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The Queen's Veil.

Lady Arlesbury turned to comply, and when she had settled the ruffle properly she faced about again to get the rest of her friend's budget of news, but she had moved away, and she was obliged to wait until she could encounter her again.

An invisible clock had just sweetly chimed eleven strokes when Lord and Lady Holborn were announced. Lady Arlesbury looked up eagerly at the name, while Gertrude flushed consciously, but the crowd which almost surrounded Lady Ara hid the new-comers from their view, and they waited impatiently their approach.

All at once there came a strange hush over the compay, and wondering faces were turned toward a couple who were making their way through the crowd to pay their respects to their hostess.

Suddenly the group around Lady Ara parted, and Lord Ernest Holborn, handsome and smiling, and accompanied by a woman of such wondrous beauty and grace, that everyone involuntarily held their breath, advanced to greet her ladyship.

The beautiful woman at Lord Holborn's side was Tina! and she had been announced as Lady Holborn!—a circumstance which made two hearts in that brilliant company turn sick and faint with despair.

The young wife's slender, exquisitely moded figure was arrayed in a perfectly fitting robe of cream-colored silk, with trimmings of white velvet fringed with pearls. There were pearls in her rich dark hair, her ears and around her white throat, and a fairer picture never greeted mortal vision before.

Her beautiful face was fairly radiant with happiness, her eyes bright with animation, her manner graceful and composed, as if she were perfectly at home in that brilliant assembly.

A rumor of Lord Holborn's marriage had got abroad a day or two before, and this was the gossip which had so nearly taken everybody's breath away, and which Lady Arlesbury now understood to her mortification and despair.

When the crowd around Lady Ara had parted and revealed the young couple to her, a cry of surprise and anger burst from Lady Arlesbury.

She grasped Gertrude by the arm and hissed in her ear:

"Look! that girl again!"

Gertrude had supposed that it was Lord Holborn and his mother when she heard their names announced, and she was wholly unprepared for any such denoucement as this.

She slipped quietly back out of sight, and sank into a chair to hide her white face from observation, and to escape this meeting. Her last hope had been ruthlessly destroyed.

The earl's eyes lighted and his whole face glowed with pleasure as he saw his pretty favorite once more, but he did not seem the least startled or overcome with surprise—a fact which Lady Arlesbury remarked with wonder.

"It is the strangest thing in the world! What can it mean?" she murmured.

Lady Ara advanced to meet the couple with outstretched hands.

"My lord, you are welcome, and your bonny bride also. Will her ladyship, your mother, favor us with her presence tonight?" she asked.

"My mother is unable to come out, and desired me to present her regrets," Lord Holborn said, and then turned to greet the earl, who shook them both heartily by the hand.

Lady Ara looked around for Lady Arlesbury and Gertrude to present them, but both had suddenly disappeared; and then many of Lord Holborn's friends crowded around to see this goddess of loveliness whom he was presenting as his wife, and he had his hands full for the next hour, introducing his bride and receiving congratulations.

"What does it all mean? Where did she go to? Where did he find her, and is my father, the earl, in the secret, after all? It is all a tantalizing mystery," were the exclamations and queries which broke from Lady Arlesbury and Gertrude, as they stole from the magnificent drawing-room after one look, and took refuge in a small antechamber beyond.

"She is destined to prove the marplot of our whole life, I believe," her ladyship said, bitterly, and remembering how exceedingly lovely Tina had looked in her fair, white robes, while she forgot that her own evil disposition was the marplot of her life.

"How does it happen that they were invited here tonight? There are very few young people here," Gertrude said.

"That is explained easily enough. Your aunt, as you know, was to have married Lord Holborn's uncle, but he was a scamp, and ran away with another woman. His—Ernest's—father and mother were good friends to her, however, and so, of course, she would extend an invitation to the family; but did you notice your grandfather when he met them?"

"No," said Gertrude, faintly.

She had noticed but one thing—Lord Holborn's wife. She knew that he was married and forever lost to her, and she had been oblivious of everything else.

"He did not appear to be at all surprised; met them as if he already knew of their marriage, and I don't understand it. It is an ugly juggle. What next, I wonder?" Lady Arlesbury said, despairingly.

