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#### LAUREL CAMP.

with you!' and dainty Bess Fleming had decided with womanly intuition anger. perched herself disconsolately on the that the intruder was a gentleman in

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almost enough to make one wish one 'Hiawatha,' she said, whimsically: Fad been born a boy. Floor, chairs ) 'If the pale faced stranger tarry by ing tackle, entomologist's paraphernalia of waxen headed pins, chloroform bot-'I think I will not tro occupants of the room were all so very hrmly; heeding ears.

scope glass he was polishing, with an spring upon him with fell intent, she tive air: eye enormously enlarged thereby, and motioned him to the hammock she had smiled in conscious masculine superior- just left. ity; and only good natured Steenie Bess watched him with puzzled eyes paused in his struggle with his knap- as he flung himself upon her cushions. sack (which seemingly declined to ac- Seeing the pallor about the firm mouth commodate his blankets, a work on that told of physical suffering, an inanatomy, a gossamer coat and a dis- spiration, born of her experience as

Val Graham ! Who is he? Let him of coffee was wafted to the straggler stay at home, then. To make coffee in with such reviving effect that he open-What's the matter with Mr. Graham! manly contemplation, the figure itself Is he one of your fossilized professors was well worthy of study. The slim, who would petrify a simple maiden ? I don't care what he is, you need not green flannel, without furbelows or interimed would find time to look at a start of bewinderment; Ozar upset was well worthy of study. The slim, lithe young form was clothed in a dark green flannel, without furbelows or Journal. imagine I would find time to look at snarls of any kind to perplex the eye. him. I (magnanimously) won't mind The rebellious dark hair hung in a him a bit.

'But, b-b-bless you, my child,' ejacu-lated Hal, energetically, it's not a ques-tion of whether you wouldn't mind Val. The fire had flushed the sweet face that was brooding with such absorbed ex-The boot is on the other leg. It's Val pression over the coffee pot. would mind you. There's some romantic story about his being brought up by steaming on a hot stone by the fire, and an uncle who had been cruelly treated by some lovely flirt. Youthful affections tion of the murmuring river, to reap-

part of the day. Can you direct me to be sure and tell Steenie I want him.' Valentine's arms fall, his face whit. 'Oh, boys, how I wish I were going By this time Bess, fully awakened, ens, and his voice rings with passionate =

arm of the lounge in what her brothers the highest sense of the word, and hand, and I would give my life for 'So, I may not even touch your called their 'boudoir,' and gazed with noting the weariness in the quiet words you! You have nothing but undeservbig, wistful gray eyes on the animated and the steady brown eyes, she rose ed contempt for me, and I-I love you.' scene before her. The festive preparations are indeed but with her thoughts still tinged with drops his head upon them as if the end of all things had indeed come.

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Bessie's eyes are looking far away, and table are covered with a choice but this camp fire until the warriors return, and within them a new, sweet light varied collection of hunting boots, fish- they will guide him through the forest of self revelation grows and deepens.

The little clouds are growing gray; 'I think I will not trouble you,' be- the cool twilight seems to creep closer, tles and butterfly nets, favorite authors, gan the other, uneasily, but the brave with its soft, cool languer and its blurrhammocks, and other evidences of a daughter of the forest, made as usual ing shadows. The wind sighs through 'right royal good time.' The masculine more determined by opposition, said the trees in low, sad whispers; the murmur of the river sounds clear and deeply engrossed that their envious sis-ter's plantive wish fell on almost un-eagle will be obeyed,' and seconded by denly gives a shrill, startling ory and

Tom gazed at her through the micro- friendship to the new comer or to says, nervously, with an augumenta-

ful, don't you think?"

Valentine raises his head and looks at her in great amazement.

'I have grown so very stout and anatomy, a gossamer coat and a dis-membered gun) sufficiently long to say with genuine brotherly good will: 'And you should go in a minute, Pop-'And you should go in a minute, Pop-'And you should go in a minute, Pop-'And you should go in a minute, Pop-In a few minutes the fragrant odor him with outstretched hands.

