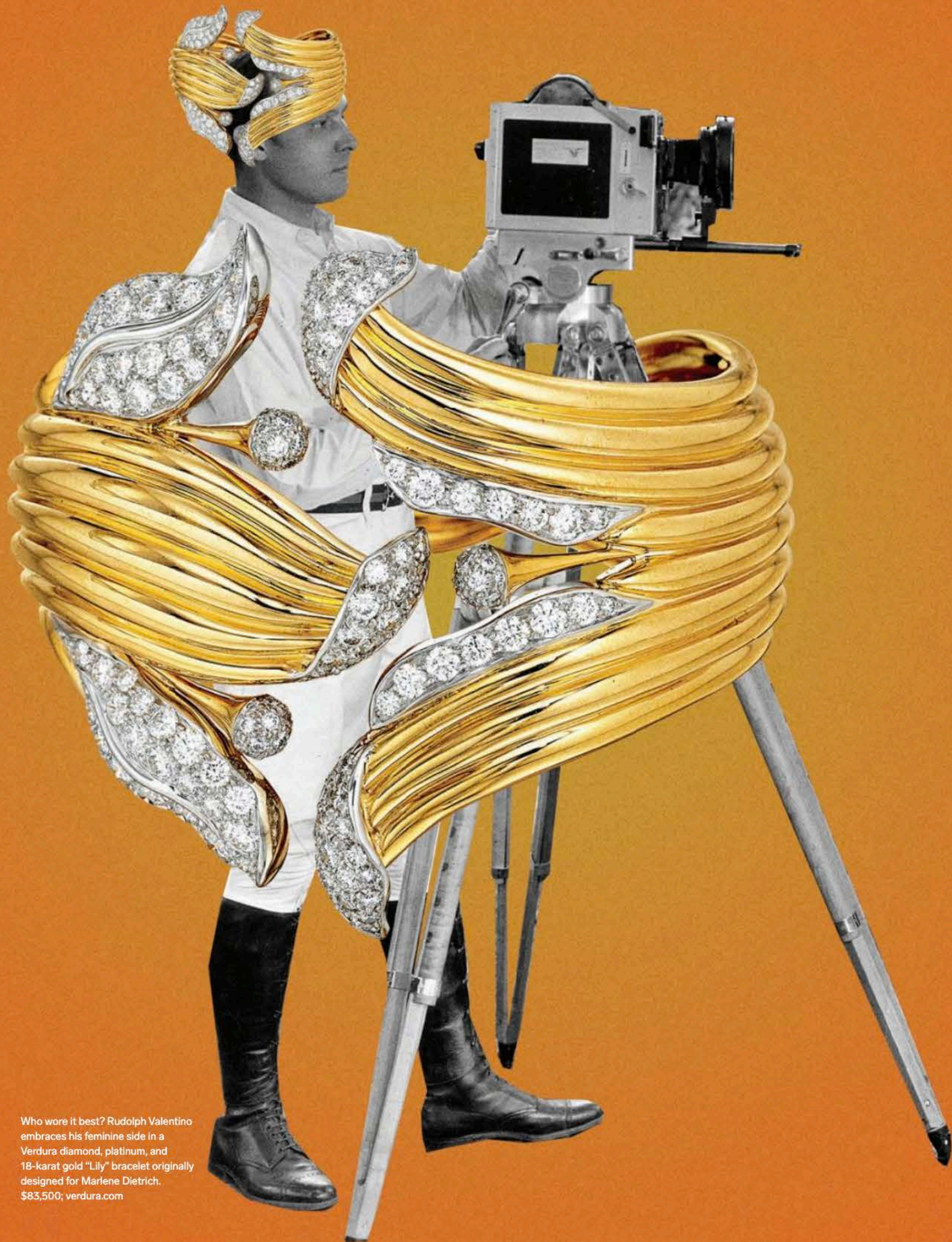


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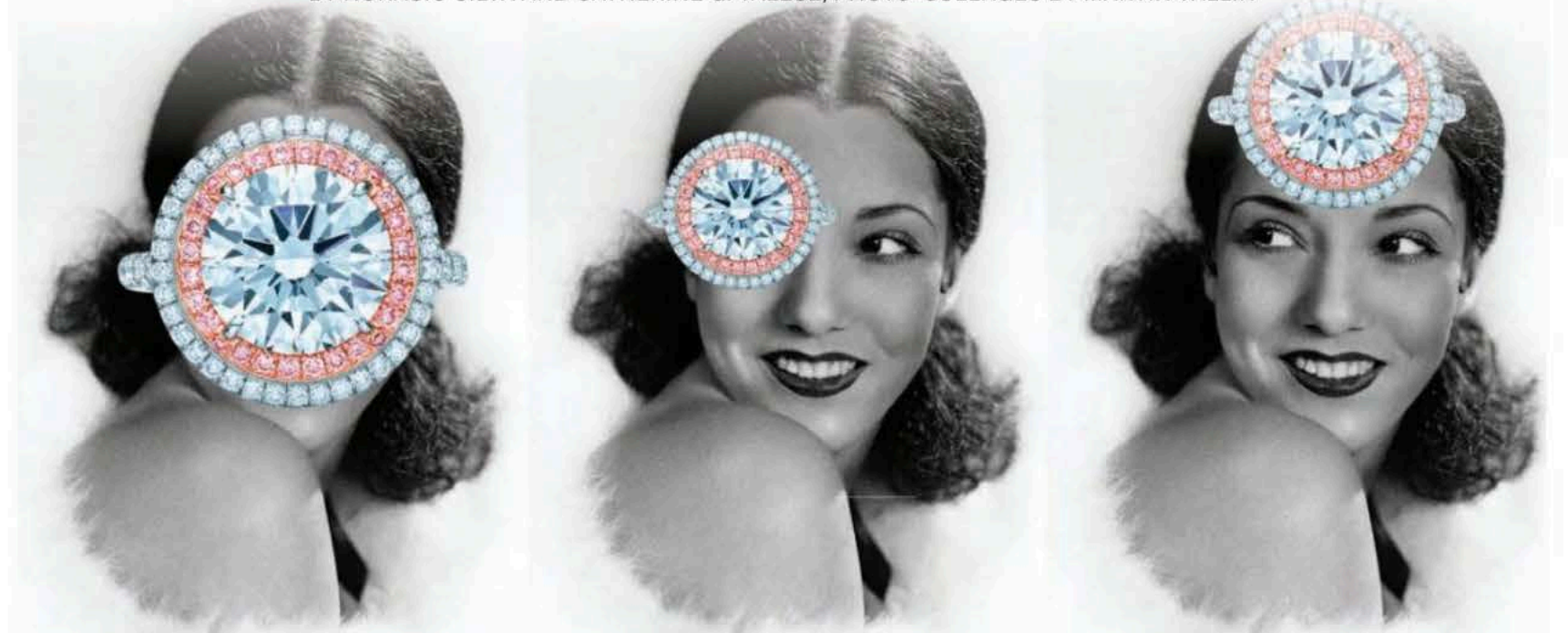
Who wore it best? Rudolph Valentino embraces his feminine side in a Verdura diamond, platinum, and 18-karat gold "Lily" bracelet originally designed for Marlene Dietrich. \$83,500; verdura.com



