

Guelph Evening Mercury
WEDNESDAY EVE'G, JUNE 24, 1873
ANNABEL
—OR—
THE TEMPTATION.

CHAPTER XXV.
TAKEN CAPTIVE.
"Well," remarked Philip, "I must say he is not a very amiable looking personage."
"Worry much the reverse," said Jim.
"If this is human nature in its rough state, I must say as how it ain't a flattering thing. I shouldn't wonder, now, but this here red gen'l'man has killed his enemy ere now."

"Dozens on 'em," observed Stevie.
"Don't you see the scalp fastened at his girdle?" "Look there."
And the trapper, with an unceremonious thrust of his foot, turned the Indian's body half round, and revealed a row of the ghastly trophies he has named, some of them dry and withered, others fresh and bloody. Philip and Jim simultaneously drew back in disgust, and shuddered involuntarily.

The question to be now considered was, what was further to be done? Should they quit the place or stay where they were till morning? They naturally looked to Stevie to settle this, and his decision was to remain till daylight enabled them to pursue their way. The party of Indians were now far in the distance, and no other stragglers seemed to be in the vicinity, but if they moved forward they might come across such, and be taken at a disadvantage.

It was resolved, therefore, that they should pass the rest of the night under the tree—one to watch while the others slept. The first watch was undertaken by Stevie, who, at the end of two hours, awakened Jim, and reported that all continued quiet. He then lay down close to Philip, who was sleeping soundly, and presently Jim was the only one of the three who was awake.

As to the Indian, it could not be known whether he slept or waked, for he had not once moved. Jim might have crossed over to where he lay and seen if his eyes were open, but this he did not care to do, contenting himself with glancing now and again at the dark body which lay like a log a few paces off.

For more than an hour Jim was as watchful as the trapper himself could have been, but after that time he was seized by a drowsiness, against which he made a determined resistance, and supposed he was conquering it. Alas! he was insensibly overcome by slumber, and never knew till he awoke with a sudden start, and saw that he must have been asleep for a while, for the rosy morn was flushing the east, and the faint light of a new day was creeping over the landscape.

Jim rubbed his eyes and gazed around with alarm. Philip and the trapper still lay bathed in profound slumber, but what was his consternation to find that the Indian had shifted his position to a considerable distance from the tree.

He hastily rose and went towards him, wondering in what manner and for what purpose the savage had moved thither. He mentally concluded that he must have rolled his body over and over till he had gained the spot where he now lay, though his object in doing so seemed difficult of comprehension, for he could not dream of making good his escape in that fashion.

Jim had approached to within two paces, and was in the act of bending down to satisfy himself that the thongs were still in their places when, to his amazement, the Indian leapt to his feet and with a terrific whoop bounded away with the fleetness of the wind.

Jim could only stand gazing after the flying form in paralyzed astonishment, from which state he had not recovered when a rifle shot went whizzing past him. It was Stevie who had fired. The shrill war whoop had brought him to his feet in a moment, and, seeing the savage making for the forest, he levelled his piece and discharged it. But in the confusion of the moment his aim had not been true, for the Indian flew on unhurt, and, gaining the shelter of the dense wood, turned for a moment before plunging into it, and emitted another whoop of triumph and defiance. Then with a wild waving of his arms he vanished within the recesses of the trees.

BREAKFAST.—EPPS'S COCOA.—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which will save us many heavy doctors' bills." *Civil Service Gazette.* Made simply with Boiling Water or Milk. Each packet is labelled—"JAMES EPPS & CO., HOMEOPATHIC CHEMISTS, LONDON."

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GUELPH, JUNE 7, 1873.

GEORGE JEFFREY, GUELPH

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On Saturday, June 7th, 1873, we will commence at

HEFFERNAN BROTHERS---THE GREAT BRITANNIA HOUSE,

The Grandest and Most Extensive Cheap Sale of Dry Goods that has ever taken place in Canada.

Heffernan Bros. have great pleasure in announcing to the public that on Saturday, June 7th, they will commence at their store, "The GREAT BRITANNIA HOUSE," the biggest genuine sale ever attempted in Canada. Our Mr. Thos. Heffernan will leave about the second week in July for Europe, where he intends visiting the leading markets of the world, to make purchases for the coming Fall and Winter Trade. In order to make room for the immense stock he will secure while in Great Britain and Ireland, France and Germany, we have determined to offer the whole of our present stock, consisting of over \$75,000 worth of the most desirable Dry Goods in the Dominion, at an immense sacrifice, and at prices that defy competition. Want of room in this small advertisement prevents us from giving a full catalogue of prices. Look at a few of the prices:

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CASH, CASH, CASH!

This is positively a Cash Sale, and no goods will be charged while the Great Clearing Sale continues. Inspection invited: we invite every one to call and inspect our stock, compare our prices, and be convinced that the Great Britannia House is the

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Guelph, May 28, 1873.

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Cheapest Boots and Shoes
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CALL IN AND SEE FOR YOURSELVES.

Ladies Prunella Work of all kinds.

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White Dress Shirts,

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With Collars to match.

Particular attention paid to this Department, and any style of Shirt made to measure, and

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For Shaving, without the
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To meet the extraordinary demand for this
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Suitable for the Season.

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WM. STEWART.

Guelph, June 11, 1873.

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