

THE TREVOR CASE

noticing lots of things. I've got eyes in my head."

"That you have," thought Dick, who had long since fallen a victim.

"Why, last night Beatrice and I went to the Bachelors' together. I stopped for her, and she just broke down and cried right there in the carriage. She had had an awful scene with her stepmother just before I got there. We had to drive around for half an hour before she was composed enough to enter the ball-room."

"What did they quarrel about?" asked Mrs. Macallister, deeply interested.

"She didn't tell me."

"By Jove! what actresses women are," ejaculated Dick. "I danced with her several times, and I thought she was enjoying herself immensely."

Peggy sniffed; she had not a high opinion of a mere man's perceptions; then she qualified her disapproval by a smile which showed each pretty dimple, and sent Dick into the seventh heaven of bliss.

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