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THE BLUE DIAMOND

BY ALICE AND CLAUDE ASKEW.

Authors of "The Shulamite," "Eve-and-the-Law," "Gilded London," "The Premier's Daughter," "The House Next Door," Etc.
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As for Patience, she sat down on the wooden seat, the figure of stupefied despair. No tears came to relieve the hideous tension of the moment, for she had suddenly lost all desire to sob and weep. She felt as a condemned prisoner might awaiting the death-blow, just as helpless to avert it—the fated victim of fate.

Outside the summer-house the rain was pelting down, making a melancholy dripping amongst the trees, beating down the grass, and a low, sad wind was beginning to howl and moan like some soul in mortal pain. The very sky was grey and sad; a mantle of depression seemed to hang over the whole earth.

Jack was the first to break the long silence. "Well, man," he cried, "let's hear what you have got to say? Don't keep me in suspense like this."

Roger Selborne cleared his throat, and gave a dry, husky cough. "The truth," he returned, slowly, "well, the truth is this, Jack. Patience has stolen certain papers; she has played the part of a common thief."

"What!" exclaimed Jack; then he glanced at the girl crouching on the seat.

"Not the Blue Diamond," he muttered, "but papers—papers."

CHAPTER XXIII.

Spencer Stern made his slow way from the City to Baron Gelderstein's mansion in Park lane. He had called in at Hutton Garden on his way, but had there been informed by a clerk that the Baron had not put in an appearance at his place of business that day. Spencer Stern crumpled in his jacket a rather imperative telegram in which Baron Gelderstein bade him call without delay on a most important matter.

"Thinks he can order me about does he?" Stern muttered between his teeth. "Well, well, I don't think I need put up with his exactions much longer, and this deal promises to pay me as well as it has paid him. A quaint affair altogether. Our previous dealings have not been on the same lines. It has not been the love of money that we played for."

It was late afternoon and already dusk. Spencer Stern seemed in no hurry, though he glanced at his watch now and again. At last, turning into a side street off Oxford-street, he halted before the door of a public house. Then, after a moment's hesitation, pushed open the door of the saloon bar and entered.

A small, spare man who had been leaning over the counter, indulging in conversation with a pert barmaid, turned at once and recognized the new-comer by a wave of his hand.

"Been waiting for you," he cried. "Been here quite a long time. What's yours?" Stern gave his order, and then the two men, taking their glasses with them, retired to a small table where they could talk without interruption.

"I'm on my way to Gelderstein's now," Stern remarked. He leaned over the table and spoke in a low voice. "He's getting impatient, and wired for me yesterday. But I had my own affairs to attend to, and, in any case, I wished to see you first. You're such an elusive chap, Fenton, that I had a job to find you."

"Well, here we are," returned Fenton, easily, "and I'm quite at your service. What's the idea? I'm spoiling for something to do." His small eyes twinkled, and he screwed his ugly face into a grin. His face was astonishingly wrinkled; it would have been difficult to tell his age.

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Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers.



SPOTTED CHIFFONS ARE MOUNTED OVER STRIPED SILKS.

Dark colored separate waists are classed among the novelties in this department of women's wear this summer. Transparent chiffons and very fine lawns are mounted over thin summer silks such as China or orkeda, and trimmed with fine laces. Perhaps the most attractive of these darker waists is that of a navy blue satin striped chiffon, dotted with white coin spots as large as an American quarter, mounted over a blue and white striped chiffon taffeta. The taffeta is used on the cross, while the chiffon is cut on the straight. Simple modes are best when materials of this type are combined, and the illustrated model is extremely attractive and becoming to almost any figure. It is tucked on the shoulders to give the necessary fullness over the bust and cut out at the neck, both back and front, to admit of the chemisette and high feather-boned collar of baby Irish mounted over mouseline. The sleeves are simple puffs finished with a cuff of narrow frills of Val, and banded with a navy blue novelty silk braid, button trimmed. This braid is also used to outline the cut out neck.

den thought had occurred to the girl. She remembered the promise Spencer Stern had made her, the solemn promise that he would restore the stolen papers to her and make no use of them—that was, if she married him. She recollected that he had told her that he would give up the papers directly his ring was on her finger, and she had pledged herself before Heaven and man to be his wife. She had been ready even then to accept his terms for Jack's sake, though she had not known then as she knew now that the danger threatening her lover was real and imminent.

