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Twixt Love and Duty.

"Oh, child, have sixpennyworth of common feeling about you! The man is dying for your sake. If he were your enemy, instead of your true lover, you might pity him so much! Do you not wish to see Dick?"

"My life for his life I would give!"

Words, words, my dear, it is not your life he wants. He asks only ten minutes of your time. And if you desire to see him, give yourself the pleasure. There is nothing more silly than to be too wise to be happy."

While thus alternately urging and persuading Katherine the coach came, the disguise was assumed, and the two drove rapidly to the King's Arms. Hyde was lying on a couch which had been drawn close to the window. But in order to secure as much quiet as possible, he had been placed in one of the rooms at the rear of the tavern—a large, airy room, looking into the beautiful garden which stretched away backward as far as the river. He had been in the room, he was yet too weak to stand, too weak to endure long the strain of company, or books, or papers.

He heard his aunt's voice and foot-fall, and felt, as he always did, a vague pleasure in her advent. Whatever of life came into his chamber of suffering came through her. She brought him daily such intelligences as she thought conducive to his recovery; and it must be acknowledged that it was not always her "humor to be truthful." For Hyde had so craved news of Katherine that she believed he would die wanting it, and she had therefore fallen, without one conscientious scruple, into the reporter's temptation—narrating the things which ought to have taken place, and did not. "For, in faith, Nigel," she said to her husband, in excuse, "those who have nothing to tell must tell lies."

Her reports had been ingenious and diversified. "She had seen Katherine at one of the windows the very picture of distraction," she had been told that Katherine was breaking her heart about him; also "that Elder Semple and Councillor van Heemskirk had quarreled because Katherine had refused to see Neil, and the Elder blamed Van Heemskirk for not compelling her obedience. Whenever Hyde has been unusually depressed or unusually nervous, Mrs. Gordon had always had some such comforting fiction ready. Now, here was the real Katherine. Her very presence, her smiles, her tears, her words would be a consolation so far beyond all hopes that the girl by her side seemed a kind of miracle to her."

She was far more than a miracle to Hyde. As the door opened, he slowly turned his head. When he saw who was really there, he uttered a low cry of joy—a cry pitiful in its shrill weakness. In a moment Katherine was close to his side. This was no time for coyness, and she was too tender and too true a woman to feel or affect it. She kissed his hands and face, and whispered on his lips the sweetest words of love and fidelity. Hyde was in a rapture. His joyful soul made his pale face luminous. He lay still, speechless, motionless, watching and listening to her.

Mrs. Gordon had removed Katherine's veil and cloak, and considerably withdrawn to a mirror at the extremity of the room, where she appeared to be altogether occupied with her own ringlets. But, indeed, it was with Katherine and Hyde one of those supreme hours when love conquers every other feeling. Before the whole world they would have avowed their affection, their pity, and their truth.

Hyde could speak little; but there was no need of speech. Had he not nearly died for her? Was not his very helplessness a plea beyond the power of words? She had only to look at the white shadow of humanity holding her hand, and remember the gay, gallant, handsome soldier who had wooed her under the water-beeches to feel that all the love of her life was too little to repay his devotion. And so quickly, so quickly went the happy moments! Ere Katherine had said: "I love thee," Mrs. Gordon reminded her that it was near the noon, "and have an excellent plan," she continued, "You can leave my veil and cloak in the coach, and I will leave you at the first convenient place near your home. At the turn of the road

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"Then, we must part, my Katherine! for a little. Will you come again?"

This was a painful question, because Katherine felt that, however she might excuse herself for the unforeseen stress of pity that, all unaware, had hurried her into this interview, she knew she could not find the same apology for one deliberate and pre-arranged.

"Only once more," Hyde pleaded. "I had, my Katherine, so many things to say to you. In my joy I forgot all. Come but once more. Upon my honor, I promise to ask Katherine Van Heemskirk only this once. Tomorrow? No. Two days hence, then?"

"Two days hence I will come again. Then no more."

He smiled at her and put up his hands; and she knelt again by his side, and kissed her "farewell" on his lips. And as she put her cloak and veil on again, she drew a small volume towards him, and with trembling hands tore out of it a scrap of paper, and gave it to her.

