

For Her Sake:

The Murder in Furness Wood.

CHAPTER X.

"Thea, Evadne, I wish to speak to you," said Lady Scarsdale. "I have something very important to discuss with you. Come to my dressing-room." Lady Scarsdale's dressing-room was those servants. How is it that sera large and handsome one with a bay-

and the girls took possession of the forget all she had ever learned?" "I want to speak to you, my dear marked Evadne. "But it was the hired children," she said, "on a most im- brougham that I disliked most. Mamportant matter. Some mothers would ma, do you remember the struggle for act upon their own judgment in simi- the last evening party-how many

Thea looked at her mother in sur- not supply us with flowers." prise. Evadne smiled to herself. She never dreamed of them.

age," said Lady Scarsdale. "If it had position." an ordinary person, I should not have money," put in Evadne. "What a congiven it a second thought; but it is trast!" not. If I accept this offer, I shall marry one of the richest men in England. I eron;" and Lady Scarsdale affected to dale. "No one can understand what home as well as yours." be occupied with the gold bracelet that torture it is to be fashionable and "Most certainly. Mr. Cameron she wore on her wrist. She did not care just at that moment to meet the gaze of either daughter.

There was a brief pause, her ladyship hoping that her daughters would

"Mr. Cameron." said Thea. in strong accents of disapproval. "Oh, mamma he is quite a plebeian." "Mr. Cameron!" cried Evadne

"Why, mamma, he is worth three millions of money!"

Lady Scarsdale looked much relieved as these more cheerful words fell on her ears.

"He is, indeed, my dear, and owner of a place which is really a palace. Now let us discuss the matter fairly, frankly, and in all its bearings."

"But, mamma," cried Thea, "it cannot be thought of! There is that disagreeable girl Diana."

"I shall manage her, Thea," her ladyship answered coolly; "she need be no obstacle."

"I shall never like her." said Thea decidedly.

"There will be time enough to discuss that," rejoined her ladyship impatiently. "Let us first see how the matter will affect ourselves."

"I would put up with a great many Dianas to live at such a place as Ferness," declared Evadne, on whom her mother smiled approvingly.

"Diana need not be considered in the matter," said Lady Scarsdale; "we must think of ourselves. Our poverty is so well known that I need not now mind alluding to it. We have everything but money. No, I am wrong; we have no home. I cannot tell you both how I long for a home a home of our own; but, as you know, of late years I have not been able to keep one, and indeed, if it had not been for the invitations of our friends, we must have been shipwrecked long ago. I cannot call the London house home. It is simply a place of torture to me, for I can never find money enough to mee the expenses. I did not tell you, bu last year, Evadne, I was compelled to sell a diamond brooch that had been your father's birthday gift to me.

This year I could not manage matters dear children," she continued—and the society that your birth entitles you to enjoy! I have suffered humiliation upon humiliation, and only last year I had to beg Madame Lachose almost on my knees to let us have dresses. She declared she would not until I had paid something off my account. I had nothing wherewith to pay her. No one is more insolent than Madame Lachose when one owes her money."

"I think the footman you engaged last year was more insolent still," said Evadne. "I shall never forget the expression of the man's face when he waited at the table."

"There was cause for the expression," declared Thea. "We seldom had anything more than cold mutton or cutlets. As for the claret, mamma, I into a glass; vinegar and water would have been more palatable."

"It was only a shilling a bottle," murmured Evadne, plaintively; "and you cannot expect much body or flavor "Hush, Evadne!" cried Lady Scars-

dale. "I do not like to hear such un-Thea laughed a little bitterly.

"What a sad thing it is to be poor! I did not care to allude to it at the time, but I did feel the insolence of great a contempt for poverty? Do you Scarsdale sunk into the easy-chair she remained in our house, she should

"I know the servants in the kitchen lar circumstances; I prefer to con- tradespeople declined to serve us? Three or four of the best florists would

"The worst of it is that both flowers had guessed somewhat shrewdly at and wine have not been paid for yet," her mother's plan all long; Thea had said Lady Scarsdale, mournfully. "I certainly could never give another "I have received an offer of marri- party in London whilst in my present

"And this man has three millions of

"I have not said more than I was

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poor. I have never hitherto been able to see how the struggle would end. Of course, I had just a hope that you girls would marry well, and be able to help me in your turn; and that is

"After that, it will be a strange thing dowry." if you marry first, mamma!"

ion frankly, honestly, and clearly. You and everything to us." see that we shall have a magnificent home. I have heard that Mr. Cameron | Lady Scarsdale. has a fine stud of horses; I know his carriages are most luxurious. Nothing three millions of money is worth some mamma; I say 'Yes' at once."

