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CHAPTER XXVI.

All the county was in a state of excitement over the "Lynne Court Mur der;" but Ralph, in his prison cell was calm enough. How could he be otherwise with Veronica's example before him and with the consciousness of his innocence to uphold him

Mr. Saintsbury had engaged Mr. Selby; the sharpest lawyer in the district, and he had an interview with Ralph a few minutes before the examination.

"I may as well say at once that I am sure you are not guilty, Mr. Farringdon," he said; "but I ought to should have been seen with deceased been heard quarrelling with

"Not quarrelling," said Ralph, "Be sides, one does not stab the man one happens to have a few words with: and if I had done so I should scarcely have been such an idiot as to bury him! I could have said that he was poaching and that I killed him in fair fight!"

The door opened as he was speaking and Mr. Whetstone and Burchett entered. Ralph turned swiftly to meet chett seized it and rung it, resigning it to Mr. Whetstone reluctantly. Mr. Selby looked on keenly.

"You two evidently share my be lief in his innocence," he said.

"Yes, Mr. Selby," said Whetstone, with quiet confidence; while Burchett did not think it necessary to speak. "I came to see if I could do anything: but you are here, and all that can be done will be. I know.

"Burchett, whom do you suspect?" he said, sharply.

Burchett shook his head.

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this it can do for you too. For nearly maketh not ashamed, had gone up go and Sciatica and Lame Back. It is the one remedy that never disap-

associates were. Meanwhile, you friends of Mr. Farringdon's must

He said "Mr." Farringdon, for Ralph in the dark serge suit which he had made—his old clothes had een ruined in the fire-looked "ridiculously like a gentleman," as Mr. Sedby remarked afterwards; and it was difficult for him to remember that his client was only a gamekeep-

"We will do our best, Mr. Selby,"

Mr. Selby nodded and glanced at more refined and aristocratic by his

reast pocket, looked at it and sighed, and handed it to Mr. Selhy.

Whetstone's hand went to heart and he caught his breath "I was right!" he murmured.

"Your mother!" exclaimed Mr. Sel keenly. "Yes! I see the likeness. Who was she? Ah, I remember!

Ralph uttered a cry and stood gaz

Whetstone groaned and went him, but Ralph put out a hand soul craves for solitude, not sym-

"Leave him to me. I'll take care of this portrait," whispered Mr. Selby, and Whetstone and Burchett stole out the lawyer, gravely, "I remembe

To his amazement Ralph turned

ment and went on more gently. "Mr muscles, those sleepless nights and Selby, there is some misttake. Burchett-told me the story of my mother's flight-if she was Janet Burchettbut she was married. I am her law-

> Mr. Selby looked at him keenly. "You have proofs-certificates-Now, who is this?" he broke off, ir-

The turnkey admitted Mr. Saints bury and Veronica: the governor had

What Nerviline can do in a case like ings: Veronica, with the love that the certificate of the marriage and our birth, you have them, of course."

Ralph shook his head. "No," he said, quietly. "They were

Mr. Selby listened intently, but be fore he could say anything, Mr. Saintsbury, who had been looking at the miniature which Selby had handed him, broke in agitatedly:

want a word with you, Mr. Selby." They went outside, and Mr. Saints bury, still struggling with his agitation, caught the lawyer by the arm and, drawing him down the corridor, addressed him in a hurried whisper. "Great Heaven!" exclaimed Mr Selby, for once startled out of his

I am not mistaken, I canot be! I noticed the likeness, though did not trace it at the time; but this niniature- What is to be done?"

"Go to the earl!" replied Mr. Selby, sharply. "Go at once! There is just time. My dog-cart is just outside. with Mr. Farringdon! Heaven and sat just beneath the dock. She met earth, if it should be true! I cannot

"Give me the portrait!" exclaimed Mr. Saintsbury, and, snatching it from while Grey gave his evidence. A Mr. Selby's hand, he ran down the murmur ran round the Court as he

up. He changed color as Mr. Saints-

his hand. "You back in But what is the matter?"

"I've-I've terrible news! And yet -sit down, Lynborough, and for God's sake, keep calm!"

ample!" retorted the earl. "Now

Mr. Saintsbury sank into a and wiped his forehead. "I can't break-it to you-there is no time," he said, painfully. "Lyn-

borough, you remember your mar-"Am I likely to forget it?" was the

stern rejoinder. "Your wife-that sweet girl-why did she leave you?"

"Because I soon grew tired of her and a little ashamed—and she dis-

overed it," was the calm reply "Where-where did she go?" "To Australia, I believe. It does

not matter. She died." "Yes; I received news of her death three months later. I have suffered

emorse every month, every day since She died because she had found out that I was ashamed of having married her. She was a good woman and and sacrificed herself for me. She had kept the secret of our marriage -not even to her own people, to Burchett, to Whetstone, did she disclose the fact that-that she was-the Countess of Lynborough. Can you

"She was alive; she did not die!"

"I cannot think that is true," said

"It is. I saw her. Out there in Australia. She thought you dead and had married again. She must have read the announcement of Lynborough of Haven's death and mistaken

"You-you saw her? When-how ong?" gasped the earl.

"Five years after the marriage. Her husband, the second one, had deserted her, but she was not alone."

"Not alone? Who-who-what do

you mean? A- child?" Saintsbury's lips moved for a moment inaudibly, then he said, husk-

"Yes-a boy. Your son!" The earl sprang to his feet, his face

"My-my son! My son!" he echo

"The carriage, my lord-I beg your lordship's pardon, but I fear your

The earl passed his hand across his row with a bewildered gaze. -Talbot stood in the doorway, and the earl looked at him with a strange expres

stricken old man he was thinking, and

The earl understood and, with

slight inclination of his head, drank

"We must go now; I cannot wait! he said, hoarsely, "After the examination-you must tell me all!"

Saintsbury did not know what to

started and gazed long and steadily at Ralph's pale but calm face. Then the glance sadly, and the tears rose to her eyes, but she turned them to Ralph swiftly and kept them there unfolded as much of the case as was The earl was just starting for the necessary. Already it seemed as if court-house when the dog-cart drove the prisoner's guilt were proven. The knife, the quarrel, his unexplained flight that night! They turned to Mr. "George!" he cried, and held out Selby eagerly, but almost pityingly, England! for what defense had he?

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