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ANOTHER MAN.

It was a blustering wet night, with a gray sky above and muddy roads underfoot. The wind tore unsteadily between the trees and across the square, a cold, damp wind bringing with it heavy splashes of rain.

Under one of the trees in the square close against the railings stood a man and a girl.

The girl looked poor and ill-clad, with a white, thin face that had in it a look almost of desperation.

The man was tall and strong and well dressed, with an eager, keen-cut face, and he held out his hands as he looked into the girl's eyes.

"If you only would, Bessie," he cried, "I'm well off, I could take care of you, and I would—your know that. I'd give you my life."

Bessie drew away, but she smiled up at him.

"Yes, I know, Tom," she said softly, "and if I hadn't promised George—"

Tom took a sudden step forward.

"Is it only because you promised?" he cried eagerly. "Is it only because you think it's your duty to go to George that you won't marry me? My goodness, Bessie, you're not going to marry him just because you said you would, are you?"

"No, no, but I must go out to him," she said. "He wants me. If I had the money I should have started two months ago. I promised him I'd go directly he sent for me. Oh, it seems such a long time ago, Tom, since he went. It's a year, but it seems much longer, and father hadn't died then, and—"

Tom Standish looked down at her. A year ago she had not been the poor girl she was now. In twelve short months many changes had taken place. She had become poor, he had grown rich. Her father was dead, and George Fleming, to whom she had been engaged, was out in Australia trying to make a living so that she could go out to him.

Eighteen months before Tom Standish and George Fleming had both been in love with Bessie Leigh. In those days her father was supposed to be a rich man, and somehow, while Tom hesitated at the thought of proposing to her while he was poor, George had stepped in and won, much against her father's wish. A few months later he had gone out to Australia, and a short time after that Bessie's father died suddenly, leaving her, not rich, as every one expected, but absolutely and terribly poor.

She would have been utterly adrift if it had not been for Tom Standish, and he managed somehow to get for her a post as nursery governess to some people he knew. If it had not been for that she might have starved. She had been in the situation for two months—it was only three since her father died—and her sole thought now was to get out to Australia to George, who had begged her to go to him as soon as she could.

That letter was the last she had received from him. It was a long letter, full of what he was going to do, and somehow it filled Tom Standish with distrust.

"You haven't heard again, I suppose?" he asked.

Bessie flinched a little.

"No," she said. "I haven't heard, but I've written telling him what boat I'm going by, and—the date and all about it, so that I shall probably get a letter in a day or two. There's a mail on Wednesday."

"But supposing you don't hear?" Tom cried abruptly.

Bessie lifted her head bravely.

"I shall go whether I hear or not," she said steadily.

Tom looked down at her hungrily. If only she had given such faith to him. If only he had been the man who was waiting for her out in Australia.

His brow darkened a little as he remembered and doubted. For two months the man whose wife was going to be had not written. It was outrageous to Tom and full of ugly possibilities. He remembered that when George had sailed Bessie's father had been alive and it was supposed—rich, and it could have been only within the last three months that he had heard that he was not. Could that account for his silence, Tom wondered? Could the poor Bessie Leigh who was working so hard for her living be a different person to George Fleming because of it?

Almost unconsciously Tom's fingers clenched.

"But, Bessie," he cried, "you can't go unless you know—unless he knows and expects you."

Bessie lifted her head. There were sudden tears in her eyes. He could not see them in the dark night, but he could see how white her face was.

"He will expect me," she said quietly, "and even if I don't hear I shall go."

Tom stared at her.

"Bessie, Bessie," he cried suddenly, "I wish it was me you were going to. I wish I could do something to make certain that you were going to be happy."

He stopped. Bessie looked up again.

"But I am, Tom," she cried. "I shall be happy."

Tom took her hands.

"I wish I could do something for you," he repeated. "Are you sure about money? You mustn't mind me mentioning it. I'm an old friend, Bess, and if I could I should like you to go first-class, dear. Shall I—could I—"

She drew her hand away. Her face had whitened again strangely.

"Oh no, no, Tom," she cried. "You're very good to me, but I am all right—yes, yes, thank you, Tom. I shall be all right and happy."

