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 frequently to be seen dining in the
House and having tea on the terrace,
 with an aunt who would have infinite ly preferred
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Ben $\begin{gathered}\text { But, you may ask, if the moman was } \\ \text { so eympathetc, why did his ongage. }\end{gathered}$. so ay aypathette, why did his engage.
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ment? Well, this was the way of it. mont? Well, this was the way of
Her father, thoush an Irithman and en

 the sole conditton of his consent to bave fariliament till he had put him
 Irish bar, but had never practiced.
He felt conifient, however, that al al
would be plain salling Had at
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 a private conferenee with the woman
and then a confidential talk with hit party leader and the whip, and it we me
unanimously deciced that the retire
ment was to be sanctioned. ment was to be sanctioned.
the When you are a rich man," esid
the wiip, "aud tave money to weste
 Raymond assured them that Mid-
Cliare was ante and promised
down wand back their candidate.
 ${ }^{\text {smile. }}$. 1 Lhook hands that quarter." So they him in coogratu
shat sult with Molly and Molly' $f$ father as to the prospects of a ppeedy wedding.
Trus was that the paragraph
about the Chiltern Hundreds came into the papers. It created no great sti
in London, and, in fact, appored in
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dreamed of on the day when the leader dreamed of on the day when the leader
and the whip decided that Fox milght
safely go, and that the seat was safe
for Now, be it known to you that Ray
mond Fox owed that seat osoly and
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men." to the favor of the "hillsid This gection of the constituency,
though diekvowing all parriamentary
agitation in favor of elronger reses found themselves in a poostion
delightfil suprema liy, as it ine vai.o bue were hanght bengath
notice, and taying they disclamed to
vote at all, they found themselv counuen on all sides, and talled at in in
eloquen the rival candidates
and their bect protty tall talk at the Mere was some
tion, 1 can tell your, and alare elecit was never reported in the papers,
but Raymond Fox won easily. Pail
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 There were two or three objectors,
but old Phil carried all objection down The word was glven in the right quar
ter and Raymond headed the poll. oning when he opromised to to wo down One of these dyss the following gecene
gid was enacted at the door of a rodedide
Hillage in the County Clare. The cot
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 was a deadly disappointment then
had hardly recovered from yet.
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were with them not mere theoretical ?
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gated the plaat form and faced the hall
beck, with his stalwarts around hin
somes six row deep. Phil leaned on
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"Aha ! I gee," thought Raymond
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