We were all poor in our little village, poor that we had not enough black ter, and so as he passed I called to him but some were poorer than others-30 poor that we had not enough black bread to eat—so poor that when the It will be best for her, I said. It

the fire-place, all was as clean as it could have been in a palace; but she had hard as well? he said. work to fill those two o'd mouths and

to do it.

The lady at the great house bought her fax, and paid well for it. But, after all, Bettina had but two hands; and two little brown hands cannot do all the world's work. I used to say to myself that the time would come when Bettina should not work at all—when I would work for both, and for the old people also. That was to be when we were married. Bettina and I had been betrothed two years. We were betrothed still, and no nearer marriage,

Wait patiently, Bettina said to me sometimes. What does it matter? We love each other; we trust each other!

let us be content. But I could not be content. Others gladly have shared my fate, whatever it might have been, but the old grandparents bound her to her cottage and her birth-place.

As for me, I felt that if I would ever win Bettina I must leave Savoy and go to America, where so many of our in a whisper. whence they wrote letters that made our hearts beat with hope for the future. In that happy land I might realize my dreams. I told Bettina so, and though And she loves you? she wept she said :

Go, go, Bernard, and I will pray for you. It is all a girl can do. At last I had money for the voyage,

always some day that we part now, I she said:

said. Her tears fell over my cheeks. We pressed each other in a long embrace. Ah, if Time only could have stopped in his flight at that moment, leaving us in each other's arms. At last I tore my-

off upon my journey. off.upon my journey.

I had no fear that Dettina would forget me. I knew that the rich young farmer who so often rode many miles to see her, longed for her love, and wooed her with all the art he had; but Bettina loved me, and love is adamantine. Ah! how little did I know of the future at which I then peeped through the golden glasses of hope and love.

Logr? He is dead. Had he lived, blind or mained, or helpless in any way, there would be hope for you. You could fly to him; you could be his sunlight. Alas? no such joy awaits you.

He is gone. He is no longer anywhere where you can find him. Lie down and die. This is all you can do. He is dead.

She orded in a number of building lots. For further perticulars epply to further pertic

glasses of hope and love.

I crossed the sea in safety. I stood at last in a strange land among strange people; but I found them not unkind.

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so much to tee! and to do! away like the beads upon the rosary of with word of your misfortune, and a one who prayed for blessings. I should letter to one who would bring me to DATE SER OF EDET. hers-all would be forbotten but our better than you did.

ple should share our happiness. I threw off my jacket:

At noontime I will write to Bettina. me so? dawn? What do we know of night at said.

oaths of men and a girls mad scream. has been shown to us in teaching me tenderly.

I tried to rise. I could not. Where am I? I said, and my voice sounded low and hoarse in my own ears.

calm, my friend. Is it night? I asked. It is right, said a voice. Why do you not light a lamp? He made no answer. What has happened? Do you not remember? I remember a noise!

many killed outright. Doctor, I said, it is night? It is night, he said solemnly.

But only for me, I said. I know it. I am smitten blind. Try to be calm, my friend, he whispered. It is hard-but try to bear it.

What can we do but bear what God, sends upon us? But I did not bear it well. Can you wonder? All was gone -all my hopes of life, and even all that I had won in the past year. Some wretch had stolen the mole-skin pouch from my bosom. I was a beggar and blind. I prayed to die, but I lived, and at last grew strong again.

One day as I sat by the hospital window I formed a resolution. I said to myself can at least be brave enough I alphary's, Oak Foint, Eurnt Church, Neunce, Bay du vin and Point any Car delly, Spanlay to spare Bettina something , and I will do it, though my suffering should be increased by the act. I know that if she knew the truth sho would grieve bitterly and remain true to me. I know that if I were sent home as the doctor says I must be, she would be constant forever -she would even marry me, and try to ties from any point on the "Ne'son's feed me as she does her helpless ones. returning ion tickets That shall never be. I will send her word that I am dead, and then when she has grieved awhile, youth will tri-umph; she will marry the young farmer BARREL HOOPS. she has grieved awhile, youth will triwho loves her so truly, and is good as well as rich, and she will only remember poor Bernard tenderly as one who loved her in the past, and young Ber- Nelson, May 12

nard is really dead. This blind beggar is not the same man. The good dcctor shall write me a let-

hard winter came creeping in upon us, like some cruel, hungry wolf, we had no brands with which to scare it off.

It will be best for her, I said. It will be best for her, I said. It will set her free. She will grieve bitterly, I know, but the other lover will terly, I know, but the other lover will will be best for her, I said. It will be best for her, I said.

brands with which to scare it off.

In Bettina's cottage, where she sat and spun while her childish old grandparents nodded in their chairs beside the fire-place all was sacken as it could be supported by the supported by the su And you think she does not love you She loves me even as I love her, I

her own also. There was no one else said. Ah, doctor, it is because I love

betrothed two years. We were be-trothed still, and no nearer marriage, or two, saying very little. I forbade though I had striven with all my that. But her bands are soft, and her touch kind, I think.

God bless her! She is as gentle as a mother! I said. Yes, let her write the

He took my hand in his, and led me to the room he called his office. Then ROY Sale of to Let. who were as poor as we married, and left their native land together to seek their fortunes elsewhere. Bettina would woman's dress following him. woman's dress following him. This is the nurse who will write the

letter, he said. I thank her, said I. Be gentle, madame; my Bettina has a gentle heart. What shall I write? She asked almost

Write that I am dead, I said. Write country people had already gone, and that I bade you tell her when her grief had passed to wed another and be Happy, and you dead, she said.

Madame, said I, we have a proverl in our country that the dead country is Dwelling House better than a living one. A blind beg-I had saved it little by little, for two gar whom she loved would be I had saved it little by little, for two long years, and now the partieg bour heavier on Bettina's life than the memory of her dead Bernard. I can do little It is that we may be with each other now, but I can do this. Write, Madame. The pen moved on the paper. Soon

I have written. Shall I read it to

I answered: Yes, if you wil!, Madame. She began : Die, unhappy girl! Your Bernard

self away, and blinded by my tears, set has perished. What is life to you ary longar? He is dead. Had he lived,

voice? Speak. Then I felt two little hands steal

gloriously happy. I wrote joyful letters "Bernard' it is I. Did you not guess to Bettina. She answered me as hope- Do you not know your own Bettina? fully. It is little to tell, but, ah, it was She clasped me closer. I heard the door close, the doctor was gone. A year passed by—twelve long The good doctor, she said. The months. One more year and she would first day of your illness he found a let. LACC JAILES PARKET, come to me. The months would slip ter you had begun to me, and sent it

feel her hand in mine when they were you if I desired to come. Ah! God all counted. I should press my lips to bless him, he knew a woman's heart meeting, and while I lived the old peo- You were so feeble that he dated not mind, I entered the great factory where to-day when you would have written mo

I worked one day. I said to myself as that you were dead. Bernard, how could you do it? how could you treat What do we know of noontime at It would have been for the best, I DOUGALL FARM, CAK POINT &

ber a sudden flash and crash, and the by day and the good doctor's kindness After that nothing more, until a sense such work as I can do. I shall never of pain awakened me, and I found my- see the sweet face I remember so well. self lying in the dark, with my own But I know its beauty and its good-

hand, cold and clammy, lying in a great ness, and the love light in the eyes too warm, soft hand that held it very well to forget them. And I know that Fat Public Auction in front of Post Office Chat-I am dearer to her for my misfortune, and I am happy. MIRAMICHI

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