

ich. 1908, by The Bubbs-Mo en are the sands, except for one or two places very well-known, as afe as your gardens at Versailles. But remain, and-you shall see

Which they did-finding the pl to their tiking-or their hostess; the governor, who cared not for but must needs entertain them for reasons of state, left them as much as might be to his daughter. She, brimming with the ardor and effervescence of eighteen years, accepted these responsibilities gladly; pending that period she had referred to, turned the monks' great refectory into a ball-room, and then, when the gales had swept away, proposed the sands themselves as a scene for diversion both for her guests and the people. This, despite the demur of his Excellency, her father.

"Is it wise," he had asked, "to court the attention of the people?"

"Oh, I am not afraid," she had answered. "And they are going to dance, too!"

"They!" He frowned. "Why not? It is the queen's own idea. 'Let the people dance, she has gold, 'and they will keep out of miscutef. Besides," with a prouder poise of the bright head, "why shouldn't they see, and-like me?"

"They like nothing except themselves, and," dryly, "to attempt to evade their just obligations."

"Can you blame them?" She made a light gesture. "Obligations, mon pere, are so tiresome!"

"Well, well, hastily, "have your own way." Although he spoke rather ertly, on the whole he was not dis-used with his daughter; her bethal with the Marquis de Beauvillers, a nobleman of large estates,arranged while she was yet a child!omised a brilliant marriage and in measure offered to his Excellency some compensation for that old and long-cherished disappointment — the birth of a girl with his ambition had looked so strongly for an helr to his name as well as to his estate.

And so my lady and her guests danced and made merry on the sands below, and the people came out from the mainland or down from the houses in the town at the base of the rock, to watch. A varied assemblage of gaunt-looking men and bent, lowbrowed women, for the most part they stood sullen and silent; though exchanging meaning glances now and then as if to say: "Do you note all cisplay? Yes; and some day-" Upon brooding brows, in deep-set eyes, on furrowed faces a question and an answer seemed to gleam and pass. Endowed with natural optimism and a vivacity somewhat beedless, my lady appeared unconscious of all this latent enmity until an unlooked-for incident, justifying in a measure the governor's demur, broke in upon the evening's festivities and claimed her

On the beach, lighted by torches, a dainty minuet was proceeding gally, when through the throng of onlookers, a young man with dark head set as a frame tall and powerful, worked his way carefully to a point where ne was afforded at least a restricted view of the animated spectacle. Aborbed each in his or her way in the scene before them, no one noticed eim, and with hat drawn over his brow, and standing in the shadow f the towering head-dresses of several peasant women, he seemed conart to attract as little attention to t meelf as possible. His look, at first quick and alert, that of a man taking stock of his surroundings, suddenly became intent and piercing, as, passirg in survey over the lowly spectators to the glittering company, it centered itself on the young mistress

in contume white and shining, the Lady Elise moved through the graceful numbers, her slender supple figure now poised, now swaying, from head to foot responsive to the rhythm of that "pastime of little steps." Her Hps, too, were busy, but such was the while he continued to search eagerly and an elegant lunch was served. witchery of her motion-all lire and life!-the silk-stockinged cavaliers whom she thus regailed with wit, instant, on the outskirts of the throng, mockery, or jest, could, for the most by the glare of a torch, was no more part, respond only with admiring to be descried. As questioning the

glances or weakly protesting words, reality of a fleeting impression, his "That pretty fellow, her partner," gaze fixed itself again near the edge with a contemptuous accent on the of flickering lights; shifted unceradjective, 'is the Marquis de Beauvillers, a kinsman of the king!" said from the Mount hurried to and fro; one of the women in the throng.

"Ma foi! They're well matched. A His jaw which had dropped grew sud-

dancing doll for a popinjay!" The young man behind the headdresses, now nodding viciously, moved nearer the front. Dressed in the rough though not picturesque fashion of the northern fishermen, a touch of bior in his apparel lent to his bearing a note of romance the bold expression of his awarthy face did not belie. For a few moments he watched the girl; the changing eyes and lips, shadowed by hair that shone and flashed like bright burnished gold; then catching her gaze, the black eyes gleamed. An instant their eyes lingered; hers

"Where have I seen him?" My lady, in turning, paused to swing over her shoulders a giance.

