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THE WEIGHT OF THE CROWN

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way if only for half an hour? Time is precious."

"It is very vague," said the queen quietly. "At the same time, I can see that you are in deadly earnest. I will go to the library myself at once."

The queen moved along the corridor wiftly, as she used to do in her mountain home long before she felt the weight of the crown on her brows. She forced a smile to her face as she entered. Lord Merehaven was listening gravely and with a puzzled frown to Mazaroff. Varney stood by laughing with the air of a man who is vastly amused.

"I don't think Lord Merehaven under-"I don't think Lord Merehaven under-"I don't think Lord Merehaven under-""I have no doubt we shall get to the

"I faucy this is for you, Prince Mazaroff," she said, "I picked it up in the garden. On the whole, I came very near to having an adventure over it."

Mazaroff glanced at the envelope and his eyes gleamed. Then quite leisurely he tore off the ends and read the message. He smiled in a careless way, as if said, "especially as the note is so trivial. Where does the adventure come in?"

"You have destroyed my romance," the girl laughed. "I suppose it was the messenger who brought this letter for you, and not a burglar after all. I expect the Ceremony in Dominion Methodnessenger made a mistake and came into he garden by the door leading from the

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e message were of no importance.
"I am sorry there was any danger," he Miss Julia Maud Borden, Daughter Russian Political Prisoners Likely to of Sir Frederick, Married to

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