But they composed themselves after awhile and returned to the company, desirous to do everything in their power to please Lady Ara, who, they knew, would not like to have her guests neglected; but they kept at a safe distance from the bridal party, determined not to recognize them by so much as a look.

They grew more and more puzzled as the evening wore on, for people sought them out and congratulated them on the happy occasion, while they laughed over the sly manner in which they had conducted the whole affair.

Lord Holborn, too, they considered wonderfully clever to have won and married this beautiful woman—and a great heiress, too, they had heard—and no one knew anything of it until now.

They dare not ask any questions for fear of committing themselves; they could not understand why they should be congratulated, nor the allusions to their movements in the matter; so they listened, smiled when they thought the situation required it, and said just as little as possible, and escaped the earliest moment from their tormentors.

Lady Arlesbury had said that she wondered "what next?" and well she might, for she was destined to be still more surprised before she sought her bed that night.

The dreadful ordeal was at last over; the guests had nearly all departed, and the farce which they were trying to keep up was ended for the time.

Lady Arlesbury thought everyone had gone, and she and her daughter went into the drawing-room from the conservatory, where they had fled a half-hour previous, to bid Lady Ara good-night before retiring to their own room. She was not there; the room was entirely empty, and, thinking they heard voices in a small parlor across the hall, they bent their steps thither.

Here a strange sight met their eyes. The earl was standing near the door with Tina, one arm around her waist, his other hand clasping both of her white-gloved ones, while he was talking to her in a low, earnest tone, with tears in his eyes.

Her face was flushed and happy, a tremulous smile wreathing her scarlet lips, while her dark, bright eyes were uplifted and fixed upon the old man's face with a look of tenderness that spoke volumes.

Lord Holborn and Lady Ara stood a little apart, conversing in grave, earnest tones.

A slight movement made the latter turn, and she espied the couple in the doorway, and went to them before they had time to escape.

"Come in, Catherine," she said, laying her hand upon her arm and gently trying to draw her into the room. You have not yet congratulated the young bride and groom. Let me introduce you."

Lady Arlesbury drew herself proudly erect.

"His lordship I know already; his wife, if such she is," with a contemptuous glance at Tina, "I do not wish to know."

Ah, if Lady Arlesbury could only have realized what she was doing, how differently she would have played her cards.

"Not wish to know young Lady Holborn," cried Lady Ara, in a voice of astonishment. "Why, everybody has been delighted to make the acquaintance of her ladyship and of—"

She bent forward and whispered a few words in her ear.

"Aunt, oh! you cannot mean it!" Catherine Arlesbury cried, with a blanched and startled face.

"I not only mean it, but the matter has all been settled beyond the possibility of any mistake."

"And she the child of shame," retorted Lady Arlesbury, with scornful passion.

Lady Ara smiled a queer little smile, and, taking up a newspaper from a table near by, pointed to a paragraph, and gave it to her to read.

Every vestige of color faded out of the woman's face as she read the brief notice referred to.

"Who has dared do this? It is utterly false!" she cried.

"Catherine, for a woman of your years, you are behaving in a very unseemly manner," Lady Ara said, almost sternly; "you are betraying a vindictiveness and spite unworthy a child of six years. Which you have read there is not false; it is every word true. Listen and I will tell you how I know it."

CHAPTER XXXV.

In order to make what Lady Ara proposed to tell Lady Arlesbury more complete and better understood, we shall to go back to that day when Tina, in her encounter with Lady Holborn, was hurled from the cliffs near Castle Demaire, and left, to all appearances, dead upon the rocks below.

There were rocks there—cruel, sharp, jagged rocks, and had she come in contact with them, as her ladyship supposed she had, she must have been instantly killed.

But bushes and shrubs had sprung up in the crevices between them, growing there until they were now two or three feet above those deadly points, while vines, tough and strong, had come up among them, interlacing them so firmly as to make them almost impenetrable, so that when the young girl fell, she was borne up; and beyond a few scratches and a pretty thorough shaking up, she was wholly uninjured.