She spoke bravely, but all the same she shivered a little as she turned away, and to her from out of the blustering night there seemed to come a swift presentation of evil. Why did she still cling to George Fleming?

She half hesitated. Tom beside her was so strong and true and loyal, so willing to help her, so ready to shield her, and Australia seemed so far away, and in spite of herself George's silence was worrying her. She could not understand him. She was almost afraid, and yet she had promised to go, and she would keep her word whatever came, unless indeed he wrote to tell her he did not want her. He did want her. She assured herself almost fiercely that he did, as she went back across the wet road. And yet before she pulled the bell she stood and looked back across the square with a sudden strange shrinking from the long journey before her.

Tom still stood by the railings. He was watching her, and perhaps it would be the last glimpse they ever had of each other.

She turned again quickly with an old sob in her breath and leaned helplessly against the door.

The housemaid who opened it a minute later thought she looked strange and shrunken and pitiful as she stepped into the light.

II.

Tom Standish stood on deck with his eyes turned to a little white patch with the sun upon it in the distance and with the salt spray beating in his face.

It was a warm, bright morning, and all the vessel was astir with excitement, for they were nearing the land at last, and the little white far-off patch was Australia.

Tom stared out impatiently through his glasses, blind and deaf to everything around him. He was heartily disappointed and long waiting, and somehow he was afraid.

When he had gone on the boat at Southampton his sole thought was to avoid being seen until they were some miles out. He did not want Bessie to know that he was following her lest she should be angry and make him go back, and he had gone quietly down to his cabin until they were almost out of sight of land.

Then he began to search the ship. She had given him the name of the boat and the date of sailing, and so surely there could have been no mistake. Yet search as he might among the crowd of passengers he could catch no glimpse of Bessie's face. She was not there. He searched everywhere—in the steerage among the third-class passengers, in every hole and corner, and yet from the day they sailed until now he had not once seen her.

At the first place they had touched he had both wired and written to the lady whose children she had taught, but the only reply was a telegram at the next stopping place saying that Bessie had left them on the date she said, and that they had supposed she was on her way to Australia.

After that the only thing left for Tom to do was to wait with sickening impatience for their arrival at Melbourne. When they did, and the great boat was drawn up alongside the quay, he scanned the faces of the passengers, as he had scanned them a hundred times before, and still failed to see Bessie among them.

He hurried off, more worried and anxious than he would have cared to own. Had she started after all? Had she ever meant to start?

Sometimes the thought forced itself upon him that she had not intended to come out after all. Yet it was not like Bessie, and where she was now he dared not think.

He hurried along the Melbourne streets toward George Fleming's lodgings. He noted nothing as he went except the direction given him by a policeman, and when he reached it at last he waited impatiently for some one to come.

The woman who opened the door stared at him curiously. There was no one named Fleming there, she said; he had left more than a month ago. There were some letters for him, and she did not know where to send them.

Tom asked to see them, and when she brought them to him his heart sank, for they were Bessie's letters.

He asked one other question—if Bessie had called—and then turned away.

A minute later an idea occurred to him, and he knocked at the door again.

"If any one should come—especially if it be a young lady—will you give her this and tell her I'm here? There's a hotel at the corner of the street. I'm putting up there. Will you, tell her?"

The woman nodded and took his card and he went slowly down the street to the hotel. He walked with bent head and knit brows. Was he a fool after all to come? Had Bessie arranged to come by a different boat or for Fleming to meet her some where else; or had something ugly happened—had Fleming deserted her?

It looked like it, and he could not rest. He went again to the lodgings late at night, and this time the woman nodded at him knowingly.

"So I suppose it's all right by this time, eh, sir?" she asked. "I suppose you saw her?"

Tom was startled.

"Who?" he cried sharply, "not Miss Leigh?"

"Of course, sir, who else? She came just after you'd gone—and very white and thin she looked, sir, and she was taken aback when she heard Mr. Fleming wasn't here. I thought it best to take her in and give her some tea, sir."

"Yes, yes," cried Tom, impatiently, "and then—what did she do then?"

The woman looked at him curiously.

"Do you mean to say as you haven't seen her?" she asked.

"No, I haven't," cried Tom, quickly.

"But go on—what then?"