Under the lilac hedge that night she read it, and it was of the bit of paper made almost warm and sentient by Phaedrus' tender petition to his beloved: "When you are in my arms, as if you were absent; but continue to love me by day and by night; want me, dream of me, expect me, think of me, wish for me, delight in me, be wholly with me; in short, be my very soul, as I am yours."

CHAPTER VIII.
If Katherine had lived at this day, she would probably have spent the time between her promise and its fulfillment in self-analysis and introspective reasoning with her own conscience. But the women of a century ago were not tossed about with winds of various opinions, or made foolishly subtle by arguments about principles which ought never to be associated with dissent. A few strong, plain dictates had been set before Katherine as the law of her daily life, and she knew, beyond all controversy, when she disobeyed them.

In her own heart she called the sin she had determined to commit by its most unequivocal name. "I shall make happy Richard, but my father I shall deceive and disobey, and against my soul there will be the lie." This was the position she admitted, but every woman is Eve in some hours of her life. The law of truth and wisdom may be in her ears, but the apple of delight hangs within her reach, and with the full understanding of the consequences of disobedience she takes the forbidden pleasure. And if the vocal, positive command of divinity was unheeded by the first woman, mere mortal parents surely ought not to wonder that their commands, though dictated by trust, love and clearest wisdom, are often lightly held, or even impotent against the voice of some chamber pleading personal pleasure against duty, and self-will against the law infinitely higher and purer.

In truth, Katherine had grown very weary of the perpetual eulogies which Batavus delivered for everything respectable and conservative. A kind of stubbornness in evil followed her acceptance of evil. This time, at least, she was determined to do wrong, whatever the consequences might be. Batavus and his inflexible propriety irritated her; she had a rebellious desire to give him little more shocks, and she deeply resented his constant injunctions to "Remember that Joanna's and his own good name were, in a manner, in her keeping."

She thought Batavus had grown very disagreeable, and she also jealously noted the influence he was exercising over Joanna. There were women who prefer secrecy to honesty, and sin to truthfulness; but Katherine was not one of them. If it had been possible to see her lover honorably she would have much preferred it. She was totally destitute of that contemptible sentimentality which would rather invent difficulties in a love affair than not have them; but she knew well the storm of reproach and disapproval which would answer any such request; and her thoughts were all bent towards devising some plan which would enable her to leave home early on that morning which she had promised her lover.

But all her little arguments failed, and it was almost at the last hour of the evening previous that circumstances offered her a reasonable excuse. It came through Batavus, who, after his usual homiletic, bringing with him a great many patterns of damask, and figured cloth, and stamped leather. At once he announced his intention of staying at home the next morning in order to have Joanna's aid in selecting the coverings for their new chairs and counting up their cost. He had taken the strips out of his pocket with an air of importance and complaisance, and Katherine, glancing from them to her mother, thought she perceived a gleaming shadow of a feeling very much akin to her own contempt of the man's pronounced self-satisfaction. So, when supper was over and the house duties done, she determined to speak to her. Joana was at the meeting, and Lysette did not interfere with the lovers. Katherine found her standing at the open window, looking thoughtfully into the autumn garden.

"My Mother!"

"My Kind!"

To be Continued.

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"Our clergyman preached a sermon to widowers today." "What was his text?" "Sorrow not as those who have no hope."

The City Council.

Mr. Thomas Gilleen Elected to the School Board.

Street Railway Extensions in the Fifth Ward Discussed.

The Grading of Wellington Street Continued—Mr. Hiscox's Request—The Cold Storage Agreement.

Mayor Little, Ald. Pritchard, Taylor, John Heaman, O'Meara, Powell, Douglas, Carrothers, Skinner, Wm. Heaman, Cooper, Garratt, Dreaney, Bennett, Nutkins, Parnell, McCallum and Gerry attended last night's meeting of the council.

TRUSTEE GILLEEN.
The business was chiefly of a routine character. One of the most important items was the election of a high school trustee to succeed Mr. W. M. Anderson, resigned.

Ald. Dreaney moved that Scott Murray be appointed.

Ald. Wm. Heaman moved Thomas Gilleen.

Ald. Pritchard moved S. C. Casey. Ald. Parnell moved W. H. Weston. Ald. Cooper moved Walter Morgan, but he was declared too late.

The first ballot was for Murray 4, Gilleen 15, Weston 4, Casey 5. On the second ballot Mr. Gilleen was elected almost unanimously.