The fright, caused by falling from such a height, had rendered her unconscious, and her swoon was so profound and deadly that it might have resulted unfavorably had not assistance come to her very soon.

Not fifteen minutes after Lady Holborn, nearly crazed by what she had done, had driven from the place, a closed carriage might have been seen approaching upon the beach road below, and going toward Carisford.

The driver, who, by the way, bore a very familiar aspect, caught sight of that slight figure lying so still and death-like upon her emerald couch, and immediately drew the rein over his horses, and stopped as he came opposite the spot.

He alighted, and scrambled up the rocks, and over the bushes to the apparently lifeless girl.

One glance at her made his face grow gray as ashes, his eyes to start from his head, while his whole frame shook with terror.

"Mon Dieu! she has fallen from the cliff and perished!—she is dead! the bright bird, the gentle dove," the man moaned, as, with chattering teeth and trembling hands, he drew Tina from her leafy bed.

It was not an easy task, for the bushes and vines were strong, and she had fallen so among them that they clung around her as if reluctant to lose their beautiful prey, while he could not obtain a very firm footing among the ragged rocks.

But he succeeded at length in getting her into his arms, and then began a careful descent to the road.

Here he laid his burden down, to ascertain, if possible, whether anything of life remained in her. There were no bones broken that he could discover; there were no bruises on either her head, face, or hands, and, laying his hand over her heart, he found there a slight pulsation, and his face instantly lighted up with a look of triumph.

"If my pretty bird does not die, the fates have favored me," he muttered, and lifting her once more in his arms he bore her to his carriage, which was empty, and arranging the cushions, made a comparatively comfortable couch, upon which he laid her.

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THE YEARS.

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Their memories fall like fitful gleams
From some dim flickering star
That hangs afar.
And then the present's glare and fret,
Shut swiftly in between, but yet
Hid in its transient skies,
The tireless eyes
Of endless years look, nor forget.
—Alice Katherine Fallows.

DESIRABLE QUALITIES IN A WIFE.

To know how to carry on a household and to keep her knowledge active by practice is good for a woman and a blessing for every one else in the house, from the husband to the scullery maid. A woman should be able to sew well and to cut out and fit her own dresses, though if she can afford a dressmaker, let her, by all means, employ one. She should qualify herself to be not only a kind mother but a wise one—making a thorough study of hygiene and learning something about philosophy and therapeutics, so as not to get rattled if there should be no doctor at hand. She should be honestly familiar with good literature, and know and speak her own language well, even if she study no other. It can do her no harm either if she has mastered elementary science, and to keep abreast (not too ambitiously) of scientific progress. Finally, she should develop her body, not excessively, but systematically, by exercise outdoors and in, eat healthy food and be fanatically immaculate in her person. Such a woman wll make a desirable wife, whether she be rich or poor, plain or beautiful.

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CURLING.

IN GROUP EIGHT.

Galt, Ont., Jan. 29.—In the play-off today between the Granites, of Galt, and Fergus, in the primary matches of group 8, for the Ontario tankard, Fergus won by the following score:

Fergus.		Galt.	
J. Mennie, skip	26	J. G. Turnbull, skip	17
W. Richardson, skip	28	J. W. Porteous, skip	16
Total	54	Total	33

AT WINDSOR.

Windsor, Ont., Jan. 29.—The bonspiel is now on, and the curling rink presents a scene of ceaseless activity. In the first round Windsor clubs were pitted against Sarnia, their old opponts, while Chatham was given a chance to try conclusions with their Scotch cousins from Grand Rapids. The interest on the ice in the morning centered around the rinks where Windsor was contesting for supremacy. The Sarnia boys started with a rush, and it looked chilly for the home teams for several ends. Dr. Ashbaugh's rink at the half was 14 down. However, the Windsorites took a brace up, and from that time up till the last stone was curled, the result was never in doubt. Dr. Ashbaugh's rink was 2 up, while A. R. Bartlet's curlers had the snug majority of 12. Windsor played Chatham this afternoon in the second draw, and the finals will be played in the morning. The score:

Windsor.		Sarnia.	
Dr. Ashbaugh, skip	20	Dr. Mackenzie, skip	18
A. R. Bartlet, skip	24	Dr. Hays, skip	12
Total	44	Total	30
Chatham.		**Grand Rapids.**	
R. V. Bray, skip	18	A. H. Sherwood, skip	15
G. T. Taylor, skip	17	D. E. Forbes, skip	12
Total	35	Total	27
Detroit.		**Toledo.**	
— Hutton, skip	23	P. H. Latt, skip	7
D. De[illegible]e, skip	26	— Winans, skip	5
Total	49	Total	12

IN THE FINALS.

