



# NOTHING

THE SOUTHERN STORY OF ANTE BELLUM DAYS, BY JEANNETTE H. WALWORTH.

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"Or need. I think Colonel Strong is doing wrong, very wrong indeed, in breaking down the barriers in this way. What will that poor boy do with the education he has spent four year in acquiring when he goes back to the plantation?"

"He need not necessarily go back to the plantation. The world is not bounded by Colonel Strong's plantation fence. Let him strike out for himself."

Mrs. Maginnis fixed a troubled gaze on the heaped cold tongue on the tombstone. Mrs. Fitzwilliams' last remark struck her as revolutionary. She was sorry to hear such views advocated in Shingleton. It pained her doubly to hear them from the lips of her own sister-in-law.

"Well, if this theft is traced to the door of that overseer's son it will go a long way toward proving the folly of any attempt to educate the masses. Perhaps it may be as you say, the world is not bounded by Colonel Strong's plantation fence, but I still contend that it was a very uncalculated pulling down of social fences for him to have sent his own grandson and his overseer's son here on a footing of social equality that cannot possibly be maintained when they go home."

"The boys are devoted to each other."

"Now—yes, perhaps."

"Lawyer Seephar is to address the boys on the subject of those robberies when the exercises are over. I told Henriette to wave her handkerchief as soon as he took the stand. I don't care to go inside before."

"Nor I. I confess one does tire of the dear boys when one has been listening to them straight along for 15 unchanging years."

In due season a white handkerchief fluttered briefly in one of the open windows. Mrs. Fitzwilliams spread a pink mosquito bar carefully over the lemonade barrel and Mrs. Maginnis secured the cold tongue against the possible depredations of flies and spiders. Then they were ready for the church.

"Keep your eye on that Martin boy, Nell, while old Seephar is scoring the boys, and I will too. We will compare notes afterward."

With this understanding the amateur detectives separated, each passing by a different aisle well up toward the hydrengas and the sunflowers that were making a brilliant halo about Counselor Seephar's sternly intellectual face.

Each seated herself where she could get an unobstructed view of the valedictorian's face. He was seated on the front form, this overseer's son, who, by right of his plebeian extraction and so-

now roving festively among the tops of the cedars that tapped the window frames with their dark fingers. From an ivory whiteness, that had lent a fine touch of intellectuality to his features, his complexion had turned to a crimson bordering on purplish. Occasional movements of a long, nervous hand to his necktie suggested physical discomfort in that region. His handkerchief went often to his brow. Mrs. Maginnis telegraphed Mrs. Fitzwilliams with her eyes:

"Did you ever see guilt more plainly revealed?"

But Lawyer Seephar's ringing voice imperatively demanded undivided attention:

"In conclusion, young gentlemen, I have this to say: I make no apology for addressing you on the law of testimony. You know well what directed my choice of subjects this morning. A crime has been committed, and some of you know by whom. If the knowledge could be traced home to you, you would, by the law of your state, be liable to imprisonment for failure to testify. As it is, I leave it to your own consciences. That you cannot elude. And if it succeeds in convincing you that it is your duty as men of honor to shield one guilty man and permit suspicion to rest on a score or two of innocent ones, all I have to say is that it is a miserable, paltry, lying conscience that will stand you in poor stead when you leave the sheltering arms of your alma mater and go out to an inevitable hand to hand struggle with the power of evil lying in wait for you in the world."

(To be Continued.)

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In the matter of the Charlottetown Gas Light Company and the Distribution of its Assets among the Shareholders.

To Reverend Ralph Brecken, of Sackville, New Brunswick, Executor of the late Ralph Brecken; Edgar Hubert Beer, of Charlottetown, Executor of George R. Beer; Frank D. Beer, of Charlottetown Medical Doctor; Edward Bayfield, of Charlottetown Executor and Trustee of Henry W. Bayfield; Andrew A. McDonald, of Charlottetown, Executor of Owen Connolly; Francis L. Hazzard, of Charlottetown, Representative of the Estate of the late Charles Hensley; Henry R. Lordy, of Charlottetown; Hugh Monaghan, of Charlottetown; Thomas Handraban, of Charlottetown, Trustee for Panny Leigh; and William A. Weeks, the younger, of Charlottetown, Executor of the late William Weeks, AND OTHER Shareholders in the said Company; AND TO ALL REPRESENTATIVES, AGENTS and TRUSTEES for deceased or absent Shareholders:

These are to require you and each of you and all every other person or persons interested, or claiming to be interested in the said Company, as Shareholder of Representative, Agent, Trustee or Agent or Shareholders, to appear before me, Rowen Robert Fitzgerald, Vice Chancellor, in Charlottetown, at the Court of the Vice Chancellor, on Thursday, the Twenty-eight day of July, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause why an account should not be taken of the affairs of the Company, and of its debts, property and assets, and why a sum of money now in the hands of the directors, the proceeds of the sale of property of the said Company, and all other the assets of the said Company hereafter to be realized, should not be divided among the shareholders and others interested therein, or having claims thereto, as soon as can be, and why a decree should not be made declaring the rights of shareholders between themselves and their respective rights, and directing the mode of dividing and paying out such assets among shareholders and creditors of the company, and the payment of costs incident to the said proceedings. All persons interested are hereby notified that a decree to be made in the premises shall be final, and that all persons not making claim at the time and place aforesaid shall be barred from any right or claim not allowed by such decree. You are further notified that a petition has been filed by the directors of the said Company with the Registrar of the Court of Chancery in Charlottetown setting forth the names of shareholders and their respective shares as far as known, and other facts in connection with the affairs of the Company pursuant to the Act of the Legislature, intitled "An Act to Facilitate the Liquidation of the Affairs of the Charlottetown Gas Light Company." You and each of you are further notified that in default of your appearance at the time and place aforesaid the hearing of the matter of said petition will proceed, and a decision will be made by which you will be as effectually bound as if you had appeared.

Dated at Charlottetown this Eighteenth day of June, A. D. 1898.

(Sgd) R. R. FITZGERALD, Vice Chancellor.

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