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"Now, Sir Norman, that is all—you have heard my whole history as far as I know it; and nothing remains but to tell you what you must see yourself, that I am mad for revenge, and must have it, and you must help me."

Her eyes were shining with the fierce red fire he had seen in them before, and the white face wore a look so deadly and diabolical that, with all its beauty, it was absolutely repulsive. He took a step about this place than they dream of. For the rest, there is little need of explanation—the dwarf and his crew have industriously circulated the rumor that it is haunted; and some of those wretched figures you saw with me, and who, by the way, are the daughters of these robbers, have been shown out on the broken battlements, as if to put the fact beyond doubt.

"You must help me," she persisted. "You—Sir Norman! For many a day I have been waiting for a chance like this, and until now I have waited in vain. Alone, I want physical strength to kill him, and I dare not trust anyone else. No one was ever cast among us before as you have been; and now, condemned to die, you must be desperate, and desperate men will do desperate things. Fate, Destiny, Providence—whatever you like—has thrown you in my way, and help me you must and shall!"

"Madame! madame! what are you saying? How can I help you?" "There is but one way—this!"

She held up in the pale ray of the lamp something she drew from the folds of her dress, that glinted blue and bright and steely in the gloom. "A dagger!" he exclaimed, with a shudder and a recoil. "Madame, are you talking of murder?"

"I told you," she said, through her closed teeth, and with her eyes flaming like fire, "that ridding the earth of that fiend incarnate would be a good deed, and no murder. I would do it myself if I could take him off his guard, but he never is that with me. And then my arm is not strong enough to reach his black heart through all that mass of brawn and blood and muscle. No, Sir Norman, I must have aid. There were two of us, and I swear to you, you shall go free—refuse, and in ten minutes your head will roll under the executioner's axe."

"Better than the freedom you offer, Madame, I cannot murder."

"Coward!" she cried passionately; "you fear to do it, and yet you have but a life to lose, and that is lost to you now."

Sir Norman raised his head; and even in the darkness he saw the haughty flush that crimsoned his face.

"I fear no man living; but, madame, I fear One who is higher than man."

"But you will die if you refuse; and I repeat again and again, there is no risk. These guards will not let you out, but there are more ways of leaving a room than through the door, and I can lead you up behind the tapestry to where he is standing, and you can stab him through the back, and escape with me. Quick! quick! there is no time to lose."

"I cannot do it," he said, resolutely drawing back and folding his arms. "In short, I will not do it."

"There was such a terrible look in the beautiful eyes that he half-expected to see her spring at him like a wildcat, and bury the dagger in his own breast. But the rule of life works by contraries; expect a blow and you will get a kiss; look for an embrace, and you will be startled by a kick. When the virago spoke, her voice was calm, compared with what it had been before, even mild.

"You refuse? Well, a wilful man must have his way; and since you are so quaking about a little life, let me suggest another plan. If I release you—for short as the time is, I can do it—I will you promise to go direct to the king this very night and inform him of all that you have seen and heard here?"

She looked at him with an eagerness that was almost fierce; and in spite of her steady voice, there was something throbbing and quivering, deadly and terrible, in her upturned face. The form she looked at was erect and immovable, the eyes were quietly resolved, the mouth half-pityingly, half-sadly, smiling.

"Are you aware, dear lady, what the result of such a step would be?" "Death," she said, coldly.

"Death, transportation, or lifelong imprisonment to them all; misery and disgrace to many a noble house; for some I saw there were once friends of mine, with families I honor and respect. Could I bring the dwarf and

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The serious risk of his jugular, as mentioned above, and found himself, as Miranda had stated, in a place he knew very well. Once here he allowed no grass to grow under his feet; and in five minutes after, to his great delight, he found himself where he had never hoped to be again—in the serene moonlight, and the open air—fearless and free.

His horse was still where he had left him, and in a twinkling he was on his back, dashing a way to the city to love—to Lorraine.

CHAPTER XV.

If things were done right—but they are not and never will be, while this whirling world of mistakes spins round, and all Adam's children, to be continued.

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The center of our affection around which our hearts' best wishes twine.

A little hollow scooped out of the windy hill of the world; where we can be shielded from its cares and annoyances.

"Do you ever stay out late (and worry your wife?" asked the young woman.

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Greasing the Wheels.

