways, a preying upon them, stinging them, till they awoke—instead of piling our streets with ruin, and wrenching our beautiful trees from the soil.

Eastward from the Knutstorf, on Third South, and branching out in every direction from that unbalanced street that runs through the block, like a tree of corruption, is "life and atmosphere too unwholesome to give in detail, and we often wonder why it is that this infected vicinity seems to elude the "watchful ministers," the police, or whoever is supposed to keep vigilance over such a quarter. Oh, that the wind could have swept through it, cleansed it, purified it!

"Ho, watchman, what of the night?" What of the innocent little card games carried on under the roof of "Society"? Where those of the gentler and sweeter sort mingle their soft laughter and low voices with the clink of the wine glass and poker chip? Where the air is scented—nay, tainted—with the smoke of perfumed cigarettes curled from women's lips? Where "beauty's veil doth cover every blot"? Ho, watchman, what of the night, indeed, innocent card games? No; vicious gambling; in so-called respectable homes, where young men of slim salaries are coaxed to take a hand in the innocent game; some of the young men—may all of them—by far too gallant—or weak—to refuse in the presence of that "Society," which they long to be part of. Unable to refuse, they are inveigled into innocent card playing which proves to be their sad undoing—the staking of their little pile; the staking of more than their little pile, until they are into the game beyond their depth and obliged to call

for assistance from those whose piles are bigger.

"Ho, watchman, what of the night?" What of the night, when carriages are softly rolling through the streets at all hours, bearing their gentle, feminine burdens in mild and harmless state of intoxication? Is all well?

When closely drawn shade hides "Society's" innocent entertainment of card playing—gambling, drinking, cigarette smoking; when "watchful ministers" turn their backs on dark and corrupt localities; when

"Supple tribes repress their patriot throats, And ask no questions but the price of votes."

Watchman of the night is all well? No; all's wickedly, sadly wrong! An ominous note in the gale? Many thought so; many had good and sufficient reason to think there should have been an ominous note. It is a terrible thing, this black cloud that seems to hang over our city, gale or no gale. Why should our beautiful trees, forming God's first temple, be laid low, while our tree of corruption flourishes? Not only our beautiful trees—next time—was that the note? Then let it come, and welcome, for

"Except wind stands as never it stood, It is an ill wind turns none to good."

"God tempers the wind to the shorn lamb."

A little fellow in attempting to follow "Buddy," as he called his larger brother, who had been sent to town, waddled about from street to street last Saturday night, until the hour grew very late and he was far

from home. He was finally caught up in the gale, however, and whisked about like the leaf of a tree, until at last comfortably lodged in a place of shelter.

"I'll stay here till mamma comes," he gasped as the merry breeze endeavored to take away portions of his breath.

"Mamma—ah—finds—me," and he snuggled down contentedly and comfortably in his warm retreat, just as two young women were fighting their way eastward.

"What was that?" said one. "What was what?" asked the other. "Why that's what I don't know; but it sounded awfully like a child's voice."

"You're dreaming, Nell, it was only the gentle voice of the wind. Come on."

"There it is again. I heard a voice say distinctly 'Mamma always finds me,' something like that, anyway."

The two stopped and listened. But hearing no more, made heroic efforts to proceed eastward on their homeward journey.

"I'll admit the night's spooky, all right; but I don't believe you heard anything. My goodness! there goes another tree. Why, it's not safe to walk anywhere. First they fall on the sidewalk and then in the street, and 'Bobby—Bobby!' she wailed between the moans of the night and her own sobbing. "Oh, have you seen my little child?"

she cried as she came to an abrupt halt.

"Too dark to see anybody or anything tonight," said the wide-awake girl. "No, we've seen no one."

"Wait!" gasped the dreamer; "I heard a child's voice, Sophy, I know it, I know it."

"Where, oh, where? It was my Bobby—my—"

"Come with me," and the girl grasped the woman's hand, and led her back, block after block through darkness and crashing down of falling trees to the spot where she had heard the voice. "Now call."

"Bobby, oh, Bobby, where are you?" shrieked the crazed mother.

"Here I is, mamma," piped a tiny voice, and in the shelter of the gigantic, upturned root of a tree that had fallen across the road, reposed Bobby, snug and serene, while he waited for "mamma" to find him.

Agent old couple, who had heard so much about the mild winters, and beautiful climate of Utah, made up their minds to spend the present year in our city. Last Saturday night was considerable of a surprise to them, and in the morning the gentle old man was heard to say: "Mother, I don't believe we ever had anything like this in Indiana, did we?" LADY BABBIE.

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Gray wool and cotton mixed vests and pants for ladies, extra quality and well made, worth 85c per garment	65c	Medium weight ribbed Union suits for women, cream color only, special per suit	\$1.25
Full line of women's medium weight form fitting elastic woolen undergarments, fine ribbed, silk crocheted finished vests and tights, per garment	\$1.00	Handsome finished, silver, gray and cream half wool Union suits for women, perfect fitting, special per suit	\$1.65

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