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As the long cavalcade wound down through the narrow valleys it looked like a small army expecting a battle, and such it certainly was. To avoid the inevitable dust as well as to pre-vent an attack on the head of the line, if Capt. Brandon should see fit to ambush them, Bouton placed the prison-ers to the front. After they had gone some miles Bouton whispered to Nora, "Remember your promise and drop back beside me." With pale face and compressed lips she obeyed him. "You must not think me harsh," he began. "Think of how long I have kept the secret. I knew it before you were

As it was evident he did know the secret, and impossible for her to tell how long he had known it, or how he "I am." became possessed of it, she was forced to believe him, though, as the reader knows, his knowledge was of a very

"If you are going to use it now," she managed to say, "better that you had used it before." Did I say I was going to use it

"You talk as if you might," she said Then I fail to make myself understood. My French is better than my

English. Shall we talk French?"

'I do not understand French.' 'Very well. We shall keep on as we have been doing. You see many men about us here?" He waved his hand back at the cavalcade and Nora nodd-

"They want to catch your father and get a large reward."
"And if they catch him what will they do?" she asked with a shudder.
"They will hang him."

"Hang him!" she asked with a gasp. Yes. Hang him up by the neck till he is dead. And they will put your mother in jail and your brothers, and keep them there till they are dead."
Nora believed this. If she did not, she had neither the courage nor knowledge nor strength to refute it, so awfully did the picture impress her. "You do not want this to happen?" he asked after a painful pause.

"Why should you ask me?"
"Only to show that I think as you do, and to tell you that it is all in your hands."

"In my hands?" she said eagerly.
"Yes; that is what I say. You can
save them and make all right again. Will you do it?" He turned in the saddle and tried to look under her

downcast lids. "Yes," she replied, "I would gladly die to save them. But you need not die."

What then?" 'A thousand times better than dy-You can have them all together again if you say to me but one word, 'Yes.'"

'If I say 'Yes'?" "If you say it to my question. But you must not say it now. I will give you time to think." He hesitated and looked into her face

again, and to avoid his gaze as well as to learn his object she asked: What is the question?" "It is"-Bouton drew nearer and whispered-"it is, will you consent to become my wife?"

She looked at him with horror in her eyes and a "No" trembling on her But he wheeled his horse aside

"I do not want the answer now."

## CHAPTER XXIII.

Under the guidance of the Indian Valentine Kyle and his wife succeeded in reaching the caves to which the Prophet had sent them. They went down to the valley of the Great Spirit through the canyon by whch Howard Blanchard first entered with Capt. Brandon. Though brokenhearted, weary and on foot and much accustomed to the wonderful scenery of this marvelous land, they could not but be awed by the sublimity of their surroundings. The shadows and gloom were in sympathy with their own hearts, and as hand in hand they went down deeper and deeper into the canmust have died with her husband, and that in death, as in life, she was still clinging to him through the darkened way out to the gate called Beautiful. And when the sunlit opening to the valley came in sight she stood and clung to him and closed her eyes, not daring to look at the glory that seemed

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Spirit," said the guide, pointing out to the light. "I can hear voices." Above the sound of the waters hurry-ing down to the placid lake in the cen-ter of the valley, Mrs. Kyle heard the singing and laughter of the immigrant children, and the sound came to her ears like the seraphic singing of angels. What music is there to the mother like the laughter of children? Even Valen-

the laughter of children? Even Valentine Kyle was awed, and so filled with the supernatural exhilaration that his face glowed and his gray hair and beard looked like a saintly halo.

"Let us get into the light," called out the guide. "It is pleasanter in the beautiful valley."

They followed him out, but stopped

again at a point where all the glories of the enchanted scene burst upon their bewildered gaze. There were children playing by the lake, and at the sight of the strangers they ran shouting to the caves in

alarm, and their ories broke the illusion and told Mrs. Kyle she was still in the land of fear and sorrow and As they crossed the valley they could

see anxious faces peering at them from behind the rocks. Just as Valentine Kyle was about to call to them not to fear, a tall, rosyfaced girl made her appearance and approached them with extended hands. "I am Mary Clyde," she said. "Come with me. You seem to have trouble, like ourselves."

"Indeed we have trouble, my child," said Mrs. Kyle. "May you never know so much.

"And may yours soon be lightened," said Mary, "and it will be if it is in our power. We are only women and chil-dren with one old man here, but the Prophet says we are safe."

Mary Clyde then led them to the cave entrance, and here the women and children came swarming out, all ashamed of their alarm, though their recent experience warranted them in the precaution. Mr. Kyle let his wife answer, and when she told them her name they all asked in a chorus, "Are

"Then," said Mary Clyde, "I shall Several new hands have been taken kiss you." And thereupon all the other women and children followed Mary's W. T. Bunt has been ordained to hospitable example.

home had been destroyed by Bouton, He is a graduate of McMaster Uniand that her daughter was then a versity.

prisoner in his hands, the indignation The of the immigrant women became extreme, and Mrs. Clyde, Mary's mother, declared with much emphasis that death would be something like a pleasure if she could just see Bouton tor-tured as she would have him tortured, and as he deserved to be tortured, "for just five minutes."

Mr. Kyle told them the little he had learned from the Prophet about Dr. Blanchard and his family. The report was that the doctor had escaped, but that the girls were still in the power of the outlaws.

