## NOBODY'S MAN By E. Phillips Oppenheim

appeared.
LADY JANE PARTINGTON—Andrew's nearest neighbor, who sires has interest greatly
after his separation from his calculating
wife. Though the daughter of a Duke,
she is somewhat socialistic conducting her
estate, on, such principles. She is in love

NORA MIALL a fascinating young feminist and radical, in love with Dartrey. MILLER-a coarse-grained radical.

#### CHAPTER VIII

W with a wonderful sense of well-being at the back of his mind, was on his feet in the House of Commons on the foldebate on the compensation clauses of Government, Dartrey sat at tea in Nora's study. Nora, who had had a very husy day, was leaning back in her chair, well content though a little fatigued. Dartrey, who had forgotten his lunch in the stress of work, was devoting the stress of work, was devoting the stress of work. ing himself to the muffins.

She made him a little bow.

Your dinner party was a great suc-'Was it?" he murmured, a little "I am not quite so sure.

I can't seem to get at Tallente, some-"He is doing his work well, isn't lige.

satisfactory." Dartrey confessed. "He is the most perfect parliamentarian machine that was ever evolved." that is exactly what you "Surely that is exactly what you "I can't seem to get on with Talwant? You were always complaining that there was no one to bring the that there was no one to bring the "I am sorry." Dartrey regretted.
"You'll have to try, Miller. We can't

"For the present," Dartrey admit"For the present," Dartrey admit"Try? I have tried," was the imfarther into the future."

a fine, broad outlook, but no man can see into every corner of the earth, and see into every corner of the earth, and is outside his outlook does not that Tallente himself would lay "Anything else?"

"He is not happy in his work. There

her visitor a little diffidently. "I can help you to understand An-"I can help you to understand Andrew Tallente," she declared. "His condition is the greatest of all tributes to my sex. He has had an unhappy married life. From forty to fifty he has borne it philosophically as a man may.

This is rubbish. Miller," he pronounced. "It is you who are to blame for attaching the slightest importance to these trifles." "Trifles:" Miller growled. "Within borne it philosophically as a man may.

Now the reaction has come. With the a very short time, Dartrey, this question will have to be settled. Does Talsuddenly terrified for the things he is lente know that I am promised a seat

Dartrey was thoughtful.

attracted by you."

"I like him immensely," she con-adicted vigorously, "If I weren't "You won't forget how I stand?" tradicted vigorously.

could find it perfectly easy to try to destination.

"No one ake life a different place for him."

"No one has ever yet accused me of the looked at her with trouble in his breaking my word," was the somewhat ind eye. It was as though he had chilly rejoinder. "You shall have your and eye. It was as though he had chilly rejoinder, suddenly stumbled upon a tragedy. I have never guessed this about you.

"Thave never guessed this about you."

Nora." he murmured.
"You are not observant of small things, "she answered, a little bitterly "Who is the man?"
"That I shall not tell you."
"Do I know him?"
"Less. I should say, than any one of "Less. I should say, than any one of "Loss I should say, than any one of "Little Benny's Note Book"

Jour acquaintance.

He was silent for a moment of two. Then it chanced that the telephone rang for him, with a message from the House of Commons. He gave some instruc-

tions to his secretary.
"It is a queer thing." he remarked. days and I never guessed.

until one part of ourselves conquers and the other loses. It is rather like that just now with Andrew Tallente. A tew more years and it will probably be like that with me."

He threw his the state of the content of t

He dident make you late for suppir, did he? pop sed.

No sir, but wats you think, pop, something fearse happened to him. I bet you now now a pop now nora.

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No sir, but wats you think, pop, something fearse happened to him. I bet you cant gess wat. I sed.

I can gess wy youre late, though

fingers upon the table, his eyes fixed upon Nora.

"Tallente's position," he said thoughtfully, "one can understand. He is married, isn't he, and with all the splendid breadth of his intellectual outlook he is still harassed by the social fetters of his birth and bringing up. I can conceive Tallente as a person too high minded to seek to evade the law and too scornful for intrigue. But you, Nora, how is it that your love brings you unhappiness? You are young and free, and surely," he concluded, with a little sigh, "when you choose you can make yourself irresistible."

She looked at him with a peculiar light in her eyes, "I have proved myself year for feet."

I have proved myself very far from to my desirability. I enjoy with him and dislocated his shoulder trying not most impersonal friendship in which to sprane his ankle.

Action Carlotte St. S.

WHO'S WHO IN THE STORY

ANDREW TALLENTE—brilliant statesman, approaching middle age, but still young in spirit. Defeated for Parlianent, he becomes interested in a new political party aiming at co-operation of capital and labor for the public welfare, and is its choice for Premier.

MRS. TALLENTE—who has married Andrew to forward social ambitions, trading her great wealth for his political prestice. Furious at his declining a peerage, she plots with his secretary, Anthony Political, in whom she has a continental interest.

ANTHONY PALLIESEE—who has stolen valuable political papers from Andrew, and wable political papers from Andrew, and who, after a quarrel, has mysteriously disappeared.

dum book.

