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MUSSELMAN,

198 Dundas Street.

Lola's Secret,

A Romance.

"That is the face I remember," she cried. "Oh, mamma, it comes back to me so vividly! He had a soft, kind voice, too. I thought he was my father. I should know him in a moment if I saw him. What a handsome face it is, and how like Gertrude's. Why, mamma, anyone would know that Gertrude was Sir Karl's daughter."

But Gertrude gazed on in silence. "Mamma," she said at last, "a man with a face like that could not have done what you think papa has done. How could you doubt him? These eyes are clear, true and honest. They have never drooped with shame. What a noble face! Every line of it is full of goodness and honor. I pray heaven that I may see him! Oh, mamma, if I might but hope to see him, to hold his hand, to hear his voice!"

"You must remember, my dear," said Dolores, "that your father left us; we did not leave him." "I shall never believe anything of him, mamma," replied she. "Never, while I live! His disappearance was mysterious—I acknowledge that—but I am convinced that father's name is untarnished. Do not think so, Kathleen?"

"I always think as mamma thinks," answered Kathleen. I could not pretend to judge. Mamma knows best. "Mamma is a darling; but this time she has made a mistake," cried Gertrude. "And some day she will acknowledge it. I wish I had been grown up when the trouble came. I would have never left the place. I would have employed the cleverest detectives in England and France."

"My dearest Gertrude," said Dolores, "there was not a stone left unturned. My father and Lord Rhyssworth did everything that could be done." "I am not reproaching you, dearest," returned Gertrude. "You would have worked harder and longer if it had not been for that false, treacherous letter which made you believe your efforts in search of the truth when they were most needed."

But the girl began to see that not even her firm faith in her father could influence her mother. She was startled, but still unconvinced. Gertrude read that in her mother's face. It only strengthened her resolve that had changed her from a child to a woman. "Let me keep the portrait, mother," she said, "for a short time, will you? If ever the dream and hope of my life are realized, I will give it back to you framed in diamonds. One look at the pictured face will give me strength to do anything and everything."

So, far into the night, they sat talking of the same mystery which sixteen years before had thrilled all England. Gertrude, although full of hope and faith, had no satisfactory answer when Dolores asked:

"Where can he be? If he did not go away with her—at her request—where can he be? Ah, Gertrude, who shall answer my question?"

"I will, mamma. Some time or other before I die I will answer it without fail."

Then Gertrude kissed her mother and said they must all go to rest.

"Have you decided, mamma?" she asked. "Shall you see Lady Fielden tomorrow?"

"Yes, I think so. She was very kind to me, and I liked her very much; I cannot refuse to see her. And yet it will be a terrible trial to me."

You must not look at it in that way, mamma. You must believe that the hand of heaven has sent Lady Fielden hither, and that perhaps

through her coming my father's innocence may be established."

So the girls and their mother parted, but not to sleep. Dolores was too excited. She trembled at the idea of seeing her friend again. She knew the rush of pain, the bitter burning memories that would come over her at the sight of the well-remembered face. Years before, when the blow had fallen on her, she had met it on her knees, praying for health and strength. So she prayed now. Heaven had taken pity on her, and would do so again. As for Gertrude, with flushed face and burning eyes she paced up and down her room, talking vehemently to Kathleen. Once she threw her white arms round Kathleen's neck.

"To think," she cried, "that after all we are only half-sisters! How strange it seems!"

"But we shall love each other just the same," returned Kathleen. "It will make no difference. We are both mamma's children, you know; and Gertrude, when I was little I loved your father very much indeed. I can remember him quite well, so that you must love me even more on that account."

"I do not think I could love you better," said Gertrude; and then she talked of her father, and of what she intended to do.

"I thought only last week, Kathleen, how pleased I should be when we went to more balls and parties, and saw more of life, and when I saw that handsome young Englishman today in the park, I felt as if I had found a lover—so young and handsome! Did you see his eyes, Kathleen? But now I shall never give a thought to anything of the kind again. I feel as if this one single night has changed me from a girl to a woman, with a great wrong to set right."

"But, Gertrude, you are not serious."

You do not mean that you will give your life to clear up a mystery which has puzzled older and wiser heads than yours?"

"My dear, I will. I shall live for it. Do you not love the memory of your father, Kathleen?"

