

THE USURPER

She turned on him so suddenly that the amiable Sir Jordan started back from her blazing eyes and upthrust hand.

It was a strange life for a young girl. Besides her "brother" Jack and Meth, she saw no one excepting at a distance.

She looked at him full in the eyes, her face distorted by the convicting emotions—despair, resentment, humiliation.

At the light in which Sylvia regarded him—who can describe or even divine it? This much may, however, be said.

Before a month had passed Sylvia showed signs of marked improvement. She still looked rather like a colt, but like a colt that is well fed and cared for.

At first she sang in a low, subdued voice, then, as if she had forgotten his scarping the dust from his spade.

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W. C. T. U. CONVENTION. Results of the Elections—War on the Cigarettes—Prison Inspection. Winnipeg, Sept. 17.—Mrs. Wright was re-elected President of the Dominion W. C. T. U. and Mrs. James Chisholm Vice-President.

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