

France, which welcomed at that time with open arms the Canadians who chose to leave their native land for her own sunny soil. After a time he formed new ties and friendships which brought him happiness, though they never obliterated from his memory those of his youth and childhood.

The philosophical Mr. D'Aulnay returned with renewed ardor to his books and folios, after the strange period of trouble and bewilderment which had hovered for a time over his household. His fair wife smiled, dressed, and flirted as of old, ever willing to help any of her young lady friends in their love-affairs, but entertaining to the last moment of her career, a prudent horror of secret marriages.

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