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## The Secret Out.

"We are going to Washington are we not?" she now half interrogated, half

He replied that this had been his in-

"Then we shall have to start soon, for it is a long ride to Jersey City."
"I had expected—" he began, but he did not continue. Why waste words when she was only asking him to do what his own better judgment told him was best.

"You will go?" she persisted. "As soon as you can get ready." Her look of relief was unmistakable. She smiled and a tint of color came into

her cheek. 'You are good," she declared, warm-Then as a loud swell of music rose from below, she glanced nervously at her dress and drew back. "I have to put on my traveling suit," she remarked. "When that is done we will call mother. Wait for me in your room." And with a nod she glided from him, her long train sweeping behind her, with reckless haste.

He watched her for a moment, his brows bent, but his heart in a glow. He did not understand her, but at this crisis he did not know that he wished to. The fascination of her look might depart when her trouble did, and he was not yet ready to see it go even though he grieved to have her ill, and felt a pang of real pain at the sight of her hollow eyes, whose glance he had lately found so brilliant.

He was therefore looking in her direction when she re-entered her room, and still looking when in less than a minute she came out again, and peering carefully on all sides, slipped up to a door near by, opened it, and discovering nothing to disturb her, passed hurriedly in, She carried her suit, hat and a small traveling satchel on her arm. It made him think of his own clothes and of another fact that was slightly embarrassing. This was, that his trunk was at his own house and his money Neither had he any carriage at his disposal, having dismissed his own as we remember at the elevated station down town. He would therefore have to request Mrs. Gretorex to order up her horses, which was certainly an awkward piece of business, and he would have to carry his bride to his own house before he could start with

her to Washington. But these were small matters after the serious anxieties he had already experienced; and determining to make light of the whole affair, he sent word to Mrs. Gretorex that circumstances compelled him to take his bride away at an earlier hour than he had contemplated, and asked if he might be accommodated with the use of her carriage, as his own was not at his com-

This brought the lady to his room, as he had expected, and a short passage at arms occurred between them which ended in his wishes being respected and the carriage ordered. But Mrs. Gretorex was greatly disappointed and did not hesitate to say so. It was consequently a relief to Dr. Cameron to have their interview interrupted as it shortly was by the appearance of his wife, fully dressed and ready for departure. 'Oh!" she murmured, as she saw them together, and set down the satchel she carried in some confusion. But she speedily recovered her self-possession,

and advancing lightly, observed with "Sorry to leave you so soon, mother. It would be pleasant to stay, of course. but I had an awful shock when that scream was heard, and Dr. Cameron thinks as I do, that we had better go while I have the strength to do so. You will pardon us, won't you, especially as you will see us so soon

Mrs. Gretorex did not answer; she was examining her daughter's dress. "Well, I never saw you look so well in elive before," she observed, at last, as the daughter turned almost petulantly aside. "And how that new dressmaker does fit you. Your figure looks as well again as it did in Madame Dubois' dresses. Anyone would have declared you had gained five pounds, if they did not stop to see that it was the skill of the modiste that had rounded you out so gracefully. I will never Interfere in such matters again, my

love."
The young bride flushed, as if this obtrusion of feminine trivialties into a departure of this nature was especially distasteful to her. But she said nothing, and lifted up her face to be kissed, in the cold and somewhat ceremonious way Dr. Cameron himself had been accustomed to. "Good-bye, mamma," she murmured. "Say the same to papa for me. I-Oh, where is Peter; I have a

trunk to go down." "Peter is coming now. Good-bye, Dr. Cameron. Bring my daughter back as happy as she was four years ago, and shall have nothing more to ask of u." And Mrs. Gretorex stepped aside as if to make room for them to pass

But though Dr. Cameron, animated by her gesture, led the way to the door, his bride showed no disposition to follow him.

"I will wait till Peter has taken my trunk," she declared.
And though he endeavored to urge her to descend while the hall was comparatively empty, she refused to do so, and not only lingered till Peter appeared, persisted in going with him herinto her room where she showed nim her trunk, strapped and ready by

### the door, and watched him till he had "I don't see where the maids are."

But her daughter not minding the implied criticism, advanced with forced gaiety, and taking Dr. Cameron's arm, announced that she was now ready to

"I will just close and lock your door." said Mrs. Gretorex. But her daughter, saying there would

be plenty of time for doing this after her departure, led her mother towards the stairs, and smilingly waited till she had seen her long damask train disappear across the first landing. Then she looked up at Dr. Cameron and they ran rapidly down.
"We will slip out as quietly as we

carried it safely out.

murmured Mrs. Gretorex.

can," she whispered. But the company had already got wind of their departure and there were many good-byes to be answered, and much merriment, to which Genevieve lent herself with a good grace, though her husband could see that her eye scarcely left her mother's tall figure, and that the grasp of her hand on his arm tightened if ever that mother made the least move-

ment as if about to withdraw. Finally the last handshake was given, the last jest uttered, and they found themselves at the carriage door. "Now," cried he, "we will soon be on our way." And he held the door open for her to

enter. But she was not yet ready. "I have something to say to Peter, first," she declared. And slipping up to the old servant, who was just about to re-enter the house, she thanked him and gave him what seemed a final gift.