St. Marys, Ont., Jan. 29.—The primaries for the Western Ontario tankard were played here today. In the first draw Stratford got the bye, and St. Marys beat Seaforth by 15 shots. Parkhill and Ailsa Craig teams defaulted. In the finals Stratford beat St. Marys by 20 shots. Following is the score:

First draw— Seaforth.		St. Marys.	
McDougall, skip	17	Andrews, skip	27
Richardson, skip	17	Oddy, skip	22
Total	34	Total	49
Second draw— Stratford		**St. Marys.**	
Nasmith, skip	21	Andrews, skip	16
Welsh, skip	27	Oddy, skip	12
Total	48	Total	28

TURF.

ON THE ICE AT PERTH.

Perth, Ont., Jan. 29.—The ice races commenced here today and were largely attended. The races passed off successfully, with the exception of a slight accident in the scoring of the 2:27 class, when Shadow, an Athens horse, bolted into the spectators and slightly injured several. The green race and the 2:27 class were the only races pulled off today. The 2:27 class resulted as follows:

Sir Knight, W. Murphy, Portland	1	2	1	1
Guyasa, T. Devlin, Perth	4	1	2	3
Greyhound, M. Flynn, Prescott	3	3	dis	
Shadow, T. Gilbert, Athens	2	4	dis	

Time—2:31.

The green race resulted:

King Ben, T. Gilbert, Athens	1	1	1
Joe, S. Wood, Smith's Falls	2	2	4
Topsy, G. Purdom, Lanark	3	3	3
Maud A., W. Anderson, Cardinal	4	4	2

Time—2:38.

WILL STILL BE THE "QUEEN'S PLATE."

Toronto, Jan. 29.—It is understood that the Ontario Jockey Club will retain the title "Queen's Plate" for the great annual race at the Woodbine for maiden province-bred horses. The directors have expressed a desire to perpetuate the name, and at next week's meeting will formally put their opinion upon record. This year the event will occupy it usual prominent position on the card, and the value of the purse will be the same as last spring, viz., $1,600. Should the formalities of the state prevent the donation of the usual grant of 50 guineas from the crown, the club will itself make up the difference, and thus insure the full value to the winner. The Ontario Queen's plate is the oldest event run continuously in America, having been instituted in 1860, and competed for annually ever since. The O. J. C. may establish a new event or rename an old fixture, so as to attest their loyalty to the King. This has not been decided upon as yet. The club will also elect a president at next week's meeting to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Sir Frank Smith. The present occupant of the vice-president's chair, William Hendrie, of Hamilton, will probably be the choice.

BASEBALL.

PRESIDENT ZIMMER'S STATEMENT.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 29.—President Chas. Zimmer, of the Players' Protective Association, tonight made the following statement: "If the National League does not grant our request we may go over to the American League in a body. That league has given us what we want without any demand on our part, and have shown a disposition to be entirely fair with us. The National League seems to be afraid of us; they distrust us. The National League will learn that we are not to be trifled with. The Players' Protective Association now has the sympathy of 90 per cent of the players. Fifty members of the Players' Association will be present at the meeting in Cleveland on Saturday."

TORONTO WILL HAVE A STRONG TEAM.

Manager Barrow has handed out the complete list of players signed to represent Toronto in the Eastern League next season. All the places, with the exception of second base, have been filled, and for that position there are candidates. Duggleby's release has not yet been secured from Philadelphia, but the astute Edward is sanguine that he can make a satisfactory dicker for the twirler with the Quaker City management. There are eighteen players on the roster, two catchers, six pitchers, five infielders and as many outfielders. The list is as fallows: Catchers, Bemis and Dorin; pitchers, Williams, Bruce, McFall, Altrock, White (Duggleby's release to be bought from Philadelphia); first base, Carr; second base, not filled; shortstop, Madison; third base, Schaub; infielders to be tried out, Pease and Miller; outfielders, Hargrove, J. Bannon, T. Bannon, Grey and Friel.

