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OR
MABEL HOWARD, OF THE LYRIC.

CHAPTER XXVI.

"Will you introduce me, duke?" he said. "This is a great pleasure and honor, Miss Howard," he added, pleasantly and respectfully.

The duke waved his hand: "Lord Ralford, Miss Howard," he said.

Iris made a movement toward him. "My lord," she said swiftly, "I have been deceived; I did not come here willingly."

The duke broke in with a laugh. "A ruse, a pardonable ruse, Ralford, I admit," he said. "But Miss Howard has been kind enough to grant us her forgiveness, and will be gracious enough to sing one song for us—"

"No!" exclaimed Iris, indignantly. "Lord Ralford, I appeal to you—"

"She could get no further, for a lump rose in her throat; she felt so helpless."

Lord Ralford stared at the duke to her.

"Is this true, duke?" he said, gravely. "Miss Howard, am I to understand that you came here against your will?"

"Yes—yes!" said Iris, when she could speak; "it was told that a friend was ill—"

The duke laughed. "I told you that it was a ruse, Ralford," he said, impatiently, for a small crowd was gathering round them.

Just before Iris' entrance, Clarence Montacute had got up and strolled into one of the rooms which jutted from the smoking-room to get some coffee. He was tired of the whole affair, and was wondering how he could escape without creating a fuss. He was coming back into the larger room with the coffee cup in his hand, when he saw the people crowding round the door.

With listless indifference he approached it; then he saw Iris' face, and stopping short, he let the coffee cup fall to the ground.

For a moment he believed himself the victim of an hallucination! Iris, the center of a crowd at a concert of the Midnight Club! Oh, it was impossible! Then he caught the sound of her voice, and convinced that he was not dreaming, he pushed his way through the group, and "Iris!" broke from his lips.

Iris heard him, and with a startled cry turned toward him.

The duke started, and looked from one to the other, and would have got between them, but Clarence thrust him aside.

"Iris!" he said again, as she sprang to him and seized his arm. "You here!"



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them, even from you, one of the truest of them!" she said, in a low voice.

"Merciful Heaven!" he exclaimed under his breath. "You, you, Iris Knighton, in poverty and an address!"

"Why not?" she said, steadily but sadly. "Ah! you forget that you have given me a name that does not belong to me! And it is not dishonour, no."

"No, no!" he assented, hastily.

"No, Lord Montacute, better women than I have given lustre to the profession I have joined, and which has succeeded and saved me!"

"Yes, yes; but that you, you should be brought to such straits!"

She smiled sadly.

"Ah! you forget," she murmured. "Who and what am I that you should exalt me?"

"In my eyes you are what you have always been, the noblest, the highest among women, Iris."

"Hush!" she whispered with emotion. "Not that name, please."

He moved with sorrowful impatience. "Go on, tell me all."

She sighed.

"There is not much to tell, after all," she said. "I am Mabel Howard, of the Lyric; poor no longer, but rich, as the world goes, and, as they call it, 'famous.' And you have been looking for me! Oh, my friend! was it worth while?"

"It would be worth while to spend one's life for you!" he responded, quietly enough. "Yes, I have been looking for you. I went to Italy—I thought that you would go there! If I had only stayed here in London—and he groaned—"I should have found you long ago."

"I am sorry, sorry, sorry," she breathed.

"If you are," he exclaimed, fervently, "prove it! I have found you at last!—let your troubles end here! Iris—forgive me, I must speak—for your own sake—for mine—I implore you to give me the right to protect you, Iris—"

He stopped, for she had laid her hand upon his arm softly, pleadingly.

"No, no," she murmured; "you must not say any more."

He forced back the hot, eager words. "Well, well," he said, with a sigh; "I will obey you to-night, for the present; but, ah, Iris, if you had but listened to me, if you had but granted me my prayer, and given me the right to shelter and guard you—"

"It could not have been," she murmured, painfully. "But I am grateful—if you only knew how grateful!"

