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++++++++++++++++++++ CHAPTER XXX.

At that fearful sound the candle that Margaret carried dropped a second time from her nerveless fingers, and was extinguished as it fell. She staggered weakly against the wall, and stared blankly before her with failing senses. When she had swung that door wide open, the whole of the room was re-vealed to her, and she saw that one corner was inclosed by a sort of iron fence like a cage, perhaps to protect the safe before mentioned.

But standing within this inclosure, his white face pressed close against the iron bars, there was a man!

His dark eyes had a wild, anxious look in them, and he scarcely seemed to breathe, so eagerly had he been watching for the person whom he had heard without. His hair was long and disheveled, his face haggard and worn, his linen soiled and rumpled, and his whole appearance denoting neglect.

As that door had been slowly openhe had stood breathless, immovable; then, as Margaret's face and form came into sight he had thrown up his hands and uttered the startled cry that had so unnerved the young

Standing there and looking before her, it seemed for a while as if she were dying. There was a roaring in her ears, her sight failed her, and she felt as if all life and sense were slipping away from her. Then she suddenly heard, as if in a

dream, yet strangely real and life-like, an earnest, thrilling voice, crying: Margaret, Margaret! you must not faint! Do you hear me? Rouse yourself, my darling; listen-listen!' She raised her falling eyes with a helpless look. She saw that figure in the dim light, with its arms outoutstretched, his manner so eager, almost frenzied, and recognized it, while a wan smile flitted over the colorless

lips; still she could not move from the spot where she stood. It was her lover-she knew him. It was Louis Dunbar in the flesh. Still she could only see him dimlythere seemed a veil between him and her. She only heard his voice faintly

sound seemed far away. Then all at once her limbs failed her she sank upon her knees to the floor and her head dropped upon a chair that stood near.

She knew that she was faint and almost unconscious, yet she tried with all the force of her will to rally her failing energies in obedience to his eager call. "Margie, my white lily, rouse your-lf," he pleaded. "Do you not see that I am a prisoner-that I am locked in behind these cruel bars? If you cannot get to you to do anything for you. For heaven's sake, and

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the love you bear me, call back your strength and come to me."

Ah, yes, she would, she must; she would not faint, for so much depended upon her! If she should lie there unconscious, the hour she had allowed herself would go by. Annette would come for her, and not finding her, she would doubtless create a terrible excitement in looking for her.

But—oh, it seemed almost beyond her power to do anything to break the

power to do anything to break the spell that was upon her-she was so benumbed, so utterly strengthless.

She exerted herself, and wearily raised her head from the chair. She remembered to have heard that rub-bing was good for restoring the circulation, and she began feebly to chafe her hands and arms.

Even the effort helped her; she began to breathe more freely, that terrible sound in her ears grew less, and she could see more distinctly. That loved voice did not sound so far away, for Louis kept talking to her, encouraging her to persist in her ef-forts, though bemoaning the cruel fate

that kept him from her. Every moment she was improving; now she could see him quite plainly, and she lifted up her face to him and smiled upon him.

The sight of that sweet, fond smile unnerved him, and, strong man though iron bars and a great/sob escpaed him. That did more for her than all else. Her heart gave a bound that set all her pulses beating once more, and sent the blood coursing naturally in its

"Louis-Louis!" she murmured. "Yes, my darling, it is I. Oh, this dreadful cage!" he cried, almost frantically, and, grasping the bars with his hands, he shook it desperately. It was useless, however; he could

barely stir it. "Did you think some terrible thing had happened to me?" he went on. "Did you believe that I was dead? Ah, I can hardy credit the evidence of my senses-I can hardly realize that it is relly you whom I see, and not a delusion of my own brain. How did you get here, Margaret? What providence directed your footsteps hither, and how dared you come alone at such an hour? Oh, dearest, have you not strength to come to me? Come and sit in this chair close beside me, and let me put by hands between these bars and take yours. I will warm them; will chafe them for you, and that will impart new strength to you."

Margaret helped herself to her feet by the aid of the chair beside her, and

and sank wearily into it. Louis threw himself upon his knees, thrust his hands forth from his cage, and, grasping hers, began to rub them as vigorously as circumstances would permit

"These dear hands! how icy cold they are!" he said, tenderly, "and how I have longed for a touch of them during these endless weeks Ah, I cannot understand at all, how you, of all people, should come to me in this extremity: Are you better, dear? But wait! -how stupid of me!-I have some water here.'

