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The Bread and Butter Miss.

PART IV.

'As Miss Florde, of course,' he said bitterly. 'I didn't know till this moment either that her father was an earl, or, which is much worse, that she was a great heiress.' 'And what is wrong, then?' 'Just that she refused me—refused me with the most biting contempt—the bitterest scorn—no; I cannot speak of it. She thought I

knew, had found out about her—and now I see that my misplaced honesty, the way I spoke, must have given colour to it. She taunted me with my insolence at the first—good God! What an instrument of torture a woman's tongue can be! There is only one thing to do—to stop Gertrude's ever telling of that letter.'

'Oh, Despard!' exclaimed Mrs. Selby, and her eyes filled with tears. 'What a horrid girl she must be! And I thought she looked so sweet and nice. She seemed so sorry when her cousin told me about you. Tell me, was that after? Oh, yes, of course, it must have been. Despard, I believe she was already repenting her cruelty.'

'Hush, Madeline,' said Mr. Norreys sternly. 'You mean it well, but you must promise me never to allude to all this again. You will show me Mrs. Englewood's letter when it comes—that you must do, and I will write to her. But there is no more to be said. Let to-day be between us as if it had never been. Promise me, dear.'

He laid his hand on her arm, Madeline turned her tearful eyes towards him.

'Very well,' she said. 'I must, I suppose. But, oh, what a dreadful pity it all seems. You to have fallen in love with her for herself—you that have never really cared for any one before—when you thought her only a governess; and now for it to have all gone wrong! It would have been so nice and delightful.'

'A sort of Lord Burleigh business, with the characters reversed—yes, her spite idyllic,' said Despard sneering.

'Despard, don't. It does so pain me,' Mrs. Selby said with real feeling. 'There is one person I am furious with,' she went on in a very different tone, 'and that is Mrs. Englewood. She had no business to play that sort of trick.'

'Perhaps she could not help herself. You say the father—Mr. Florde as he then was—did not wish her to be known as an heiress,' said Mr. Norreys.

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tragedy.'

No letter, however, was written to Mrs. Englewood that evening—nor the next day, nor for that matter during the rest of the time that saw Despard Norreys a guest at Markerslea Rectory.

And several days passed after the morning that brought her reply to Mrs. Selby's letter of inquiry, before the person it chiefly concerned was able to see it. For the pain in his head, the result of slight sunstroke in the first place, aggravated by unusual excitement in the first place, had culminated in a sharp attack which removed from brain fever. The risk was faded over, however, and at no time was the man in serious danger. But Mrs. Selby suffered quite as much as if he had been dying. She made up her mind that he would not recover, and as her special friends received direct information to that effect, it is not to be wondered at that the bad news flew fast.

It reached Laxter's Hill one morning in the week following Lady Denster's garden-party. It was the day which was to see the breaking up of the party assembled there to meet Lord Southwold and his daughter, and it came in a letter to Edith Flores-Carter from Mrs. Selby herself.

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She glanced round the breakfast table for sympathy: various expressions of it reached her.

'That fellow I found in the grounds at that place, is it?' inquired Mr. Florde. 'I'm not surprised, he did look pretty bad, and he would walk home, and he hadn't even a parasol.'

'Conrad, how can you be so unfeeling? I perfectly detest that horrid trick of joking about everything,' said in sharp, indignant tones a young lady seated opposite him. It was Lady Margaret. Several people looked up in surprise.

'Beginning in good time,' murmured a man near the end of the table.

'Why, do you believe in that? I don't,' replied his companion in the same low tone.

'Conrad looked across the table at his cousin in surprise.

'Come now, Maisie,' he said, 'you make me feel quite shy, scolding me so in company. And I'm sure I didn't mean to say anything witty at the poor chap's expense. If I did, it was quite by mistake I assure you.'

'Anything "witty" from you would be that, I can quite believe,' Lady Margaret replied, smiling a little. But the smile was a feeble and forced one. Conrad saw, if no one else did, that his cousin was thoroughly put out, and he felt repentant, though he scarcely knew why.

Half an hour later Lord Southwold and his daughter were talking together in the sitting-room, where the former had been breakfasting in invalid fashion alone.

'I would promise to be home to-morrow, or the day after at latest, papa,' Lady Margaret was saying; 'Mrs. Englewood will be very pleased to have me, I know, even at the shortest notice, for last week when I wrote saying I feared it would be impossible, she was very disappointed. "Very well, my dear, only don't stay with her longer than that, for you know we have engagements," and Lord Southwold sighed a little. Margaret sighed too.

'My darling,' said her father, 'don't look so depressed. I didn't mean to grumble.'

'Oh, no, papa. It isn't you at all. I shall be glad to be at home again; won't you? Thank you very much for letting me go round by town.'

Mrs. Englewood's drawing-room—but looking very different from the last time we saw it. Mrs. Englewood herself, with a more anxious expression than usual on her pleasant face was sitting by the open window, through which, however, but little air found its way, for it was hot, almost stifling weather.

'It is really a trial to have to come back to town before it is cooler,' she was saying to herself, as the door opened and Lady Margaret, in summer travelling gear, came in.

'So you are really going, dear Maisie,' said her hostess. 'I do wish you could have waited another day.'

'But,' said Maisie, 'you will let me know at once what you hear from Mrs. Selby. I cannot help being unhappy, Gertrude, and, of course, what you have told me has made me still more self-reproachful, and—' and she sighed.

She was very pale, but a sudden burning blush overspread her face as she said the last words.

'I do so hope he will recover,' she added, trying to speak lightly, 'though if he does I earnestly hope I shall never meet him again.'

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'Not enmity, oh no; but still less friendship,' said Maisie. 'I just trust we shall never meet again. Good-bye, dear Gertrude. I am so glad to have told you all. You will let me know what you hear?' and she kissed Mrs. Englewood affectionately.

'Good-bye, dear child. I am glad you have not a long journey before you. Stretcher will take good care of you. You quite understand that I can do nothing indirectly—it will only be when I see him himself that I can tell him how sorry you have been.'

'Sorry and ashamed, be sure to say "ashamed,"' said Lady Margaret; 'yes, of course, it can only be if—he gets better or you see him yourself.'

'Two or three days later came a letter to Lady Margaret from Mrs. Englewood, inclosing one which that lady had just received from Mrs. Selby. Her brother, she allowed for the first time, was out of danger, but 'terribly weak.' And at intervals during the next few weeks the girl heard news of Mr. Norreys recovery. And 'I wonder,' she began to say to herself, 'I wonder if Gertrude has seen him, or will be seeing him soon.'

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