Patience drew a long, deep breath, then pressed her hand to her heart. It seemed as if someone was stabbing her there, and she was conscious of a choking sensation in her throat, and a feeling of bewildering pain. Conscious also of something else as well that it lay in her power to save the man she loved from apparent ruin—but at the sacrifice of herself.

Had she enough courage to make such a sacrifice? Could she face the future as Spencer Stern's wife, even for the sake of those who were dearer to her than anything on earth—Jack, her sister, and the kindly old man who was her lover's father?

Patience faltered for a second, then her great and burning love shone forth. What, after all, was a lifetime of misery, she reflected—of physical and mental degradation—to the great horror of bringing pain and trouble upon Jack?

(To be continued.)

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RETURNING FROM ORIENT
Rev. Doctors Sutherland and Carman Are Expected in Canada on June 24th.

Rev. James Turner, provincial superintendent of Methodist Japanese and Chinese missions, in British Columbia, has received a letter from Rev. Alexander Sutherland, D. D., general secretary of Methodist missions in Canada, dated from Shanghai, announcing the proposed arrival of Dr. Sutherland and Dr. Carman at Victoria, B. C., on June 24. These representative heads of Methodist foreign missionary work have been in China and Japan conferring with representatives of the other churches on matters affecting the general movement toward church union which is now becoming so noted a feature of evangelical work in the Far East. At Shanghai they met officials of all the denominations carrying on foreign mission work in China and an international convention was held. The details of this convention and its results have not yet been communicated, but full information will be available on Dr. Sutherland's arrival. In Tokyo these divines will attend the first general conference of the United Evangelical churches, which legislative body will hereafter administer all the missionary enterprises of Protestant Christendom in the Empire of Japan. They were to sail from Tokyo on June 13, and should reach the Pacific coast on the date mentioned. The veteran Methodist officials are in good health, and have endured the fatigue of the oriental journey, and the exacting duties of their office with much delight in their work.

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Judge Landry went to Fredericton last evening.

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The weight this investigator gives for an average human soul is two ounces.

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MONCTON HAS A SENSATION

Mrs. Fiewelling Wilbur Makes Serious Charges Against Her Husband.

Moncton, N. B., June 17—Evidence of a most revolting character was given in the police court this afternoon by Mrs. Fiewelling Wilbur, who had her husband arrested on charge of assaulting and beating her. The complainant was married to Wilbur on May 19 last, and today she finds herself kicked out of doors for refusing, according to her own sworn story, the diabolical bidding of her husband.

In addition to other things, she alleges Wilbur wanted her to go to the States and start a disorderly house. Another proposition her husband made to her, she says, was to go to Boston and kill some one for a large sum of money. The nature of the woman's evidence shocked the police and civil officials.

Wilbur is charged with assaulting and beating his wife, but it is probable a more serious charge will follow. The hearing was adjourned till tomorrow morning.

Wilbur's wife belongs to Cedar Rapids (Mich.), and has no relatives here, having been induced by her husband to come here and marry.

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Salt, thoroughly rubbed around on the inside of a churn after it has been rinsed with hot water, is a first rate thing to make it clean and sweet. Rinse the salt out with water.



WHEN EVELYN WENT WADING.
I saw her wading in the brook—
She did not know that I was nigh.
I smiled at every step she took,
There wading in the sparkling brook.
Her shoes and stockings she forsook,
And held her dainty skirts knee high,
I saw her wading in the brook—
She did not know that I was nigh.

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