

ANNABEL

THE TEMPTATION.

CHAPTER XXVII.
VARIED ADVENTURES.

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There was nothing for it but to run blindly on, hoping by fleetness of foot to outstrip those in the rear, and by good fortune to escape those who might be in front. They had no means of doing anything else, no opportunity of exerting judgment or skill as to the course to take.

It was an injunction, we may be sure, neither of his followers was inclined to neglect, and untrained though they were to exhibitions of speed, they seconded Steve's efforts by keeping close behind him, so that he never needed to pause that they might keep him in sight.

For a time it was a mere frantic instinct which possessed them—to flee on and on, forward and forward in the effort to distance their pursuers, and this they kept doing without abatement till the whoops and yells, so sharp and near at first, began to fade in their ear, and to come more from the right, as if the redskins had gone off the track.

Good luck also favored them in this, that they did not run in the way of any of the scouts who had gone into the forest as guards for the village; they were evidently on the trail of the war party, who must now be miles away in front.

Panting and breathless, they came all at once on the high wooded banks of a broad river, where they were forced to pull up. With anxious eyes the trapper bent over the crag on which they stood to learn the breadth and depth of the stream, and it was with a heavy sinking of heart that he found that in both of these particulars it could not be crossed either by fording or by swimming, and he was obliged to tell his companions.

"How, then, did the war party cross?" asked Philip. "By canoes, no doubt," answered Steve. "Ha, yes, and maybe there's one or two of them air bark frames moored on this side. We'll have to try and find one. Quick—then red devils are coming on us again."

A fresh outburst of yelling nearer and clearer in sound proclaimed that the Indians had gained the bank of the river higher up, and were now bearing down upon them. There was therefore no moment to lose, and they scrambled down the steep bank towards the river in the wild hope of finding a canoe to bear them away on its bosom.

The steep bank was composed of high rocks and overhanging crags, close under which the dark water hid and hidden and shadowed by the creeks and densely foliated branches which spread themselves low down till in many places they swept its surface.

It was in one of these creeks or concealed places that Steve hoped to find a canoe, and with desperate energy he clambered on hands and knees over the boulders, leapt from point to point, or swung across the chasms by the supple branches. Philip and Jim followed him close, speaking no words, but pressing forward on their difficult way, getting their feet and knees cut on sharp ledges, and hands lacerated by the prickly shrubs which they had often to grasp to keep them from falling.

Guelph Public Schools. (Continued.) The following are the names of pupils who have received honor cards and honor marks during the last half year at the public schools in town:—

EXTENSIVE CLEARING SALE OF DRY GOODS AND MILLINERY

GEORGE JEFFREY'S GREAT SALE

Will commence on Saturday, June 28, and continue for 30 days. DURING THAT TIME ALL GOODS WILL BE REDUCED TO COST. ALL GOODS CHARGED WILL BE AT REGULAR PRICES.

LARGEST STOCK OF DRESS GOODS EVER SHOWN IN GUELPH

Will be sold at prices which will astonish the closest buyers, commencing with Colored Lustres at 1 1/2 c. worth 25c.; Fancy Dress Goods from 1 1/2 c. to 25c.; Fancy and Striped Grenadines 1 1/2 c. worth 25c.

MILLINERY AND MANTLES

The balance of this Stock will be cleared out regardless of cost. Over 10,000 yards of PRINTS will be cleared out during the sale at 1 1/2 cents. Cheapest Goods in Canada.

Remember the great Clearing Sale commences on SATURDAY the 28th June, when great bargains may be expected. Every lady in Guelph should visit this Establishment, see our Goods and compare prices.

GUELPH, JUNE 30, 1873. GEORGE JEFFREY, GUELPH

THE MEDICAL HALL. Just Received, a fresh supply of NEW TRANSPARENT COSMETIQUE. For fixing the Hair and Moustache without greasing. Also the NEW Anti-Phalena Sachet.

E. HARVEY & Co. Chemists and Druggists. Corner Wyndham and Macdonnell streets, Guelph. Guelph, June 21, 1873. dw

JUST OPENED AT PETRIE'S NEW DRUG STORE. A Bale of BOAT SPONGE, Which will be sold at half the usual price. TRY Lloyd's Euxesis For Shaving, without the use of Soap or Water. SOLD AT PETRIE'S NEW STORE.

JUST RECEIVED, a further supply of Walker's Vinegar Bitters. To meet the extraordinary demand for this popular Temperature Bitter, containing no alcohol. GET THE BEST! Savage's German Baking Powder Is superior to any in the market. SODA WATER The best Soda Water and finest Syrups at PETRIE'S NEW STORE. A liberal discount to those buying tickets.

W.M. NELSON, Clothes Cleaner and Renovator. All Clothing entrusted to his care will be Cleaned and Restored to the satisfaction of his customers. Residence at the Laun Dry, Devonshire street, Guelph. Guelph, April 22nd, 1873. 2nd

GUELPH CLOTH HALL White Dress Shirts, Oxford and Regatta Shirts, With Collars to match. Particular attention paid to this Department, and any style of Shirt made to measure, and a PERFECT FIT GUARANTEED. SHAW & MURTON, Wyndham St., Guelph. Guelph, April 29, 1873

SELLING OFF In the matter of John A. McMillan, an Insolvent. Tremendous Stock to be Cleared Out AT COST. Cheapest Boots and Shoes Ever Shown in Guelph. CALL IN AND SEE FOR YOURSELVES. Ladies Prunella Work of all kinds. W.M. McLaren, Assignee. Guelph May 23 1873. dw

FIRST PRIZE BISCUITS JAMES MASSIE, Manufacturer of CHOICE CONFECTIONERY AND BISCUITS, Alma Block, Guelph. Invites the attention of the Trade to the Superior Quality of Goods now produced at his Manufactory. Having introduced many new improvements, and employing only first-class workmen, and possessing every facility, he is prepared to supply the trade with a class of goods unsurpassed by any manufacturer in the Dominion. OZENGES, all flavors; DROPS, assorted flavors and shapes; GUM and LICORICE DROPS, CONVERSATION LOZENGES, MOULDED SWEETS, new patterns; SODA, SWEET and FRUIT BISCUITS, FRUIT BISCUITS, GINGER NUTS, CHEWING GUM, ROCK CANDY, LICORICE.