Ald. Parnell moved that W. H. Weston's name be inserted in the by-law in place of Mr. Gilleen's. Lost.

Mr. Gilleen's election was then confirmed by ballot.

STREET RAILWAY EXTENSION.

Mayor Little made an announcement relative to the application at Ottawa of the street railway company for crossing privileges at Rectory street. The mayor said the Rectory could not be decided for some weeks, as the railway committee had not met yet.

He had, therefore, written Mr. Carr, asking him not to commit himself to either route—straight out Hamilton street to the city limits, or on Rectory street from the Hamilton road to Dundas street—until the council had decided which it preferred.

Ald. Dreaney championed the Hamilton road extension, which, he said, the people of the fifth ward wanted. They had received nothing from the franchise except the Dundas street extension.

Ald. Taylor said Ald. Dreaney's motion encouraged the building of a village outside the city. He argued that the railway should not be built past Rectory street.

Ald. Bennett agreed with Ald. Taylor. The street railway company had a monopoly of all the city inlets now.

Ald. Nutkins favored Ald. Dreaney's argument.

Ald. Bennett moved that the time for building the Rectory street line be extended until the railway committee dealt with the matter. Carried. Ald. Dreaney's motion being lost.

THE BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Parnell presented the report of the board of works.

Claims for damages from John Cook as Wm. Diplock were referred to the city solicitor and street railway company respectively.

The third clause submitted the bylaw governing the gas company in opening up city streets.

Ald. Carrothers thought it should be made more stringent, so as to compel the company to ask the council's permission before opening up streets, and to put the streets in proper condition after their work is done.

Ald. Bennett said the waterworks company also left the streets in poor condition. He moved that a bylaw be brought in compelling the company to notify the city before tearing up streets and to leave them in a proper state. Carried.

Clause 4 informed the council that the committee had replaced, at a cost of \$175, the fixtures removed from London Township, Limerick, by Court Forest City, A. O. P., for drill purposes, and which the latter refused to replace. Ald. Parnell recommended that in future, before the bill be lent, it be specified that the fixtures should be replaced by the parties using the place.

Clause 5 left the council to deal with John Price's request for a foot bridge on the east side of Clark's bridge, and to have part of Wellington street graded.

Ald. Pritchard, Ald. Carrothers and Ald. Taylor complained that the condition of Wellington street, north of Clark's bridge, was disgraceful, and that it would have to be repaired.

Ald. Parnell said it would be gratified to make it safe, but to grade and fix it permanently would cost \$1,000, and he could not see how it could be done.

Ald. O'Meara said Wellington street was a mud hole, and had been lifted out of the mud. Other streets, used far more, were in a better condition. He denounced the building of the street railway on High street, which led to a cow pasture, just to please "John McCleary and his four holes."

They wanted the city to widen and improve it, at a cost of \$3,000 or \$4,000. They should do the work themselves.

Ald. Carrothers and other colleagues criticized the engineer's suggestion in grading Wellington street. The former moved that the street railway grade be lowered to the proper level.

At Ald. Parnell's suggestion the matter was referred back to committee to consider what could be done.

In the absence of Chairman Armstrong, Ald. Powell read the report of the finance committee.

After a long discussion, Mr. A. E. Davis, of South street, was refunded his rate, as he had a sewer which was of no use to him. Ald. Cooper protested that he knew 50 or 60 people on William street who were in the same plight.

The remainder of the report dealt largely with tax remissions, chiefly on account of charity.

COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Mr. George T. Hiscox asked for an article in the London Advertiser, corner Richmond, in front of his new building, and wanted to know what percentage of the cost the city would pay.

Ald. Cooper thought that Mr. Hiscox should be allowed one-half the cost, because of the fine building he had erected. Ald. Taylor seconded.

Ald. Bennett said Mr. Hiscox should have just what any other citizen would get. Ald. Powell agreed with this view.

Ald. Garratt's amendment that Mr. Hiscox be paid one-third the cost, as specified by law, was adopted, twelve voting yeas.

Wm. Cane and his wife, aged 81 and

respectively, wrote that they were distressed and asked permission to go to the Aged People's Home. Referred to inspector and mayor with power.

Thomas Brenton asked that his daughter, Sarah Brenton, be admitted to the Home for Incurables. Referred to mayor and inspector.

