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MILESTONES

WORKS BY ARNOLD BENNETT

NOVELS

A MAN FROM THE NORTH
ANNA OF THE FIVE TOWNS
LEONORA
A GREAT MAN
SACRED AND PROPANE LOVE
WHOM GOD HATH JOINED
BURIED ALIVE
THE OLD WIVES' TALE
THE GLIMPSE
HELEN WITH THE HIGH HAND
CLAYHANGER
THE CARD
HILDA LESSWAYS

FANTASIAS

THE GRAND BABYLON HOTEL
THE GATES OF WRATH
TERESA OF WATLING STREET
THE LOOT OF CITIES
HUGO
THE GHOST
THE CITY OF PLEASURE

SHORT STORIES

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THE GRIM SMILE OF THE FIVE TOWNS
THE MATADOR OF THE FIVE TOWNS

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HOW TO BECOME AN AUTHOR
THE TRUTH ABOUT AN AUTHOR
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HOW TO LIVE ON TWENTY-FOUR HOURS A DAY
THE HUMAN MACHINE
LITERARY TASTE
THE FEAST OF ST. FRIEND

DRAMA

POLITE FARCES
CUPID AND COMMON SENSE
WHAT THE PUBLIC WANTS
THE HONEYMOON

(In Collaboration with EDEN PHILLPOTTS)

THE SINEWS OF WAR: A ROMANCE
THE STATUE: A ROMANCE

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TO
FRANK VERNON
WHO
HAVING BROUGHT THE AUTHORS TOGETHER
INSTRUCTED THEM TO COLLABORATE IN A PLAY
AND WHO
WHEN THEY HAD OBEYED HIM
PUT THE PLAY ON THE STAGE
WITH AN ART WHICH EVOKED THEIR LIVELIEST GRATITUDE

CHARACTERS IN THE PLAY

JOHN RHEAD
GERTRUDE RHEAD
MRS. RHEAD
SAMUEL SIBLEY
ROSE SIBLEY
NED PYM
EMILY RHEAD
ARTHUR PREECE
NANCY SIBLEY
LORD MONKHURST
THE HONOURABLE MURIEL PYM
RICHARD SIBLEY
THOMPSON
WEBSTER
FOOTMAN

*The Scene is laid throughout in the drawing-room
of a house in Kensington Gore.*

The First Act is in 1860

The Second Act is in 1885

The Third Act is in 1912

CAST OF THE PLAY

AS PRODUCED UNDER THE DIRECTION OF MESSRS.
VEDRENNE AND EADIE AT THE ROYALTY
THEATRE, LONDON, 5TH MARCH, 1912.

ACT I—1860

JOHN RHEAD	...	...	Mr. Dennis Eadie
GERTRUDE RHEAD	...	...	Miss Haidee Wright
MRS. RHEAD	...	...	Miss Mary Relph
SAMUEL SIBLEY	\	...	Mr. Hubert Harben
ROSE SIBLEY	..	...	Miss Mary Jerrold
NED PYM	...	...	Mr. Stanley Logan
THOMPSON	...	...	Mr. Cassels Cobb

ACT II—1885

JOHN RHEAD	...	...	Mr. Dennis Eadie
GERTRUDE RHEAD	...	...	Miss Haidee Wright
ROSE RHEAD	...	...	Miss Mary Jerrold
EMILY RHEAD	...	...	Miss Evelyn Weeden
SAM SIBLEY	...	...	Mr. Hubert Harben
NANCY SIBLEY	...	...	Miss Esme Hubbard
LORD MONKHURST	...	...	Mr. Stanley Logan
ARTHUR PREECE	...	...	Mr. Lionel Atwill
THOMPSON	...	...	Mr. Cassels Cobb

ACT III—1912

SIR JOHN RHEAD	...	...	Mr. Dennis Eadie
GERTRUDE RHEAD	...	...	Miss Haidee Wright
LADY RHEAD	...	...	Miss Mary Jerrold
LADY MONKHURST	...	...	Miss Evelyn Weeden
LORD MONKHURST	...	...	Mr. Owen Nares
THE HON. MURIEL PYM	...	...	Miss Gladys Cooper
NANCY SIBLEY	...	...	Miss Esme Hubbard
RICHARD SIBLEY	...	...	Mr. E. Reginald Malcolm
ARTHUR PREECE	...	...	Mr. Lionel Atwill
WEBSTER...	...	...	Mr. W. Lemmon Warde

THE PLAY PRODUCED BY FRANK VERNON