Answer to October Double Acrostic

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Poe’s fallen creatures are … twice self-doomed, doubly victims of their imp of the perverse. First, their spirit of perversity compels them to commit atrocious and unreasonable crimes … The second … act of perversity is, after having committed the perfect crime … to incriminate oneself.

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