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At the Mouth of the Treacherous Pit STORY OF LOVE, INTRIGUE AND REVENGE

CHAPTER XI

Two years had passed, and few changes had come with them. The old Squire, a rich man now through the generosity of Lord Rhyworth, declared that he was growing younger; he was so thoroughly happy that Dolores felt every time she saw him, she could have made a sacrifice twice as great for him. He thoroughly enjoyed his life, and began to take his favorite rides and walks. His was indeed a new existence.

Sir Karl had not returned to England. Scarsdale was still in the hands of the servants. Lola, whose letters interested him because they were always full of news about Deeping Hurst, heard from his often; but in none of his letters was there even the faintest allusion to his coming home. At Deeping Hurst itself there had been one event. Dolores had presented her husband with a little daughter, a tiny beautiful child whom she idolized; and Lord Rhyworth had been nearly beside himself with joy. After his long, loveless life to have a sweet wife and infant daughter—it seemed a marvel to him that Heaven had blessed him so. His loving fondness for his daughter was beyond conception; that there had been, was, or could be such a baby he refused to believe. Little Kathleen was not like Dolores; she had the Rhyworth face, dark eyes and hair, and a mouth like a rosebud. It was touching to see the old Squire with his little granddaughter—to him she was Dolores in her sweet helpless infancy over again.

The child thrived, and everything at Deeping Hurst seemed to promise uninterrupted prosperity and happiness. Lord Rhyworth, in his devoted love and affection for his little daughter, settled Deerpark Manor, with a handsome yearly income, upon her.

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Viking, Alta.—"From the time I was 15 years old I would get such sick feelings in the lower part of my abdomen, followed by cramps and vomiting. This kept me from my work (I help my parents on the farm) as I usually had to go to bed for the rest of the day. Or at times I would have to walk the floor until I could have to walk the floor. I decided in this way until a friend induced me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I have had very satisfactory results so far and am recommending the Vegetable Compound to my friends. I surely am glad I tried it for I feel like a different person now that I don't have those troubles."—ONELLA HOLMBERG, Box 53, Viking, Alta.

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The Squire was deeply affected by his old friend's death. "Who would have believed that I should outlive him!" he said; and in his heart he knew that, but for the dead man's generosity and kindness, he would not have been alive.

They buried him in the old family vault, where all the Rhyworths for many generations had slept. When his will was read it was found that he left all that he could to his wife—Barbidge Grange, with an income of five thousand per annum, which at her death was to revert to his daughter Kathleen, together with a large sum of ready money and several valuable investments, which made her wealthy for life. To his beloved daughter he had already given Deerpark Manor, with two thousand per annum, the money to accumulate until she attained the age of twenty-one.

Deeping Hurst, with its revenues, went to the next of kin, Walter Irving, now Walter, Lord Rhyworth, who was in India, where he had held an office under the Government. A year at least must elapse before he could come home; so he wrote to Lady Rhyworth, asking her as a great favor to remain at Deeping Hurst until he returned to England. Sickness and death had somewhat scared Lola. She did not care to go near Deeping Hurst, for the very thought of death was horrible to her. While the three months of rigorous mourning lasted, she wrote frequently to Lady Rhyworth, being always very careful to mention the fact that she had just heard from Sir Karl, but she made no attempt to visit her.

Only when the Deeping Hurst carriage had been seen in town did she venture near the place. Dolores was pleased to see her. She was young, and the long isolation had begun to tell upon her. It was cheering to see a bright face and to hear the sound of a laughing voice. Almost her first words to Lola were an invitation to the nursery to see baby Kathleen; and Miss de Ferras's first remark was—"What a great pity, Lady Rhyworth, it was not a boy."

"Why a great pity?" asked the young mother, reproachfully. "Could anything be fairer or sweeter than my little Kathleen?" "No, but a boy would have succeeded to his father's estates, and you need never have left Deeping Hurst."

