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in the House

## Lord Cecil's Dilemma

—OR—

### The Picnic

—IN—

## Woodal Forest

### CHAPTER VII.

"Dear Cecil!" his mother exclaimed, "I am so glad. I will see Gladys at once!"

"Nothing of the kind!" son rumbled. "She wants the affair kept secret for a week or two; doesn't want any fussing about at present."

He walked off a cigar between his teeth, as Hastings looked himself in his rooms. He had heard the words, "I proposed to her yesterday, and she accepted me!" He could not avoid hearing them. He was just entering the room, and Lord Cecil's loud tone beat mercilessly upon the drums of his ears.

"It is a lie!" he murmured. "That gentle creature the wife of a man like this! No, no! And yet, why not? They are suitable so far as station in life goes. What else do they care for? And why should I care? She gave him my flowers. It must be true, it must be true!" He took from the leaves of his pocketbook a white rosebud—it was faded now—and pressed it passionately to his lips. "Oh, I know only too well that I love this girl; but, even were I free, what has she in common with so blighted a wretch as I? I will go back to my misery now, and none may know the torture that it mine."



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sift about after your solemn fashion, and give roses to girls. Ada told me so herself."

Hastings was saved the furious re-tort that rose to his lips by the carriage coming to a halt. They were within a few yards of the abbey lodge, and the Vicar of Swinford was calling to the coachman. He was on his way to the abbey, and desired to complete his journey in Lord Stanhope's carriage. He knew Lord Stanhope very well, and made use of him. Properly handled the young peer was no niggard, and the Rev. John Andrews loved money and power.

He was a young man, and young men are often very ambitious. Mr. Andrews left the preaching to the curate, while he attended to the finances.

He had much to say about the bazaar. Its success had been unprecedented. He understood that the Craythornes, the Nixes and the others would be at the abbey this evening, and when would there be a better opportunity than now to thank the ladies who had contributed so much to the great cause of Christianity?

At the abbey, almost the first person to greet Sir Charles Hastings was Ada Craythorne. There was no mistake about her pleasure, and, while he felt a trifle flattered, he was filled with regrets.

"We came early," she told him, vivaciously, "to try and arrange a dance if possible, but, ruefully, 'I am afraid there will not be sufficient people here. We have been talking of organizing a grand ball in honor of the earl's home-coming, and if it finds favor in Lady Marcia's eyes, I do not see why we should not make a success of it. Of course, only among our own set. Things are so desperately dull here."

Lord Cecil passed them at that moment, and laughed meaningly; then Lady Marcia came forward to shake hands with Sir Charles.

There were a dozen people in the room, and Hastings remembered seeing most of them at the flower bazaar. His eyes wandered unconsciously in search of Lady Gladys, and he saw her in an alcove talking to Lord Stanhope. Oh, why had he come, to be tortured in this way?

At the dinner-table he found himself next to Ada Craythorne, while her sister Flossie was casting envious glances toward Lady Gladys and Lord Cecil.

He never remembered correctly how the meal passed. He knew that he avoided Miss Ada Craythorne and talked to the vicar, opposite, upon any subject that seemed to divert his attention. He did not know that he became eloquent, or that Lady Gladys, while pretending to listen to the vacuous remarks of Lord Cecil, was drinking in every word that he uttered, her eyes brilliant with the admiration she felt for his cleverness.

Without descending to incivility or rudeness, Sir Charles resolved to devote the remainder of the evening to Lady Marcia. He told himself that it was Lady Marcia whom he had come to the abbey to see. Certainly he was not there for the use of Miss Ada Craythorne, and he was half-inclined to be angry with that young lady.

(To be continued.)

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