The man bowed and went hurriedly in. She cast one look behind her, sighed, or so her husband thought, then turned quickly and stepped into the carriage. The doctor followed, the door was shut with a bang, and the carriage rolled away. As it did so, the young husband felt the pressure of his wife's head on his shoulder, and looking down into her face perceived that she had

(To be Continued.)

### CURIOUS AND INTERESTING.

In a coal mine in Monmouthshire, in Wales, there was found, some years ago, a flint axe sticking in the coal. Near Stanley, in Derbyshire, the miners found tools formed of solid oak, without any iron whatever.

A new kind of cloth is being made in Lyons from the down of ducks, hens and geese. Seven hundred and fifty grains of feathers make rather more than a square yard of light and very warm waterproof cloth.

Eisleben, the birthplace of Martin Luther, is reported to be sinking into the moor upon which it is built. Measures have been taken in recent years to drain the bog without avail, and the inhabitants are seriously contemplating an abandonment of the town.

The region of the Caucasus is said to be drying up, through the recession of the Caspian Sea, leaving barren tracts of sand which the wind carries over the plains. During the last hundred years no less than 7,000 square miles of shore have been laid bare in this way.

A Gladstone relic was sold at auction in London the other day. It was a chip of the first tree felled by Mr. Gladstone at Hawarden after the announcement in 1879 that he meant to leave Greenwich and seek the representation of Midlothian. A silver plate had been attached to the chip by its owner, with an inscription

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Milton, W. Va., has a military com-rany composed entirely of girls. They are drilling under the tutorship of a captain of the State militia, and propose to appear in public when they become proficient.

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"What, are you going to ask your employer for his daughter's hand? Suppose he should kick you out?" "Oh, I have already secured another place."

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Payments to the Permanent and General Militia Forces.

Londoners Who Figure in the Bulky Pay Sheets.

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(Special from our own representative.) Ottawa, June 25 .- I continue my examination of the Auditor-General's report for the year 1894, recently laid on the table of Parliament. There are some noteworthy expenditures in the Militia Department, and the expenditures in London will also prove inter-

Among the expenditures were: Salary of Minister of Militia.. \$ 7,000 00 Department salaries at Ottawa ...... 42,007 33 7,308 16 Contingencies .... Major-general, adjutant and A. D. C. . . . . . . . . . . 8,400 00 Headquarters staff . . . . . 8,135 40 

Lendon, received \$21,643 88. Allowances for care of arms, Provisions, supplies and re-

London. The total sum spent for all purposes was \$1,359,597.

In the "contingencies" I find that Hon. J. C. Patterson, the late Minister of Militia, drew \$387 for traveling expenses; \$92 28 for cab hire at Ottawa; at Quebec, \$27; sundry cab hire, \$19. The payments to No. 1 School of Infantry (London) were:
Lieut. A. E. Carpenter.....\$ 896 00 Capt. 'R. Cartwright.....

Lieut.-Col. Dawson, paymaster M. J. Hanavan, surgeon..... 1,371 25 Lieut,-Col. Smith ..... Allowance for officers' mess. 200 00 Soldiers' library.. ....

The Seventh Battalion (London) were paid \$1,972 98 drill pay for 20 officers and 233 non-com. officers and men. London Field Battery got \$898 52 drill pay for 5 officers, 64 non-com. officers and men and 37 horses. This battery also received \$55 05 for firing salute on

May 24 and \$56 35 for salute on July 1. A. A. Booker, London, got \$11 for eleven days' pay as attached captain. Lieut.-Col. M. D. Dawson also drew s superintender trict paymaster. Among payments to Londoners appear the following: Fred Burton, \$180

John Conroy, messenger, \$395; Joseph Coughlin, caretaker, \$395; Bert Jury work at stores, \$30; Henry Pratt, fore-man of stores, \$591 50; J. C. Ross, work, \$90; John F. Williams, caretaker, Londen Field Battery, \$79. T. H. Carling, rent of building, \$100

