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ALL FOR HER

He started, and his face reddened. "That's impossible, Bella," he said, quickly. "I've got an—important engagement."

"Oh! you've got an—important engagement, have you?" she said, with slow contempt; "then you'll have to put your important engagement off for one more important still."

The sweat started out on his forehead, and he wiped it away covertly. "Don't be absurd, Bella," he said, with a sickly smile. "I tell you I can't meet you tomorrow—not at that time. I'll meet you at night, or the next day."

"No you won't; tomorrow night I shall be gone. Four o'clock in the afternoon, please, and you may bring a few notes with you—say for a hundred. I'll rather short just now."

He affected consternation. "A hundred pounds! You must think I'm made of money! Well, you may have it, for—the sake of old times. But you needn't trouble to come for it, Bella. I'll send it to you here—"

She smiled. "No you won't. I've a fancy for making you bring it—just for the sake of old times. You seem very disinclined to meet me tomorrow; what's your reason, I wonder?" and she eyed him suspiciously.

The lids of his downcast eyes quivered. "There can't be much pleasure in our meetings now," he said. "I don't care to be reminded of the past; you must feel that. Look here, you shall have the money. I'll make it a hundred and fifty, though I can't very well spare it, but only on condition that you let me send it to you."

She shook her head, and with a laugh caught at a branch of the tree with one hand and drew herself up, dangling for a moment gracefully, then, without a word, she dropped like a feather to the ground, and kissed her hand to him.

"No, I'll have my way. Bring it here tomorrow at 4 o'clock, or—I'll go with you! I'm not exactly in evening dress, but you can explain—you're good at explaining, you know."

His face paled, and his breath came fast for a moment, as he thought of this woman with her cigarette in her mouth, her stage smile, and loud, defiant voice, accompanying him into the pure presence of Olivia; then he nodded.

"Very well," he said, sullenly. "I'll come. And now I must be going." He put out his hand for his watch, and she laughed mockingly.

"I'll tell you the time," she said. "No! I can't see. Off with you. Remember, 4 o'clock, and you can wait it the extra fifty. Here! wait! give me the rest of those cigarettes."

He held out the silver case, and she was about to pick out the cigarettes, then looked up at him exasperatingly, and put the case in her pocket.

"Perhaps I'll give it back to you tomorrow, perhaps I won't. Good-night, and with a nod she motioned him to go on."

She stood looking after him for a few minutes, puffing at the cigarette, and thinking with half-closed eyes, very much like a little, graceful cat.

"I wonder what your little game is down here, Master Bartley," she muttered. "No good, I'll bet. You never did anything but make a fool of yourself. Well, it doesn't matter to me. So long as you keep up my allowance and yourself quiet you may do what you please."

Then she pinned her shawl round her, and walking quickly out of the wood, went down the lane, and stopped in front of the Dell.

"This ought to be the place," she said. "Yes, it's like him to choose a place like this. I shall die of the dill-runs in a week. But he—"

She stopped a moment or two, standing before the gate as if she were collecting her courage, or her mind, then put her hand on the gate.

"Locked!" she said, with a smile. "I don't think that will keep me out!" and resting her strong hand on the side post, she sprang over the low gate as easily as a boy of 15 could have done.

As she did so, the dog came bounding down the path with a threatening growl.

She drew herself together, tightening every muscle, just as she did before one of her dangerous feats on the trapeze, and waited for him, her teeth set, her fist closed. The dog came up to her and sniffed at her, then wagged his tail.

She laughed softly. "You're a fraud, my friend," she said, stooping down and patting him; then suddenly she gave him a kick, exclaiming, "I'll make you afraid of me before many hours are passed, how-wow!"

The dog retreated with a yell, and she walked up to the door and knocked. The servant, in his gamekeeper suit, opened it.

"Is Mr. Farside at home?" she asked. "The man held a small lamp above his head."

MR. HILL HAS PROVED IT

Toronto Man Explains How He Gained Thirty Pounds In a Few Weeks. Remarkable Statement.

At 38 Fuller street, Toronto, lives a man who claims to have proven beyond the shadow of a doubt that Dr. Leonard's Anti-Pill is the most wonderful remedy ever introduced. His name is W. A. Hill and he makes the following statement:

"I was very much run down, and had a constant pain in my side, which made life a drag to me. I fully believed my days were numbered, but I was induced to try the treatment of Dr. Leonard's Anti-Pill, and the results were marvelous."

IMPERIALS DEFEAT RAMBLERS IN THE SENIOR CITY LEAGUE

Score Was 4 to 1—Yukon Wins Again—Winnipeg to Try for Cup.

