est chair, and gave away to her feelings 'I suppose he will; he wishes me to go mise. of disappointment and despair. Proud in the carriage with him.' 'And the jewels- will you wear th Continued. 'Well, of course you should consult his pearls?' tears filled her eves and choked her. 'See, Adrienne, and not notice her! wishes; but surely that is not what you 'Perhaps so, madame.' A CELEBRATED CASE. Impossible ! I cannot do it ! Oh, for some are fretting about ?' The duchess rose and kissed Valer.tine way out of this trouble ! Surely, I shall Valentine shivered, and drawing her in her kind motherly way. CHAPTER XVII. not be forced to insult the girl whom I hand from that of the duchess, turned 'There, dear child, now you will com have promised to love and help !' "RUB.ES, EMERALDS AND SAPPHIRES !" pose yourself, and do what is right. This away. Her bitter reflections were interrupted The duchess looked at ner, trying to is a very convenient entrance. I am so The count did not press the question by the appearance of her maid, who had seek some explanation of the complete glad we can see each other so quickly and Valentine gladly talked of the allheard the count leaving the room a change in this strong self reliant girl. and without any ceremonious announ important presentation. The count evidently considered it a matter of great 'Is there anything else, miss to do for 'Will you come in and see Adrienne ing. consequence that he should be introduced you ?' for a few minutes? She has been pining The duchess smiled, as she returned to the prime minister, and be duly re-Valentine was now thoroughly indiffer- to talk with you, Valentine." Valentine's deep courtesy, and slowly discognized by him as the Count de Mor- ent. 'Alas, madame, I dare not.' appeared in the ante-room beyond 'There are some ornaments there, 'Dare not, Valentine ! What has Adri-No sooner had the heavy door shut nasse, 'You will, no doubt, meet many of your than Valentine diew the necklace from Marie, that I am to wear.' enne done? 'Oh, how lovely, miss ! I never saw such 'She, madame, nothing ! My father has her pocket, and again examined it. old friends and associates,' said Valentine brilliant diamonds; and these pearls! forbidden me to speak to her. He says 'There cannot be the slightest doubt, carelessly. 'I wonder if they will recognize you ? Have you changed very much Oh, they are exquisite! Which will you that the daughter of the Count de Mornasse can hold no intercourse with the think. Given by the duchess to Made in all these years ?' wear? The count darted a rapid glance at Val. 'Oh, I do not know. Any of them, you daughter of a convict." leine; placed by the soldier in a box with entine's face; but hers was perfectly can decide; you know more about these The scorn in Valentine's tone drew the the money, the jewels and the papers attention of the duchess to her flashing taken with them-stolen by the murdere frank in its expression. things than I do.' 'They are all so lovely, miss! and eyes and crimson cheeks She seemed of Madeleine! Oh, what what is this 'I have altered very much; several of my former acquaintances met me in Paris either set will match your dress. Will to gasp for breath ; every word came with insternet ? On one side or the other is conand they all declared that they should you look at them and make a selection ?' difficulty. cealed a fearful crime. Which story am I the formation of the should be not care to see them, Marie, 'Is it possible?' Her voice was quite What do you think most appropriate?' have to suffer, but I did not expect this! a galley-slave -a man whom every cirnot have recognized me.' "Well these diamonds would be lovely ; Well, Valentine, however hard it may be, cumstance pointed to as the murderersympathetic You must have had much trouble in your avila? sidered more becoming.' Adrienne would tall you that a father's the other, a gentleman, respected and ac-'Yes; but that is over. We will think 'Oh, indeed !' Valentine's voice was wish should be a daughter's most sacred cepted as the ('ount de Mornasse, returnonly of the future. My old friends in this full of scorn. ing after an absence of twelve years, to neighborhood went into exile with me care ' The maid glanced at her, and saw the '1 know it, madame ; but --- ' Many of them are dead. I care nothing claim his family estates, and bringing for society; I always did lead rather a alteration in her color and expression. · Poor girl ! she would devote her life with him this -- this irrefutable proof that 'Perhaps miss, you would like this one; to her father's service if she could.' the soldier did not perjure himself; that solitary life. If I care for change, I can it is very peculiar, but certainly very beau-'And must she suffer on forever? (an his theory was right! Another did the interest myself in public affairs.' tiful; it is made of rubies, emeralds, and nothing be done?' deed ! But who? Why do I tremble so? 'Like the duke, I suppose ?' My brain seems on fire ! 'You will do 'Alas, Valentine, nothing. 'Yes; he finds pleasure and occupation sapphires.' Rubies, emeralds, and sapphires, did 'Then you think the soldier's story en right!' The duchess said so as she left in a public service. It is better than to rust out in a private existence, surroundyou say ?' Valentine sat up suddenly and tirely false ?' Valentine had faced the me. Yes-I will do right! Adrienne ed by luxuries. Besides, it would wean looked behind her at Marie, who, still duchess now, and her eager eyes were shall not suffer any longer! is it not she leaning over the box, was admiring the filled with meaning. 'Those papers and --not she who is to bear this misery and my thoughts from the past.' jewels that he persists in speaking about ?' disgrace ? No, her father is innocent ; This allusion sent Valentine into a long stones. 