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villa.

"Well, suppose that?"

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contents."

"If he remembers the same."

"He probably will. See here, Le Britta! I imagine we've had enough excitement for one night. It is getting very late. We both need sleep. My whole efforts shall be directed to making my patient recover, so that his evidence may convict Ralph Durand of the murder of Gideon Vernon. Your impetuous nature will probably not allow you to rest until you have found this mysterious hidden box. You cannot do anything more to-night. Go home and we will have another talk over the affair in the morning."

in the morning."

"Good advice, Dick! I'm off. You've made a great discovery, old friend, and I begin to see the light at the end of all this plot and mystery at last, thanks

He never imagine He never imagined that Ralph burand, as shrewd as his antagonists, night yet have a spy to watch his move-

If such was, indeed, the case, and that If such was, indeed, the case, and that spy had overheard all the conversation in the doctor's office, he must know of the witness to the crime, and the precious treasure box hidden in the winding ravine of Hawthorne villa!

CHAPTER XXI. - ART PHOTO-GRAPHIC.

Morning brought more mature reflection to Jera Le Brita. A placid sleep, an hour spent with the children at the late breakfast table, cheered and revivified his tagged faculties like a cordial.

He had an abundance to think over, and, in the light of recent revelations, he saw less occasion for a speedy return to saw less occasion for a speedy return to Hawthorne villa than the day previous. Then, with no clues in sight, only a seeming muddle, he was driven to the desperate expedient of single-handed seeking to learn the hiding place of Gladys Vernon, the whereabouts of her missing lover, Sydney Vance

Now, all his thoughts were centered upon Ralph Durand. He was master of the situation at present. Depose him, and subordinate details would harmoniously adjust themselves.

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The evidence of the tramp, Dave Wharton, would convict Raiph Durand.
That meant the establishing of the complete innocence of Sydney Vance, and that in turn, would enable Gladys
Vernon to return home, without the dread of having a sinister foe as a guardian or condemning her lover by her stopped at the first town, and had

evidence.

But Dave Wharton might die? Even if he lived, weeks might clapse ere he could appear in a court of justice, and meantime, Gladys Vernon might be decoyed to the villa by the threatening Ralph Durand, and, put out of the way, her lover might be doomed. No! Le Britta could not bear the thought of lying inactive. He must be at work in the interests of must be at work in the interests of imperied innocence, and he resolved first and foremost to try and secure a reproduction of the missing directions as to the hidden treasure-box, and then to covertly and in disguise watch Hawthorne villa, in the hopes that Gladys might return thither; to warn and rescue her, to learn, if possible, where Ralph Durand had Sydney Vance im-prisoned, or held under his beleful spell

of terror.

But fate ordained a far different programme for that day. Arrived at his studio, Le Britta was startled with the quick query from his fair assistant:—
"Mr. Le Britta, have you seen them?"
"Them, who?" queried the photographer, wonderingly.
"Four men looking for you, and bound to find you, they said."

Britta, vaguely.
"They said they were officers," demurely announced Miss Maud.
"Officers!" gasped Le Britta, "looking ror me."
"Yes," replied Maud, a roguish twinkle in her eye—"officers of the Enights of Pythias."

Le Britta's mouth expanded in an Le Britta's mouth expanded in an intelligent smile. He comprehended now. At a point not many miles distant a conclave for the state was to begin that day. He had received an invitation. More than that, friends, brothers of the order, had insisted that he be present, not only to help enjoy the ceremonies and festivities of the occasion, but also to take photographic groups. photographic groups.

He had decided not to go three days

previous. Business itself prevented. More than that, his interest in the Vernon case took all his thoughts from participating in any event of gayety.

"They are looking for you—went up to the house" explained Maud. "There

they are! "Explained Maud. "There they are!"
Four jolly, noisy friends burst into the studio as the fair artists spoke.
"Le Britts! we've caught you."
"Sir Knight! you can't escape us."
Hearty greetings followed.
"Get ready. We're off on the next train.
Stopped over for you, spoke one of the quartette."

"You see, business..."
"It's business we want you to go for.
We want some pictures taken."
"There's a first-class photographer on the state can do such irresponsible fellows as us justice except yours."