# Scene Stealers

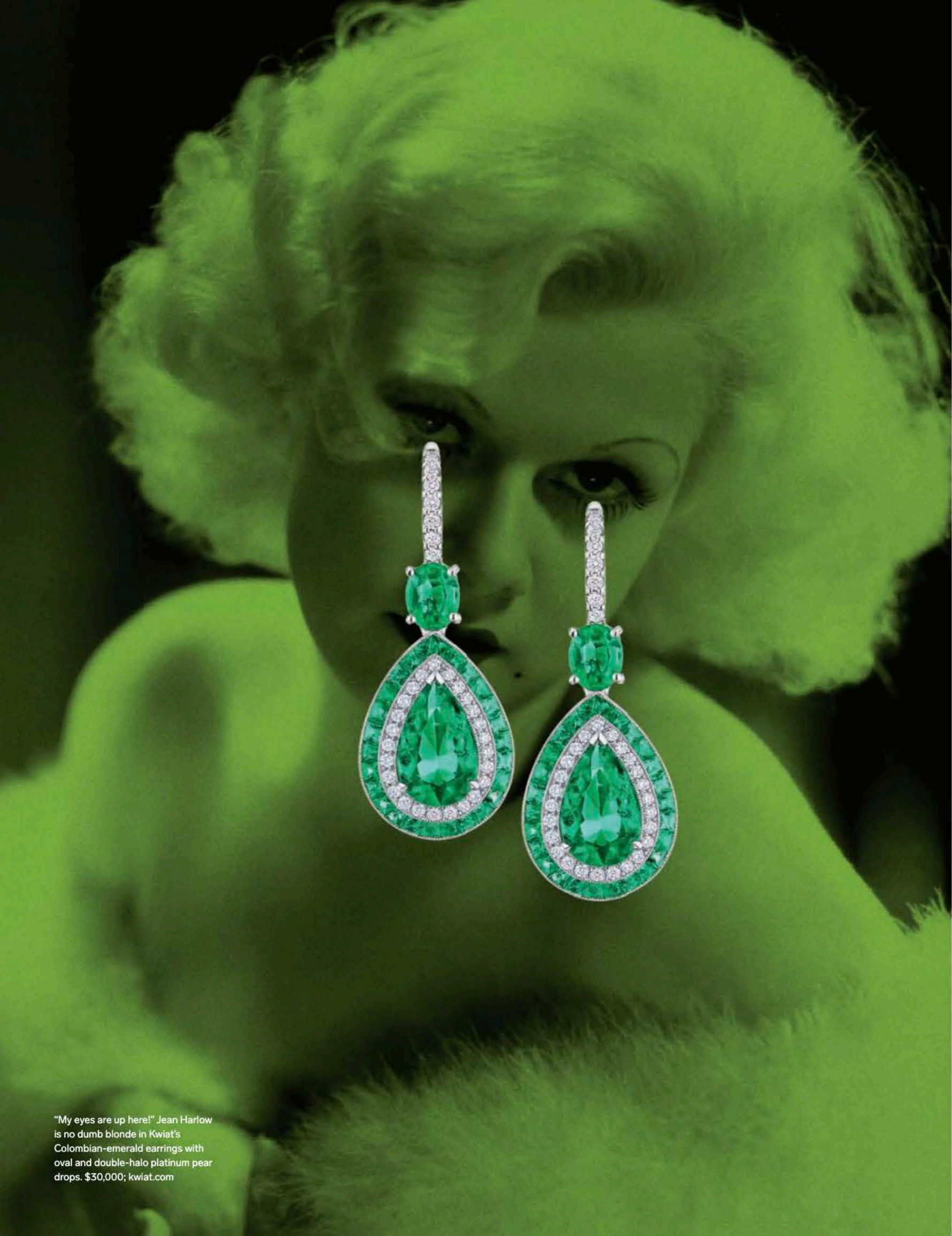
STAR JEWELRY PIECES THAT ARE READY FOR THEIR CLOSE-UP

BY HORACIO SILVA AND CATHERINE G. TALESE, PHOTO-COLLAGES BY MARTIN VALLIN



Shine bright like a diamond: Lupe Vélez, aka the "Mexican Spitfire," dazzles in a Tiffany & Co. "Soleste" ring with fancy pink diamonds and a 4.13-carat white diamond. \$423,000; tiffany.com

RUDDOLPH VALENTINO: SCHERL/SÜDDEUTSCHE ZEITUNG PHOTO/ALAMY; LUPE VELEZ: MAYER/PICTORIAL PRESS LTD/ALAMY



"My eyes are up here!" Jean Harlow is no dumb blonde in Kwiat's Colombian-emerald earrings with oval and double-halo platinum pear drops. \$30,000; kwiat.com



