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A WOMAN'S WAY.

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CHAPTER I.

THE MYSTERIOUS TELEGRAM.

As the train steamed into the little wayside station, a smart mail person and pair, driven by a young girl, pulled up sharply in the roadway outside the station, and the natty groom jumped down and stood at the horse's head.

"Just in time, Rosie!" the girl cried, as this was achieved. Lady Margaret Stirling bent forward a little and peered through the doorway of the station. She wore a white serge suit, with a sailor hat shading her fresh and exceedingly pretty face. The hand, incased in loose, white driving gloves, looked almost too small to be capable of holding and using the reins in such workmanlike fashion.

There were few passengers for Radbury on the Moor, and at first Lady Margaret half doubted if the person she expected to see had arrived; but even as this thought was forming itself in her mind, her face lit up and her lips smiled.

"Here you are! I was half afraid you had not come; you were such a long time making your appearance. Climb up, Jack! I came to meet you myself; wasn't that very nice of me?"

"Very nice indeed," returned the young man whom she greeted so cordially; "but you always were a sweet little person, Meg. How you have grown! Why, you are quite a woman!"

"Why, of course I am. I was eighteen five months ago. By every law of convention I ought to have left school last year, but I defied conventionality and I loved my dear old school. I can assure you, Jack, she added, brightly, "that I shed tears when I said farewell to it at last."

"You never were quite like other people, you know, Meg."

"That is what mother is telling me all day and every day," Lady Margaret said, as she gathered up her reins and turned the bays to face their homeward way.

There was the faintest touch of weariness in the fresh young voice as these words were spoken. Sir John looked tenderly at the girl's face; there was to him an infinite degree of pathos in this one little remark, for he had seen the child's life from the beginning, and he had known how strangely heretofore it had been a life of tenderness that enriched the childhood of most human creatures, particularly of those born to such a position as this girl held.

"I expect you succeed far better than you imagine, little cousin," he said. Lady Margaret shook her head with a faint smile.

"It is perpetual warfare all the time. You know, Jack, I would not say this to any one but you, but sometimes it does good to speak out. The girl pulled up the horses. "Jack, suppose you drive the rest of the way? I know you are aching to do this, and I can talk better when I am idle."

They changed places, and the bays went forward at a nice, easy pace down the country road. Their destination lay some three miles away, and occasionally through a break in the trees and hilly landscape a glimpse could be caught of the beautiful old abbey, which was Lady Margaret Stirling's home. It was some time since Milbrooke had paid a visit to his kinswoman, Lady Dorrington.

"Ah!" he said, as they had driven a few minutes in silence; "how sweet the country is! I feel already another man, surely, Meg, you are glad to get back to the abbey, even at the cost of saying farewell to your beloved school?"

THE TRYING TIME

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ment and annoyance to Milbrooke. As it was, it had been one of the reasons why his own mother, now dead, had never been a friend to him with her cousin, the countess, and why Sir John had denied himself the pleasure of staying at Radley Abbey as wished in the past.

He had been heartily glad when he had heard some three years before that Meg whom he called his cousin, although the relationship between them was of the slightest, had been permitted to go to school, this more especially the girl would be under the care of the wise woman who had done her best to counteract the countless most unwise ways with her child. And during these three years Meg had been happy. Now then she had written him little childish letters of remembrance, and he had them all locked away among his treasures, for there had been growing slowly but surely during these three years a feeling in John Milbrooke's heart for this richest, sweetest feeling a man's heart can know. Indeed, there would be little reason that he should not hope to win Margaret Stirling for his wife were the position of affairs only ordinary, but circumstances were not ordinary. Firstly, he was what Lady Dorrington at least would call a poor man; secondly, he had done that which this proud, hard woman had regarded as a kind of social degradation—he had found for himself an opening in the world of commerce, and, putting aside the traditions of his race, had turned to make a career for himself instead of living in fashionable quarters and belonging to a crack regiment. And, added to these difficulties, there lay the difficulty of Meg herself. Would she ever learn to care for him with a deeper affection than she now lavished on him? was the question he had asked himself before he had taken this journey to Radley, and he supplemented this now by another. Would Meg ever advance from the sweet serenity and innocence of

childhood and become a woman with a woman's depths of feelings.

Though she was, by her own telling, now more than eight years of age, Margaret Stirling was to his eyes the same creature she had been ten years before. Physically she had grown and perfected but the mental qualities had not kept pace with the body; she was a child to whom life and its mysteries was a sealed book, and love, save for friends and animals, an unknown word.

Whatever might be in the future, the joy he had hoped to taste must be denied him now, for Margaret Stirling would not understand his love if he were to speak it; she turned to him as to one who would be her friend, her brother, and, perchance, if he were to open his heart and try to show her the truth he would but divide his love from him, and so prevent him from finding the poor delight of giving her sympathy and friendship when occasion permitted. His invitation to Radley had been sent him by Lady Dorrington quite unexpectedly, for since his sojourn in the city he had been treating with marked coldness by his mother's cousin, and now Milbrooke almost regretted he had come.

He buried his hopes as he turned the horses in between the lodge gates of the abbey. This renewed contact with Meg, to which he had looked so ardently, had only made his heart ache; he would be wiser, for his own sake, if he avoided seeing the girl in the future.

To be continued.

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