"There is the man to be taken into account." said Thea "Certainly, I admit that he !s a

myself that the advantages outweigh management could be like. the disadvantages." "The disadvantages mean Mr. Cam- Lady Scarsdale.

"I suppose, mamma," continued compelled about our financial em- Evadne, "that we should go with you; need not say that I allude to Mr. Cam- barrassments," continued Lady Scare- as a matter of course, would be our

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a man very easily managed, and Ferness would be as much your home as

"Could we invite our friends-the Capels and Stuarts?" "The more aristocratic the visitors

"Mr. Cameron has three millions of

"Diana will be his heiress," replied her mother-"nothing, I suppose, can alter that. He would be sure, however, to provide handsomely for me."

"Would be do anything for us. do

you think, mamma?" asked Thea. "I should think, my dear, that that would depend entirely on how you both behaved to him," replied Lady Scarsdale. "That is one of the matters I want you to take into consideration. You have no dowry. Never, I think, were girls well born so poor-the granddaughters of an earl without one

shilling between them. Of course, if I marry, my little income will be settled on you jointly; but, as you know,

"That is true." laughed Evadne, the sunshine glittering on her golden hair.

please him, if you both behave nicely to him, I have every reason to believe piece underskirt or petticoat. One

dowry, mamma? Perhaps about twenty ladyship. "Now; what do you think, thousand pounds each?" queried Eva- 32-34; Medium, 36-38; Large, 40-42;

"I should not wonder." allowed

said Evadne, slowly. "It would alto- silver or 1c. and 2c. stamps. could be better than the house itself - gether change the current of our lives. one might receive royalty in it-and I need think no more about the matter "We shall never like the girl Diana.

remarked Thea. coldly, determined that something like a thrill of pity went through what little heart Evadne drawback. So is the girl. But I think possessed. She knew what her mother's

"What do you say, Thea?" asked

ron and his daughter?" said Evadne. | "I say 'Yes' to a bad alternative," re-"Yes," answered her ladyship, with plied Thea, slowly. "I wish you could have the mansion and the money without the marriage."

"So do I," said Lady Scarsdale; "but that is impossible. After all, it will be | | almost unalloyed gain-from penury to affluence at one bound. I must, however, give you this piece of advice, my dear girls. Hold your own. Mr. Cameron naturally looks up to me, and has a great idea of my superiority; he must never be allowed to abate that." "Never," agreed Evadne. "We must keep the family well to the front. I can easily annihilate Diana by a few re-

ferences to our ancestors." Suddenly Thea turned to her mother and sister. "Do you not think," she asked, "that

it will be rather painful for Diana? She has been mistress for some time and we talk coolly of taking possession, as though she did not exist."

"Each one must do the best for himself or herself," said Lady Scarsdale. "If Diana acknowledges the inevitable, as a sensible girl should and would do it will be an excellent arrangecent for her. With my introduction to society, she will find the world a very different one from that to which she has been accustomed. Without me she cannot obtain the entree to the highest and most select circles."

"Yet she is a 1 auty, and certainly great heiress!" said Evadne.

"She will be quite sure to find her level," observed Lady Scarsdale, calmly. "And now, my dear children, our conference is closed."

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THE STRIKE SITUATION.

LONDON, Oct. Organization of food and transp service by the government resun ion of war time rationing has pro most effective and has worked smo ly. The Food Ministry announ that there is a general reserve of fi sufficient for two or three weeks there is a plentiful supply of ba and margarine. The government made an earnest appeal to the pec to observe the economy in coal petrol and to avoid the use of auto biles for pleasure riding. If this peal does not bring general respo use of private cars will be prohib and petrol will be sold only on lice Horse racing has been suspende England and Ireland because of strike. While the majority of don morning newspapers continu urge the necessity of the public porting the government in fighting strike to a finish and emphasize cheerfulness with which the cou is bearing present inconvenies The Daily News repeats its urgnt

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