His hand closed on hers.

"Tell me about to-night," he said, putting the other and forbidden subject away from him by sheer force.

She told him about her meeting with Paul, and all they had been to each other, and Clarence murmured: "God bless him!"

"And when they told me that he was ill, I went at once—I never hesitated or doubted for a moment!"

Lord Clarence ground his teeth.

"They shall answer for it," he said grimly; "and that man Ricardo—if I had killed him!—he must have been in the plot!"

"Yes!" said Iris with a shudder; "it was of his contrivance, no doubt. He has been to me for money—"

"And you gave it him?" he exclaimed, passionately.

(To be continued)

Prince in India.

MESSAGE FROM THE KING-EMPEROR—HIS MAJESTY'S HOPE FOR THE FUTURE.

After a pleasant voyage, during which he has received many tokens of good will and affection, the Prince of Wales arrived at Bombay. His first public act on landing in the Great Indian Empire was to communicate a message from the King-Emperor, in which His Majesty expressed his unabating sympathy with the teeming millions of India. "On this day," declared His Majesty, "when my son lands for the first time upon your shores, I send, through him, my greetings to you, the Princes and people of India. His coming is a token and renewal of the pledges of our house to reaffirm to you. My father, when Prince of Wales, counted it his privilege to see, and, seeing, to understand, the great Empire in the East over which it was to be his destiny to rule, and I recall with thankfulness and pride that, when he was called to the Throne, it fell to me to follow his illustrious example, but I have the same hope, and in this same spirit my son is with you to-day. The thought of his arrival brings with it a welcome and vividness to my mind the happy memories I have stored or what I myself

have learned in India—its charm and beauty, its immeasurable history, its noble monuments, and, above all, the devotion of India and its faithful people, since proved, as if by fire, in their response to the Empire's call in the hour of its greatest need. To the friends whose loyalty we and our fathers have treasured, he brings this message of trust and hope. My sympathy in all that passes in your lives is unabating. During recent years my thoughts have been more constantly with you.

Throughout the civilized world the foundations of social order have been tested by war and change. Whenever citizenship exists it has had to meet the test, and India, like other countries, has been called upon to face new and special problems of her own. For this task her armory is in the new powers and new responsibilities with which she has been equipped. That with the help of these, aided by Lord Reading's guidance, my Government and its officers, you will bring these problems to an issue worthy of your historic past and happiness for your future, that add disquieting will vanish in well-ordered progress, is my earnest wish and confident belief. Your anxieties and your rejoicings are my own. In all that gives you hope and promotes your welfare, I feel with you in a spirit of sympathy.

My son has followed from afar your fortunes. It is now his ambition by his coming among you, to ripen the good will into a yet fuller understanding. I trust and believe that when he leaves your shores your hearts will follow him, and that with his stay with you one link the more will be added to the golden chain of sympathy which these many years has held by throne to India, and it is my warmest prayer that wisdom and contentment, growing hand-in-hand, will lead India to ever-increasing national greatness, within a free Empire—an Empire for which I labour and for which, if it be the Divine will, my son shall labour after me."—News of the World, Nov. 20.

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Fads and Fashions.

The long straight fur scarf is in vogue. Velvet frocks show sleeves matching chiffon. Ornaments of bright beads appear at the waist. Most of the suit skirts have straight lines. White leather belts are worn with blue serge-dresses. Deep bands of shaggy monkey hair a black tulleur. With a small hat of white with a black band veil. A tailored costume of black cut is belted with tory. A short coat of nutria is belted with goat's fur. Pearl bracelets are very popular whether flexible or rigid.

The box coat is popular. Trailing drapery is still much seen. Combinations of cloth and fur are smart. The blonde is wearing gray this season. A petal-shaped fur neckpiece is a novelty. Narrow dyed lace is a favored trimming. Shaggy furs are favorites for trimming. Coat collars are apt to be high and snug. Fabric furs stand high in fashion's favor.

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