"On Sunday night?"

"At 8 o'clock," she said. "You won't mind a simple dinner, I know. I can promise you that you will be interested. My friend is worth knowing." stephan Dartrey—the great Labor-Liberal chief, a stateman, but without ability cal chief, a stateman, but without ability can a party leader, for which he picks Talbered an appointment at his committee rooms and went off with his mind full of the troubles of a northern constitu-ency. On his way up Parliament street he met Miller, who turned and walked

CHAPTER Tallente, rejuvenated and curtly.

"No. Is there any?" was the quick

eply. "Tallente's broken the truce." Miller lowing afternoon, leading an unex-lowing afternoon, leading an unex-lowing afternoon, leading an unex-lowing afternoon, leading an unex-debate on the compensation clauses of

"Tallente is a most wonderful tacti-in." he said. "This is the second "While I think of it." he said. "let time he's forced the Government into a hole. Herlock will never last the sestion, at this rate."

"There are rumors of a resignation, of course," Miller went on, "but they aren't likely to go out on a snatched division like this."
"We don't want them to." Dartrey

cort of thing is weakening their pres-tige. We shall be ready to give them their coup de grace in about four "The mechanical side of it is most months."

The two men were stlent for a mo-

ment. Then Miller spoke again a little

abruptly.

"For the present, Darries I "Try? I have tried," was the im-ted. "Tallente is doing excellently, I "Try? I have tried," was the im-ted. "Tallente may have his points, but nature never meant him his points, but nature never meant him orter into the future.

Ortell me exactly what fault you find bound in convention and tradition. with him?" Nora persisted.

"He lacks enthusiam already. He makes none of the mistakes which are coincident with genius and he is a little intolerant. He takes no trouble to intolerant. He takes no trouble to dant himself to varying views. He has dant himself to varying views. He has couldook, Miller, his chief expostulated.

"Stress upon them? Damn it, I'm as good as he is!" Miller exclaimed irritably. "There's no harm in Tal-"He is not happy in his work. There is something wanting in his scheme of life. I have built a ladder for him to climb. I have given him the chance of ld object to is his bringing the manclimb. I have given that the bad some of to-becoming the greatest statesman of ther ambition."
Nora sighed. She looked across at am doing the wrong thing and that I am doing the wrong thing and that he knows it."

in his Cabinet?

"I think that he must surmise it." mitted, "but if he needs an Aspasia, Miller declared acidly, "Tallente surely she could be found?" unbend all right when he likes. Nora rested her head upon her fingers. She seemed to be watching intently the dancing flames. Her broad, womanly forehead was troubled, her soft brown eyes pensive.

"He is fifty years old," she said. "It articles the fifty years old," she said. "It who has even had a day's sakeling the found of those men had a day's sakeling the fifty years old." "He is fifty years old." she said. "It is rather an anomalous age. At fifty a man's taste is almost hypercritical and his attraction to my sex is on the wane. No, the problem isn't so easy."

Dartrey had finished tea and was feeling for his cigarette case.
"I rather fancied, Nora, that he was attracted by you."

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and yet there isn't one of those men who has ever worn anything but ready-made clothes. He leaves his starch off when he's with them. What's the matter with me. I should like to know? I'm a college man, even though I did go as an exhibitioner. I was a school teacher when those fellows were wielding tightness."

"I rather fancied, Nora, that he was attracted by you."

"Well, he isn't, then." she replied, with a smile. "He was rather by way of thinking that he was, the other night but that was simply occurse he was in feuriously unsettled state and he felt that I was sympathetic."

"You are a very clever woman, Nora," he said, looking across at her. "You could make him care for you if you chose."

"Is that to be my sacrifice to the cause?" she asked. "Am I to give my soul to its wrong keeper that our party may flourish?"

"You don't like Tallente?"

"I like him immensely." she constitute peevish, Miller," he said. "As soon as any definite difference of opinion and the constant and profiless climax. Then he remembered the million or so of people of Miller's own class and way of thinking, to whom he was a leading light, and he choked back the words.

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hopelessly in love with some one else, I Miller persisted, as they reached their

Note Book

By Lee Pape

I was late for suppir agen yestidday. As he replaced the receiver, "how far our daily work and our ambitions take I see you day by day, Nora, and I have known you intimately since your school days—and I never guessed."

I was late for suppir agen yestidday, making the 3rd time this week and pop getting madder each time, me thinking on the way home. G. I know. Ill think up some ixciting news to tell pop and take his mind off of me being late.

Wich I started to do, going in the "You never guessed and I have no time to suffer." she answered. "So we until the breaking time comes. "I think, wats you think, pop?

I think youre late agen, pop sed.

Wich I did, not even beying a chance being irrestatible. 'she declared. 'The to say was happened to Padees andle. On for whose love my whole being its Wat have easily to him being that he whing today is also utely unawakened started to she on something slippers ASCO ASCO



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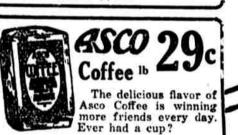
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(Gnillery, Market)

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