

# "CINDERELLA'S DAUGHTER"

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## The Charm of Eighteen

### SYNOPSIS

Virginia West when she enters boarding school is a child, but association with Kathleen Foster, one of the older girls, influences her in a great many ways and at the Christmas holidays Mrs. West finds Virginia grown up. Both Virginia and Kathleen have become interested in two men from Grant College. In fact Kathleen claims that she is engaged.

JIMMY ANDERSON and Bill Lyons accepted Mrs. West's dinner invitation with alacrity. Virginia was quite wild with excitement and grateful in the extreme to her mother for planning the affair. The afternoon before the dinner Mrs. West went to Virginia's room directly after lunch and asked her what she was going to wear. Kathleen, who had gone out to lunch with a friend of her mother's who was in town for the holidays, was not present. "I'd wear the little yellow dress if I were you," Mrs. West said, smilingly. "But Mother, I look so young in that," Virginia protested. "Don't you want to look young?" Mrs. West's voice was amused. "When you get to be as old as I am, you'll want to wear frocks that make you look as young as possible. By the way, what is Kathleen going to wear?"

"I don't know." "Well, I hope it is something simple. Kathleen's taste is apt to run to the extreme. That hat with the aigrette is much too old for her. Why is it that you girls of your age and I make yourselves as old as you can?" "Why Mother, I don't think that hat is too old. Kathleen looks stunning in it. It just suits her." Mrs. West laughed. That the hat suited Kathleen, was no doubt true, and if Mrs. West had known that that young woman was planning to wear the dress that had been forbidden at school, there is no doubt of the fact that she would have been surprised. But, talking for granted that Kathleen would have simple school frocks, and inasmuch as the girl did not come in till after 4 o'clock, Mrs. West made no further inquiries and it was not till she saw the girl in the living-room talking to Mr. Allen that she saw Kathleen dressed for dinner.

Mr. Allen, taking advantage of his old friendship with the family, was the first to arrive, and Kathleen, in her very extreme frock, had turned the battery of her eyes full upon him. When Mrs. West found them, he was quite obviously fascinated, and even Mrs. West, in pink chiffon with her blonde head carefully concealed, could not cope with this radiant young thing who was youth personified.

When Virginia came in she knew that her mother was provoked at something. In fact, something had told Virginia when she saw Kathleen get the dress out that Mrs. West would not like it and she had told Kathleen so. "You know they wouldn't let you wear it at school." "But we are not at school now." "I know, but you look so old." "And why not if I want to and don't mind my age?" And she had laughed and had worn the dress.

The arrival of the two other guests gave Virginia no opportunity to speak to her mother, and besides she had eyes for no one but Jimmy when he came into the room. She did not even notice until they were seated at the candle-lighted table that Mr. Allen was seating Kathleen and that Bill was doing the same for Mrs. West. Over the bowl of flowers in the center of the table, Virginia saw her mother's eyes glint

dangerously. It made the girl uncomfortable and took away much of her own enjoyment, but she was too radiant to be unhappy for long. Bill Lyons was very silent during the meal. Kathleen hardly spoke to him, in fact she sat with one smooth shoulder almost constantly turned in his direction, while she chatted with Mr. Allen. Virginia and Jimmy were quite absorbed in each other and saw very little of what was going on about them. Jimmy was quite flagrantly making love to Virginia. He was dead in earnest and was making the most of his opportunity. He was quite sure that he wanted to marry this girl and his eyes told her so every time she looked into them. For Virginia, the dinner was a success, even though she could not help feeling the undercurrent of displeasure and she disapproved violently of Kathleen's treatment of Bill.

Afterward she spoke to Kathleen as they stood together for a moment. "You're treating Bill terribly, and Mother doesn't like it." Kathleen shrugged her shoulders and turned toward Mr. Allen, but instead she met Bill's eyes and saw that Mr. Allen had gone into the library with Mrs. West.

(Tomorrow, Jimmy Asks Virginia to Marry Him.)

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The program was made up of two old favorites, the Leonore Overture, No.

3, of Beethoven, and the wonderfully rhythmic and highly colored symphonic suite "Sheherazade," of Rimsky-Korsakoff. Both were finely performed, both with regard to tone and shading, and all the numerous solo instruments of the last-named number covered themselves with glory.

The soloist of the concert was Thaddeus Rich, concertmaster of the orchestra, who played the D minor concerto for violin of Vieuxtemps. Mr. Rich played with his usual beauty of tone and sureness of intonation. The concerto is not one of the greatest in the literature of the violin with orchestral accompaniment, but it is thoroughly violinistic and really well exhausts the technical possibilities of the instrument, although it makes no great demands of sentiment or intellect, either from player or hearer. Mr. Rich was warmly applauded after his fine rendition of the concerto.

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