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She spoke briev, almost sharply, with the calm decision that reassures even while

Without a word Roderick obeyed; allowed Mr. Black, who had listened in silence, to give him is hat and coat, and throw a plaid into the carriage after him. Will you not go, too, Mr. Black? You

had better. He is quite stunned. 'Yes. my lady: but I know him-he's brave lad, he will bear up alone. And I must go elsewhere."

The old man grasped the young man's haud with a sudden "God bless you!" then Roderick sprung into the carriage and drove

Oh, that awful drive' sitting like a stone, watching mechanically the trees and moors and hills stip by, his watch in one hand, counting the half hours—no, the very min-utes—as they crawled along: in the other hand clutching Lady Symington's note, ready to be given to the doctor as soon as

And then the drive back, with the cale brated man to whom 'the case' was only a case, and who talked cleverly and cheerfully and indifferently of that and many other things, till he saw he was scarcely heard, and then, with a natural human sympatny for the white, set face beside him, dropped into silence and a book; for years Roderick never saw the title of that book

without a shudder.

A "ray of hope" he learned there was.

Only a ray! and three hours before the icle world had seemed to him to be flooded with sunshine. He asked no questions, made no remarks. Mute and unappealing he sat, half stunned, half blind, like a man to stay. who has suddenly received sentence of death—death utterly undeserved and unex-pected—death in the very midst of life, so that reason refuses to take it in as a reality, and the mind is conscious of neither terror nor pain, only a dull sense of something having happened, or being about to happen, which one can no more escape than one can escape from the falling rock or the advancing breaker, either of which will bring

certain and instantaneous doom. They reached Blackhall, and he heard at the front door the doctor's question, "Is she alive?' and Lady Symington's affirmative answer; then he staggered in, and Janet had to fetch her master a glass of water, and put him into the arm-chair, quite blind and

But he soon recovered himself, and went back to listen at the foot of the staircase. "It will be a hard fight-a hand to hand fight-but we'll beat, I trust," the doctor was saying, with a thoroughly professional look on his clever face, and a gleam of his keen eyes, often seen in men like him when they brace up all their skill to do battle with the great enemy. Then he and Lady Symington both vanished, and Roderick

Hour after hour he sat, no one coming near him. Once Janet knocked at the parlor door and asked if she might bring in baby, whose crying disturbed the mother. Roderick assented, but took no notice of his son: indeed, at the moment he almost felt as if he hated him. Kind Janet was the only person who paid the least attention to the

young heir of Blackhall. Never, never will little Henry's father forget that day-a lovely April day, half storm half sunshine, toward evening wholly sunshine. And that mad bird, that loud-voiced mavis, singing incessantly in the sycamore tree-he covered his ears to deaden the sound. All the sound he cared to hearand his very soul seemed concentrated in listening-was the moving of feet in that room up-stairs, where the terrible battle for life was going on, and during which he seemed himself to be dying a hundred

He did nothing, absolutely nothing, hour after hour; what was there for him to do? Once, catching sight of the pile of lettersthose happy letters, which nobody had thought of posting—he rose mechanically in order to put them away somewhere, and in order to put them away somewhere, and in looking about found his wife's workbasket, just as she had left it, the needle still sticking into the unfinished frill. Would it ever be finished? With a gasp and a wild stare round, as if to call her—to appeal to her—she, who had never before forsaken him thus, been missing when he called—her wanted her, or silent when he called-he seized and kissed it. Then he put everything in its place again, including her gar-den shawl, which he folded up with his helpless hands as tenderly as if it had been a living thing, and sat down again in the same chair, with his head dropped on his

Presently he had to arouse himself, and speak a few common-place words to Sir John, who came to fetch Lady Symington home to dinner; people must dine, and the dear old lady looked exhausted. She went up to Roderick and kissed him-bade him hope still-while there was life there was hope; but nevertheless urged upon him that last solemn prayer, which often seems to bring back the very blessing it resigns—
"Thy will be done."
"I can't say it—I can't" he answered—

the young man to whom anguish-such anguish as this-was utterly unknown. But after she had left, promising to come again before midnight, he fell down on his knees, and in an agony such as he had not believed any man could pass through and live, he

· After that he seemed to grow quieter, and ready to accept everything. By and by the doctor came down to him for a minute, with an anxious face but a

cheery voice.

"Take heart, my dear fellow. As I said,
while there's life there's hope. Do not go
near her; quite useless, as she knows nopody. By and by I'il fetch you, should there came a change."
"A change? For the better?"

"Yes. Or what they call a lightening be-Death-and her! The two ideas seemed

impossible — irreconcilable, Roderick turned away from the old man, who did not mean to be cruel, and said that he had seen many a worse case. But Roderick heard it all as one in a dream, and directly afterward, hearing the sound of a carriage and believing it was only Black—faithful old Black—who always meant well, but the sight of whom would almost madden him just then, he bolted out of the long window, and went and hid himself in the darkest depths of the glen.

depths of the glen.

Then all hope died out of Roderick's Then all hope died out of Roderick's Rev nue Department at Windsor in heart. Then returning, he sat down in his old seat in the parlor, waiting in a sort of stupefaction for the final blow and repeat. old seat in the parlor, waiting in a sort of stupefaction for the final blow, and repeating to himself over and over again a line which seemed persistently to best time to nothing in his overstrained brain—Othello's

piteous moan.
"My wife! what wife?—I have no wife!" Perhaps even now he, too, had no wife. All the sweet days were over, her brief happiness was ended, her young life done. The candle burned itself out, and the moonlight, creeping in between the undrawn curtain, was beginning to fill the room with a pale, shostly light, when Roderick heard the door open, and some one enter very gently and hesitatingly.