He darted to a tiny table, on which there stood a pitcher and glass, also a plate containing some bread and

oured out some water, and t it to her. "laink, dear," he said; "then bathe your face and head with it."

She obeyed him, and was immediately refreshed; there was even a At the present juncture th promise of color in her hitherto color-This is just what I needed." she

said, returning the glass to him, and looking up at him with her old, fond "Oh, Louis, is it really you," she added in a trembling tone, "how can I

bear the joy of it? She could say no more, but dropping her face upon her hands, sobbed He put forth hai hand again and laid

It tenderly on her beloved head.
"My poor darling," he murmured,
"what a hard trial this must have been Margaret raised her head and dash-

ed the tears from her lashes. "I can never tell you how hard," she said, then asked: "But, Louis, have you the time with you?" "Yes, the wretch had the grace to leave me my watch," he replied, drawing it forth.

Who? Arthur Aspinwall?" "Yes. How came you to suspect You shall know by and by-but the time, please?"

"Twenty minutes past eight." "Ah! I have only a half-hour, then, for it must have been nearly eight when I reached here: but the first thing to consider is how to get you out of this place," Margaret returned, while she viewed the strong bars between them, with dismay.

"If you have a key to fit that padlock on the corner, I can be free in less than two minutes," Louis answered. directing her attention to the fasten-

"I have not, unless the keys that unlocked the doors of this building will She went to get them, having left

them in the door, but he knew instantly that they would be of no use. 'No, neither of them will fit," he gloomily. "What shall we do, then," she asked,

growing pale and looking deeply distressed, for she could well see there was no other way of getting out, except that of unlocking the gate. Each of those massive bars extended

from floor to ceiling, into which they were embedded, while a strong band of braced them about midway. Louis thought a few moments, then

"We can do nothing tonight, dear, that is very evident; I must remain here at least another day, or until you can bring me the means of release. But I can go and tell papa, he will

notify the police, and you can thus be liberated immediately," Margaret said, eagerly. Again her lover was silent for sev-

eral moments. (To be Continued.)

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London, Aug. 30 .- The British bark Primera, 597 tons (Capt. Semen), which left London May 31 for Cape Cross, and was spoken July 11 near latitude 38 north, longitude 13 west, was burned Aug. 4 near latitude 13 south, longitude 28 west. One boat landed 9 he was, he leaned his head against the men on Ascension Island. Another, which left the bark with 5 men, is missing. Capt. Semen is dead. BANKRUPT DUKE.

The Duke of Manchester has been adjudicated a bankrupt, entailing his resignation from all of his clubs. The petitions to the bankruptcy court included one from the young nobleman himself, whose acceptances are so widely distributed in unknown hands that his friends, for some time, have strongly urged this radical course. DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BROKEN OFF.

As a result of the friction between Roumania and Bulgaria, over the latter's delay in complying with the de-mand of the former, for the suppression of the Macedonian revolutionary committee, the Bulgarian diplomatic agent at Bucharest, Dr. D. Theodoroff, has been recalled. According to the Vienna correspondent of the Daily Express, the Wiener Abend Blatt asserts that Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria has threatened to abdicate unless the quarrel with Roumania is amicably settled.

COSTLY FRIENDSHIP.

A dispatch to the Times from Paris tottered to the one he had indicated, says: With regard to the czar's rumored coming visit to Paris, the French press, on the whole, seems firmly persuaded that it is undertaken with a view of raising another Russian loan in Paris. As evidence of this, the preliminary visit of M. de Witte, the Russian finance minister, who was here recently, is quoted.

La Libre Parole declares that it large loan in America and failed, and, as money is absolutely necessary to the Russian Government at this moment, a determined attempt will be

made to raise it in France. This impression is altogether changing the popular attitude with regard to the Franco-Russian alliance, and many papers, representing the most diverse opinions, declare that France is paying far too high a price for her friend-At the present juncture this attitude of France is important, as, if the

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changed.

HARRIETSVILLE.

the whole face of European politics is

Harrietsville, Aug. 30 .- Mr. Samuel Calhoun passed peacefully away at the family residence, Aug. 22, aged 88 years. The deceased was born in county Camon, Ireland, in 1819 came to Quebec in 1874. The family comprised five daughters and two sons. Messrs. John and Samuel Calhoun are residents of Alvinston; Mrs. Facey. relict of the late Robert Facey, Harrietsville; Mrs. Wolliver, Brantford; Misses Sarah, Maggie and Lizzie, at The funeral services were held home. in the Methodict Church and conducted Friday afternoon. The auditorium was filled. Messrs. Wm. Abbott. James Cline and Nassau Morris were the pall-bearers. The interment took place to the Union cemetery at Dorchester.

