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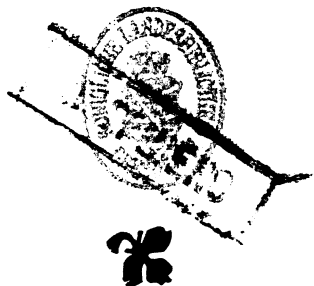
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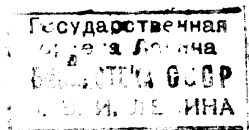
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MY DEAREST FRIEND IN THE WORLD  
BERTHA VYVER  
WHO HAS KNOWN ALL MY LIFE FROM CHILDHOOD  
AND HAS BEEN THE WITNESS OF ALL MY  
LITERARY WORK FROM ITS  
VERY BEGINNING  
THIS SIMPLE STORY  
IS  
GRATEFULLY AND LOVINGLY DEDICATED