Whom?" asked her companion in cance—a fair, handsome nobleof slim figure and elegant bear-

"That's just what I can't tell you," she answered, sweeping a courtesy that fitted the rhythm of the music. ly a face I should remember!"

The HASTINGS FALL FESTIVAL COMMITTEE, of has ings, has arranged with the pain Fireworks Company, of New York, to produce every night during the week of October 7th the famous spectacle "LAST DAYS OF, POMPEII." A masterpiece of spectacula splendor and pyrotechnic ingenuity; invented, yroduced and personally conducted by the greatest fireworks manufactures in the world. Three hundred georgeous Costumed Performers taking part in this production, including five big circus acts; five acres of ground seating ten thousand people; imposing scenery, Impressive Pageants of beautiful flower girls, Roman Senators, Priests, Guards and Gladiators all magnificently gowned. Exciting contest of the Roman Hippodrome concluding the evening's performance with \$1000 Disylay of Fire works, which is chatged nightly. This great spectacular success which has amazed and delightet millions in Europe and Amirica, will be seen for the first time in centari Nebraska. The prices of admission will be 50 cents general admission reserved seats 25 cents extra box seats 50 cents extra. Ghildren under 12, 25 c.

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tion, as if divining the trend of their talk, had drawn back.

"Oh he to gone non" she coswered "A malcontent, perhaps! One meets them nowadays."

"No, no! He did not look-" "Some poor fellow, then, your beauty has entrapped?" he insinuated

Humble admirer! "Then I would remember him!" she aughed as the dance came to an end. Now in a tented pavilion servants. richty garbed in festal costume, passed among the guests, circulating trays, bright with golden dishes and goblets, stamped with the ancient in-

signia of the Mount, and once the property of the affluent monks, early rulers of the place. Other attendants followed, bearing light delicacies, confections and marvelous frosted towers and structures from the castle kit-"The patron saint in sugar!" Merry

exclamations greeted these examples of skill and cunning. "Are we to deyour the saint?"

"Ah, no; he is only to look at!"

"But the Mount in cake-?" "You may cut into that-though beware!-not so deep as the dungeons!" "A piece of the cloister!"

"A bit of the abbey!" "And you, Elise?" The girl reached gaily. "A little of the froth of the sea!'

'Then I Would Remember Him," She

Laughed.

had been broached and wine was be

ing circulated among the people.

There, master of ceremonies, Beppo

dispensed advice with the beverage.

his grumbling talk heard above the

fight laughter and chatter of the

spoke, the governor's man, from the

elevated stand upon which he stood,

gazed arrogantly around him, "Clods!

thanks! Who only think of your

"To the governor!" exclaimed a

few, but it might have been noticed

they were men from the town, directly

beneath the shadow of his Excellen-

-but now in vain. The object of his

startled attention, illiumined, for an

then back to the people around him.

"Clear a space for the dance!" he

called out in tones in atient, excited.

"It's her ladyship's command-so see

there, with the tambourin and haut-

Two men, clad in sheepskin and car-

rying rude instruments, obediently

advanced, and at once, in marked con-

trast to the recent tinkling measures

of the orchestra, a wild, half-barbaric

But the governor's man, having

thus far executed the orders he had

received, did not linger to see whether

or not his own injunction, "to step

blithely," was observed; some con-

cern, remote from gaillarde, gavotte

or bourree of the people, caused him

hastily to dismount from his stand

and make his way from the throng.

As he started at a rapid pace across

the sands, his eyes, now shining with

"What could have brought him

ere? Him!" he repeated. "Ah, my

fine fellow, this should prove a lucky troke for me!" And outckening his

dep, until he almost ran, Benno hur-

anticipation, looked back.

stomachs! Drink to the governor, I

ords and ladies.

generous, and-"

denly firm.

bois, come forward!'

concord rang out.

better at this writing. Meanwhile, not far distant, a barrel Mr. and Mrs. Wescott took dinner near Aurora last Thursday. at the home of Mr. Roy last Sunday. Fred Reed had a runaway last Thursday, which might have resulted week. in a very serious one. He was haul- Fritz Bichel is threshing in the valoff from the rack, frightening the

> Those receiving attendance certificates at district 37, for the month ending Sept. 27: Fern Reed, Roy Reed, Mable McFadden, Joe McFadded, Ferdinand Obermiller and Hans Ober-

were finally stopped and no damage

CHAPTER V.

