## MISCELLANY.

### A NIGHT OF YEARS.

BY GRACE GREENWOOD.

* * * * Some forty years since, in the interior of my beautiful native State, New York, lived the father of our heroine, an honest and respectable farmer. He had but two children—Lucy, a noble girl of nineteen, and Ellen, a year or two younger. The first named was winningly, rather than strikingly beautiful. Under a manner observable for its seriousness, and a non-like serenity, were concealed an impassioned nature, and a heart of the deepest capacity for loving. She was remarkable from her earliest childhood for a voice of thrilling and haunting sweetness.

Ellen Dutton was the brilliant antipodes of her sister; a "born beauty," whose prerogative of prettiness was to have her irresponsible own way, in all things, and at all times. An indulgent father, a weak mother, and an idolizing sister, had all unconsciously contributed to the ruin of a nature not at the first remarkable for strength or generosity.

Where in all God's creatures is heartlessness so seemingly unnatural—is selfishness so detestable, as in a beautiful woman!

Lucy possessed a fine intellect, and as her parents were well reared New Englanders, she and her sister were far better educated than other girls of her station, in that then half settled region of the country. In those days, many engaged in school-teaching, from the honor and pleasure which it afforded, rather than from necessity. Thus, a few months previous to the commencement of our sketch, Lucy Dutton left for the first time her fire-side circle, to take charge of a school, some twenty miles from her native town.

For some while her letters home were expressive only of the happy contentment which sprang from the consciousness of active usefulness, of receiving, while imparting good. But anon there came a change; then were those records for home characterized by fitful gaiety, or dreary sadness; indefinable hopes and fears seemed striving for supremacy in the writer's troubled little heart. Lucy *loved*; but scarcely acknowledged it to herself, while she knew not that she was loved; so, for a time, that beautiful second-birth of woman's nature was like a warm sunrise struggling with the cold mists of morning.

But one day brought a letter which could not soon be forgotten in the home of the absent one—a letter traced by a hand that trembled in sympathy with a heart tumultuous with happiness. Lucy had been wooed and won, and she but waited her parents' approval of her choice, to become the betrothed of young Edwin W——, a man of excellent family and standing in the town where she had been teaching. The father and mother accorded their sanction with many blessings, and Lucy's next letter promised a speedy visit from the lovers.

To such natures as Lucy's what an absorbing, and yet what a revealing of self is a first passion—what a prodigality of giving, what an incalculable wealth of receiving—what a breaking up is there of the deep waters of the soul, and how heaven descends in a sudden star-shower upon life! If there is a season when an angel may look with intense and tenderness interest upon the mortal sister, 'tis when she beholds her heart pass from the bud-like innocence and freshness of girlhood, and taking to its very core the fervid light of love, glow and crimson into perfect womanhood.

At last the plighted lovers came, and welcomes and festivities awaited them. Mr. W—— gave entire satisfaction to father, mother, and even to the exacting "beauty." He was a handsome man, with some pretensions to fashion; but in manner, and apparently in character, the opposite of his betrothed.

It was decided that Lucy should not again leave home till after her marriage, which, at the request of the ardent lover, was to be celebrated within two months, and on the coming birth-day of the bride. It was therefore arranged that Ellen should return with Mr. W——, to——, to take charge of her sister's school for the remainder of the term.

The bridal birth-day had come. It had been ushered in by a May-morning of surpassing loveliness—the busy hours had worn away, and now it was high sunset, and neither the bridegroom nor Ellen, the first bride's maid, had appeared. Yet, in her neat little chamber sat Lucy, nothing doubting, nothing fearing. She was already clad in a simple white muslin, and her few bridal adornments lay on the table beside her. Maria Allen, her second bride's maid, a bright-eyed, affectionate hearted girl, her cousin friend from childhood, was arranging to a more graceful fall, the wealth of light ringlets which swept her snowy neck. To the anxious inquiries of her companion, respecting the absent ones, Lucy ever smiled quietly and replied,—

"Oh, something has happened to detain them awhile—we heard from them the other day, and all was well. They will be here by-and-by, never fear."

Evening came, the guests were all assembled, and yet the "bridegroom tarried." There were whisperings, surmises, and wonderings, and a shadow of anxiety occasionally passed over the fair face of the bride elect. At last, a carriage drove rather slowly to the door. "They are come!" cried many voices, and the next moment the belated bridegroom and Ellen entered. In reply to the hurried and confused inquiries of all around him, Mr. W—— muttered something about "unavoidable delay," and stepping to the sideboard, tossed off a glass of wine, another, and another.—The company stood silent with amazement. Finally a rough old farmer exclaimed, "Better late than never, young man—so lead out the bride."

W—— strode hastily across the room, placed himself by *Ellen*, and took her hand in his! Then, without daring to meet the eye of any about him, he said: "I wish to make an explanation—I am under the painful necessity—that is, I have the pleasure to announce that *I am already married*. The lady whom I hold by the hand is my wife!"

Then turning in an apologetical manner to Mr. and Mrs. Dutton, he added, "I found that I had never loved until I knew your *second* daughter!"

And Lucy! She heard all with strange calmness, then walked steadily forward and confronted her betrayer! Terrible as pale Nemesis herself, she stood before them, and her look pierced like a keen, cold blade into their false hearts. As though to assure herself of the dread reality of the vision, she laid her hand on Ellen's shoulder, and let it glide down her arm—but she touched not Edwin. As those cold fingers neared her, the unhappy wife first gazed into her sister's face; and as she marked the ghastly pallor of her cheek, the distended nostril, the quivering lip, and the intensely mournful eyes, she covered her own face with her hands, and burst into tears, while the young husband, awed by the terrible silence of her be had wronged, gasped for breath, and staggered back against the wall. Then Lucy, clasping her hands on her forehead, first gave voice to her anguish and despair in one fearful cry, which could but ring forever through the souls of that guilty party, and fell in a deathlike swoon at their feet.

After the insensible girl had been removed to her chamber, a stormy scene ensued in the room beneath. The parents and guests were alike enraged against W——: but the tears and prayers of his young wife, the petted beauty and spoiled child, at last softened somewhat the anger of the parents, and an opportunity for an explanation was accorded to the offenders.

A sorry explanation it proved. The gentleman affirmed that the first sight of Ellen's lovely face had weakened the empire of her plainer sister over his affections. Frequent interviews had completed the conquest of his loyalty; but he had been held in check by *honor*, and never told his love, until when on his way to espouse another, in an unguarded moment he had revealed it, and the avowal had called forth an answering acknowledgment from Ellen.

They had thought it best, in order to save pain to Lucy," and prevent opposition from her, and to secure their own happiness, to be married before their arrival at C——.

Lucy remained insensible for some hours. When she revived, and had apparently regained her consciousness, she still maintained her strange silence.—This continued for many weeks, and when it partially passed away, her friends saw with inexpressible grief that her reason had fled—*she was hopelessly insane!* But her madness was of a mild and harmless nature. She was gentle and peaceable as ever, but sighed frequently, and seemed burdened with some great sorrow which she could not herself comprehend. She had one peculiarity, which all who knew her in after years must recollect—this was a wild fear and careful avoidance of *man*. She also seemed possessed of the spirit *unrest*. She could not, she would not be confined, but was continually escaping from her friends, and going they knew not whither.

*To be concluded tomorrow.*

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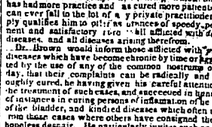

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