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STORY OF LOVE, INTRIGUE AND REVENGE

CHAPTER XXI.

"No, my lady," was the answer; "I can hardly comprehend that such trouble should come to you."

"My very name means sorrow," she replied.

The Squire looked at her pitously. His face wore the same expression that she had seen on Lord Rhysworth's; and she cried—
"You know something, papa, and you are keeping it from me!"

"Sit down, my darling," returned the Squire, "and tell me all that passed after I went home. I left you talking to your husband on the lawn; he was telling you that he could not drive me home because he had a business appointment. Where was that appointment, and with whom?"

"I do not know; he said that he would explain it all to me on his return."

Then quite unexpectedly she caught the glance that passed between the Squire and Lord Rhysworth. It was one of secret intelligence.

"If you know anything of Karl, oh, tell me!" she cried. "Do not keep me in suspense."

Neither of the men answered her; but the Squire drew her closely to him.

"My darling, we will do all we can," said the elder man, after a few moments. "There shall not be a place unsearched to which it is probable he has gone; let that assurance comfort you."

"But, papa, tell me whether you know anything of him? Has anything been heard? Why do they whisper to one another?"

"They are all puzzled, my dear, I should imagine," he replied; and it is a puzzle."

She clung to him with weeping eyes.
"Do you think any accident has happened to him?" she asked; and the Squire shook his head gravely.

"No, Dolores, I do not."
"Then where can he be? Oh, papa, bring him back to me—do bring him back! I must see him! You have been kind to me all my life; be doubly kind now; bring him to me. I—I cannot live without him!" She turned her miserable face to Lord Rhysworth.

"Missing! He must be somewhere, child! How ill you look, my darling! What a trouble this is to fall upon your dear head!"—and the Squire took his daughter in his arms and kissed the sweet, pale face over and over again. My poor pretty darling,

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worth. "Help me," she cried—"help me to find Sir Karl!"
"My dear lady, we will do all that we can," he answered.

She hung up her arms in despair. "He will never come back again!" she cried. "I have felt it in my heart all along, it was too bright to last—too bright! I told him so, and he laughed at me. Papa, it will kill me!"

"Nay, my darling, you must live for me and for the children," replied the Squire. "Besides, you must not give up hope yet. Lord Rhysworth will drive me over to Deeping, and we will get men to search the woods. Take courage."

But her heart was heavy with dread. They left her, and were absent many hours. She looked so white and wan, so fragile and heart-broken, when they returned, that tears came into Lord Rhysworth's eyes. The children were with her. She raised her pallid face, but it seemed as though all power of speech had left her. The Squire spoke first.

"We have no news, Dolores—neither good nor bad; we have not heard or seen anything of him."

With a faint sigh she laid her head on his breast.

"My darling," cried the Squire, "you must not give way in this fashion; you must not, indeed! Try to rouse yourself. Suppose an accident has happened to your husband, and he wants careful nursing; you will be quite unfit to help him. Promise me now to take some nourishment, and then I will tell you something."

"I will," she gasped.
In silence the Squire poured out some wine, and in silence she drank it. Was it her fancy, or did she hear the Squire whisper to Lord Rhysworth, "We had better tell her. She must know it; I fear it is true?"

She turned to him quickly; he did not know how her senses were sharpened by pain.

"I hear you, papa," she said—"tell me at once; hide nothing from me. Take my hands in yours and hold them fast; that will give me strength to listen to what you have to say."

"My dearest Dolores, some of it may be mere surmise, but what we know to be true I will lay before you, and, although it goes to my heart to do it, I must. First, do you remember that Karl received a letter yesterday morning which seemed to distress him very much? He declined to show it to you, although you asked him to do so. The reading of that letter completely changed him, if you remember, he was not himself all day, he neither spoke nor smiled. We both remarked it; even the servants noticed it, and thought that he was not well. I want you to bear all this in mind; it is one link in the chain of evidence. Then, after looking miserably unlike himself all day, he told us that he could not drive me home at night, because he had an appointment. When we asked him about it, he seemed distressed and anxious. The inference that I draw from all this is, that the person who wrote the letter is the person he went to see. I do not think there is any doubt about that, do you, Rhysworth?"

