ne lad's rapt face.



# Aubrey's Revenge.

CHAPTER XL.

There was a great hue and cry Van Cortlandt Place when it becam apparent that Kelpie was really gon ed her jewels all over the floor.

"Somebody go and find her; som body go and bring her back to me she implored. "My darling, my own beautiful daughter, I can't live with out her!" she cried.

"Don't act like a fool, ma'am," said Snapdragon, with a mocking light in her yellow eyes. "You've got to let her go some day, and you might as well do it now. She's not your daughter, and you know it just as well as I do."

"Who is my daughter, then?" Snapdragon laughed scornfully

course the three millions left by your

"Oh, my child, my child!" cried the lady, and fell from her chair in a dead

"Poor soul, it will kill her," said Snapdragon, "but the truth had to be

It was springtime when Kelpie went across to the old lighthouse for the first time.

Tom Holland took her over in his dory and made her lean on his strong say: "Bless you, my children, bless arm when she climbed the iron stairs. you!"

The sea was calm and blue, and the April sunshine glowed with the warmth and golden glory of midsummer. All along the shore the sand dunes were billowy with long, coarse grass.

"Let me sit out here, please, Tom, for a little while," she said, when they reached the parapet. "I want to hear The Cruise of the the sound of the sea. Oh, how good it is to be at home again." she added. a tender smile brightening her wan face. "It seems to me that I've been away for years."

Then and there, quite overcome by the familiar sights and sounds, she bowed her head on the arm of the big chair in which Tom had seated her. and cried like a child.

The young man, the loyal lover, stood and looked down at her in silence, an expression of intense devotion on his face.

For three long months, ever since the first day of her return, Kelpie had lain ill unto death at Thatcher's

brought down to the very brink hovered above the hut, and the dog

which sat on its haunches, sleeping But Janet, aided by the old keeper with one ear open at his feet. That is father in a low voice, clear at one and his son, had nursed her back to to say, the boy was a product of Na- word, slightly thick and husky at the life, and now, at last, frail and weak, ture, with Nature's keenness, simplic- other—the voice of one drawing near and as pale as a snowdrop, but with ity, truthfulness, and ignorance of art the Great Silence. the light of a great joy in her eyes, and shams. For so young a lad, the "A being who may be higher than it be a woman"—he leant forward she had gone back to her old home. grim set of the lips, the unwavering the angels or lower than the beasts, and his eyes glowed with the inten-Sitting in the April sunshine, she gaze of the dark eyes, were extraor- as he chooses."

#### Eat Cabbage, Fish, ifting her head and putting back her ind-blown hair, she brushed aw Sausage, New Bread tears, and said softly:

You think I am very foolish, don

"Do people always cry when they're

happy?" he asked. "I can't believe it

or I should be in tears all the rest of

"Are you really very glad to have

"After all?" she repeated, with the

Kelpie was silent for some time

"She has gone abroad, I believe."

"Do you mean Aubrey, Tom?"

he has consented to acknowledge her.

"You are daddy's own little grand-

THE END.

"Kingfisher."

CHAPTER I.

part of Vancouver Island a lad stood

and gazed at the sunset. It dyed the

had fallen from some gigantic smelt-

He was just seventeen; tall for his

hair, had something in its expression

Kelpie, with brimming eyes.

Tom?"

e back. Tom?" she asked softly.

he young assistant took it

han I ever expected to be."

"What is it. Tom?"

cross the sunlit sea.

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ld flashing light in her eyes, "why, back. You feel different as soon as "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach-distress just vanishes-your stomach gets sweet, no gases, no belching, no eructations of undigested my darling," he said, with a great sigh food, your head clears and you feel,

of rapture, "and the knowledge makes | fine. Go now, make the best investmen you ever made, by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin er head resting against Tom's strong from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to sufshoulder, her happy eyes looking out fer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder. "Tell me the news, Tom," she said

at last. "I'm strong enough to hear are generally found only in men who it now. "What has become of Mrs. have lived alone in some vast soliude for very many years.

He was clad in moccasins, with "And what about Carroll Fitzhugh?" boots of rawhide; the upper part of "He is abroad also, and his wife is his body was clothed in a shirt only, and this wide open at the neck, displaying a broad, flat chest, as brown "Yes, she had been secretly maris Mrs. van Cortlandt's daughter and will inherit a large amount of money, Presently, as if someone within the Kelpie winced a little as she thought swish of the axe and the crack of the of her vanished romance, but she soon wood, a voice called to him:

rallied and laughed lightly as she The voice was that of a manclear, but low voice, with the tone which indicates a gentleman.

The lad drove the axe into a stump

daughter," he answered, "and, please In the corner, upon a rug, over heaven, you will soon be my own prerough mattress, reclined the man who had called. He was very little past "And so endeth the chapter," said middle age, but his hair, long, like the "Amen!" said Tom, while Pete the that of a man who had looked at life green parrot, swinging from his perch straight in the eyes, and then turned by one foot, croaked softly, as if to his back upon it. Also, like the boy, he was thin, but his thinness was that of emaciation. In a word, the hand of Death had touched him, had, so to speak, passed over his face and was reeping down to his heart, which vould cease to beat at the touch of

e peace-giving fingers. "Did you call, father?" asked the

The man inclined his head slightly, Takes out the sting over-night. Never nd, with as slight a motion of his hin hand, signed to the boy to seat imself at the end of the rough bed. "Yes," he replied. "I fancy the tell you the story of my life. With

Outside a hut in the north-western The boy winced for an instant: then, as if ashamed of his display of But the 'noes' have it-" emotion, set his lips tightly, and met rocks, the trees, the ground itself a unswervingly his father's brilliant

copper crimson which glowed as if it eyes. "Can I get you anything, father? Water?"

age, thin and lithe as a greyhound, touched the can of water which stood and as strong as a blacksmith. His cn a stool beside the bed.

eyes were dark hazel and as bright as Wo, thanks. I want nothing. Rath, a polished pebble; his nose and I want to put you through your cate- die as silent as I have lived. But this mouth well and cleanly cut, and his chism for the last time. Are you I will tell you, Rath, that my life was

face, framed in rather long and wavy ready?" held her in its clutches, and she was which was shared by the hawk which erect, his eyes fixed on his father's face with grave earnestness.