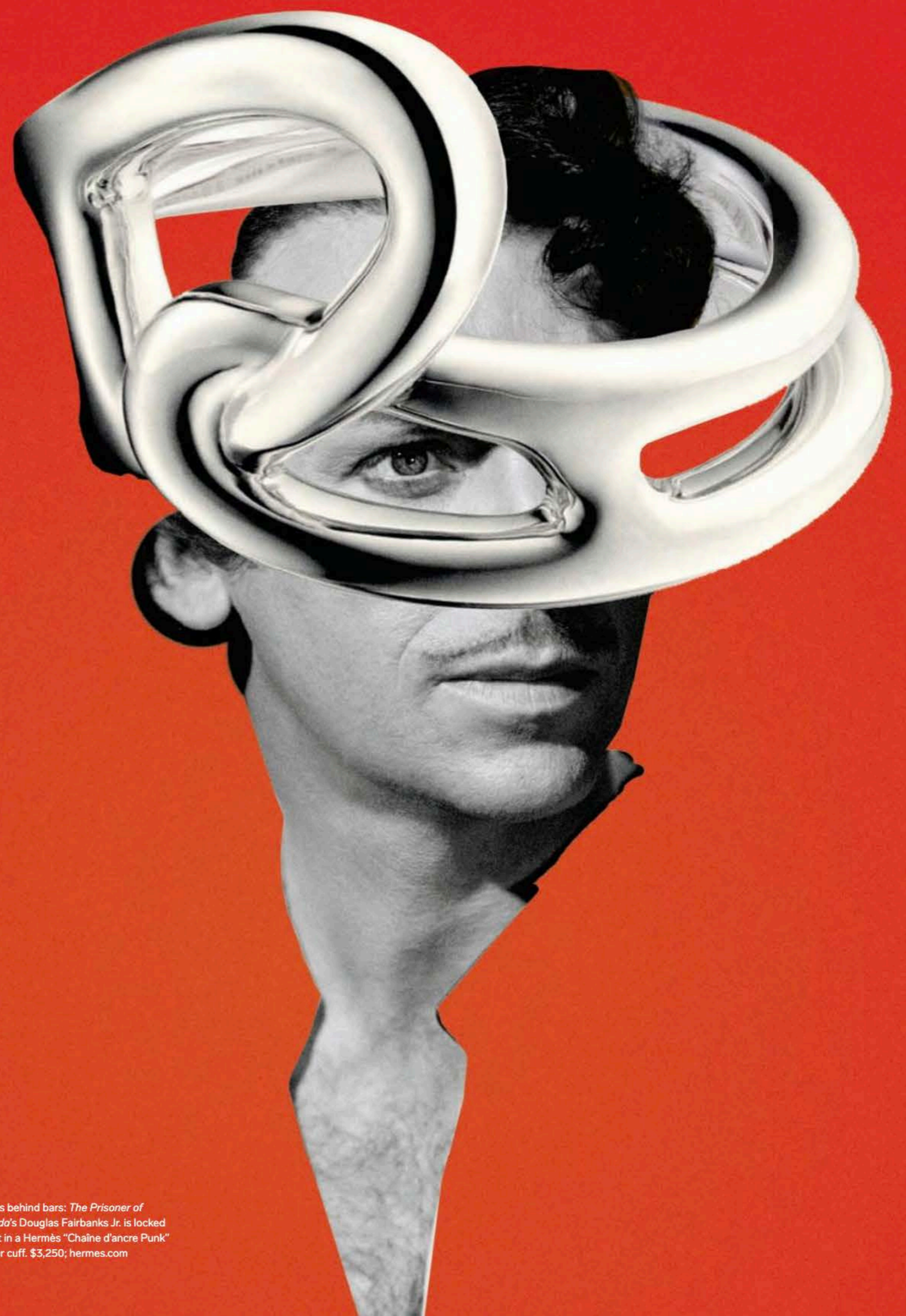
"If you can't dazzle them with brilliance..." The cantankerous W.C. Fields puts the "chic" in "chickadee" in Chanel metal, strass, and resin pearl earrings. \$800; chanel.com

