

WITHIN THE LAW

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FROM THE PLAY OF BAYARD VEILLER

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CHAPTER VII

Mary, who, with a swift movement caught and held it. "I think," Mary explained tranquilly, "that you had better see our lawyer, Mr. Harris in reference to this. We women know nothing of such details of business settlement."

"Oh, I see," she said disagreeably, with a frown to indicate his complete assent to the premises. "I thought you would, Mr. Irwin," Mary returned. "If you'll take the money to Mr. Harris Miss Lynch will meet you in his office at 4 o'clock this afternoon, and when her suit for damages for breach of promise has been legally settled out of court, you will get the letters. Good afternoon, Mr. Irwin."

"The lawyer made a hurried bow which took in both of the women, and walked quickly toward the door. "Oh, you forgot your marked money, Mr. Irwin," Mary said. The lawyer wheeled and stood staring at the speaker with a certain sheepishness of expression that bore witness to the completeness of his discomfiture. Without a word he walked back to the desk, picked up the money and restored it to the bill case. "Young woman," he said emphatically, "you ought to have been a lawyer."

"Nevertheless," he rejoined, "you know perfectly well that General Hastings never promised to marry this girl. You know—He broke off as Aggie entered the drawing room. Now, the girl was demure in seeming almost beyond belief—a childish creature, very fair and dainty, guileless surely, with those untroubled eyes of blue, those softly curling lips of warm red and the more delicate bloom and the rounded cheeks. There were the charms of innocence and simplicity in her manner as she stepped just within the doorway, when she regarded Mary with a little pleading glance, but under little form poised lightly as if for flight. "Did you want me, dear?" she asked. "Agnes," Mr. Irwin answered affectionately, "this is Mr. Irwin, who has come to see you in behalf of General Hastings."



"We can't afford any scandal."

SULZER TELLS HIS STORY.

Deposed Governor of New York Makes Clean Breast of It.

LOST OUT IN FIGHT WITH THE BOSS.

Inside Lights of Thrilling and Sensational Interest, Showing the Tremendous Sacrifices that Must be Made by Men Who Would Serve the People Rather Than Unscrupulous Ringsters.

During the recent impeachment proceedings Wm. Sulzer wanted to go on the stand and tell the senate a full, frank story of how it all came about. His attorneys, however, argued that since the majority of the senate was made up of hardened ringsters, an unscrupulous as Boss Murphy himself, that a proceeding would be a waste of time. The creatures of the ring would listen and then do the bidding of the boss just as certainly and as surely as if nothing had been said. The best thing it was decided was to let the senate go on with what it had planned to do from the beginning, and after it had done its job, Mr. Sulzer could go into the papers and give the facts to the people. Mr. Sulzer told his story last week in the New York Evening Mail, and as it is well worth reading, it is here reprinted in full.

"At last, thank God, my lips are unsealed. I can now tell the people of New York, who the court that has convicted me would not have allowed me to tell under oath, and which I promised my lawyers not to speak of until the verdict was given. "I was impeached, not because of the offenses with which I was charged, but because I refused to do Charles F. Murphy's bidding, and because, as the records show, I have recently pursued Mr. Murphy's corrupt henchmen in office. The real charge, the real offense, the real ground of quarrel between myself and the corrupt political machine that strove to destroy me, was not a fight about politics, but a naked fight of dishonesty to crush a governor of the state of New York because he dared to be his own master."

"I was offered him money. "Just prior to taking office as governor—either just before Christmas or between Christmas and New Year's I spent an afternoon with Mr. Murphy at his request at his private room at Delmonico's. His attitude was very friendly and confidential. He said he was my friend; that he knew of my financial condition, and wished to help me out. As he went on I was amazed at his knowledge of my intimate personal affairs. "To my astonishment he informed me that he knew that I was heavily in debt. Then he offered me money to pay my debts and have enough left to take things easy while this money was to come from?"