A Large Stock of Choice and Favorite Brand Cigars. His Cigars took the first prize over all others at the London Western, his being the only place where they were entered for competition. All Goods carefully packed and shipped with despatch. GUELPH TEA DEPOT Down with the Prices of GROCERIES! E. O'DONNELL & Co. ARE SELLING 13 lbs. Good Sugar for \$1.00 10 1/2 lbs. Very best bright Sugar for 1.00 8 1/2 lbs. Broken Loaf Sugar for 1.00 8 1/2 lbs. Ground Loaf Sugar for 1.00 22 lbs. Raisins for 1.00 21 lbs. Currants for 1.00 22 lbs. Rice for 1.00 12 bars splendid Soap for 1.00 35 lbs. Good Fresh Prunes for 1.00 The best Dollar Green Tea for 80 The best 75 cent Tea for 50 The above prices are strictly cash. Towns people leave your orders early, and we will send them home for you. E. O'DONNELL & CO. Guelph, June 7, 1873. Wyndham Street, Guelph.

THE GENUINE THING! 10 per cent. off for Cash. As Mr. STEWART is leaving for the British and Continental Markets in July, he has determined to reduce his large stock of Dry Goods and Clothing by \$30,000 this month. To effect this he has resolved to allow a discount of 10 per cent. on all purchases of \$1 and upwards. So rare a chance of securing cheap goods seldom occurring, the public should avail themselves of making and saving money. Quotations of prices being no real criterion of cheapness, an inspection of goods is solicited.

WILLIAM STEWART. N.B.—A lot of Dress Goods slightly damaged by water from a leak in the roof will be offered at less than half price. Cottons will be sold at the Genuine Cost—and are exempted from the 10 per cent. reduction. W.M. STEWART. Guelph, June 11, 1873. dw

GUELPH PHARMACY. The Old Store formerly Occupied by A. B. Petrie, re-opened. Herod & Co., Proprietors. No expense has been spared in the fitting up so as to make it as a Retail Drug Establishment second to none in the Dominion. Great care and attention has been paid to the purchasing of the stock, having only one aim in view: that every article selected should be pure and unadulterated, quality being esteemed of the first importance.

The stock of Hair Brushes, Toilet Articles and Perfumery, has been imported direct from England and France. Dyes and Dye Stuffs warranted, and guaranteed to be of the first quality. None but the most reliable and leading Patent Medicines in stock, obtained direct from the Proprietors and Manufacturers. A specialty in Cod Liver Oil, direct from Newfoundland. None kept in stock except No. 1, and of the finest quality. A full assortment of Trusses, Shoulder Braces, Supporters, etc., etc., at the lowest rates. Physicians and parties requiring prescriptions may depend on their being accurately and neatly compounded, and prepared from nothing but pure drugs and chemicals. REMEMBER—The OLD STORE formerly occupied by A. B. Petrie, re-opened by HEROD & Co. Guelph, May 16, 1873. dw

GO TO BYRNE'S HE HAS JUST OPENED 15 CASES OF HATS & CAPS ALL NEW STYLES.

DO YOU WANT YOU WILL FIND ANY or all of them as cheap as anywhere in Town at PASHLEY'S BOOKSTORE, Day's Block, Wyndham-street, Guelph. FRESH STOCK OF WATCHES, CLOCKS, AND JEWELLERY. R. CRAWFORD, dw

HART & SPEIRS, Conveyancers, Land, Loan, Insurance and General Agents, 4 Day's Block, Guelph. In reference to the above, Wm. Hart begs to inform his friends and the public that he has entered into partnership with Mr. Jas. S. Speirs in the above business, and while expressing his grateful acknowledgments for the liberal share of patronage bestowed upon him for the past three years, would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same to the new firm. All business entrusted to us will receive prompt and strict attention. Deeds, Mortgages, Wills, Leases, &c., &c. neatly and correctly prepared. MONEY always on hand in sums to suit borrowers, on mortgages or good personal security. No delay or extravagant charges. Our list of Town and Farm Property is large and varied, and parties in want of real estate of any kind should call on us before purchasing elsewhere. Agents for the Commercial Union Assurance Company of London, England. HART & SPEIRS, 4 Day's Block Guelph, Ont. Mv14-dw

PRESTON Mineral Baths and Summer Resort, PRESTON, ONT. CHARGES: \$7 a week for single room; \$12 a week for single room, if occupied by two; Transient boarders, \$1.50 per day; Single bath 25 cents. The Hotel and Bathrooms have been thoroughly refitted and furnished in first-class style, and everything done to promote the health and ensure the comfort of guests. Omnibus to each train. DR. MULLOY, Consulting Physician. C. KRESS, Proprietor. Guelph, June 11, 1873. dlm