JEAN HARLOW: ALBUM/ALAMY; W.C. FIELDS: PICTURELUX/THE HOLLYWOOD ARCHIVE/ALAMY

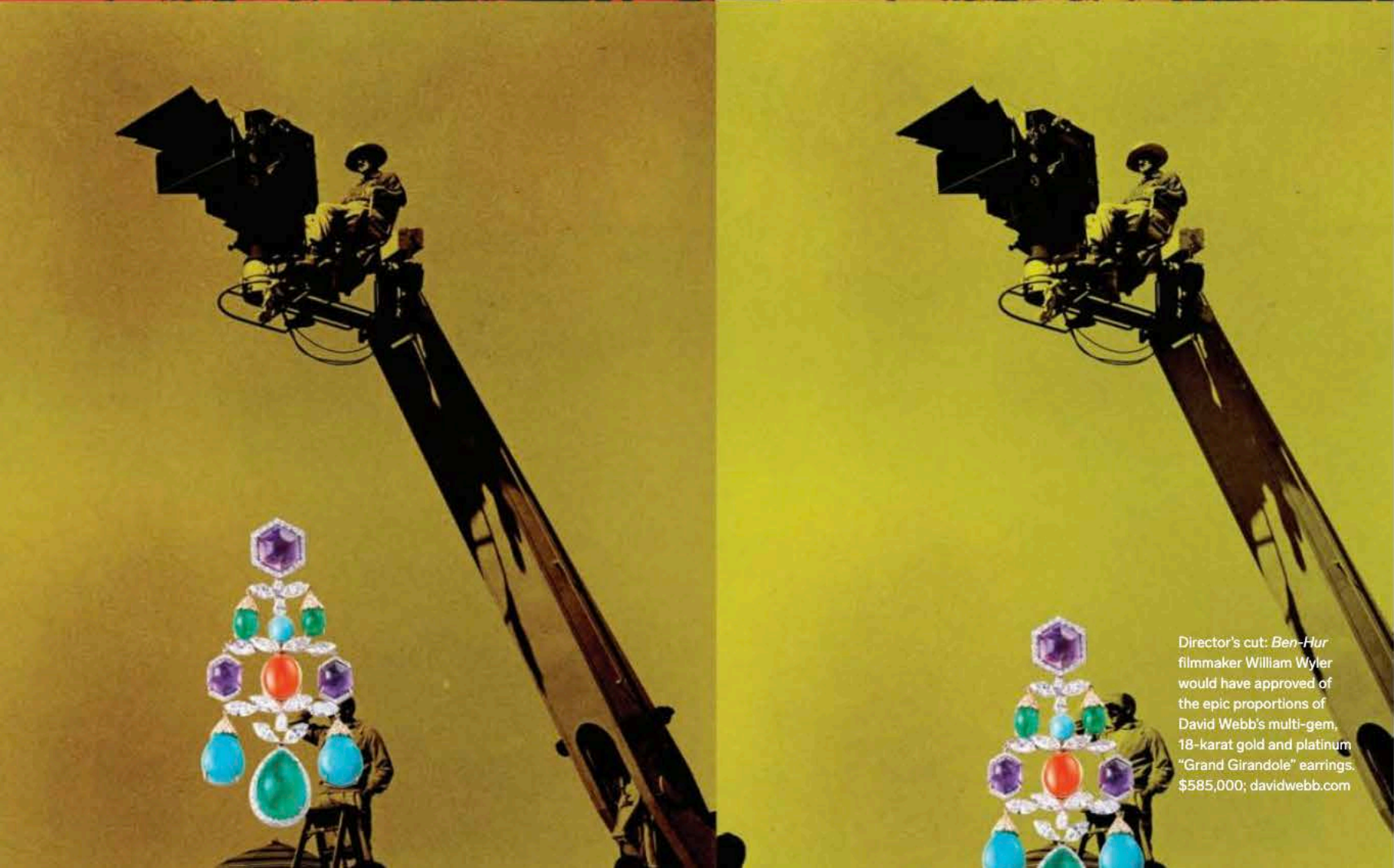
Role reversal: Carole Lombard, the queen of screwball comedy, looks seriously chic against a Mauboussin vintage 1950s Mughal-influenced multi-gem necklace set in gold. \$68,000; alvr.com



CAROLE LOMBARD: WOLF TRACER ARCHIVE/PHOTO 12/ALAMY; DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS: TCD/PRODD.DB/ALAMY



Stars behind bars: *The Prisoner of Zenda's* Douglas Fairbanks Jr. is locked tight in a Hermès "Chaîne d'ancre Punk" silver cuff. \$3,250; hermes.com



Director's cut: *Ben-Hur* filmmaker William Wyler would have approved of the epic proportions of David Webb's multi-gem, 18-karat gold and platinum "Grand Girandole" earrings. \$585,000; davidwebb.com

WILLIAM WYLER: ALBUM/ALAMY; DOOLEY WILSON: MASHETER MOVIE ARCHIVE/ALAMY. ALL JEWELRY PHOTOGRAPHY PROVIDED COURTESY OF THE DESIGN HOUSE



"Play it again, Sam!" Dooley Wilson's star turn in *Casablanca* gets better as time goes by, as does this Van Cleef & Arpels "Bouton d'Or" ring featuring chrysoprase, onyx, and diamonds set in 18-karat yellow gold. \$18,100; vancleefarpels.com