"Then," said the woman, "well, when she was a bit more composed like she began to ask me about him. I told her all I knew—that he went two months ago, and she told me she'd come over as a stewardess on board a ship—the Amazon I think she said, and I expect that's it, for it came in this afternoon, so I heard."

Tom started. It was his boat, and he had been on it the whole time.

"Well, well," he cried, "and then?"

"Well, then I told her about you and gave her your card, and she just started up as if she had a shock, and went without so much as taking her letters."

"Went—gone?" cried Tom.

"She went straight out," said the woman. "A queer little mortal as ever I see. She went without a word!"

For a fortnight Tom searched the city and hung about the docks, but his efforts proved fruitless and he advertised in vain. Bessie had been swallowed up in the surging crowd that filled the streets, and was apparently lost to him forever. Every now and then he called at Fleming's old address, but the woman had heard nothing.

He had almost given up hope when a strange thing happened. Life is full of strange events, and the more one looks under the surface of things the more dramatic we find it.

About three weeks after the arrival of the boat Tom was walking in the direction of the docks when he suddenly became aware that a man and woman in front of him were quarreling. They both seemed drunk, and he was about to pass on when something in the appearance of the man arrested his attention.

He stood still. It was Fleming! He was flushed and excited, and he looked coarse, disheveled, and disreputable, and the woman with him was evidently his wife. Tom stared at her and felt a shock of thankful surprise. It was not Bessie.

The two began to quarrel violently and Fleming suddenly doubled his fists.

Then Tom stepped forward. As he did so he was checked by the sight of a girl on the pavement crouching against a wall.

He looked at her, caught his breath, and hurried toward her, placing himself between her and the two who were beginning to scuffle.

"Bessie," he cried, "Bessie, come away. Come along, darling. Come away."

He took her back to his hotel, poor and half-starved as she was, heedless of the feelings of the outraged proprietress, and engaged a private sitting room. He cared for nothing but Bessie, and when she broke down sobbing in his arms an odd thrill went through him.

"Bessie," he cried, "I am going to take care of you whether you like it or not now. You can't take care of yourself it seems, and you'll have to accept me. If you want to go back to England you shall go; if you want to stop here you shall stop; but at least I'm going to see that you don't starve."

Bessie looked up at him with a thin, woebegone face.

"I'm ashamed of myself," she cried. "I've been wicked and ungrateful to you. Oh, Tom, forgive me. I knew you were on the boat, but I was working my way over as stewardess, and I dreaded the thought of your seeing me. Oh, Tom, forgive me."

"I'll forgive you anything if you'll marry me," he said. She hesitated.

"I can't now—like this," she cried. "It would be so easy—such a simple way to provide for myself. Oh, Tom, I can't. I must find some other way of repaying you."

He caught her to him passionately.

"There is no other way," he cried. "Bessie, my darling, I've got you and I mean to keep you. Only try to care for me a little bit and I shall be content, sweetheart."

She did try, and succeeded so well that they have both forgotten that there ever was another man—Anne O. Tibbits, in Tatler.

Cotton Overcasts.

The telegraphic announcement the present week that well-known New England woolen mills are about to extend the use of mercerized cotton in their manufactures will cause no surprise to those who have followed the trend of affairs in wool and worsted manufacture of late years. The use of combed and carded cotton yarns that have been treated with caustic soda, which is the basic principle in mercerizing, or lustering, to take the place of the silk stripe in fancy goods as well as a substitute for worsted in making the entire fabric, has grown apace the past two years, and is evidently meeting a want that has been unsupplied heretofore. Mention was made in these columns some years ago of a consignment of Gray worsteds that were sent here by the Bradford manufacturers in which there was no particle of wool, warp and filling alike consisting of long-staple cotton, so manipulated in the weaving and finishing as to deceive even the expert buyers.

Large numbers of lightweight overcasts were said to have been made from this material, and found a ready sale in this and other markets. The domestic manufacturers are doing now what the English makers did then, but are extending their field into the lighter weight goods for men's wear.—Boston Transcript.

At the recent meeting of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, which was held at Bath, the discovery of the properties of a new compound was announced, which was said to be of great importance in the study of heat in early man.

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