

turned the other. "Under the shadow of the forest men have to mingle with social conditions which are not of their choosing."

"Such conditions must always be," cried the young soldier and offering his hand to the other he left the house.

Shortly afterwards he was once more riding along the forest path, continuing his journey; but he had much to ponder over. He was by nature thoughtful and introspective, and he had only just commenced his Canadian experience, and the whole personality, the plain common sense, the wisdom and tolerance of the backwoods preacher, had impressed him strongly and favorably.