



"I think I have, too," the girl should I be obliged to stay here ed the girl. and always live such a life as this, just because you once married good aboutit, hashe not?" she said father?" It was the substance of to her mother, who was bending the reasoning upon which her over the sewing machine making mother had based her own decis- the dress in which her daughter ion. And the logic was irrefut- was to go from her. That the asable, relentless and unpitying sent was quite without warmth though it might be, as all the logic brought a mild reproach. "Don't of youth.

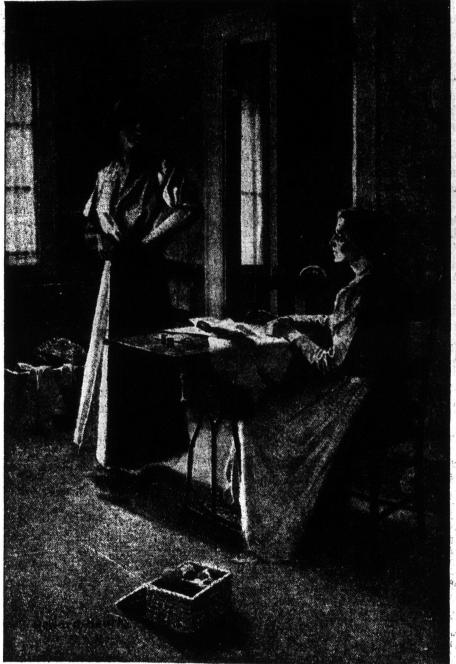
even less affection for her father father?" she propounded. "I am than heretofore.

But gradually, as the summer altogether." went on, there came a change. Her mother watched it with a wish," came the reminder in a gnawing jealousy and sense of intone that was hard with suppressjustice. Yet she resolutely made ed pain, though the words were in no sign.

And by degrees his conception spoke in deep earnestness. "Why of his attitude in the matter affect-

"Father has really been very you think, mother, dear, that you For the time being Juila had are sometimes a little hard on afraid you don't understand him

"It was I who got you your truth, a plea for appreciation.



"I'm afraid you don't understand him altogether."

Not long after the day when she had obtained his more than un- Julia conceded readily, trying to willing consent to their daughter's be impartial. "And I am grateful, plans, it had begun to be observ- very grateful. But I can't help able that he was not only reconcil- thinking that father deserves some ing himself to them, but taking a credit, too." he was unusually amiable with the self alone. Julia would only think home upon the farms. It gave him prove a safeguard and defense. importance in the comunity. The And when at last it arrived, idea might have been his own Julia and her father drove to the from the outset, so entirely did railroad station by themselves. he arrogate to himself all credit

"I know you did, of course,"

certain amount of interest. Mrs. Stanton did not point out Though he still held his wife in that no single real hardship would marked disfavor because of her fall upon her husband, no single intervention and the braving of real sacrifice have to be made by his opinion that it had entailed, him, that all must be met by hergirl herself. And to the neigh- her complaining and unfair. And bors he spoke with pride of the above everything else she wished fact that he was going to send his to keep the girl's good opinion. daughter to college. It raised him For the day was coming near that to a plane above the men about was to take her out into a world him who kept their children at where love of her mother might

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