"He said that this was really a party matter and that the money he would give me was party money; that I had been a popular candidate elector and for long months than any other candidate in the nation. He said that nobody would know anything about it, that I could pay what I owed and go to Albany feeling easy financially. He then asked me how much I needed, to whom I owed it, and other personal questions. "As I did not want to be tied hard and fast as governor in advance, I declined Mr. Murphy's offer, saying that I was paying off my debts gradually; that my creditors were friends and nominal ones, and that I would try to get along on my salary as governor. "He repeated his offer of money, saying that it was for the good of the party; that the 'organization' did not want me to be hampered financially, and he (Murphy) would allow me whatever I needed above my salary for my living expenses while I was at Albany. He said that again I refused and then he said: "If you need money at any time let me know, and you can have what you want. We cleaned up a lot of money on your campaign. I can afford to let you have what you want and not hear of these men. "I am telling all this because the people should know just how their elected officials are approached and how they are to be used for the weak side of a man to control him. "McCall and the Service Commission. "Mr. Murphy did not stay in Albany for the presidential election, but he was at the presidential election meeting, and I saw him at the executive mansion. When we reached Judge McCalls house we went upstairs, and I met Mr. Murphy in the front room. We talked over several matters. Judge McCalls was present part of the time. Then we had dinner. "After dinner Mr. Murphy and I discussed matters of a confidential nature regarding appointments. Mr. Murphy urged me to appoint his friend, John Galvin, public service commissioner, in place of Mr. Wilcox, whose term had expired. The subway question was very acute in New York, and great pressure had been brought to bear on me by prominent citizens to reappoint Mr. Wilcox, or let him remain in office until the subway contracts were disposed of. He talked long and earnestly in behalf of Mr. Galvin. "Finally, I suggested as a compromise Judge McCalls. McCalls himself said that he would accept, provided it was agreeable to Mr. Murphy. We discussed the subway question, the public service contracts and various other matters. The hour was getting late, and finally I said that unless Judge McCalls was agreeable to my appointment I would send in the name of Henry Morgenthau to the senate the following Monday night, and if he was not confirmed, of course, Mr. Wilcox would hold over and that would be agreeable to a great many prominent citizens in the city. "Mr. Murphy was agreeable to the appointment of Judge McCalls and it was understood that the judge should send me his resignation by messenger Monday afternoon. "Gaffney or War? "At this meeting, and subsequently, Mr. Murphy demanded from me pledges regarding legislation, and especially concerning the public service, the health department, the labor department, the state hospital commission, and the department of highways. He insisted that George M. Palmer should be appointed chairman and Patrick E. Gaffney, secretary of the public service commission of the Second district. This is the 'Packy' McCabe who is Mr. Murphy's political lieutenant in Albany. "Mr. Murphy further insisted upon having The McManus for labor commissioner, a man named Meyers for highway commissioner, in case I wished to supplant Mr. Reel. Mr. Murphy said that Reel ought to be kept as he was a good man. He said the same thing to me subsequently removed. Mr. Murphy added that if I wished a new commissioner of highways 'Jim' Gaffney was the man. Subsequently he demanded the appointment of Gaffney, and still later a prominent New Yorker, who was a member of the organization bringing the message from Mr. Murphy that it was 'Gaffney or war.' I declined to appoint Gaffney. "This is the Gaffney who, only a few months afterward, on Sept. 18, 1912, in undisputed testimony before the senate court at New York, was shown to have demanded and received \$100,000 in money, (refusing to take a copy of his own deposition) and to have said to the man who Mr. Murphy demanded should be put in a position where he could control the spending of sixty-five millions of the money of the state in road contracts. How could I, how could any man for such a place? How could I face the people after such a surrender? "Shortly after the testimony before Judge McCalls' house in his automobile he and Mr. Murphy accompanied me to the Grand Central station, where I took the train for Albany. "When I removed Reel from the office of commissioner of highways, I was told by Mr. Murphy, who was more determined than ever to secure the place for 'Jim' Gaffney. "I was over the long-distance telephone, Mr. Sulzer. "No, sir. When I saw Mr. Murphy at Delmonico's he said to me, 'I would like to see you in Albany. I will talk over the telephone to him while I was governor.' "Well, I had heard a good deal of the telephone talk between Albany and headquarters in New York, either at Fourteenth street or Delmonico's or Good Garden street. He kept in touch with me over the telephone. I told him at once that I did not care to make your appointment over the telephone. Then he said: 'Well, if I have anything to say to you I will send you a check through some friend in the legislature. I said: 'That will do.' "Under Leash Even in Washington. "About the 5th of March, just after the inauguration of Woodrow Wilson, I was called to the White House. When I came out I met Thos. F. Smith, secretary of Tammany Hall, in front of the White House. He said he knew what I had said to the president and what the president had said to me. I told him I made it a rule never to let the press know anything about my private life. He said that the president had said to me that Mr. Murphy wanted me to meet him and some of the Democrats at the apartment house at the Waldorf Astoria. I told him that I would follow him to the apartment house at 8 o'clock that night. He asked me if I would go to the apartment house. There were present Senator O'Grady, Mr. Murphy, Norman E. Mahoney, and myself. Mr. Murphy led me in Buffalo; Mr. McCormack, the Murphy leader of Brooklyn, Thomas F. Smith and myself. I followed them a very little part in the talk. I had made arrangements to leave for New York with all my baggage, but I was not to go until 8 o'clock. I shook hands with all and bade them good night. "As I went out Mr. Murphy told me he was very anxious to get away to Hot Springs, but didn't want to go until Albany money was arranged. He said that if I would give him assurance that I would appoint his friend 'Jim' Gaffney, commissioner of highways, he would give me \$100,000. I refused, and he said that he would control the immediate spending of \$65,000,000 for good roads, the very same money which has recently uncovered frauds amounting to millions of dollars in twenty-one counties under the road administration. "Mr. Murphy seemed very much aroused. He said he would like to see me, but that he would not go to Albany. He said that if I would appoint Mr. Gaffney I could have my own way regarding other matters. He said that he meant to say that a man like Murphy had the audacity to speak to the governor of New York like that. "Oh, yes. You don't know Murphy, or you wouldn't ask that question. Mr. Murphy assured me that if he was appointed as chief of the highway department that in anything else in the state; that Gaffney was a good all round man; that he would get results; that in my opinion, it would be a mistake to appoint Mr. Gaffney. He said that to appoint Mr. Gaffney, he would have to take to Judge McCalls' house, and also at his own house, a few days before. "If you Don't You'll Be Sorry. "Mr. Murphy said to me, 'I want you to appoint Gaffney. It is an organization matter. I will appreciate it.' I said, 'I will consider all you say about the matter. I want to go slow and get the very best man I can find for the position. I would rather be slow about the appointment than be sorry.' "And he answered: 'If you don't appoint Gaffney you will be sorry. I want you to appoint him. It is an organization matter. I will appreciate it.' I said, 'I will consider all you say about the matter. 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