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CHAPTER V. Darkness and Then Light.

When Amy awoke she was lying in total darkness. There seemed to be a great weight upon her, and especially It pressed upon her face.

The most horrible thought that can be was the first that came to her. She believed that she had been buried alive. But the sound of a human voice drov away that terror, it was a woman's voice, and very gentle and sympathetic. "You must lie still," it said. "Don't be frightened. You're in a hospital, but you're not much hurt."

Why is my face covered?" she cried, sage twice, she renewed her request to in terror.

Your eyes have been somewhat in-

"Blind! Was not death punishment enough?"

"No, my child, you are not blind, and your eyes will soon be as serviceable as ever they were. You were struck in the face by a jet of flame which might well have killed or blinded you. But it did neither. You will not even be disfigured."

"Does my husband know?" "Yes.

"I do not understand." Amy was silent for a moment,

Who told my husband?" she asked,

"We have communicated with him." said the sister, for such was the nurse.

"Is Mr. Carroll here?" "I do not know whether he is now in hospital. He was here till early

morning." "Have I been unconscious all night?

"It is now about seven o'clock." Amy renewed her inquiries about farroll. The sister left the room and returned immediately with the information that the young man was in the waiting room, but that the hospital physician would not permit the patient to talk any more. If she would go to sleep, she could speak with Mr. Car-roll when she awoke. Having no alternative, and, being exhausted be-

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haled. She awoke much refreshed, a little after noon. The first question was whether any word had come from her husband. In reply the sister read a message full of loving sympathy. He would be beside her in spirit, he wrote, so long as she was called upon to suffer and to walt. Having heard this mes-

speak with Carroll. ummons. She asked anxiously if he he had suffered any injury, and he re-



The Letter.

plied jocularly that he had lost one eyebrow and a part of his hair, and considered himself exceedingly lucky. She began to overwhelm him with thanks for having rescued her. He

checked her. "Don't make a hero out of me," he said. "I'm on the other side of the ledger. I'm one of the saved, as you are. It is true that I helped carry you out, but there was a time when I don't believe I'd have gone any farther, if I hadn't had help. I'm breathing nothing but three-cornered files even now. and I was a mighty sight worse off

"How did you happen to be there?" "I followed Chase," he said, with onsiderable hesitation. She shuddered.

"What has become of him?" she isked.

"Heaven knows. He got out of the hotel all right, and then he skipped. You needn't say anything. I know why he has gone. He deserted you."

"How did you know that?" "Oh, I understand his whole plot. I know how he got the information as to our hiding place. He bribed a lettercarrier after failing with all your servants. He got the postmark, of course, in that way. I learned what e was up to and watched him. It was one of my business, you know, as I told you that evening on the pler, but I was bound to do it."

"I shall thank you as long ag I live." "Don't think of it. Well, Laound out that he was to leave town for Albany. I missed the train, but caught the next and was only a little behind him. I wasn't very hard to trace him to the Delavan, but it took time. As soon as I saw 'Mr. and Mrs. Mason' on the register in his handwriting, I saw the whole

game. He'd made an appointment for you in Mrs. Mason's name." Carroll's voice trembled as he recalled his emotions at the moment of that dis-

"Just as we-that is, just as I-" he "Was there some one

"Well, yes; I had a shrewd fellow with me, and he deserves most of the

"A detective?" "Oh, he's perfectly trustworthy. He ms every reason for keeping this affair a profound secret. As I was saying. just as we made that discovery, the alarm was given. We lost precious time by not knowning the hotel bester. but at last we fought our way to the fact of those stairs. There Chase dashed squarely into me, and pretty nearly toke me into two pieces. However, I had strength enough to pick him up and throw him down the next flight

which may have saved his life, for he was pretty badly used up after his collision with me,
"And then you appeared. I shall never live to see another such spectacle as was made by that flash of fire hissing through the partition beside He came in response to the sister's you, and revealing you to us. The rest needs no telling. Here we are, thank heaven, and not much hurt, though I shall miss that mass of yellow curls for a time, and so will some one who has a better right. But I take the liberty of inculding myself in that remark as my sole recompense for helping to carry you out of that smoke and fire."

"It will not be your sole reward, if my gratitude and my friendship are worth anything." Carroll choked as he strove to reply. "You see my throat's pretty bad yet," he said. "And now let me put myself at your services. I know there is some-

thing I can do for you." "I thought at first that there was," she said, "but now I see my duty clearer. I had intended to ask you to keep all this from him, but that would be a miserable mistake. I shall write him the whole story; the good sister will

be my amanuensis." "Gladly, my child," said the sister, With many expressions of gratitude Amy dismissed Carroll, and then she dictated a letter that was clearer than crystal. It revealed her heart from the very first moment when she had permitted her revolt against her husband's



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hard fate to alienate her from him. her; and that she had made wretched misuse of it. She wished for nothing better than to return to him and never Carroll to Albany, and to whose indombetter than to return to him and never leave him again. She commended Caritable courage the escape of all of them

