

THE CHOICE

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CHAPTER XXXIII

Last Words

It can hardly be said that Annie had by this time given up all hope, for so it seemed to her, she had reached a condition of dull acquiescence in which neither hope nor despair existed.

CHAPTER XXXIV

Conclusion

It was only when Fred found himself in the bedroom of an elderly, very weak and ill-looking man, whom he understood to be Mr. Ross, Annie's father, that he realized where it was.

purposefully aimed by a malign fate, that very day he had told her of the offer he had made to go to Italy to study and had been obliged to decline because of her opposition.

GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS PAID EXTRA MONEY FOR ROUTINE WORK

Frederick, May 19.—Before the public accounts committee this morning in items for game protection was one R. W. L. Tibbitts for \$4 for one certified copy of the Game Act amendment.

NORTH SHORE WOMAN COMMITTS SUICIDE

Mrs. Thomas Hayes of Baribouge, Despondent, Hangs Herself—Two Boys Rescued from Leaking Scoop.

BOLD ROBBERY OF C. I. R. AGENT BY EX-EMPLOYEE

Fort William, Ont., May 19.—Word has just been received of a daring crime at Antikona on the C. N. R. Station Agent Forrester resigned recently and an hour after midnight Saturday morning he walked in, and holding up night operator Ladouceur, who was alone, made him hold a light while Forrester held the safe, securing about \$600.

C. P. R. EMPLOYEES REFUSE TO GO OUT ON SYMPATHETIC STRIKE

Montreal, Que., May 19.—(Special)—The C. P. R. today refused all overtures on the part of western labor representatives to go on strike. They say that while they sympathize with their western allies, that it would be injudicious to go out on strike at present, as they would violate the spirit and letter of the Lemieux Act.

KILLED BY FALL INTO SHIP'S HOLD

John Haley, Longshoreman, Fatally Injured on Stmr. Indrani

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While working on the Donaldson liner Indrani, Monday afternoon, John Haley, a ship-laborer, fell through a lower deck hatchway to the bottom of the hold, a distance of twenty-three feet, and sustained injuries from which he died in the hospital between 6 and 7 o'clock Monday evening.

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KELSON SENT TO PRISON FOR LIFE

St. John Man's Forfeit for His Part in Killing of Somerville Druggist

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In Boston on Monday, five men were sentenced to life imprisonment for murder and among them was a St. John man, Oscar L. Kelson, who, before leaving this city a few years ago became well known to the local police and was in custody on stealing charges. He broke jail and escaped from the city.

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