"What is a gentleman?" "One who fears no man, deceives

The reply came promptly, but slowy and impressively. "What is woman?"

"God's blessing on man-and His

"'And His curse,' " he echoed, albut what pleases you most is that it be better armed than the man who strengthens and regulates your stom- has acquired all the wisdom of the schools. Man's punishment and

He was silent for a moment or two; then he said, in a still weaker voice gone, Rath?"

The lad's lips quivered for stant, but again he repressed all signs

"Live on here, father. What else should I do?"

The man seemed to consider ne muttered-"cruel and mad. They cannot think so. You have been happy, Rath? Think; look back."

The lad's eyes grew dreamy and thoughtful, and he was silent for a noment; then he answered, gravely;

"Yes. father." ·The man made a wild gesture with

"For miles and miles this is ours; s it not so?"

"Yes, father," replied Rath. "You have felt no longing for any

The lad shook his head, his eyes still meeting his father's steadily and

nad!" he mused, rather than spoke. make himself heard from even that while you have been outside there i

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have been asking myself if I should

It was strange how familiarly the parliamentary formula came from the parched lips of this man dying in the solitude of a remote island; strange The dying man shook his head, and spoken—the tone of one accustomed to the place and the occasions in and

wrecked by a woman; that but for hand with an almost impatient gesand, if he ring true, trust him; but if wept softly for a little while; then, dinary; indeed, these characteristics The father nodded, and was silent Rath. She may prove a blessing. but the odds are against it. Don't trust her. Rath. Keep her at arm's length. Get rid of her at the first moment possible. Remember the story of your father's life."

"You have not told it to me," said Rath, with grave simplicity.

The man paused and passed his hand over his forehead, upon which the beads of sweat had started. (To be Continued.)

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pectations of the promoters. Topsail, April 9th, 1915.

#### Here and There.

STEPHANO'S SAILING. - The s.s. Stephano leaves New York on Thursday next for Halifax and this port.

LARCENY OF BOOTS.-Last night the police arrested a man, who is charged with the larceny of a pair of SAFETY RAZORS .- The wonder

il Giant Junior with 7 Blades, 50 cts New shipment just received. CHES-LEY WOODS, 140 Water St.-marl.tf MOLASSES CARGO. - The schi reedom, 23 days from Barbados, ar

rived here last evening, bringing a

cargo of molasses, consigned to A. S. Rendell & Co. Stafford's Phoratone Cough and Cold Cure is sold everywhere for all kinds of Coughs and Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and various

Lung Troubles.—apr5,tf T. A. MEETING .- A number of new candidates were admitted to member ship at vesterday's regular meeting of the T. A. & B. Society. There was a large attendance of members present and President W. J. Ellis was in the chair.

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WILL BE DOCKED .- The S. S. forwenna, which is now due here direct from New York, with general cargo, will, after discharging, go into dry dock to be overhauled. Her further movements are not yet definlitely known:

RECOVERED FROM SMALLPOX. -The Belgian sailor, who was at the ignal Hill Hospital, suffering from mallpox, having been landed from the s.s. Tiflis, has been discharged from the institution, having completerecovered from the disease.

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SAILED FOR LOUISBURG. - The S. Bruce, Capt. Spracklin, sailed at a.m. yesterday for Louisburg direct taking a small freight and several passengers. She is due at Louisburg this afternoon and will leave there on the Cabot Straft route tonight, arriving at Port aux Basques to-morow morning.

B.I.S. MATTERS .- The annual Easter dance of the B.I.S. is being held in the O'Donel Hall to-night. Only 7 more pairs yet remain unplayed in the B.I.S. billiard tournament. Plains are about 400 in the lead and their chances of getting a free dinner at the expense of the Spots are bright.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPA-

dressing the members of the don; said the most remarkabl of the war was that a grea was doing something which h been done before, declaring its Government that it was continue the contest by meth ed piracy, but which were rea der. The Germans were th sins of the sea. (Cheers.) ries, but they had never ported by their Government nation had hitherto said against pirates caught in piracy being hanged. In th of Commons he suggested German pirates should be the ed, but in view of the odiou ism they saw enacted by and remembering that they h country some of the flower manhood-ten or twenty ti number of German prisoners he thought it would be wiser the pirates and try them martial after the war. It table fact that the Germans a single prisoner from an naval ships. Whenever they r vessels, notably the G and the Monmouth, they through our drowning men picked up a single soul. He did not mention that age hatred, but after the over these outrages agains man race should be dealt way he had indicated. Th ment had proposed a very lution for this piracy que claring that we would stop going in and everything of Germany. Since that, had been stated that a were to be allowed to co Germany if our Govern license to manufacturers tain them. When they sort of thing they knocked out of the Prime Minister Germany had begun to ready about her food s ting that they had red

#### German Officer of British Admi

Remarkable Coincidence F the Battle off Falkland Is London, April 2 .- The lo coincidence is curiously in an incident of the battl Falkland Islands which brought to light in The Co gazine. An officer of H. narvon, which took part in gagement and flew the flag o al Stoddart, was in comman cutters which rescued som Gneisenan's men. Descril operation, this officer wrote "One of the German office

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