FISTIC.

TO STOP THE BIG FIGHT.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 29.—The suit to enjoin the proposed Jeffries-Ruhlin contest, set for Feb. 15, in this city, was filed in the court of common pleas today. Application for an injunction was not made at that time. Judge Hollister, who is sitting in the common pleas room No. 1, where the hearing will be had, will be asked several days later to issue an injunction. In the interim notices will be served on the defendants. They are members of the Saengerfest Athletic Association Company, which the papers describe as a paper corporation, with a capital of $300 00; Messrs. Jeffries and Ruhlin and the members of the Zoological Association, a corporation which holds the site of the Saengerfest Hall. The legal grounds upon which this action is taken are that the proposed affair will be in every sense a public nuisance. The principal averments are described in a quotation from an Ohio supreme court statement regarding prize fights: "The supreme court is on record in the books as having stated that prize fights are exhibitions of brutality; that they are contests dangerous to life, as well as demoralizing and pernicious in effect on the well being and good order of society." In addition to this the attorneys aver that the contest in question will lead to the gathering of toughs and crowds of idle and vicious people, whose presence will be a menace to life, good order, property and the welfare of the community in general during their stay in the city. Counsel for the defendants will prepare an answer.

DEATH OF CON. SULLIVAN.

New York, Jan. 29.—Connie Sullivan, who ten years ago was the bantamweight champion, is dead at his home in this city. His death was due to pneumonia. Sullivan was a pupil of Jack Dempsey, and trained with many champions.

KNOCKED OUT.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 29.—Jack McLelland, of Pittsburg, knocked out Eddie Santry, of Chicago, in the fourth round of what was to have been a twenty-round bout in the Millevale opera house tonight.

TRAINING FOR THE "GO."

Cincinnati, Jan. 29.—It is stated tonight that the suit to enjoin the Saengerfest Athletic Club from conducting the Jeffries-Rhulin contest will be heard by Judge Hollister Monday, Feb. 11. Notwithstanding the efforts that are being made to prevent the fight, both pugilists went about their work today as if the contest would surely take place. Jeffries still suffers some inconvenience on account of his knee, which he injured while playing hand ball Monday last, and for that reason confined himself to light indoor work. Rhulin took to road work early in the morning, and after going about ten miles he returned to his quarters. Later he exercised with the various training appliances and then put on the gloves for several rounds with his trainer. The sale of tickets for the contest today was said to be large.

HOCKEY.

STRATFORD BEATEN.

Waterloo, Ont., Jan. 29. — Waterloo easily defeated the seven of Stratford O. H. A. men in a fast and clean game tonight. The first half started off fast, and shortly before half-time Easson, cover point for Stratford, had his hand cut severely, which put him out of the game. Half time, score 5 to 3 in favor of Waterloo. In the second half, with six men a side, the playing was a passing game, and the three Waterloo forwards, ably assisted by Forrester, scored goal after goal, the honors being pretty evenly divided. Final score was 16 to 5 in favor of Waterloo.

WINNIPEG WINS FIRST OF THE SERIES.

Montreal, Jan. 29.—The Victoria hockey team of Winnipeg won the first of the series of hockey matches for the possession of the Stanley cup, which was played on the Arena ice tonight, by 4 games to 3. There was an immense crowd present to witness the match, and the excitement ran high. The ice was in good condition and the play fast. The score at half-time was 3 to 1 in Winnipeg's favor.

JUNIORS BEAT SENIORS.

Dunnville, Ont., Jan. 29.—The Victors of Dunnville, a junior hockey team, defeated the senior team of Cayuga by a score of 6 goals to 5 here tonight. The game was fast, yet free from roughness. The juniors displayed the better playing powers and won.

BOWLING.

Chicago, Jan. 28.—The Anson bowling team tonight broke the world's bowling record by averaging a fraction over 991 in a championship game.

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