An Interruption.

"They seem not to appreciate your

fete champetre, my Lady!" At the

the Lady Elise and the Marquis de

Beauvillers, who had left the other

guests to the enjoyment of fresh cul-

inary surprises, paused to survey a

festal. For whether these people

vere too sodden to aveil themselve

t the opportunity for merrymaking

TO BE CONTINUED

Along R. R. No. 2

Tom McFadden and family spent

Art Wilson and family are going to

Sunday at Mr. Obermiller's.

Sunday at her father's home.

Arthur Obermiller is now enrolled in district 37.

Lewis Davenport is choring for Art Wilson, while he and famil arey attending the Ak-sar-ben at Omaha. Mrs. Peugh and Lettie called at the home of Stewart McFadden Saturday

Lula McFadden spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her parents. Mr. Jorgensen will soon leave for a

short visit at Albion, Neb. Jim Roush on his way home from Omaha stopped over night and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gunn. He reports Grover Huston as slowly recov-"Drink to his Excellency!" As he

A. P. Paulson marketed hogs at Loup City Thursday. Sponges that sop without a word of

Oliver Brodock is running for road overseer in his district. Henry Bichel's man took home

new grain drill last Friday.

cy's castle, and now close within reach of the fat factotum's arm. "Once more! Had I the ordering of wine, the barrels would all be

empty ones, but her ladyship would Misses Lillie and Edith Brown entertained the scholars of the tenth Beppo broke suddenly off, his wanand eleventh grades at their home dering glance, on a sudden, arrested. south of town last Thursday evening. "Hein!" he exclaimed, with eyes To give the names of those present would take too much room, for some ably sure and certain in their effect. A moment he stammered a few 50 present. All kinds of games were words of surprise and incredulity, the

their mail boxes, posts and grounds jalists and are experts in the treatand see if the earth slopes toward ment of chronic diseases and so great them A good many boxes are in bad and wonderful have been their results shape, signals gone and door hanging that in many cases it is hard indeed ordinary tailors. Let by one hinge, with post almst down. to find the dividing line between skill The other carriers report same condi- and miracle. tainly to the pavilion where servants tions on their routes. And there's Diseases of the stomach, intestines

you step blithely! And you fellows Loup City.

Willis Holcomb was out on Ro te 2 to call.

Robt. Dinsdale put down a cesspool near his feed yards the past week. Albert Snyder, wife and daughter were trading in Loup City Saturday.

Sunday at the Corning home. R. D. Hendrickson sold the north- dangerous diseases. west forty of his farm last week to

Clark Reynolds. L. A. Bangs has bought ten acres west of Mr. George's and is busy haul-

ing sand and other material for his new improvements. Tom Garner wrs in the field Monday with a new grain drill

Mr. and Mrs Fred Sohnson visited at Hazard Sunday.

Swan Younglund went to Hamilton see them at once. Have it forever

ried toward the tower gate of the with relatives and friends.

Oliver Brodock has bought a new Mason car of Schuman the past week. Peter B Freezen of Henderson are visiting relatives here this week. Henry Obermiller was seeding wheat

verge of the group of peasant dancers, for J. J. Peters Monday. J. Buller is again visiting this week

at R. P Ratslaff's. Born, last week, to Mr. and Mrs. scene, intended, yet failing, to be Robert Holmes, a daughter.

> John Peugh and family visited last Sunday at the J. E. Roush home. Grandpa and Grandma Goodwin were down Sunday to see the new arrival at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Holmes.

Will Engle is rushing his new house Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Waggoner spent and by the time people can cross the west bridge there will be two new residences completed west of Mr.

A surprise party was given on Miss Elnora Spencer last Saturday evening attend the Ak-sar-ben at Omaha this b. the school and a fine time resulted Fred Johnson and his men began Mrs. C. W. Burt has been having a severe attack of rheumatism for the working roads west of Iver Lynne's last few weeks, but is reported some last Tuesday.

Isaac Darnell returned to his home

Mrs. E. M. Marville's mother from Hamilton county is visiting her this Offce First Floor, 4

ing fodder, some of the fodder falling ley south of Loup City this week. Mrs. F. A. Pinckney was trading team and causing them to run. They at Loup City last Saturday.

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