A Russian paper gives an interesting insight into the way they do things on the Siberian railway.

A merchant recently sent a carload of fruit from Irkutsk to Chita. The railway charges were 170 rubles, but the tips to railway officials amounted to 120 rubles more.

"Tipping," or "greasing," as it is called in Siberia, is a tax from which no patron of the railway is exempt.

In the case mentioned the first station-master told the merchant that the loaded car was "sick," or disabled, and would have to be side tracked for repairs.

"How long will it take to make the repairs?" the merchant asked.

"Oh, a week at least," was the answer.

The merchant started, for a week's delay meant the spoiling of his cargo, and, besides, it was ordered for immediate delivery. But when the fruit dealer had slipped 10 or 15 rubles into the official's hand the latter found that the car was well enough to travel.

At the next station the car fell ill again and had to be restored to health in the same manner, and this process was repeated every time the train stopped.

Local merchants have become used to this "greasing" business and simply add the amount to the price of their wares, so that the consumer pays the freight and the tips as well.

Money Is Soiled Lined.

"It is astonishing how careless people are about sending clothes to a laundry without first searching them for money and jewelry," said the manager of a laundry the other day. "Yesterday a woman sent a bundle of dresses here, and in the pocket of one was \$100 in bills. We never search clothing for valuables. The dresses were put in the washing machine, soap and water put in, and after the machine had been running half an hour it was opened, and the man in charge was astonished to see paper money floating around on the water. The bills had in some manner worked out of the pocket of the dress, and, strange to say, not one of them was torn. We ran the money through the drying machine, and then ironed each bill carefully. After we got through you could not have told that the money had been in a laundry washing machine for half an hour. We sent for the woman, and when she came to the laundry she had not yet missed her money."

"Not long ago a man sent some shirts to our laundry from the bosom of one of which he forgot to remove a diamond worth \$150. Our people did not see the diamond, and we did not find it until he called us up and made known his loss. Then I put my men to searching, and we found the diamond in the catch basin in the sewer."—New York Mail and Express.

Reading Matter For the Duke.

There was an amusing incident in connection with the late Duke of Edinburgh's Australian tour. He accepted an invitation to visit a wealthy squatter, on whose estate excellent shooting was to be had. The squatter was a self-made man, entirely uneducated with book learning and absolutely innocent of reading tastes. In making preparations for the duke's visit it was suddenly discovered that the furnishing of the library had been completely overlooked. There was no time to be lost, and so the squatter sat down and dispatched the following telegram to the leading Melbourne bookseller: "Send one ton of books. Immediate delivery."

The bookseller was staggered at the receipt of such a wholesale and unconventional order, but as the signature of the sender would be honored by any Melbourne bank on a check for six figures he kept his staff working on the job until the small hours of the morning, and the ton of miscellaneous literature was happily shipped before the arrival of the duke.—London Chronicle.

Novel Chinese Clock.

It must be conceded that in some qualities of primitive but practical resourcefulness the Chinese are ahead of most civilized nations. All travelers agree that if in a district where clocks and watches are unknown you ask a Chinaman the time of day he will, if well disposed, at once proceed to amuse and capture the household cat, and after pushing up the lids and looking for a moment into its eyes he will tell the time with astonishing accuracy.

The explanation is a simple physiological one. The pupils of the cat's eyes constantly contract until midday, when they become like a fine line, as things a hair, drawn perpendicularly across the eyes. After 12 they begin again to dilate. It is to be hoped that if the practice is ever introduced into this country watches and clocks will continue to be made, as there will probably be many who would not care to run after a cat whenever they want to know the hour or who may fear some danger to their own eyes from too close an examination of hers.

Then She Blushed.

In the days when the late Countess of Dartmouth was taking out her daughters—the Ladies Legge—one evening at Stafford House, it fell to the lot of a somewhat deaf functionary to announce the trio. "Lady Dartmouth" called out the man, who had only caught half the sentence. "And the Ladies Legge!" repeated her ladyship. "And the lady's legs!" echoed the servant.

Difficulties In the War.

"I will make your name a blessing and a byword!" savagely spoke the rejected lover.

"You may make it a byword," the proud beauty remarked with majestic contempt, "but your own good judgment will tell you that you can't do much blessing with such a name as Dolis Miller."—Chicago Tribune.

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