

TIMES PATTERNS.

The Tangle of Fate

Bonnie, going up the narrow stairway before her triumphant sister, looked down with flashing eyes at her unkind father and cried out, tempestuously: "You are a cruel pupa to let my sister tell you stories of me, and not listen to my side, too! I will never love you any more, and I will marry Lin! I'll jump out of the window and run away with him, so there! And if I was Imogen I wouldn't be making all this fuss about a man that didn't want me! Good-bye, Lin, till I see you again, and I hope that won't be very long, in spite of jealous Miss Imogen!"

Imogen gave the pretty rebel a resentful push, and the golden head disappeared up the stair-way. Lin La Valliere followed to pack his clothes, and the two sisters entered their own room. It was all over—the pretty love-dream of Lin and Bonnie. A cruel fate had torn them apart.

"Miss Mollie, I know you will help us, because you love Bonnie, and you know that they are treating us both very badly," said Lin La Valliere. "It was an hour after he had left the Dale place, and he had sought pretty Mollie Miller, Bonnie's friend, and told her the story of his wrongs. The pretty schoolgirl was indignant at the way her friend had been treated.

"Yes, I will help you to elope with Bonnie," she replied, for the impetuous lover had decided to carry off his little sweetheart by storm, and make her his happy bride. "It will be delightful to help that proud Imogen Dale," continued pretty Mollie, laughing gaily at the idea of the young lady's discomfiture when she should find Bonnie gone.

The story of Bonnie's love affair spread rapidly in the neighborhood, and every one sympathized with the captive girl, even the youths who had loved her and been laughed at in her bewitching fashion for their pains. Lin La Valliere could have organized a regiment, if necessary, to storm the fort and carry off the captive beauty.

But he preferred to use stratagem, so he and Mollie Miller, after holding a long consultation together, arrived at a conclusion, and parted with mysterious smiles of satisfaction to carry out their plans. And the upshot of the whole matter was that on the morning of the fourth day of Bonnie's imprisonment, Imogen awoke in the cold grey dawn chilled to the bone by a frosty breeze blowing in upon her through the open window.

Bonnie was gone, so were all her best clothes, and a ladder outside the window showed how she had escaped. Farmer Dale's watch-dog had been poisoned, and everything proved that Bonnie had very efficient help from the outside. Later in the day a note reached Farmer Dale in a very mysterious manner. It said simply: "Dear Papa, I have run away to marry Lin. I told you I would do it, you know. You have treated me cruelly, but I forgive you and love you still. "Bonnie."

Imogen's secret wrath at her sister's elopement was terrible, but she had to make the most of her situation, and she said, saying curly to Creedy, when she offered her sympathy: "It is a good riddance to bad rubbish! Say no more about it!"

But alone in her own room once again Imogen took down the little framed photograph of her sister and ground it to fragments beneath her furious heel. "How I hate you, my miserable little coquette!" she hissed, through her white lips. "I wish I had cut off all those dangling curls before he came here! They always look the men, I think! Even papa used to love to wind them around his fingers when she sat on his knee; but I never could understand what there was in a yellow curl to wind itself around a man's silly beard!"

Sounding the fragment of the shattered photograph with a disflouring flout, she continued, passionately: "She has robbed me of the man I loved best in the world, and blighted all my grand prospects in life, but it's a long lane that has no turning, and I may as well you rot, Bonnie Dale, for what you have done to me. I shall watch my chance to be revenged, and if that time comes I will not spare you!"

Imogen did not guess how terribly near to her was that revenge for which she thirsted as a man dying of thirst longs for a drop of water to cool his parched tongue, nor did Bonnie dream of the dark fate lowering over her fair head as, seated by her adoring lover, with her small hands to him, "I was not being driven toward the station, where she was to marry Lin La Valliere, and go away with him on their wedding journey to his city home.



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G. T. P. MANAGER. Going West to Arrange Details at Branches.

Melville, Sask., Feb. 2.—According to telegraphic advices from Montreal, Edson J. Chamberlain, the new Vice-President and General Manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railroad, will arrive here early in February on a trip of inspection.

While in Melville he will attend to several minor details in connection with the two branch lines to be built from this town early in the present year. It is expected an early start will be made on the branch running northwards to Hudson's Bay, via Yorkton, and shortly afterwards construction will start on the line to Regina. As far as these lines run within the province they will be subsidized to the extent of \$15,000 per mile.

THEY FREEZE. Uncomfortable Position of Residents of Several Ohio Towns.

Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 1.—With the thermometer ten degrees below zero today, Lancaster, 25 miles from here, is practically without fire. The natural gas main from the West Virginia field has broken across the Ohio River and the city is without a supply.

MAY BE MURDER. Coroner's Jury Want to Know Where McAnaney Was.

St. Catharines, Feb. 1.—The inquest into the death of James McAnaney, whose body was found in Albert Devlin's livery stable early Saturday, was opened before Coroner Jory this evening, and revealed that death was due to a heavy gathering of blood on the brain. Devlin was at first supposed to be due to apoplexy, but Dr. Hooper, who with Dr. MacDonald, performed the post-mortem, swore otherwise, and that though the stomach contained no trace of liquor, a clot of blood would have thrown down into a condition resembling intoxication.

St. Catharines, Feb. 1.—The police at midnight raided the headquarters of the Union of Clerks and Shop Employees, and arrested two men who were found on the premises. They searched the place, and discovered a large number of correspondence and illegal literature.

NURSES IN TRAINING. Do Dot Come Under the United States Alien Law.

Washington, Feb. 1.—An important immigration case was decided today by Secretary Straus, of the Department of Commerce and Labor. Ethel Wright, a Canadian woman of 25 years of age, applied for admission to the United States in order that she might enter the Nurses' Home at Chicago to study nursing.

Ice Bridge at Falls. Niagara Falls, Feb. 1.—Under the influence of a cold northwest wind and a driving snowstorm, Niagara has come into her own again. Not in years has the winter scenery been prettier than it is today. From the spillway of the Ontario Power Co. to the power house

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POLICE RAID. RUSSIAN ADMIRAL'S DAUGHTER TAKEN INTO CUSTODY.

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WHERE IS COOPMAN? Orangeville Sewing Machine Agent Missing.

Orangeville, Feb. 1.—A particularly mean case of embezzlement has just come to light here, coincident with the departure of G. H. Coopman for parts unknown. The absconder is an Englishman about thirty-five years of age, who arrived here last summer from Wingham. He secured the local agency of a large sewing machine company, and posed as a man of considerable importance.

BURTON DEAD. Was Head of the Brewing Firm of Bass & Co.

London, Feb. 1.—Michael Arthur Bass, Barton Burton, who was director of the brewing concern of Bass & Co., died today. He was born in 1837. Although Lord Burton was best known to the public as the head of the famous brewing firm, his claim to be remembered is his enormous donations to public and charitable works.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC. No Change of Cars Going to the Northwest. By the Canadian Pacific direct Canadian line, through standard and Tourist sleeping cars and coaches leave Toronto daily at 10:15 p.m.

ARMSTRONG-CASE. A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized on Jan. 20 at the parsonage in Jordan, when Miss Eva Victoria Case, fourth daughter of Mr. Benjamin Case, of Temperanceville, Aurora, was united in marriage to Mr. J. C. Armstrong, only son of Mr. and Mrs. James Armstrong, of Chesapeake. Rev. R. Keefer performed the ceremony in the presence of a small circle of friends.

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