John Christie, rent, gunshed, \$110; Col-quhoun & Co., trees, \$44; Patrick Fal-I'n, "ent of rifle range, \$125; John Mann & Sons, coal, \$46; Thos. S. Walls, Thos. S. Walls got \$30 for wood for

Stratford drill shed, and \$10 for Strathroy drill shed, and \$50 for wood for St. Thomas drill shed. The following Londoners were paid

"construction and repairs": John Brock, \$12; Greer & Wigmore \$19 80; Heard & Co., \$51 08; Leigh & Co., \$288 32; Peter Toll, \$565 18; Wyatt & \$35; John Callard, \$27 23; Peter Toll, \$86; B. G. Clampitt, \$80; John Clemens, \$173; Tackabery & Loughrey, \$163 65 and \$93 05; Peter Toll, \$10; Jas. Wright & Co., \$38; Wm. Buller, \$322 85 The following were paid for supplies

Dean Bros., bread..... 745 31 J. Gatecliffe, butcher.. ...... 1,070 42 cooking ... McCutcheon, groceries.. 1,490 Wm. Perdival, forage.... T. S. Walls, wood,.... as. Wright & Co., oil, etc..... 195 30 Wm. Buller, repairing .... fames Wright & Co., supplies.. hn Callard, medicines..... A. Mitchell, medicines..... McCallum & Co., medicines.. Mrs. Mary Burns, furnishings... Courcey, scavenging .... Thos. Howard, wheelbarrows,

etc..... R. S. Leigh & Co., pump repairs.
Mrs. L. Melmer, repairs.
Jas. Wright & Co., supplies.
Wm. Wyatt & Son, supplies. Mrs. D. C. Kennedy, for washing ....

Under the heading of "transport of stuff on duty," Lieut.-Col. Dawson (London) drew \$8 50 and Lieut.-Col. Geo. R. Jackson was paid \$122 for in-

iury to horse ridden by Capt. Williams, London Field Battery, in 1893. The Kingston Military College is an expensive institution. It costs some

eight times as much to run as its originators held to be reasonable. superior staff were last year paid \$28,-70, as follows: Major-General Cameron, com-

Professor of military history, Professor of fortifications ..... 2,642 00 Professor of artillery ...... 2,642 00
Assistant instructor in fortifications, etc ...... 1,833 33 Assistant instructor in mathe-Assistant instructor in survey-Assistant instructor in mathe-painting ... 2,000 00
Professor of French ... 1,000 00

Professor of civil engineering, The subordinate staff, which includes no fewer than 26 servants, were paid last year no less a sum than \$36,403 19.

This is an enormous staff for about 50 pupils, who are thus drilled, at an enormous expense to the taxpayers, not only "soldiering," but in ordinary high school work. The prizes given ises to send the book, in sealed en-

enough for the cadets, and the prizes were imported. They embraced a bag costing \$26 77; a knife of \$7 48 value; field glass, \$8 27; trout rod, \$5 96; lawn tennis bat, \$3.71; gold pencils, etc. Lieut.-Col. Duff got 25 cents a head for swearing in" the cadets.

These college nabobs were not con-tented with Canadian coal oil; they used 88 gallens of American oil at 22. The total expenditure at this college was \$68,022 22.

Capt. Jones, paymaster at Victoria, B. C., was employed to buy land for the Government, and got \$1,280 37 of commission for his pains.

The gratuities paid to retiring offi-

cers on the militia staff last year amounted to \$20,473 49. In a letter to the Department of Militia, the Auditor-General calls atention

to the fact that tenders for the supply of bread, groceries, meat, wood, for-age, and other necessaries to the permanent corps and the annual camps were not advertised. The Auditor-General is a firm believer in the efficiency of advertising. For condemned stores sold off \$128 10

was realized in London. The Northwest Mounted Police cost \$622,959 22 last year. There are some queer contrasts in the purchase of sup-

plies. At Brandon, for example, 860 bushels of potatoes were bought for 63 cents a bushel, while at Regina as high as \$1 25 a bushel, or within a cent of double, was paid. Then, though Prof. Robertson told the agricultural committee at Ottawa the other day that butter in the Northwest was phenomenally low in price, we find that last year the Dominion Government bought 4,-000 pounds in Quebec Province for 23 cents for use by the mounted police. Coal oil prices are also contrasts. At Regina coal oil was bought at 35 cents a gallon; but at Maple Creek, a short distance off, 41 1-2 cents was paid; and Of this sum No. 1 Infantry Company, at Swift Creek and Calgary the charge was 50 cents.

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