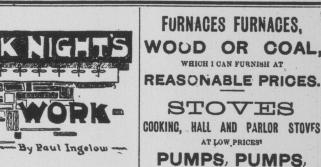
It was useless resisting. He had been the soul and life of too many such gatherings to be excused. Reluctantly he assented, made hasty preparations for a brief stay in the neighboring city, and had a short consultation with his friend. Doctor Milton.

and look up the missing document, Dick," he suggested. "Just the thing, Jern!" They reached their destination before "Just the thing, Jern!"
They reached their destination before noon. The city was given over to the genial knights and their majestic uniforms glowed on overy street.

Some twenty members of a certain lodge insisted on having their photo-centimeters.

French system, is about equivalent to 2½ pounds.

A fluid ounce, of United States measure, equals twenty-nine and a half cubic centimeters.



"You have no idea of the curves and windings of that same ravine," replied Le Britta, "or you would think as soon of hunting for a needle in a haystack as for a little iron box among the innumerable boulders and fissures of the ravine in question."

graphs taken in a group while they felt fresh and had the leisure, and arrangements were forthwith made.

Le Britta visited a photographer whom he knew, and whose studio was supplied with the very best instruments in use in the ark.

disfigured sorawl the tramp had written at the third town west of Hawthorne villa.

"Well, suppose that?"

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"Well, suppose that?" taking picture made in group.

Le Britta exerted himself to produce a striking effect. The light was fine, the camera, lenses and other accessories in harmony with the scenic accounterment Posing a subject was his peculiar forte, and he grouped his friends with great cars. He tried to explain to one stubborn knight that he must present his left face to the camera.

his left face to the camera.

"Why, the most striking curl of my mustache is on the right," demurred the gentleman in question, jokingly.

"Yes, and all your age and hardness of expression as well," retorted Le Britta. "Always remember this, boys, when you have your picture taken—present the left side of your face. From long observation I have learned that the right side of the face is the ugliest. It is the false side of a man's character, it shows all the furrows and crow's feet first; the right eye dims earliest; why, I can't tell, but it does, whereas, the left side of the face is softer, gentler, more natural and expressive. Now, POST PAID BY SENDING IN THEIR HICKEY'S PHARMACY

WATER STREET - CHATHAM, N. E Le Britta started from the doctor's rooms. He peered sharply down the unlighted corrider, as he fancied he heard a rustling sound at its farther end. Then bidding Doctor Milton good-night, he started for the street.

"I declare! some one was lurking in the hall!" he ejaculated, as he saw a stealthy form steal from the lower doorway, and disappear in the darkness and gloom of the night.

He ascribed his fears to fancy, the identity of the lurker, if there really had been such, \$50 some homeless tramp, as he proceeded homeward.

"Grin!" sang out another veteran.

"Not at all," demurred Le Britta.

"Out have a mind, and that upon your features are indelibly stamped your charge to the artist. If you want the picture to delineate what is best in you, think your highest, purest thoughts: let your thoughts dwell upon, what is joyful, peaceful and sweet in life."

Le Britta started from the former and "Not at all," demurred Le Britta. Beds After Giving Up Hope.

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There was a moment of silence, and the picture was taken. Le Britta did not say "Excellent," He knew the photo-graph would express that word, and the graph would express that word, and the group repeat it when they came to inspect the same, later on.

Three other groups desired to come under his care that afternoon, but the photographer had promised to do some work that required a personal use of the camera at once, and an arrangement was made for the next morning.

"If I can get away from these jolly fellows, I will run down to Crossville this afternoon," reflected Le Britta. "I can get back in time for the exercises this evening, for it is only a few miles distant."

Crossville was the town that, in the ordinary sequence of affars, Dr. Richard

ordinary sequence of affars, Dr. Richard Milton decided had been the place where the tramp had secured the last and subsequently obliterated strip of paper bearing on the secret of the hiding-pl of Gideon Vernou's treasure-box.
At four o'clock that afternoon, the photographer managed to steal away from his friends, and an hour later hereached the little town of Crossville.

CHAPTER XXII.-CLUE ONE engaged some person to write the preamble, or first section of his socret. At the next tewm, a second portion had been chronicled on a second strip of paper.
It was reasonable, therefore, for the doctor and Le Brista to theorize that at the next town oa his vagrant route he completed the record.

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