BANNER

Banner, Aug. 30.-William Sangster has leased the farm of Mrs. Fenton, necessary officers, and confer up-consisting of 200 acres, for three years, on them all necessary powers, and at \$500 per annum, including taxes and roadwork.

During the electric storm which passed over here on Sunday evening. such cases shall, as far as possible, be the barn belonging to Mrs. Russell observed and followed. was burned. The building was insured in the Nissouri Mutual for \$400. Webb has the premises leased from Mrs. Russell. Mr. Webb loses the season's entire crops, together with a number of store hogs. Tenant effected an insurance of \$1,000 in the Nissouri Insurance Company. Mr. Webb was badly stunned when the thunder bolt struck the building. The Ross brothers, living half a mile to the westward were struck while putting away the horse and buggy in the barn and stunned.

Geo. A. Graham and family are camping on the banks of the Thames Andrew Brown and Leslie were taken suddenly ill while thresh ing at the premises of John Spear-

Adam Bremner, of Beachville, bought a horse from Alexander Halkitt for The Cooper Bros., of Thamesford, intend to complete the work on the

school house this week. Mr. John Calvert has secured a fine E. N. Minkler, B.A., is constructing a cement floor for his large bank barn. Osten Calvert left on Monday en route for the Ingersoll high school.

While the barn belonging to Mrs. Russell, relict of the late Jas. Russell, was burning on Sunday night, the neighbors turned out en masse to witness the fire. Twelve hogs were roasted alive.

MELON SEEDS KILLED HER.

Sarnia, Aug. 30 .- One day last week he 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, con. 9, Sarnia township, slipped from the chair on which she was sitting, and struck her chin on the table. The force of the blow caused the little one to swallow a large piece of melon which she had been eating, containing several seeds. The mother got a seed from the child's throat, and as she still seemed to suffer, gave the to medicine, but even in such cases little one an emetic, which caused her these Pills have been known to bring to vomit several more. Medical aid was little one an emetic, which caused her relief when all other so-called reme-dies have failed. These assertions can prove, and it was found that an operation woul have to be penformed. The child was removed to the hospital on Tuesday. She was operated on that night and a silver tube inserted in the throat to allow her to breathe through. Slight hopes were entertained for the child's recovery, but convulsions set in and she died on Sunday morning.

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July 18, 1900. Section 60 of that act reads as follows: Where there is a voter's list each

elector shall, subject to the provis-ions contained in the next following section of this act, be entitled to vote only at the polling station of the polling divisions upon the list of voters for which his name is entered as such voter, and at no other except as otherwise provided by paragraph F of section 5 of the Franchise Act, 1898. Section 6 relates to Prince Edward

Island alone. Paragraph F, section 5, refers to nonresident voters. The Franchise Act, section 5, subsections a, b and c, provides for the adoption of the provincial franchise,

and reads as follows: The qualifications necessary to entitle any person to vote thereat shall be those established by the laws of that province, as necessary to entitle knows for certain that an attempt was such person to vote in the same part recently made by Russia to raise a of the province at the provincial elec-

> (b) The polling divisions shall be those established by or under the laws of that province for the purposes of provincial elections within the territory comprised in the electoral district for which such election is held. (c) The voters lists shall be those prepared for the se ral polling divisions so established, and which on the sixtleth day next preceding the day fixed for the nomination of candidates for such Dominion election were in force or were last in force under the

laws of that province for the purposer of provincial elections. In cities and towns of Ontario where registration has been adopted by the Provincial Legislature section 9 of the Franchise Act shall prevail, which

reads as follows: Where, under the laws of the province, the voters' lists for any provincial electoral district or division, or any of them, are prepared not at regular intervals, but at such times as are fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, or some other provincial or local authority, or only from time to time for the purpose of a general or other election in immediate contemplation, the last preceding voters' lists so prepared shall be used for the purthe Rev. Geo. Buggin, of Avon, on pose of any Dominion election in the territory comprised in such provincial electoral district or division or the Eaton, Robert Barr, Frank Kunz, Seth parts thereof for use in which they were prepared, not more than one year before the date of the writ for Dominion election; otherwise, such new voters' lists shall be prepared, and, for the purpose of preparing, and giving effect to such voters' lists, the governor in council may appoint all

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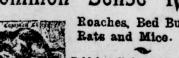
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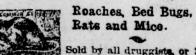
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