"Well?" he said, not lifting his head, not doubting it was the summons of doom.

No answer; but the intruder came close to him-touched him.

"Who's that?" he said, almost fiercely; "who's that?"
"It's me, Rody; it's your mother."
"Oh, mother, mother!"

For one moment her arms were round his neck and his head on her shoulder. Then he thrust her violently away. "I don't want my mother; I want my wife.

What of my wife? Is she alive?" "Yes. And she will live. And I thought I'd be the first to come and tell you. Do you hear, Rody? she's safe—quite safe. Both doctors say so. Thank God! thank God!

Oh. Rody, my son, my son!"
Once more she opened to him those fond mother-arms which no man can resist-no man ought to resist-and let him sob his heart out there, patting him, kissing him, treating him almost as if he had been a mere child, and sobbing herself the while with undisguised, uncontrollable emotion.

"How did you come, mother? Since when have you been here?"
"Ever so long, my dear."

"I was never told." "No; I went straight up to her. It did not matter, she knew nobody. The doctor is a friend of mine; he let me be with her, He knew I understood. I nearly died myself when you were born. Oh, Rody, what you must have suffered this day!"
"Nevermind me, it is my wife we must

think about. I beg your pardon, moth er, but I must go and see her, my wife whom you hate, whom you were so cruel to. But I love her. She is more to me than anything or anybody in this world. I don't know why you come here. I never asked you to come. Still, I thank you for coming. But there is not the least occasion for you

"On, Rody-Rody! Me-your mother!" She burst into tears, such tears as it is terrible to see an old woman shed.

And Mrs. Jardine was an old woman now. The struggle between her heart-and it was a good honest heart after all-and her fierce indomitable will had told upon her severely, Could her son have seen her face he might have traced there the wrinkles of many added years. As it was, he felt that the hand which grasped him shook as with

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Bandmaster Reardon, of Sarnia, died Tuesday after a short illness.

Inland revenue collections at Sarnia in February were \$2,566 25. Port Huron ratepayers will vote on the question of raising \$30,000 for an electric light plant.

The total collections of the Inland Chief of Police Wills, of Windsor,

has prepared his annual report, showing that during 1894, 509 offenses were committed in the city, of which 91 were indictable and 418 non-indictable. Wm. Metcalfe, of Berlin, aged 71, a prominent merchant, died on Tuesday. He was a native of Scotland, and was

very successful in business. Though a Conservative, he supported Sir Oliver Mowat. A load of anxiety has been removed from the shoulders of the congregation of Knox Church, Dutton. On Sunday morning the pastor, Rev. T. Wison, at the close of the service, announced that he intended declining the call extended to him by the Presbyterians of Thamesford. The congregation was

At the annual meeting of the Woodstock Driving Park Association R. N. Ball was unanimously elected president and D. H. Charles vice-president. It was decided to give a thre-day meet on June 18, 19 and 20, when good purses will be hung up as an extra inducement. They will also give a stake race each day as follows: First day, 2:50 pace; second day, 2:25 trot; third day, 3-minute trot.

visibly affected by the pleasing an-

Peter Rasque is the name of an ungrateful young scamp. He had found a shelter at the home of Adam Mansz, a farmer, residing on lot 7, con. 3, South a farmer, residing on lot 7, con. 3, South Casthope, near Hamburg. Rasque Powed his appreciation of the generosity by going through Mansz's trunk on Sunday, while the people of the house were at churc'i, stealing therefrom some cloth g, i gold ring, a pair of cuff buttons at 1 a knife. The police are after him are after him.

The death occurred on Tuesday of James Murray, one of the pioneers of Downie, Perth county. Deceased was 74 years of age, and had been a resident of the township for over half a century. He was born in Roxburgh-shire, Scotland, and came to Canada in 1842, settling on lot 19, con. 5, Downie, where he continued to reside until his death. Deceased was a man of strict integrity, a prominent member of the Presbyterian Church, and a staunch Liberal.

G. T. R. Engineer J. R. Kee, of Point Edward, made the fastest run on record between Sarnia and Buffalo the other day with a train of horses. The train was allowed 24 hours to run from Chicago to Buffalo. The run from Chicago to Port Huron was made in 11 hours, and the run from Sarnia to Buffalo, a distance of 196 miles, was made in 11 hours and 9 minutes. He is being congratulated on all sides for the record he has made. Engine No. 154 was attached to the train, and had the full right of way, and he got his train to Buffalo seven hours ahead of time.

KOMOKA.

March 5.-The Sons of Rest parade tomorrow night. The R. T. of T. will parade next Sunday morning to the Methodist Church, where they will be addressed by the Rev. Mr. Powell. We hope every member will turn out and fall in line, and be ready to leave the lodge room at 10:30. The Misses Rowland, of Komoka, took part in the programme at the Methodist tea meeting at Melrose on

APPIN.

Monday night,

("Advertiser" Agent, D. B. McColl.) March 6.—Yesterday Mr. George C. Smith, lot 11, S. L. R., Ekfrid, was in the bush on the farm of Mr. Samuel McLean, and having chopped down a tree of considerable size, stood rather near when it fell. There was a dry, partly rotten stick under the snow, which Mr. Corneil did not notice, and when struck by the falling tree the end of it was thrown up and struck Mr. Corneil in the back of the hand, breaking one of the small bones. His shoulder and leg were struck, but not seriously injured.

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