"Yes; but I never saw him. I have only the instinctive love that I suppose every child has. I think—nay, I am quite sure—that I love your father best. But, Gertrude, do not fix all your hopes on fathoming this mystery. Depend upon it, mamma knows best. It would be a pity to spoil your life, to remember three have been ruined already; do not add yours to the number. What a strange story it is! And we have lived here sixteen years in happy ignorance of it all!"

"It is like a romance," said Gertrude. "But you must recollect something of it—the names and the faces. Do you remember Harry well?"

"Yes—him and your father best of all. And I remember a large house full of pleasures and with great trees all round it."

"If I had known Harry when I was four years old I should never have forgotten him," declared Gertrude. "Did he really love me so much when I was only a weak little baby? How good of him! Kathleen, how little we know what a day will bring! How little we know! When he started for the Pitt Palace, I thought all this would result from our visit! And mamma must have told us soon. We could not have lived here until we were old women. I do never complain; but in reality I am just a little bit tired of the monotony, sweet as it is, of the Villa Baira. Kathleen, what a dear English name that friend of yours, Harry, has! He is the ideal Englishman one reads about—fair, honest and true!"

"You take a great deal for granted, Gertrude," laughed Kathleen Rhyssworth, and Gertrude turned away with an impatient gesture.

(To be continued.)

That "Stuffed-up" Feeling.

Do you feel choked up with the cold—find it hard to breathe—feeling of weight or oppression in the chest—cough hard and rasping?

Send for a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, take it according to directions and you'll soon breathe easy, your lungs will be cleared of the phlegm and the useless and irritating cough will be checked.

Mr. Eli Butcher, Birnie, Man., writes: "During the past threatening season I contracted a severe cold which caused me to lay up for three weeks. I was clogged up in the throat and chest and could not breathe easy. I sent for a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup and it soon gave me great relief and cured me."

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

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SURPRISING RESULTS.

A Simple Internal Remedy Makes Remarkable Cures of Catarrh.

People who have used spray, inhalers, catheters and washes for catarrh and have found how useless and inconvenient they are, will be agreeably surprised at results following the use of a pleasant, internal remedy in tablet form, Dr. Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, which they sell at 50 cents for full-sized treatment, is the most effective and popular of all catarrh remedies.

Nearly all cheap cough mixtures and throat lozenges contain opiates. These cheap medicines give a temporary relief, especially with little children, by destroying nerve sensation; the irritation in throat, which causes coughing, is temporarily removed, not by removing the cause, but by deadening the nerves of feeling, the irritation is not felt, although it is still there, and will promptly return.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets is the best remedy to remove catarrhal secretion, whether in the nose, throat or stomach, because they are composed of wholesome antiseptics like Eucalyptol, Guaiacol, Sanguinaria and Hydrastin; when you use these tablets you know what you are putting into your system, and not taking chances with cocaine, opiates, or similar poisons, found in so many catarrh cures and cough medicines.

Dr. Ramsdell, in commenting on catarrh cures, says: "I can heartily recommend Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, because they contain no cocaine nor other dangerous drug found in so many advertised catarrh cures. I have known of many cases of long standing catarrh of the head and throat completely cured by the daily use of these tablets for several weeks. On one case in particular, which I could not reach with an inhaler or spray, and where the catarrh caused daily headaches and a noticeable loss of hearing, was entirely cured by this harmless but effective remedy."

Dr. Wainwright says: "I never hesitate to prescribe Stuart's Catarrh Tablets for catarrhal headaches and catarrhal deafness, because I know them to be perfectly safe for child or adult and have seen more remarkable cures resulting from their regular daily use, because they are advertised and sold in drug stores in all reason why any good physician should not use them, because we should seize upon the cure wherever found."

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are especially valuable for catarrhal colds in children, because they are pleasant to the taste, and may be used freely to break up severe colds and croup at the very beginning.

All druggists sell the remedy at 50 cents for full-sized treatment.

A little book on cause and cure of catarrh mailed free by addressing the F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

THE WORLD OF SPORTS.

American League Magnates Hold An Important Meeting.

Woodstock Hockey Club Organized—Racing Results—Latest Sporting News.

BASEBALL.

AMERICAN LEAGUE MAGNATES.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—The American League baseball headquarters were today the scene of an important meeting of the league magnates.