"No, I do not," was the reply.
Dolores raised her fair head with a look of relief.

"That seems clear, papa. I wonder I did not think of it before. As you say, that letter completely changed him. I remember his face as he thrust the letter into his pocket; he was not like himself after that. The note troubled him, I am sure."

"What we want to discover," continued the Squire, "is the writer of the letter and the person that we want to see. I am afraid, Dolores, that we have a clue. Whether it will pain you or not, my child, I cannot tell, but I am quite sure that the person your husband went to meet was Lola Ferras."

She sprang from his arms and cried out; but her words were unintelligible. Her ghastly face frightened them.

"I will not believe it!" she said, after awhile. "My husband would not go to meet Lola de Ferras, the woman who hates me, and who has sworn vengeance against me. Papa, why do you say that?"

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Our Dumb Animals

REPORT CHIEF AGENT S. P. A.
WEEK ENDING JULY 18th.

I attended the Pet Exhibition in Bannerman Park for boys and girls, which was organized by The Newfoundland Rotary Club and under the direction of Mr. Barton of Columbia University. I was more than pleased with the Exhibition, as I saw a great number of pet animals brought there by boys and girls of the city. I was pleased to see the great interest taken by the Rotary Club in training boys and girls to be kind to dumb animals and also for the great interest taken by Dr. and Mrs. Burke, Mrs. Gosling, Mayores Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Monroe and Mrs. Kennedy, also I was glad to see present the Hon. S. Milley, Mr. Geo. Williams, Pres. S.P.A., Brother O'Regan and several other ladies and gentlemen, who take such a great interest in the welfare of dumb animals. I hope at the next Exhibition we will be able to offer special prizes to encourage the boys and girls to be kind to dumb animals. To my mind it has been a wise and very thoughtful step on the part of the Rotary Club, who deserve all the praise and co-operation of every thoughtful citizen for the noble work they are doing.

I attended three sales of cattle and sheep during the week. Attended to the landing of two car loads of cattle from the train at the Railway Station, also 40 head of S.S. Sackem, they were watered and taken away immediately after landing.

Received a report of some horses and cattle, being on pasture where there was no water. I ask those horse owners during this warm weather to give their horses water on Sundays, as they need water in the open, as much as they do in the stable. I am looking after some lame horses which were reported. I was asked by Mr. Cook to go to Quidi Vidi, and I went to see a dog belonging to him, which was run over by a motor and left suffering on the road for twenty-four hours. This is an unkind and inhuman act on the part of the driver; and I hope to summons him in Court soon. I also shot another dog which was causing a lot of trouble for a resident of Pilot's Hill; another on Freshwater Road which made an attempt to bite a man on a bicycle, and the owner had it put to death. I would like to state that there will be some boys, going around next week, selling some pictures of the "Horse's Prayer," for 50 cents each. All lovers of dumb animals are asked to purchase one. I have report from William Stockman, North Side, Petty Harbor, of a pony which is badly cut, presumably by boys throwing stones. This pony is in a bad condition as it is laid up and unable to work. I would like for parents of all boys to try and prevent the children from doing this in the future. I ask all lovers of animals to pick up balls on the street to prevent them getting into horses' hoofs. Phone all complaints to 653. JONAS BARTER, Chief Agent.

June 27, end of

MY RIGHTS.
I once was jealous of my rights, and sent up many angry letters; I said, "No overbearing rights can grind my face with tyrant heels." And if emaciated, then I saw, upon the rights I valued, I gnashed my teeth and went to law, and kicked upon expensive furs. Indulgence in the law exhausts one's store of kopecks and hawbees; I was had to pay the costs, for justice doesn't grow on trees. And I made enemies of men who should have been among my friends; I watched my rights for years and then I said, "Here's where this folly ends. My sleepless vigilance shall cease, the rights I've guarded long may slide; the sweetest boon on earth is peace, and that to me is now denied. The neighbors I have often sued avoid me as I go my way, and from their doorways I am shooed when I would pass the time o' day. They often kick my dog around until the night resounds with howls, they put my cow in yonder pound, and throw old bottles at my towel. They spoil my hats with hurling bricks, they throw dead fowls at my door; and if I sue them for these tricks I'll only queer myself the more." And so I sought



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