'Child, your own fathers words com another man inurdered her poor, helples 'Yes; miss, and such brilliant ones reverie, and she found it a difficult thing Perhaps you would prefer this.' pletely contradicted his statement.' mother, and that man is-my father !' to give all her attention to the count and 'But his theory of the murder-the dis- Overcome at the horror of her own com his affairs. Whatever reasons he might 'Rubies, emeralds, and sapphires | How viction. Valentine tell back, nearly faint have for wishing to forget the past, she, appearance of the money----' the words startled me! i must be very on the contrary, loved to recall it Adnervous when even the mention of thos Lies, all lies !' ing on a chair. She still grasped the neck-That necklace that you gave his wife ?' lace, but all her physical and mental rienne and the chanionesse filled it with stones alarms me. I suppose many neck The miserable man must have destroy power seemed paralyzed by the weight of aces were made after that design, and no happy memories. ed it or hidden it to avert suspicion.' the secret that tortured her. She tried For the remainder of that day, and the doubt my mother owned one of them. 'It was a curious necklace, I believe ; to think of some explanation for her whole of the next one, nothing was But this mental explanation was not entirely conclusive. Valentine looked at it was composed of topazes, turquoise ____ father's possession of the necklace, but thought of but the preparations for the 'Oh, not at all ! It was made of rubies, her reason would not accept what her farie. reception. emeralds and sapphires.' fancy suggested. The dull, heavy torpor Valentine became a mere lay figure, on 'That necklace has no locket, no m 'Yes, madame-no doubt there were of despair was settling down upon her. dallion, Marie.' which were hung garments, in all stages The count's manner and words were his 'Oh, yes, miss, it has - a lovely medalothers made like it?' of manufacture The count took far more What, duplicates ?' ion set with diamonds !' accusers. interest in her appearance than she did Valentine seemed to much interested 'I must see Adrienne,' she murmured, 'But the clasp has no diamonds ?' herself--vanity being, as yet, an undeo spead. The duchess shook her head, over and over again; and while she was veloped passion. 'Yes, miss: three large diamonds.' 'Three large diamonds !' Oh. no !' speaking the door near her again opened He discussed the arrangement of he 'No-madame > and Adrienne stood before her. Valentine sank back in the chair, see hair; suggested rouge and little black 'It is very improbable. You see, that Adrienne was a vision of loveliness in ng nothing, only conscious of a creeping patches on the face, as he had noticed ensation of horror that seemed to par ecklace was made to order; the design her white satin and brocade draperies. them on the most beautiful ladies of the was my own. Of course a person who Her eyes sparkled with pleasure, her lips alyze her. The maid noticed her mov court Valentine aided by Henri de Calcould afford to wear such a necklace parted in her own oright smile as she aw ents, and hurried to her. onne-who was present at this important would not care for a duplicate of mine. Valentine, and stretching out her arms 'You are not well, miss. Shall I cal counsel decidedly rejected the rouge Ornaments should be unique, or they she would have embraced her friend. and patches The count had to be convour father ?' With a cry, Valentine sprang to her se one of their principal charms." tent with her natural color, and Henri de-Valentine stared at her, dimly catching Valentine stood speechless, her eyes feet and shrank away from Adrienne's Vegetine is Sold by all Druggists. clared that no amount of patches could her meaning. 'No, no .' she gasped. 'Leave me for fastened on the duchess; her voice, when touch. make her eyes any more brilliant. she gained control of it, was husky and Adrienne's arms fell at once, her eyes a little while. Marie: I will ring when I On the all-important day-which was filled with tears. as lovely as any one could wish for Val. am ready.' neven. 'Madame, you would recognize that 'I see you do not wish for me, Valen-No sooner had the girl closed the door entine rose, with a smile on her face, and tine I should not have come, but the NEW BRUNSWICK RAILWAY. necklace ---after her, than Valentine rose and hurried joy in her heart. 'Anywhere! It had my likeness set in hours are so long, so weary without you. The hours would fly until afternoon, to the table. The box was a strong one amonds in the medallion ; the clasp had I have been so weak, so ill! Will you not and then she would see Adrienne. The square, with metal-bound corners, and a curious, complicated lock. Valentine ex. three diamonds, you presset the center even take my hand? hour appointed for the reception was two o'clock in the afternoon; but it would amined it, and then nerved herself to one and it opened. My Christian name 'Oh, do not touch me ! I dare not-I continue for hours, probably until late in look at its contents. Each article of -Clarie-was on the inside piece ! cannot ----' Valentine tottered, and caught at the nearest chair for support. Solicitors, Conveyancers, etc. MONEY NEGOTIATED and LOANS MADE jewelry lay gleaming on its dark velvet the evening. For certain reasons, which the count cushion Valentine glanced over the nearest chair for support. book, Christen and Thermore Train will leave be 00 A. M. Carbour or Aroostook, Wood-took, Grosen and Intermediate Stations. (Presengers by Distrain arrive in Gibson at 239 p. M., in time to take traib for St. John which carbos Frederiction 3.00 p. M. Passengers for riangor, Portland, Boston, etc., can make con-portion at Specific Junction with Night

