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Vaile and the Small Girl sat in front of the fire and ate a satisfying meal while they dried their clothes. The Small Girl was in a state of rapture. "I feel like Goldilocks," she said; "but what if they should come and catch us, Vaile?"

"They won't come in a storm," the other comforted, and when the Small Girl had finished Vaile took her into her arms and rocked her to sleep.

"May I sleep on the little bear's bed?" the Small Girl asked, and Vaile said "Yes."

With the Small Girl safely asleep, Vaile began to explore the bungalow. It was not the home of a poor man. The rugs, the furniture, the few good pictures, the books in the low bookcases proclaimed good taste and culture, as well as adequate means. In the room where the Small Girl slept were evidences of a man's occupancy. There was about it an almost monastic simplicity. On the plain mahogany dresser was a silver frame with little doors. Led by curiosity, Vaile opened the doors and her own face stared out at her.

And then Vaile knew to whom the house belonged. From room to room she went, seeing in each one some evidence of the man's love for her. In the dining-room, stuck in a crystal vase, was

a faded pink rose she had dropped from her hair the night before. On the table in the living-room was a magazine on which she had scribbled her name. And when she opened it she found a bit of fern that she had picked idly to mark her place.

She closed the book and went to the window. Vaile opened the lattice and leaned out. There came to her all the fragrance and freshness that follow rain. It seemed to her that life as she had lived it, was not to be compared to life as it might be lived here. To marry the man of the world was to go back to little things; to marry the man of the forest would be to see new truths, new reasons, new values.

It was as if some magic had waked up the primitive in her; she became at once the woman of the home, of the hearthstone—the woman made for love—

At this supreme moment he came—the man of the forest. His big form filled the doorway.

"You?" he asked, breathlessly.

She held out her hand to him, smiling.

"The Princess came—to the forest?"

Something in her voice revealed the truth. "You came to me?"

"The storm brought me," she parried. Then suddenly serious, "It was fate."

As he drew her within the circle of his arm the Small Girl piped from the stairway, fearfully. "Is it the Big Bear?"

But Vaile, hastening to reassure her, proclaimed. "It is the Prince who carried off the Princess—and they lived happy ever after in the depths of the beautiful forest."—Pictorial Review.

BOOK REVIEW.

A GOOD BOOK ON HORSE-BREEDING.

Studies in Horse-breeding, by G. L. Carlson, has just reached our desk. A careful perusal of this book proves it to be very interesting and instructive. It should be a valuable work for stallion-owners and for all breeders of horses. A study of it will explain to the ordinary breeder many things not now generally understood. The book is clearly written by a man who has made a special study of his subject, and bases his statements upon a broad, well-used experience, harmonized with the best light of science. While there may be a few points on which veterinarians may disagree with the author, yet, in the main, the conclusions are undoubtedly safe. The author throws more light on artificial impregnation than is to be found

elsewhere very readily. The book contains sixteen chapters, all of which are full of valuable ideas, and sixty-seven instructive illustrations. This book should be of real value to all breeders. It is obtainable through the office of "The Farmer's Advocate," at the publisher's price, \$2.00, postpaid.

TRADE TOPIC.

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