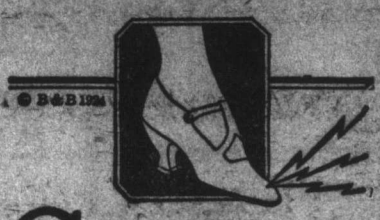
"I would rather have my daughter," said Dolores, clasping the child to her breast, and Lola laughed. "Sentiment is delightful, but a large income is better. Dolores, do you ever think about the future? It seems a strange fate to have married so well, and to have lost your husband so soon. Do you ever think of the future? You have the best part of your life before you."

"I have not thought of it," answered Dolores, in a clear, low voice; but her lovely face flushed and her lips trembled. "My only thoughts have been of my loss and my sorrow and my beautiful baby. I have had neither time nor inclination for anything else."

But Lola, looking steadfastly at her, repeated—"The best part of your life lies before you. You are still very young; you are beautiful and wealthy; you have all the prestige without the burden of your husband's rank; and you have only one child. I say that your future will be more brilliant, if you choose to make it so, than even your past has been."

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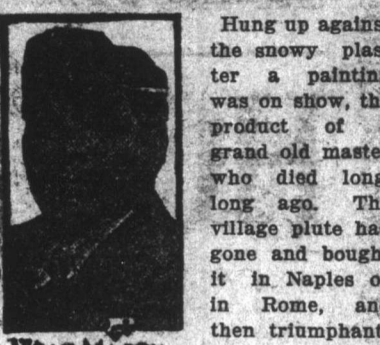


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The art fans heard me sadly mutter, and cried, "Most blessed of wights, your soul's a native-of the gutter, while ours ascend the heights. You stand before that noble painting and say it is a smear; your sordid, boorish words are tainting the art world's atmosphere. Go to, and cease your idle spieeling, the Goths and Vandals meet; to men of culture, sense and feeling this picture is a treat." Then came a sharp who judges pictures. His verdict is the law; he gave that Work his fiercest strictures, and called it coarse and raw. "Some rascal might do this painting," he said, "when he was stewed," and all the art fans, nearly fainting, a heart-sick multitude, came from the hall, and when I met them I might have scooped and jeered; but not a word to peeve or fret them was muttered through my beard. I framed a josh but never said it, they looked so sad and sick; I think it greatly to my credit I threw no verbal brick.

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Winning Strokes at Tennis

PRACTICAL ADVICE BY A FAMOUS PLAYER

The beginner at tennis will discover that there is but little enjoyment to be obtained in playing the game unless the primary object is victory.

The principal stroke in tennis is undoubtedly the most used. In no other playing stroke is the ball so completely under your control as you made the return.

You are making it from your right, always the easiest side, and you will naturally try to return the ball to your opponent's left and as wide of him as possible. This compels him to adopt one of two courses: either to run round the ball in an endeavour to bring it to his right side, or to take the stroke on the blackhand, unquestionably the most difficult task in the game.

Keep Your Opponent Guessing. If you have returned the ball well towards the base-line and given it speed, instead of being content merely to get it over the net, you have added greatly to your chances of gaining the point.

Another important stroke is the service. Here, again, speed on the ball means much. This stroke, moreover, will test your placing ability. An opponent must be kept guessing as to where your service will drop—whether to his right or left, and whether short or deep.

As in the forearm drive, placing wide to the left of an adversary improves your chances, while a ball dropped short over the net, and obliquely to it, fills over the side-lines without giving the other fellow an opportunity to return. This is a difficult shot, but well worth cultivating.

Very both pace and direction, and remember that the ease or difficulty of the service rests with you alone. The volley is regarded by many of the best players as the most attractive stroke in tennis. It is the one in which you can really "let yourself go" in an effort to kill any chance of the return of the ball.

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identical, except that you must play with a closer watch on the net if you wish to clear the obstacle. Endless scoring chances of this type are lost by players smashing the ball into their own side of the net. The drop volley is a different stroke. The ball has come over close to the net, and somewhat to your disadvantage. You receive it on a rigid or slightly yielding racket held at such an angle that the ball bounces back to your opponent's court. The stroke is seldom a winner, but you have kept the ball in play.



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