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did not explain he told Valentine that diamonds and pearls and stood transfixed he would prefer arriving at the Hotel de before the oft-described necklace. Ville as soon after two o'clock as possible. Yes, there was the clasp ; below it hung The duke would present him and Valen- the medallion; the different gems blazed grief, my own duty.' tine to the prime minister, and Valentine and sparkled with their borrowed lights could easily imagine that if it were done like living eyes piercing her soul. before the rooms were very full, the Duke 'Is this the 'necklace?' she cried, de Choiseul would have an opportunity snatching it from the cushion, and clutch-

of exchanging a few words with her father. ing it tightly, as if fearing that it would She commenced her toilet very soon suddenly disappear from her sight. 'Oh, after breakfast her maid being in a state what is the matter with me? I am a fool of delight that bordered on distraction to let my imagination thus torture me ! Valentine listened kindly to the bursts of And yet, that man's words--how they admiration, and now and then glanced at haunt me! Emeralds, rubies, sapphires her own reflection in the mirrors. She The clasp with three diamonds ! the med was principally occupied with the idea allion ! What shall I do? If I do not disthat Adrienne was at that moment in the cover the truth, I shall go mad! The hands of her maid and she began to long duchess ! She can decide the question ! I for a sight of Adrienne; she wanted to will go to her! But stop! Suppose it see her fair face, and decide for herself should be the necklace that she gave what had been the effect of the count's Madeleine!' Valentine shuddered; the necklace denunciation of the convict.

shook in her trembling hand.

ing fear always in my heart? And what think !'

hope—let Adrienne die of a broken heart?

The sound of a heavy door opening and

the contemplation of her own thoughts, it !'

