

As I wish my visit to be a surprise to her, I will trust you, as a gentleman, not to mention having received this. You may expect me on Wednesday. Yours, Respectfully,

Nigel Abbott.

"Well! Darn your independence," muttered Ned. "Were you speaking to me, Mr. Oliver?" asked Madge, who had not caught what Ned had said. "No indeed!" laughed Ned, rather ashamed of himself. "I was talking to a man who wrote this letter."

Madge smiled and went on with her work, little dreaming that she had been the subject of the letter.

Ned soon finished his letters, and feeling impatient still about the letter from this Nigel Abbott, he put on his hat and went for a walk.

"Nigel Abbott," he said, again and again. "No I am sure I never heard Miss Browne mention his name," he thought. "She has talked quite a bit lately of her life in the East and of these last years in England. But I am sure she never mentioned this man."

"But then it may be all right, and of course any friend Miss Browne wishes to have is more than welcome. But,

by Jove! any friend she doesn't wish to have will receive precious little hospitality around here."

He longed to ask her, but he had to prove to this man that he was a gentleman. Well! tomorrow he would know. But he felt there would be something unpleasant at least and felt very much like staying around the house next day. But business of importance called him away so he did not see the pained surprised look on Madge's face when she saw Sir Nigel Abbott drive up to the door in a livery rig from Picton. The driver turned and drove away immediately, Sir Nigel coming up the walk where he had seen Madge at the door.

Madge was thankful that Mr. Oliver sat in his accustomed chair. She scarcely knew what to say and felt somewhat relieved as she heard the old gentleman getting up to meet the stranger coming in.

Sir Nigel came forward with hands outstretched. "Oh! My dear Madge, You thought you could elude me. But, my dear."

Madge ignored the outstretched hands. Stepping aside, she said. "Mr. Oliver,

this is Sir Nigel Abbott, from Chester-ville, England. Sir Nigel this is Mr. Oliver." "I'm pleased to meet you, pleased to meet you," said Mr. Oliver. "Thank you, sir," replied Sir Nigel, turning again to Madge.

"Was it Mr. Oliver or Mr. Edward Oliver, you wished to see?" asked Madge, her brown eyes almost black in her indignation at this man who had dared to follow her after she had positively declined to accept his addresses.

"Now Madge, my dear," fussed Sir Nigel. "You know I came neither to see one nor the other, that I care absolutely nothing for such people."

"Be careful, Sir Nigel. You expect to accept Mr. Oliver's hospitality for the night, I presume, since you dismissed your driver so hurriedly," said Madge.

"Why yes! Why yes! I wrote and told him so. So he did not tell you, I see! I see! Why, the fellow must be a gentleman after all," said Sir Nigel. Madge then remembered the letter that had annoyed Ned the evening before. She drew herself up to her fullest height, her eyes still flashing, her head thrown back defiantly. How she

wished Ned were there. "Mr. Oliver will soon be home, and then you will be able to judge for yourself," she said indignantly. "He did not tell me of your letter" and turning on her heel she entered the hall leading to the front of the house.

"Well! Bless my soul! Bless my soul!" ejaculated Sir Nigel. "It is marvellous what tempers these girls have," and turning to Mr. Oliver who had resumed his seat. "Now you know, sir, I intend to marry this young woman. She has a temper, but by gad, sir, it makes me the more determined."

Mr. Oliver's voice was sterner than it had been for many years as he replied.

"It is quite evident sir, that your visit is anything but agreeable to Miss Browne and until she returns, or until my son returns you may entertain yourself with those papers on the table there," and taking his cane and hat he left the house, taking care to keep close enough to know if the man should show any impertinence to Madge.

Madge went to her room, and burying her face in her hands, she said. "Oh! What shall I do? Just to think

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GEORGE MAPES.

Clear Creek, Ont., Sept. 19, 1912.

W. A. Jenkins Mfg. Co., London, Ont. Dear Sirs,—Your "Royal Purple" Stock Specific is the best stock conditioner I have ever had in my stables, and am never without it. I had a brood sow that had milk fever very bad. Your "Royal Purple" saved her life. Put her on her feet in three days. I had three calves last spring that got scouring very badly. Could not get it stopped until I used "Royal Purple." It did the work O.K.

Yours truly, H. B. MOULTON.

Saskatoon, Sask., Sept. 20th.

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W. A. JENKINS MANFG. CO., London, Ont.

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Scott, Sask., May 22nd, 1911.

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Dear Sirs,—Do you want a man to represent your Royal Purple goods in this district. I am from Ontario, and have fed your Stock Specific—got it from Mr. J. Corbett, of Brownsville. My cows, while using it, made the largest average, and tested five points over average at C.M.P. at Brownsville. I know your goods are the highest class Stock Specific on the market, and take great pleasure in representing you in this district.

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Port Colborne, May 11.

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Dear Sirs,—This is to certify that I have used one \$1.50 tin of your "Royal Purple" Poultry Specific, and there is nothing that can equal it. I wanted yours again and your agent did not have any, so he gave me another brand, and I can assure you it was not worth carrying home, for my hens lay better without it. I have been from 12 to 15 dozen eggs short every week since I have not used your "Royal Purple."

CHARLES RICHARDSON.

Royal Purple

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A second from Mr. Richardson as follows:—

Port Colborne, Ont., Aug. 24, 1910.

W. A. Jenkins Mfg. Co., London, Canada.

Dear Sirs,—Please find enclosed express order for \$3.00, for which please send me two tins of your "Royal Purple" Poultry Specific.

C. RICHARDSON.

A third letter from Mr. Richardson as follows:—

Port Colborne, Ont., Aug. 29, 1910.

W. A. Jenkins Mfg. Co., London, Canada.

Dear Sirs,—I received two tins of "Royal Purple" Poultry Specific all O.K. I have tried all kinds of specific to make my hens lay, and I find that you are the only ones that manufacture the genuine article. All the rest, I think, is a waste of time and money to bother with. As an egg-producer, I cannot praise your Poultry Specific high enough, for I would not be without it if I had to pay double the money.

C. RICHARDSON.

Sherbrooke, Que., Aug. 1, 1910.

W. A. Jenkins Mfg. Co., London, Canada.

Dear Sirs,—I have used your Specific for one year, and have given it to my birds with good results. See my winnings at the different fairs, which will tell the tale.

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