Urged on by the recent rumors to the effect that Buffalo might be minus a franchise next season, President Franklin joined the anxious class. He spent the day with the league magnates, and the Pan-American Exposition, and dilating on the great baseball season. He already has secured several privileges for the big show, and contends that the advantages of his park practically give him a monopoly on the exposition baseball privileges. It now seems that Franklin's wishes may be respected, and that the Bisons will make the regular club in the circuit. It is highly probable that the Bisons may result in the formation of another league, including Kansas City, Minneapolis and St. Paul and Omaha or Des Moines in the west, and Louisville, Indianapolis, Toledo, Grand Rapids or Dayton in the east. This proposition is being urged by J. C. Stoebbe, of Toledo, and might cause for the three cities dropped from the American organization.

FOOTBALL.

WILL PRACTICE TONIGHT.

Every playing member of the London football club is requested to turn out for practice at the St. John's A. C. gymnasium at 8 o'clock sharp this (Tuesday) evening. The team needs some hard work to get into shape for the big game with Montreal next Saturday for the championship of Canada. It is assured that the team will go to the Royal City to play McGill for the highest honors in Canadian football. Already the Chatham and Glencoe teams have been liberal subscribers to, and today another effort will be made to raise sufficient funds to make it sure that the club can make the trip. There is little doubt that their efforts will be crowned with success.

RESULTED IN A DRAW.

Chatham, Nov. 17.—The Chatham and Glencoe Association football teams played a hotly-contested game here today. Chatham won by two goals to none. This made Chatham and Glencoe even in the result of the playing of the eastern schedule and both teams played half an hour longer, but neither side scored, and another game will be played, probably next week, in Detroit. The winners will play the Walkerville team, which holds the championship in the western district for this season. The successful club receives possession of the Walker trophy, which the Canadian team won in the spring series.

PISTIC.

WILL STOP BOXING.

Toronto, Nov. 19.—Wm. Davis, owner of the auditorium, Bijou Theater, has decreed that the Chatham Athletic Club shall hold no more boxing bouts in that building. Towards this end he has instructed his lawyer to give the club one week's notice to quit. The building was hired from Mr. Davis for the season on the understanding that either party could call off the contract at one week's notice. This action was taken at the instance of the General Ministerial Association, who represented to Mr. Davis that some citizens had taken offense at the Saturday night boxing bouts, and wished that steps be taken to prohibit them. Mr. Davis said that while he was not opposed to boxing for the development of mankind, he did not believe these fights tended to elevate the public morals.

EASY FOR THE AMERICAN.

London, Nov. 20.—At the National

Sporting Club last evening, what was to have been a 15-round contest took place between Billy Smith, of New York, and Bill Fielder, of London, the affair coming to an abrupt termination in the second round with an easy victory for the American. In the course of the evening Kid McCoy was introduced. He was well received, and announced that he intended to spend the winter in England.

HOCKEY.

WOODSTOCK CLUB ORGANIZED.
Woodstock, Ont., Nov. 19.—The Park Hockey Club organized tonight for the coming season. They have become affiliated with the Bohemian Club, of this town, and will hereafter be known by that name. The officers elected are: Patron, Hon. J. J. Langman; president, J. J. Langman; vice-president, G. W. McKee; secretary-treasurer, W. L. Kyle; manager, George W. Price. A delegate will be sent to the meeting of the O. H. A. in Toronto on Dec. 1.

THE TURF.

NEW YORK HORSE SHOW.
New York, Nov. 19.—The gates of Madison Square Garden were opened this forenoon, the flag bearing the National Horse Show Association colors, orange and black, was run up on the building, and Bugler Harry Wilcox blew a blast on a trumpet to announce the commencement of the sixteenth annual exhibition. As against 1,500 entries last year, there are nearly 1,500 this season.

