

# SHOT IN THE SADDLE.

There were rocks about there was no doubt of that. For weeks we had heard of the horse and now the redskins had him in a trap. The white settlers had long ago left the Territory, and we were waiting for the day when they would come back. The air was laden with the scent of the pine bloom, and the prairie round was soft as velvet. The high steeple that ran round the barracks made the position all but impregnable, and we kept the old flag floating over it to the last. But the day came when we had to leave it, flying for our lives. We were only a handful of men from the beginning. The Captain had been murdered by the red devil three weeks before when he lay with one of the chiefs, and Bruce, his only ally, had been shot in the back and died two days after. So it was that we were left to our own devices, and we were left to our own devices, and we were left to our own devices.

# My First Moose Hunt.

It was during one of the late autumn days that I went on my first moose hunt. I was in the north-western part of Maine, and only a few miles from the line of New Brunswick. My guide, a swarthy young fellow named Rieght Wing, told me one day that he had seen abundant signs of moose in the woods, and was sure that a moose was near. It was in the rutting season for moose, and they were in their very finest condition. At this time of the year the moose come out of the woods and call for a mate, and their cry can be heard for two miles at night. I was anxious to go out and get one, but I was told that it was not safe to do so. I was told that it was not safe to do so, and I was told that it was not safe to do so.

# NOTES ON CURRENT TOPICS.

Notwithstanding the fact of the late great timber raft launched at Port Joggins, Nova Scotia, another attempt is to be made in the same direction. The new timber ship is now being built, and will be launched in June, will be 600 feet long, 54 feet beam and 28 feet draft. It will be constructed of 25,000 spruce trees of average length 28 feet. The structure will be fitted with all the latest machinery, including a screw propeller, rudder and steering gear, anchors, rudder and steering gear, and will be towed by a steamer with a tug with a screw propeller.

# Secret Chambers.

It has been discovered that secret chambers have been built in the walls of the old St. Lawrence Hotel. The chambers were discovered in the walls of the old St. Lawrence Hotel. The chambers were discovered in the walls of the old St. Lawrence Hotel. The chambers were discovered in the walls of the old St. Lawrence Hotel.

# Free of Duty.

The Dominion government has issued a proclamation announcing that from April 4th the undermentioned are entitled to enter free of duty: Green fruit and vegetable berries in their natural condition, viz., apples, apricots, blackberries, raspberries, strawberries, peaches, plums, pears, cherries, grapes, and other fruit in season.

# Is It Haggard's Sign?

A shaft sunk outside the great walls of the city of Jerusalem, near the south-west angle, disclosed an ancient pavement 23 feet beneath the present surface, and 20 feet below that of a second pavement. There, amidst the ruins, was found a large, square, black stone, inscribed with the name of Haggard.

# THE EARTH.

In the universe everything is changing and everything is in motion, for motion itself is the first condition of life. The firmament is in constant motion; the very mountains are in motion; the winds and waves of the ocean circulate round the globe, and the continents themselves, with their summits and their bases, are in constant motion.

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