Guelph Evening Mercury

FRIDAY EV'G, MARCH 28, 1873.

LITTLE FEET.

And why do you knit, my childlet
And why fly the needles so fleet?
The house is still
As a frozen rill;
There is an empty bed
A sobbing prayer
O'er a vacant chair,
Have you found some little feet?

And why do I kuit in my lonely home And why do I kuit in my lonely home And why fly the needles so fast ? No step is there On my silent chair, But out on the street, In the snow and sleet, All up and down I have found the little feet.

And this is why I knit in my home,
And why fly the needles so fleet;
My ittle ones wait
By the golden gate;
Within the fold
They feel no cold;
But andrand clear "Go clothe MY little feet."

ANNABEL

THE TEMPTATION.

CHAPTER XI.

A FAR JOURNEY RESOLVED ON—A PEEP BE-HIND THE SCENES—"THE TEMPTA-TION" APPROACHES.

"To America!" he repeated. "Why, sir, in course you are joking.'

"No, I am not; I am perfectly serious We have just discovered that it is neces sary for Mr. Weston to go, and we wish you to accompany him.'

"Werry happy to do so, I am sure," exclaimed Jim, with hearty readiness. "I knew he would." cried Annabel, in

joyous accents. "Thank you, Jim; thank you a thousand times." 'There's not a bit o' need for you to thank me, Miss Annabel," returned Jim.

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"I'll go with Mr. Philip to the end of the earth, proud and happy."

"Ah, but you don't know all that may be involved in it Jim," said Philip.

"This is how it comes about. You know why yot were sent to Liverpool for this desk?"

"In course I do, sir. It was for Miss Annabel to get the certificate out of it."

"Well, it turns out that there is no certificate in it. Annabel expected it was there, but it is not; and for want of there prents marriage cannot be shown. But her father had a friend who was present at the marriage, and who got a copy of the certificate. This man went to America, and I am going to try to find him. Now, I shall be glad indeed if you would go with me, for the search may be a dfflicult and even a dangerous one."

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"Go! In course I'll go, sir: and as I said before, sir, werry happy to do it, and more now than ever, when I know what you are going for."

"Jim you are a generous fellow," said Mr. Laugton, an assertion which every one was forced to make who knew Jum Potts.

"Not a bit on it, sir," responded the latter," with characteristic modesty. "Generosity, as I takes it, is a doing of summot you don't like for the sake of serving another. Now, sir, that ain't my case at all. To go to America with Mr. Phillip is wol I likes one new places, and to be moving about; so you couldn't have asked me to do a thing I had more heart for. Why, sir, it's me as is obliged, and I thank you wery much, sir, for thinking o' sculing me where the the as I have such a regard for. It's a rive treat it meeting, and so I looks on it, sir,"

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"I can guess it, Miss Annabel," said Jim, with a glance at Barnard Hayes.
"And if there is onething you may be surer o' than another it is this, that Mr. Philip and I will find the man we are a going to seek, if he is alive and within the four corners of the country."

While Jim was saying this, and claiming the attention of her husband, Philip, and Annabel, Mrs. Langton glided past the window recess where Barnard stood in gloomy dejection, and when she was close to him she hurriedly whispered—
"Meet me in half an hour in the shrubbery."

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"Meet me in half an hour in the shrubbery."

None but the ear for which they were intended heard the words, and ere any of the others had time to notice that she had moved from her place she was again at Anyabel's side, with her face—so TUHING ATTENDED TO PROMPTLY

nt Annabel's side, with her face—so frowning a moment before-monothed into an affectionate expression.

"I will pray for your success," skill Annabel in answer to Jim's inspiring words. "That is all I can do."

"And a good deal, too, Miss if I may be allowed to say so," replied Jim, with a serious look—"a very great deal indeed. More nor any of us may know about. Looking at all things back and forward, and particularly the cause and object o' our going, I'm in humble hopes as how Ho who. hears prayer and ean help us won't refuse to listen to your asking, Miss' Aunabel. Only I fear as how you will be lonely when Mr. Philip is away."

DR. ROBERT CAMPBELL

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you know, and have you in my keeping till
you know when."
"There, that is settled," added, his
wife, winding her arms lovingly round
Annabel's waist, and leading her to the
door. "Come," she added, "this has
been a trying and exciting evetling for
you, and you must now retire to rost."
"A general "good night" was extehanged, and as the hour was late, they,
separated, going away to their several
rooms, to think over the important decision that had been reached, and, by
mutual consent, leaving further arrangements to be set on the morrow.



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