

THE MASTER OF MAN :-: By Sir Hall Caine

An Outspoken and Moving Study of a Deep Sex Problem by the Noted Author of "The Waxman," "The Deemster," "The Eternal City," "The Woman Thou Gavest Me," Etc.

PERSONS OF THE STORY
VICTOR STOWELL—Chief judge of the Isle of Man. In his later years a man of great power and influence.



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From that time forward the justice went about like a criminal. He stayed at home the following day to think out his plans.

His first idea was to use the man who was a simple soul and had obligations to his family. But he abandoned this thought rather from fear of the old man's garrulous tongue than from qualms of conscience.

It was Tuesday, and Bessie Collier had been fixed for the Monday following. But she had passed without bringing a letter thought to him.

As the time approached for the execution his agitation increased, and on Thursday night also he tossed about, thinking, thinking. At length he remembered something.

On Friday morning he was in the jailer's room. It had been the gunroom of the castle and was being used with souvenirs of earlier times.

But as soon as the jailer had disappeared he turned rapidly to the Deemster's door and had opened it and stepped out and closed it behind him before the jailer and Fenella had emerged.

It was done! Light had fallen on him at last. Now he knew how Bessie Collier was to escape from Castle Rushen.

But it was not enough that Bessie should escape from her prison; she must escape from the island also; and to do so by means of the regular steam packet from Douglas to England was impossible.

Next morning, under pretext of the Deemster's fortnightly Court at Douglas and of important business to do before it, Stowell broke in by the light of a lamp and the crackling of a fire, and set out in his car for Peel.

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The fish market was on the quay, and what do you say to a party passing from the Monday. Fifty-five shillings! Thank you, Mr. Fenella! My purse is empty.

By the time he returned the auction was over. The pier was empty and nobody was in sight except the Irish captain who was standing on the deck of his ship by the side of the cabin companion.

After another look to right and left, Stowell stepped on to the steamer and followed the captain to his cabin. When he came on deck, half an hour later, his face was flushed.

At that moment there was the clang of a bell. "There she is, I'll go haul," said the jailer, and snatching a big key from the keyboard he turned to go.

In the collapse of his better nature Stowell was afraid to meet Fenella, knowing well she would see through him.

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Stowell, who had drawn up his car, saw a man standing at the back of the man's fishing boat. How had he come there? That man's fishing boat did not go out on Saturday or Sunday.

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