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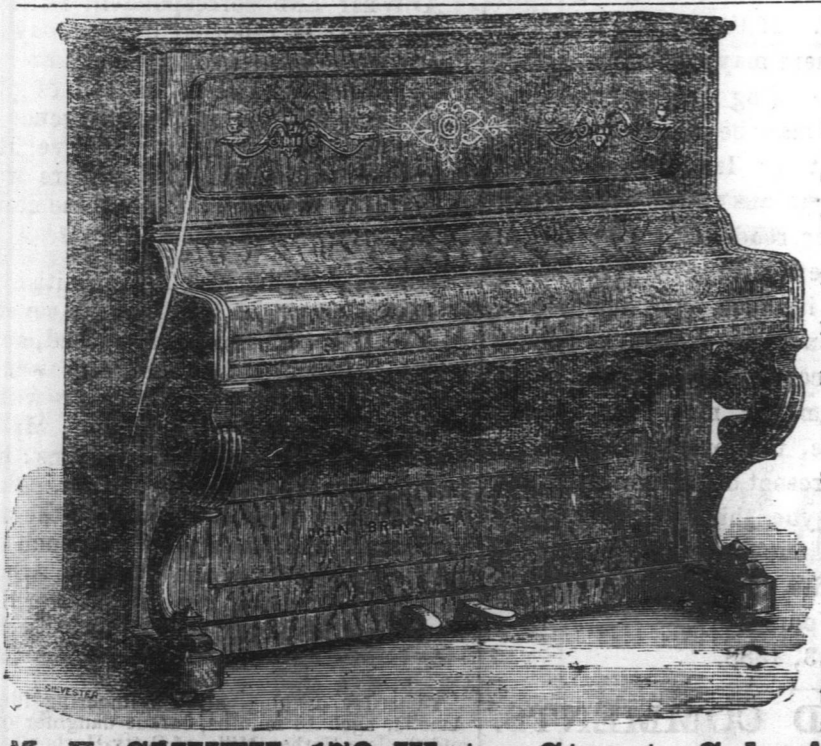
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OR ADELAIDE CAMERON'S "SHADOW LOVE."

By the Author of Dora Thorne.

CHAPTER XVI. (Continued.)

He would return—in two or three years he would return—and then the result of the present sacrifice would be that he could acknowledge his marriage, and they could live in a style befitting his rank.

'It is to her he owes his sorrow and disappointment—it is through her we have to part,' she thought; and an angry pain darted through her loving, passionate heart.

And then she rose from her seat and went back into the house. One would hardly have known her, so great was the change that had come over her.

'I must get accustomed to the idea that he is going,' she thought, 'before I venture to look upon his face again.'

She re-entered the house and tried to interest herself in some domestic duties, and all the time she kept saying to herself— 'He is going, he is going!'

Presently she went to her room to dress for dinner. She stood before the mirror with a dazed, uncertain look.

'Margarita,' cried Lord Rylestone, 'what have you been doing all day? I have hardly seen or heard you.'

'I have been here, dear,' she replied, gently. 'You know we agreed to discuss Sir John Freeling's letter in the evening, and I knew that you would want me then.'

'I want you always,' he said. 'When you are away from me, it seems as though I were only half alive.'

It was a very pretty scene after dinner in the pretty villa—the room made gay with a few sweet-scented flowers, adorned with some fine pictures and rare statuettes.

Lord Rylestone reclined on a tempting-looking chair, and his beautiful young wife, with her white arms crossed, sat at his feet.

'We have to discuss Sir John Freeling's letter, darling,' said her husband, looking at the graceful lines of her face and figure; 'shall we dismiss it in two words?'

'No, it must not be dismissed, Allan. I have been thinking it all over. You must go.' He did not see how the slender hands tightened their clasp of each other, and the red lips trembled.

'Is that the resolution my wise little wife has come to?' he asked, laughingly. 'Yes. You see, Allan, this kind of life could not go on for you, it might for me—I should be content and happy to live and die as I am. It is so different with you. You have the world to think of—you have a place to

maintain in it—as a young man, clever man, and a man with a grand old name. You have no right to bury yourself here. Your life is worth more than mine.

'It may do as it likes,' he said, carelessly. And then she turned to him, and, raising herself, laid her head on his breast.

'That is not quite all, dear. In the years to come you would never forgive yourself for not having gone and you would never forgive me for not having urged you to go.'

'He had grown quiet and thoughtful as she spoke, and when she had ceased he laid his hand on her head.

'I think you are right, Margarita,' he said; 'you are always right.'

'I must say, Margarita, that for my own part, I should like to go; but it is leaving you, dear, that I feel.'

'Never mind that,' she responded. 'We have been intensely happy during these last few months; we must live on the remembrance of that happiness until we meet again.'

'Margarita,' he said, 'would you like me to make our marriage public before I go?'

'Before I go?' Then he had accepted the sacrifice and made no demur!

'I think not,' she replied, slowly; 'you are the person to be consulted, not I. I do not see that you would gain anything by announcing it; on the contrary, you would lose.'

'How? I do not understand.'

'If you leave me here as Mrs. Estcourt, I can remain where I am, in the pretty house I have grown to love so dearly, living quietly and at little expense; but, if you leave me as Lady Rylestone, I must go away from here—I must live according to my rank; and that would be a great drawback.

'There is a great deal in what you say,' he remarked—a great deal of good sense, I mean. You would be happier here, in the home where we have lived, than you would be in London, or any where else.

'I am sure it is for the best,' said Lord Rylestone, 'the more I think of it, the surer I am. See what it is to have a brave wife Margarita. If you had said 'stay,' I should have stayed.'

'I should always advise what is best for you,' she returned. 'So I believe. Oh, Margarita, what happy thought I shall have to comfort me in my absence! Only think, if I went away, and had no one to love, how cold, and dark, and barren my life would be.'

'She clasped her arms around his neck. 'You will not forget me, dear, while you are away; you will not learn to love me less?' she interrogated, pleadingly.

'When I forget you, Margarita, may Heaven forget me!' he said, solemnly; and in the deepening twilight, he told her again and again how dearly and truly he loved her.

CHAPTER XVII.

MADAME DE VALMY and Miss Cameron sat alone in the drawing-room of their London mansion. The post had just come in, and it had brought a letter from Lord Rylestone to the young heiress.

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