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A Queen Among Women CHAPTER VIII.

made for him; the perfectly sed manner in which he took it for granted that every one was in the best of humor with him; that life was a case of "roses, roses all the mission of his faults, the candor

garded him as the model of manliness; that even Lady Selina was fond and proud of him. What a pity it was. thought Diana, that he should waste

shall not be set down. Indeed, he the terrace long after the others had night he had first heard it; and when, at last, he turned into the house, he murmured: "She is peerless; there is no one like her, no one!"

"I'm going to row down to Rivermead," he said to Mabel, the following afternoon. "You can come, if

time hemming these handkerchiefs."

girl regards the seniority of a lad and, as he listened, he felt as if she

it were difficult to find a safe and reliable remedy for the ailments due to irregular or defective action of the stomach, liver or bowels. These ailments are likely to attack

anyone; likely, too, to lead to worse sickness if not re

herself. "Tennis! I'm glad I told them to put our shoes in. Here we

it; but he questioned whether sh which accentuated her slight figure and sweet, girlish loveliness. And ous for expression, like the fragranc of the flowers amid which she mov

Bertie, "Oh, I'll play with Miss Bourne, if she'll accept me for a part-

ord's eye, she added hastily: "Al right! But you'll have to play your From what I saw of your play as

breathless, into rustic chairs, and renew the game: and presently Bertie and Mabel wandered across to the fruit garden, Aunt Mary went back to the house, and Diana and Dalesford

"It's just the right time for the riv er." he said. "Shall we go?"

Diana looked round for the other two. 'I'll call them." she said. But before she could do so, he remarked:

slowly drift with the stream, now and ting half sideways, but only half, so "Oh, they're paying tennis!" she and got her to tell him of her travels.

"Oh, let them alone. They'll be much happier with the peaches! And, after a moment's hesitation, Di ana rose, and they went down to the

She leaned back in the soft-cush ioned seat, and Dalesford let the boar again taking a pull at the sculls, sit-

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sweet, unstained nature, as if he were audible sigh, he turned the boat

wistfully. "I am going to read to irs. Baker's little girl; she has bee 11, and declares that a fairy-story, a eal fairy-story, does her more good han beef-tea and jellies."

"Oh," he said casually. "And who may Mrs. Baker be?"

"She lives in the cottage with the reen shutters, at the end of South Lane," replied Diana unsuspectingly And she was still unsuspicious that hey had met by anything more than chance when she saw him sauntering

up the lane next afternoon. "Let me carry your basket," he said: after they had exchanged greetings. "But you were going the other way," she reminded him.

"Was I?" he said. "All ways are the same to me. That's the great advantage of being a lazy man, with no object in life. Now's the time to read sheer indolence."

Diana laughed. "Why should I?" she said frankly. He looked rather discomfited for noment, then he retorted:

t was the duty of the 'good person

Diana looked at him gravely. "I wonder why nearly everybody

But I wasn't scoffing, by the way No! Is this Mrs. Butcher's-Baker's? What's her name? I suppose I may

pany for as long as that," he said or go to sleep, while your read to tha ucky young person inside. What's he done that she should have a beau i-an amiable young lady to read airy-tales to her?"

"She has been ill," said Diana. "Oh! And, up to the present m ent, I have been under the foolish npression that health was a bless ing," he remarked, addressing th

Diana went into the cottage, and up o the sick room, where the convales

cent child greeted her with affection

"Why, Mary, what beautiful grapes!" Diana exclaimed, casting an eye on a basketful on the table. Mary flushed, and pursed her lips, with an air of great secrecy.

"Yes, miss, aren't they lovely? But mustn't tell you who gave them to

"Promises are sacred, Mary, and I von't even try and guess. But, real-

vent down-stairs, where the mother

Tut! tut! she broke off penitently 'And I promised not to tell! I can't think how it slipped out, miss-that

she left the cottage; but the smile was driven off as she came to th figure lying on the bank.

He sprang up to meet her, an flung the cigarette away.

"You said twenty minutes," he re marked, with an air of long-suffering

"Exactly five-and-twenty minutes, corrected Diana, looking at he watch. "Did you cut the grape

good action I've been guilty of, and I'll try and not do it again-if you'll "Yes, I will," she said, her eyes eaming on him. "There is an old

"So Mrs. Butcher-Baker betrayed ne?" he said. "Well, it's not the first

nan, an old woodman, in the next ottage but one. His great and cry

Dalesford groaned. "Oh, I say! Well, I'll send him some cigars."

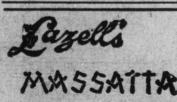
"No." said Diana, in a matter-ofact way; "cigars are no good. I tried ope. And you mustn't send it; you

"Talk!" he echooed, with dismay Why, what on earth could I have to

"Tell him about-about the shootng. Oh, anything that will interest

"I will," he said grimly. "I'll tell him about a certain dame sans merci who sets her devoted adherents impossible tasks. What's the man's

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