She told Carroll that she had done this when he came next day, and he for it goes without saying that two perpretended that he could have asked for nothing more in the world. "And, by the way," he added, "I

ought to tell you now to be prepared



Light at Last.

for a considerable change when you see Dr. Lynde. I'm told you'll be able to see in a few days, and as soon as your eyes are all right you can go home

"A change?" "He is considerably improved." "I thank God for it; but whether he is to regain his health or to remain a hopeless invalid, I shall never leave him again when once we are reunited. I believe that I have always had a deep feeling for the sacredness of the mar-riage tie; but I have a thousand times more now. If one wishes to know how holy it is, he must get a glimpse into the soul of one who is striving to break

and dishonor It." "I guess you've stated it rightly," said Carroll, thoughtfully. "I don't really know how such a fellow feels, bat I'm dead sure of one thing-he

loesn't love the woman." Which is a very homely way of stating an important fact. As Carroll spoke some one entered

the room.

"It's the doctor," responded Carroll. 'He says that you may see today,' said the sister, gently, "but it will only be for a little while." "To see again!" cried Amy. "It seems

years that I have been blind. How

"Who is that?" cried Amy.

long must time have seemed to him," she added softly. She was sitting in a great chair; and after the window had been somewhat darkened the doctor passed behind her, and proceeded to undo the bandage

that covered her eyes. In an instant she saw Carroll, curiously disfigured by the loss of his eyebrow and by the close cropping of his hair which symmetry had necessitated. Then she saw the sister; and a moment later, turning, saw the doctor,

It was Dr. Lynde. They were alone in the room when she recovered her from surprise and looked around for the others. Then they sat together for a long

time while he told of his recovery. It appeared that his case from the first had been totally misunderstood. It had been a surgical, not a medical case, depending upon a direct injury to the spine, which, upon discovery, had been recognized as remediable. The soulless scientist from the fatherland had accomplished it.

Lynde had wished his wife to know

nothing about this until he was fully

restored, and for that reason had de-She confessed that she had taken her layed her return to him.

freedom gladly when he had given it to The reader will not need to be in-

roll to her husband as one who had from the burning hotel was due.

Nor is there need to carry the fortunate conclusion of the story into detail sons whose lives had come so near to shipwreck would be just the very one to "live happily ever afterwards." [The End.]

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For Atlantic City, 8.20 a.m.
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For Mauch Chunk, Ocean Grove, etc., at 8.20 a.m., 12.45 p.m.
For Reading, Lebanon and Harrisburg, via Allentown, 8.20 a.m., 12.45 p.m.
For Pottsville, 8.20 a.m., 12.45 p.m.
Returning, leave New York, foot of Liberty street, North river, at 9.10 (express) a.m., 1.10, 1.20, 4.30 (express with Buffet parlor car) p.m. Sunday, 4.30 a.m.
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For Farview, Waymart and Honesdale at 7.00, 8.25 and 10.10 a.m., 12.00, 2.20 and 5.15 p.m. at 7.00, 8.25 and 10.10 a.m., 12.00, 2.20 and 5.15 p.m.

For Albany, Saratoga, the Adirondacks and Montreal at 5.45 a.m. and 2.20 p.m.

For Wilkes-Barre and intermediate into at 7.45, 8.45, 9.28 and 10.45 a.m., 12.05, 1.20, 2.35, 4.00, 5.19, 6.05, 9.18 and 11.35 p.m.

Trains will arrive at Scranton station from Carbondale and intermediate points at 7.40, 8.40, 8.34 and 10.40 a.m., 12.00, 1.17, 2.34, 2.40, 4.54, 5.55, 7.45, 9.11 and 11.33 p.m.

From Honesdale, Waymart and Faryview at 9.34 a.m., 12.00, 1.17, 5.40, 6.56 and 7.45 p.m.

From Montreal, Saratoga, Albany, etc., at 4.54 and 11.33 p.m.

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Leave Scranton for Bethlehem, Easton, Reading, Harrisburg and all intermediate points via D. & H. R. R., 7.66 a.m., 12.05, 2.38, 4.00, 11.38 p.m., via D., L. & W. R. R., 6.00, 8.08, 11.20 a.m., 1.30 p.m.

Leave Scranton for Tunkhannock, Towanda, Elmira, Ithaca, Geneva and all intermediate points via D. & H. R. R., 2.45 a.m., 12.06 and 11.35 p.m., via D., L. & W. R. R., 8.08, 9.55 a.m., 1.30 p.m.

Leave Scranton for Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Detroit, Chicago and all points west via D. & H. R. R., 8.45 a.m., 12.05, 9.15, 11.38 p.m., via D., L. & W. R. R., 8.15, 11.39 p.m., via D., L. & W. R., 8.15, 11.39 p.m., via D., L. & W. R., 8.15, 11.39 p.m., via D., L. & W.