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It was a golden harvest day, late in September, and the men of the frontier settlement of Warren, hidden away in the heart of vast Kentucky forest, were at work on their respective clearings, cutting and loading the ripe, golden wheat, when, like a huge thunder-cloud, overspreading the sky at mid-noon, a large party of savages made a descent upon the settlement; and in less than half an hour from the time of their arrival had struck deep into their hearts by the first terrible war-whoop.

Every one in that little community had been murdered in cold blood, save a youth of nineteen, Harry Phillips by name, who, upon the first alarm, had hidden in the tall wheat, and thus far escaped the fell eyes of the enemy.

So near was his hiding-place to the cabin, that he had every shiver taken by the women and children, as they were butchered by the red fiends; and more than once he was on the point of rushing out to their defence, all unarmed as he was. But the love of life is implanted so deep in every heart, and the certainty that he could render them no aid, held him back.

There had been no rain for several days, and the timber that formed the roof of the cabin was dry, and in the best condition for the flames to prey upon.

The crackling of the flames grew louder and louder, and he was soon enabled to see that the roof of the cabin nearest him was one sheet of flame; and, as it was more than a half dozen rods from where he was concealed, he already could feel the heat where he lay.

There seemed no alternative but to remain where he was, at least so long as it was possible for him to do so, rather than run the risk of moving.

But it was fatal that he should not remain undisturbed.

The savages had only begun their work of devastation by fire. They had divided, several being allotted to the burning of each cabin, and while the others were accomplishing their task, he saw the flames of the torches, the black smoke and the air like a cloud.

Harry was aware of his danger, until he saw the huge volume of smoke soaring over him, and even then he did not know that it might proceed from the burning cabin.

He dare not rise his head to see, but his suspicions bore a certainty; for, as he lay, with his hands clasped over his face, he saw the flames rushing toward him, through the yellow stalks of the ripened grain. Two deaths stared him in the face—one from the flames, and the other from the no less merciless flames.

He might escape from the savages under the cover of the smoke, but if he lay where he was a minute longer the forked tongues of the flames would be coming into his face. He took the chance that gave him hope of life, and sprang to his feet.

One fearful glance he gave about him, bounded on every side by smoke and flames, and then bounded away to the edge of the forest, about thirty yards distant.

With all the strength at his command the youth sprang toward the line of forest trees which promised him shelter and refuge; but despite his progress, and his little headway, for the wheat was stout and thick, and impeded his progress sadly. Yet every nerve was brought to the task, for he knew that life or death depended upon his efforts.

He had gone over perhaps one-third of the distance, and was gaining somewhat on the flames that were following him, when he saw a bright line of flame spring up on the outer edge of the field, toward which he was flying, and heard the shouts of the red devils, who had set this new trap into which he was running, and who now caught a glimpse of him springing madly toward them.

Suspecting that some of their intended victims might be secreted amid the wheat, they had fired the edges all about the field, to insure their destruction.

The shouts of the savages that had caught sight of Harry were echoed by their companions, and nearly the entire party surrounded the field, determined to hem him in, so that there should be no escape from the flames for the last survivor of their victims.

The heart of Harry Phillips sank within him. A circle of roaring, hissing flames surrounded him on every side rushing swiftly toward him, and darting out red tongues as if in haste to wrap him in a robe of fire; and outside of this circle of blood-thirsty savages, whose cruelty was equal to that of the blinding element that hemmed him in.

The youth had a brave heart, but it was like lead in his bosom, as he comprehended the terrible danger by which he was surrounded.

With the speed of a race-horse the red flames came on behind him; already they were scorching his body with the heat of a fiery furnace, yet why should he stir from his place?

ment more the red flames were crackling where he had stood.

A few yards further on, and the huge trunk of a fallen tree lay before him. The limbs had been cut off by the settlers, but the body was so huge that they had not attempted to remove it when the field had been prepared for the sowing of the wheat.

As his eye rested upon it, a new-born hope of escape flashed to the mind of the danger-stricken youth.