Trembling, pale, and wild-eyed with (No not L

She was dressed and was standing i.e 'What am 1 saying? Should it be Mafore the mirror, surprised and wondering at her own brilliant appearance, when the dier said was taken with the money and hands. bell rang in the crimson parlor. This was the other jewels-what then? Let me a summons from the count, who strictly observed the etiquette in vogue, and think. What did my father say? Why, never entered his daughter's suite of that the papers and jewels had been out of his possession-never! Then, if this rooms.

Valentine lingered and examined herself come with these other ones ! Impossible ! from the top of her masses of powdered | I am letting my fears destroy my reason. hair to the tips of her little white satin Of course this was my mother's-is now mine. But stay; why did he stagger slippers.

The result wis very satisfactory. Her away and tremble so when he heard her eyes were certainly bright, her cheeks name? Why does he keep me from her? were like fresh roses. Her lovely neck Why can I not be satisfied that this is in and arms were shaded by delicate lace, deed mine? Must 1 live with this haunt which but partly concealed their beauty. The long, Watteau train of white brocade did I promise Adrienne : That I would on which lay bunches of pink roses, fell, work with her in finding a clew to her away from the white satin petticoat, which father's innocence. Shall I put this away was softened by flounces of rich, yellow. hide it, forget it?-this, the soldier's last ish lace.

Valentine took her fan and gloves, and Never! I will keep my promise, come passing through her boudoir and a small what will ! I will know the truth !' ante room, entered the crimson parlor.

The count, richly dressed, was seated at a table. engaged in opening a heavy wooden box. He rose, met Valentine, and taking her hands in his, slowly and admiringly scanned her figure from head to foot.

'How beautiful you are !' he said, at last.

Valentine, laughed and blushed. 'So beautiful that the jewels I have brought you seem quite unnecessary Still, they were your mother's and I would like you to wear some of them to-day.' 'Jewels! I never had any on me

They will feel strange to me. 'They will complete your toilet, how

ever, and it is time for you to assume what suits your rank. So, my daughter, make yourself even more beautiful. You will find a variety of gems, but take your ful. I think I shall have the pleasure of presenting the prettiest girls that the 'I' is not that, madan other considerations.' choice; all will equally become you. I will return for you when the carriage is ready. One word. Valentine. That girl will probably be at the reception. You must be careful, and remember what I said. Have nothing to do with her; do you understand me-nothing." (Why, has anything gone wrong?]

beart She looked at the count without speaking; but her eyes were eloquent enough. that we would call for you. Adrienne so reame in to say was withheld from your associates. It is be made mainlest to the world; that he very important that you should now be introduced and accepted as the daughter keeping up her strength on my account? of the Count de Mornasse. Nearly all

the two girls eagerly looked at each other. you so? Are you ill?' 'A sudden thought! Adrienne-her Valentine's fice was bailling. Adrienne could not read the drawn, set features, 'Ah! you love her-you would help the clear, searching eyes, in which were her if you could? reflected in turn agony, despair and grief. "Yes -if 1-madame-see those jewels Love and hope were no longer shining in the transformation of the source of the

duchess.

like it!

there. My father-brought them to me. their dark depths. Adrienne had seen I am to wear some of them; if you - her own features when sorrow had taken its strongest hold upon her, but they would select ----' 'Why, certainly; but, Valentine, in- never expressed the fear mingled with deed, you must control this grief, this terror that she now perceived in Valen-tine's beautiful face. Yet this was her tine beautiful face. Yet this was her

Why Valentine, what is it that agitates by Adrienne's gaze, stood immovable, and

tine's beautiful face. Yet this was her The duchess turned away to look at the Valentine the friend who had listened treasure of the former Countess de Mor- to her griefs, shared them, and tried to sse. Valentine softly drew the neck- sustain her with pleasing hopes. This lace from her pocket, and put her finger was the girl who had put her arms about on the center diamond of the clasp. her on that terrible day and promised to 'I will know, she murmured. The help her. What had come over Valenstone moved under her slight pressure, tine ? What had caused this change in the clasp opened with a spring, and the one who had vowed constancy and never