In the afternoon 38 carriage horses, under class 45, were taken into the ring and lined up before the judges. These animals were driven to High Park carts or park wagons. They were hitched singly. In class 102, composed of 62 hunters or jumpers, the following were prize-winners: Heatherbloom, bay gelding, exhibited by the Gledney Farm, first prize, \$150; Richmond, roan gelding, exhibited by Hart Bros., second prize, \$75; Homplie, roan gelding, exhibited by Miss Mary Murchison, third prize, \$35. In the group of 17 ponies under the saddle, Kitty, chestnut mare, exhibited by George D. Widener, first prize; E. V. Hunter's allu got second prize; Thomas L. Lee's Gowan got third prize. Class 12, hunters and jumpers—First prize, Heatherbloom, bay gelding, exhibited by Gledney Farm, ridden by Donnelly; Class 80, ponies—First prize, Kitty, chestnut mare, exhibited and ridden by George D. Widener. Class 46, carriage horses, heavy-weight—First prize, Altomont, bay gelding, exhibited and driven by James W. Cooke. Class 72, saddle horses—First prize, Lady Constance, black mare, exhibited and ridden by Harry Peters. Class 113, twenty pairs of harness horses, open only to animals never having taken a prize—First prize, Fleetwood, bay mare, and Melrose, bay gelding, exhibited and driven by Joseph E. Widener. Class 58, four-hand teams, not under 14 hands, shown to coach, drag or body brake—First prize, Brandon, Belmar, Flaxwood and Belle, exhibited by the Gerkenfeld Farm, driven by Mr. Batony.

AT BENNING.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Springlike weather prevailed today, bringing out a large crowd to Benning. Four favorites won, in most cases without much effort.

First race, 5½ furlongs—Lady Contrary 1, Mordemo 2, Lexington Pirate 3.

Second race, 2-year-olds, 6 furlongs—Sadie S. 1, Queen Carnival 2, Gracious 3.

Third race, selling, 1 mile and 40 yards—Speedmas 1, Petit Maitre 2, Charawind 3.

Fourth race, 2-year-olds, selling, 6 furlongs—The Puritan 1, Lecturer 2, Novelty 3.

Fifth race, maidens, mile and 60 yards—Draughtsman 1, Perion 2, Old Tank 3.

Sixth race, selling, mile and 70 yards—Oneck Queen 1, Oread 2, Hardly 3.

A Newswagon carriage-builder is experimenting with Norway pine for fuel for self-propelled steam vehicles. Compressed into briquettes he claims that it will give even better service than coal.

TOONERVOUS TO SLEEP

Many Pale, Weak Men and Women Find Themselves Daily Growing Weaker and Fast Approaching Nervous Collaps and Prostration—Their Only Hope Is In the Use of

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In sleep and rest alone can nature repair the daily waste of the body and store up the energies required for the duties of the day following. If the nerve cells are exhausted, and you lie awake, longing for morning to come, you know that you will arise tired and worn out, and one day nearer to nervous collapse, nervous prostration or paralysis.

Sleeplessness, irritability, headache, neuralgia, loss of energy and ambition, confusion of the mental powers, and feelings of lassitude and despondency are among the indications of an exhausted nervous system.

The first thought is to take some opiate to induce sleep, a grave error, indeed, against which many nervous and physical wreck could warn you. There is no rest, no restoration in sleep, or rather unconsciousness, produced by opiates, and the deadening effect on the nerves merely hastens paralysis or prostration.

The most natural and most thorough nerve restorative obtainable is that which is known as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food (pills). It gets right down to the foundation of disease, and by forming new, red corpuscles in the blood, by rebuilding the vitality of the exhausted nerve cells, gradually and perfectly restores new life and vigor to the weak and run-down system.

There is no guesswork, no experimenting, no doubt, no failure when you use Dr. Chase's Nerve Food (pills). It is composed of the elements of nature, which go to form new nerve tissue, and can no more fail than can the laws of nature.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food (pills) is no miracle worker. Though many cures brought about by its use were truly miraculous, it was after the treatment for many weeks or months as the case required. You can be absolutely assured of a restored and revitalized nervous system if you use Dr. Chase's Nerve Food (pills) according to directions.

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The Maritime Express will leave Montreal daily, except on Saturday, at 12 noon, for Halifax, N. S., St. John, N. B., The Sydney and points in the Maritime Provinces.

The Maritime Express from Halifax, The Sydney, St. John and other points east, will arrive at Montreal daily, except on Monday, at 7:30 p.m., and daily from Riviere du Loup.

The Local Express will leave Montreal daily, except Sunday, at 7:40 a.m., due to arrive at Levis at 1 p.m., Riviere du Loup at 5 p.m., and Little Metis at 8:25 p.m.

The Local Express will leave Little Metis at 4:25 p.m., daily, except Saturday; Riviere du Loup at 7:40 p.m., and Levis at 11:45 p.m., due to arrive at Montreal at 6:30 a.m.

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