He well knew that the trunk of the fallen pine was hollow, and that the cavity was sufficiently large to admit of his crawling in for a considerable distance.

Here was an escape from the flames, at least, and it might be that the savages would think that he had dashed through the flames and escaped in some direction under the cover of the dense smoke, and would not think to examine his hiding-place.

The shell of the tree was of considerable thickness, and he knew that if it burned it would be some time before the flames could penetrate to him; and in the interval the savages might take their departure.

To adopt this expedient and to put it into execution was but the work of a few moments, and escaped at the other end of the aperture he waited with alternate hope and fear for the onset of the flames, and the time that should decide his own fate.

Not long had he to wait.

With a roar like a tempest they came on, and he could feel their hot breath, through a narrow crevice in his shelter, falling, and which served as a breathing-place without which it would have been impossible to have obtained air, as his body and clothing filled the aperture almost completely.

For a few moments the flames raged above him like the blast of a furnace, but the heat was soon exhausted and the smoke passed on; but Harry could still hear the flames crackling above him, and knew from this that the tree was burning; but he remained in his present position it would be several hours before the fire could reach him, if it did at all, which was doubtful, so that it was not long that the inside of the shell was wet and soggy, and, therefore, would not burn readily.

Wait and trust was all that could be done. Wait until the savages had left, and trust that that would be soon, convinced that under the cover of the smoke he had made his escape.

It was but a few minutes from the time the fire was set before all that remained of the field of waving grain was the charred black earth, from which the smoke was rising in many places; and no sooner had the flames subsided, so that it was possible for him to venture, ere the savages, who during this time had kept up their internal yells, were hunting the ground for the remains of the youth, who were positive that he had not escaped from the fiery circle in which they had surrounded him.

It was several minutes before the ground had been fully explored, and to their amazement they could find no trace of the youth, who had been seen by the fire; and they had nearly arrived at the conclusion that he had escaped under the cover of the smoke, when the attention of one of them was attracted by the burning trunk of the fallen pine. He called to the others, and in a moment the whereabouts of the youth was known to them all.

Harry, in forcing himself into the aperture, had disturbed the light soil at the end of the log, and where his feet had been identified was still plainly visible, notwithstanding the fire; and the little hope that had crept into the heart of the youth, went out, for well he knew by their words that his hiding-place was discovered, and that he was again at their mercy.

For a few moments the savages consulted together as to the best method of disposing of him, and at last it was agreed among them that the aperture at the end of the log should be closed up securely, and then fresh fuel heaped upon the burning trunk, until it should be consumed along with its inmate.

The horror of Harry Phillips can be better imagined than described, as in the presence of this infernal resolution the red demons with a large stone securely closed the entrance, so that it would be impossible for the inmate of the shell to dialogue it. Then he heard them depart and ere long return with the fresh fuel, which they heaped above him; and the red flames, taking new life therefrom, turned the log again into a shroud of living fire.

Well the youth knew that the terrible death was nigh upon him; but not a cry came from his lips for the red demons to glory in.

He had looked upon the green earth and the blue sky for the last time, and his lips moved in prayer to Him above, before whom he expected to appear. His last human life seemed gone; and yet there was help near at hand of which he little dreamed.

A strong force of whites, headed by Logan, the scout, had been upon the trail of the devastating savages for the past two days, and they now suddenly appeared upon the scene, and the first intimation that the redskins had of their presence was a volley of bullets, that fell among them as they were heaping fuel upon the log like hail upon a pile of tender corn.

For a moment they were dismayed by the suddenness of the attack; but they soon recovered themselves, and being joined by their comrades, a battle raged, that for fierceness was not exceeded by any in all the Indian war. The result for a time appeared as undecided, but at last the savages were routed, leaving half their number killed and wounded upon the field.

A few moments later, as the whites were busy in caring for some of their wounded comrades, they were startled by a faint sound that appeared to come from the burning pile near them. An investigation showed the stone rolled against the aperture, and when it had been removed Harry Phillips came forth from his fiery shroud unscathed, much to the astonishment of those to whom he owed his life, who regarded his preservation much in the light of a miracle.

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