'Tell her I have not forgotten my pro-

one fatal word 'Clarie' met her eyes. failing sympathy? Adrienne's heart failed A sharp despairing cry rang through her before Valentine's silent, earnest JES R. HOWIE the room; the duchess turned, but Val- scrutiny. She shivered, and, putting out entine stood as if petrified ; her eyes were her hand, clung to the chair for support. deleine's necklace -- the one that the sol-dier said was taken with the money and how ands. 'What is it, Valentine?' asked the duchess. Valentine shuddered, and let her hand Valentine shuddered, and let her hand lev-slave should not hope to as

ooms. For a moment, thinking of his criticisms were Madeleine s necklace, how could it necklace in the folds of her dress. The your place and you in mine, is that what

you place and you in line, is that what proaching put her hand on Valentine's arm. Valentine's face, white and rigid with horror, startled her. 'Valentine, something terrible is weigh-i valentine. I would say that human i u gment is liable to error; that men be-form this have been accounted quity al You! Oh, no! I cannot I must
But what have you in your hand?
You! A provide the source of the source "One of the jewels, madame. I do not overwhelming testimony of your fither's evidence against the truth of my father's

word, my soul still cries out, my mind re-fuses to accept the conviction of his guilt; 'Well, let me see it.' The duchess held out her hand. Val- my heart assures me, teaches me, that he entine shrank away from her, and quick-bu put the packleage into her packet. It is innocent!' Adrienne raised her hands to Heaven, ly put the necklace into her pocket. Her as if to clothe her assertion with the sol-

The sound of a heavy door opening and shutting brought Valentine back to the interests of the moment. Trembling, pale, and wild-eyed with

'No, no ! I — not now. I will not wear it !'

completing the costume. At the sight of her form, Valentine, who a moment before had wished for her presence, slipped the necklace into the large chair as if perfectly exhausted. Then the duchess sat down near her, and tried to south her. Because, Adrienne, I am now as strong-ly convinced as you are of your father's innocence! Oh, Valentine, can you speak to me to south her.

in vain to recover her composure. The duchess met her with outstretched hands. Valentine could not meet her eyes. to sootne ner. 'It is useless, madame; my mind is made up. I will not go to this present-ation.' to sootne ner. 'It is useless, madame; my mind is made up. I will not go to this present-ation.' thus?' Adrienne caught Valentine's hand and tried to kiss it, but Valentine drew it away, and shrinking, again showed Ad-rienne a face distorted with toward and

eyes. 'Good-morning, Valentine. How love-'good-morning, Valentine. How love-ly you look, child; your dress is beauti-ful. I think I shall have the pleasure of ful. I think I shall have the ple

y Groups, Groups cannot be surpassed in making yes for chargen, Mr. Getchell will also Negatives and take orders for Equarge-n cal and Water Colors, India Ink, Craysaid. Have nothing to do with her; do you understand me—nothing? Valentine felt her face changing. The old weight was suddenly back on her I would uses an and see specimens

"I understand, Valentine; you think me harsh and unkind. I am, however, mean it will be better not to call for me." The count cannot claim them? on her knee, her hands classed, her eys me aring for your interests. You must acting for your interests. You must trust to my judgment in this matter. I exact obedience. So, remember! The count raised up his hand with a warning gesture, and left the room. me hars b and twill be better hot to call for me. 'Not to call for you ! why, Valentine, you not willing to tell me?' to go with you, but my father ---' means that agitates you so much? Are sence at this presentation is, therefore, to mother. The count calm there in this call for hot will be better hot to call for me. sence at this presentation is, therefore, to mother. The count calm there in this call for you ! why. Valentine, sence at this presentation is, therefore, to mother. The count calm there in this call for hot will be better hot to call for man. sence at this presentation is, therefore, to mother. The count calm there in this call for hot will be better hot to call for man. sence at this presentation is, therefore, to the calm and self reliant. The define are child, all will yet go well. I must leave you. What shall I tell Adrienne?' (To be continued.)

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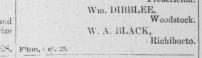
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