A hard-fought game of hockey took place at the Jubilee rink last night, when the Ramblers and Imperials met in the Senior City League. At half time the score stood 2 to 1 in the Imperials' favor, and by the end the lead had been increased by two points more, making the score 4 to 1. The line-up:

Imperials: Eickenberger, Goal. Ramblers: T. Cowan, Point. C. Smith, Cover. C. Knott, A. Cowan, Left wing. Turner, Fugher, Right wing. Kennedy, Waggoner, Rover. F. Smith, Waggoner, Center. Wilson, Referee—Laddy.

The Hortons will play the Detroit hockey team in Detroit on Saturday, Feb. 4. They are confident of winning.

Goderich, Ont., Jan. 30.—The game tonight between Alisa Craig and Goderich, intermediate O. H. A. series, resulted in an easy victory for the home team. Score at half time was 4 to 1 in favor of Goderich, and total score was 14 to 1.

Lindsay, Ont., Jan. 30.—The Lindsay intermediate hockey team played considerably for the game here with Port Perry tonight, and it proved a success, the home team winning by 8 to 5. It was a very close contest from start to finish.

Morrisburg, Ont., Jan. 30.—Prescott and Morrisburg played the final game of hockey in group 1, senior series O. H. A., here tonight. The visitors ran a special train, bringing 200 supporters with them, including many ladies. The locals won handily by a score of 5 goals to 2. Mr. Burk, of Belleville, referee.

Kington, Ont., Jan. 30.—In the final Junior O. H. A. game here tonight to decide the championship of the local round, Queen's won from the Stroublers by 4 to 1. The half time score was 1 to 0 in favor of Queen's. The score on the round was 8 to 2. Cadet Gill refereed an impartial game.

Markham, Ont., Jan. 30.—The Marlboroughs of Toronto and Markham intermediate game in district No. 3, O. H. A., was played here tonight before a fair crowd. The Marlboroughs were much stronger than in Toronto, and the forward line made brilliant rushes at times, stopped only by Markham's strong defense, following in the Marlboroughs was the score at half time.

In the second half Markham determined to win the game, but it took thirteen minutes to score the first goal, after which they scored four more in quick succession, winning out by 6 to 2.

The O. H. A. season in London is over for 1905. No championship. The first 29 miles the cars held their relative positions in fine form. McDonald displayed great skill in turning.

City Championship Games To Be Played Next Week

Many hockey enthusiasts will be pleased to hear that at last the St. Johns and Ramblers have agreed to play for the city championships.

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It was only by the staying power of the Marlborough team that they won out. W. W. Muir, of Toronto, refereed.

Westville, N. S., Jan. 30.—The Yukon hockey team won their game with Pictou County team tonight by 7 to 3. The game opened at a swift pace, and was but hardly started when Wisener, of New Glasgow, got his foot cut. He was replaced by Hayman, of Westville. First half ended with score 3 to 3. In the second half the Marlboroughs were more aggressive, and kept the puck in their opponents' territory. They managed to score 4 additional goals, and kept the count of the tally at what it was at the end of the first half.

Winnipeg, Jan. 30.—Which Manitoba League team will go east after the Stanley Cup is the chief topic of conversation. Winnipeggers would like to see the Rowing Club, but the candid ones admit that they would stand no show against the husky Rough Riders. Portage la Prairie have a fair team, but have no lost Kent and Baid, although they claim they have imported better men, and will surprise the talent yet, but no one takes them seriously. They will, however, play the majority of their games. The team that is the Rat Portage Thistles. The betting is 2 to 1 that they will win the cup. They have won their home games by 14 to 2 and 19 to 4, beat the Vis in Winnipeg 5 to 1. One Winnipeg spectator described them as the fastest bunch on skates. They can take and give good checking, and are in the pink of condition. They play a very clean game, and try to avoid being ruled off. They are developing a fine combination. Toronto people know how fast Tom Phillips is, and how fast the Marlboroughs are, their counterpart, while Hooper and McGinnis are nearly Phillips' equals. They have a star forward line, and interchanges with Bellefleur, quite often. While no one needs to mention while Mat Brown at point plays a steady game.

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CROSSINGS AND UNION LABELS

Mr. Lancaster's Measure Brings First Division of the House—Label Registration.

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—In the house today Mr. Lancaster moved for the second reading of his measure to amend the railway act as regards speed of trains, and protection of crossings in villages and towns. He said that the only protection which a railway was obliged to provide at crossings in cities, towns, and villages was such special protection as the railway commission ordered in each special case. Unless a separate application was made and a special order procured from the commission, the railway company could run over and kill you as often as they liked, declared Mr. Lancaster. His amendment would provide that in the thickly settled portions of cities, towns and incorporated villages trains shall not run at a greater speed than ten miles an hour, unless the track is fenced and the crossing properly protected. According to the amendment the crossing must be properly watched, or gates, or cue run at a speed of less than ten miles an hour.

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