"All our men. are out aiding in the fight," said one woman, "and we'd be ing hand. Everything went off well, willing to go and help them if it wasn't for the children."

The immigrants did all in their power to comfort their guests, and all spoke of a termination to the trouble which the most imaginative did not tested the matter in the courts. Chief feel in her heart. About the middle Justice Meredith has given jof the afternoon the children, who in favor of the municipality. never tired of the beautiful valley nor ceased to wonder at the grand caves, came running in, the leader shouting: "The Prophet! The Prophet is com-

Without asking a question all hur-ried out and saw the Prophet crossing the valley accompanied by Clara Blanchard and her father. The women and children ran to meet them with shouts of joy, but Valentine Kyle and his wife remained back in the shadow.
"I cannot meet him, wife. I cannot meet him!" cried the unhappy man. "Meet him, husband. Even if he hould recognize you he can bear you Dr. Blanchard was ever

your friend."
"No, I will remain in the shadow till I can escape from here." (To be Continued)

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The License Commissioners Do Seme Sharp Cutting at Stratford.

The Kingsville woolen mills have started up in full force. Norwich is to have an evaporator that will employ 70 girls and 20 men. The Congregational Church, Sarnia, was slightly damaged by fire Monday evening.

Essex has been divided into seven electoral divisions for county council Walter Stares has leased 5,000 acres of land in Leamington on behalf of

an oil syndicate. Mr. Guthrie, day operator at the G. T. R., Berlin, had a \$100 bicycle stolen

on Saturday last. Bishop Baldwin is expected to lay the corner stone of the new English Church, Listowel, next Tuesday, Aug.

Orders are pouring in from the north to the shoe and moccasin factory at Delhi. The factory is running Deputy Reeve Rabb, of Palmerston, has been appointed town treasurer, and an election will be held to fill his

place at the council board. Business at the plano factory in Listowel is steadily improving, some 30 pianos being shipped last month.

When Mrs. Kyle told them that her church, to which he has been called.

The Hay Furniture Company, of Woodstock, have been notified to leave the buildings occupied by them, as the Bain Wagon Company want to use them. They are moving from Brantford.

The date of the Listowel civic holiday has been changed from Aug. 13 to Aug. 19 at the suggestion of the local fraternal societies who are having an excursion to Kincardine on the latter date.

W. P. Holdsworth's barn at Vandecar was raised on Wednesday, over 200 men being present to give a help-The township of Sandwich East pro-

posed to make a road along the river front, but some of the ratepayers con-Justice Meredith has given judgment Percy, the 11-year-old son of J. H.

escape from drowning at the C. P. R. slip Monday. Ernest Lovell jumped in and held him up till some other boys climbed down and pulled him Eight Stratford hotels will be de prived of their licenses on Aug. 1, un-less they comply with the provisions

McConnell, Windsor, had a narrow

of the city bylaw passed some months ago regulating the stabling accommodation in connection with the hotels. The Twenty-second Battalion Band of Woodstock went to Stratford on

Monday to win first prize in the band competition. They tied with Galt for first place, and the first and second prizes were divided between the two J. C. Walker, photographer, Wood-

stock, won third place in the competition for portrait photography at the Chautauqua convention. A bronze medal was the reward. There were competitors from twelve States and from Canada.

The Essex county farmers who burned down the tollgates are not being disturbed. The toll company has not been able to collect a single cent at any of the gates that have been torn down, and instructions were given Wednesday morning to rebuild them as soon as possible.

F. E. Marcon, clerk of the county court, who has just returned from the eastern end of Essex county, reports that the crops are being ruined. At Woodslee, the fields are still flooded. Reports from Pelee Island are to the

The other day 951 cheese, two car-loads, were shipped by the Elma factory from Listowel. It consisted of all the June make, and the biggest lot of cheese ever turned out by this factory in one month. Ballantyne & Sons, of Stratford, got the consignment at 7 1-4c per lb. There were eight carloads shipped from Listowel altogether on Friday.

When Wm. Crogan, who resides on Sandwich street, Windsor, returned to tea Monday night he found his wife in an unconscious condition. Medical aid was quickly summoned, and as indications pointed to poison, antidotes were given which speedily brought her around. She said she had are always little, no matter how big taken two teaspoonfuls of laudanum with suicidal intent and had lain down to die. Jealousy is said to be at the bottom of the trouble. She is

recovering. Allan Saunsby, an employe at the Hay factory, Woodstock, was the victim of a peculiar accident recently He was struck a terrific blow on the head by some unseen object, and to this moment neither himself nor any one else knows what struck him. Saunsby was placing the belt over a tight pulley, and something descended on his head with great force. he fallen he would have been right on top of the saws. He was rendered aid being summoned it was found that a gash about four inches long, and extending into the bone, had been inflicted on his head.

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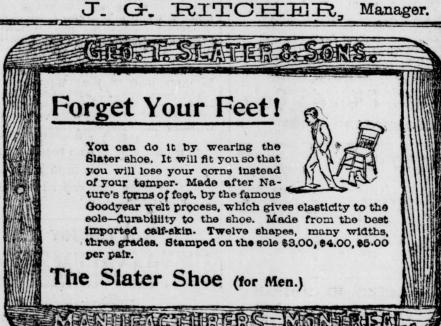
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