Secretary McLean, of the Fire Underwriters' Association, reported that Inspector Howland had found several deficiencies in the London fire protection system. These included ineffective water pressure, lack of a double main, want of a chemical engine, and lack of sufficient reliable hose. Referred to No. 3 committee.

Assessment Commissioner Grant reported that the property owners along the Market Lane had decided to sign a petition for brick paving. They claimed that the city was granted certain privileges on the opening of the lane which would entitle them to exemption. Sent to No. 2 committee.

ET CETERAS.

In reply to the mayor, Ald. Pritchard reported progress on the great watering cart mystery.

Ald. John Heaman wished for a copy of the aerial truck contract with the Water Engine Works Company. He could not find it.

Ald. Powell, chairman of No. 3 committee last year, thought the city solicitor had it. He understood the company were charging for some extras, but it remained for the council to say whether they should pay for them.

Ald. O'Meara said the contract might be in one of the missing watering carts.

Ald. Taylor moved that the clerk write a management of a local contemporary, demanding the name of the alderman whom it charged with presenting, at the Aberdeen reception, a piece of brown wrapping paper, instead of a Man and his Family. The agreement with the Dominion Cold Storage Company was again laid over, as their representative had not arrived. Some of the aldermen hinted that if the company meant business they had better hurry up.

It May Convince You.

Are You Interested in Your Own Welfare?

The world has no sympathy with the individual who is skeptical, and who, in the face of facts and starting proofs, still maintains that he is right.

Skeptics are frequently found on sick beds, and many of them go down to the grave with the idea that they have done their duty and lived well. Such individuals, while they live, positively injure their families, and are a source of danger to the community in which they live.

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Haldimand, Cayuga, Sept. 22-23
Northern, Walkerton, Sept. 22-23
Great North-western, Godfrey, Sept. 22-24
Hay Agricultural Society, Zurich, Sept. 23-24
N. Middlesex, Stratford, Sept. 23-25
Collingwood, Collingwood, Sept. 23-25
Southern, Brantford, Sept. 23-25
Morrington, Morrington, Sept. 23-25
N. Oxford, Woodstock, Sept. 23-25
Woodstock, Woodstock, Sept. 23-25
Explosion and Dawn, Florence, Sept. 23-25
East Lambton, Watford, Sept. 23-25
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Mitchell, Mitchell, Forest, Sept. 23-25
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N. Perth, Stratford, Sept. 12-14
North Dorchester, Sept. 12-14
N. York, Woodbridge, Sept. 12-14
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N. Brant, Paris, Sept. 12-14
M. St. Mary, Sept. 12-14
Parkhill and West Williams, Sept. 12-14
Algonia, Sault Ste. Marie, Sept. 12-14
Brook and Alvin, Alvin, Sept. 12-14
W. Nisouri, Thorndale, Sept. 12-14
Shanahard, Kingston, Sept. 12-14
N. Norwich, Norwich, Sept. 12-14
Drumbo, Drumbo, Sept. 12-14
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Granton, Sept. 12-14
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Delaware, Sept. 12-14
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Highgate, Sept. 12-14
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LEAMINGTON'S LEAPS.

Evidence of Progress in the Western Town.

Capt. Johnston, of No. 1 Company, Twenty-first Essex Fusiliers, who was here in camp, will likely feel more at home in the editorial chair of the Leamington Post, of which he is editor and proprietor. The captain is just about to be confronted with an opposition paper, and this will be conducted and managed by three graduates of the Post—Messrs. C. Williams, Gordon Lane, and A. Scrase. They have purchased the plant of the old Amherstburg Leader at a cost of \$1,200. Capt. Johnston says he fears nothing, as he has run out one opposition sheet and bought out the other two. The captain is mayor of Leamington, and speaks in glowing terms of the prospects before the little town.

He says the income from natural gas and water will high run the place and keep the taxation down to 10 1-4 mills. There are two gas wells, each having a capacity of 1,000,000 feet per hour, and a pressure of 120 pounds to the square inch.

"The town has struck oil, too," said the captain. "Last week we made our first shipment of oil, which was over 200 barrels." The captain is a fruit grower. He has 5,000 peach trees. Last year he shipped \$600 worth of the velvety fruit, and this year he expects to ship 2,500 bushels. The trees are yet young, and next year he says he expects to ship 100,000 baskets.

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