I cannot tell you anything more, except that as they came into camp arm in arm, with a new light in their faces, a dear little kettle swung on three ed widely his nearly closed eyes and in arm, with a new light in their faces, sticks, to sleep in a hammock and be gazed with deep interest on the busy Hal's boots received an especial beneoutdoors all summer!' cries Miss Flem- figure at the fire before him. Aside diction; Martha knocked over the coffee ing, enthusiastically. 'Oh, I will go! from her occupation, so pleasing to the pot in a fit of bewilderment; Czar upset

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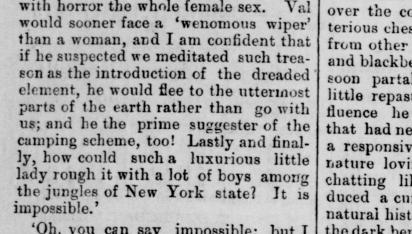
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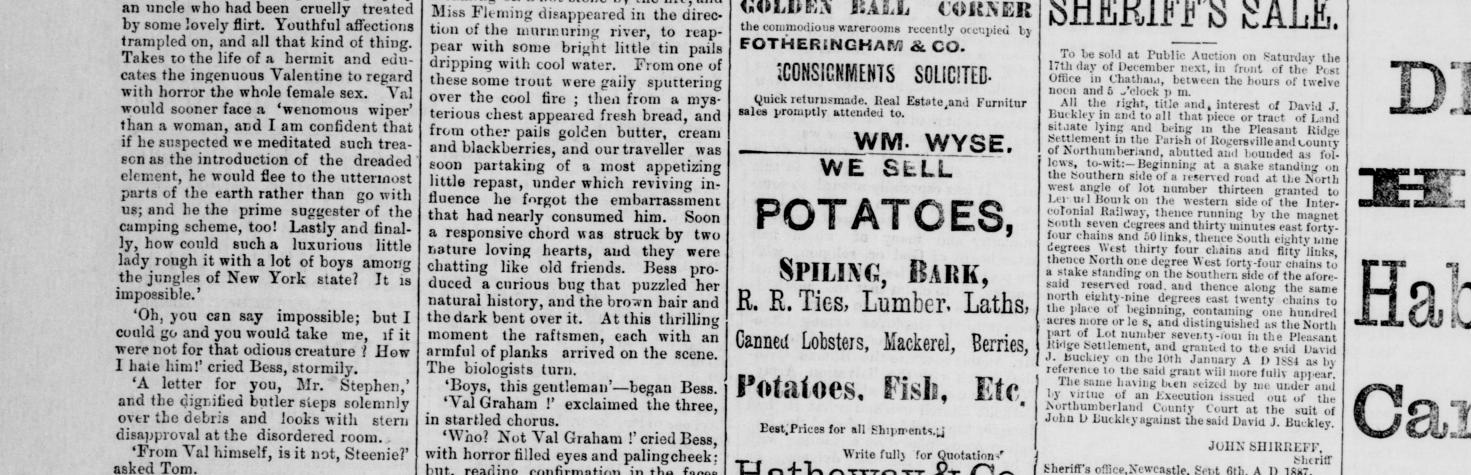


were not for that odious creature ? How I hate him? cried Bess, stormily. 'A letter for you, Mr. Stephen,' and the dignified butler steps solemnly over the debris and looks with stern disapproval at the disordered room. 'From Val himself, is it not, Steenie?' asked Tom. 'Yes. Too bad he can't go, after all --attack of malarial fever—knows you will have a jolly time. 'Almost desper-ate when I think of your starting with-out me,' reads Steenie, disjointedly. 'Now I am going?' and Bess starts up impetuously. 'Mow I am going?' and Bess starts up

impetuously. 'How can you?' 'You'll see. I'll take Martha to take care of me. I'll be ready in an hour, Martha and her budgets included,' and Bess vanished libe a small while it in the start of the boys al-Bess vanished like a small whirlwind. 'So I was, but I am better; only I leaving the trio too much astonished to lost myself in this maze and nearly do aught but stare at each other in si-lence. tramped myself to death—if it hadn't been for her coffee,' he continues, awk-

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Bow can the days that follow be described? Golden, sunshiny days, filled with simple pleasures. But, as reliable chronicler, I am very sorry that I cannot say Miss Fleming's temper was all serene. Towards the unoffending Valentine she bore an enmity that neither

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inevitable rheumatism. The scene shifts to the wilds of the empire state and a camp established in their depths. This is no mere fashion-able tabernacle in the wilderness, but a real camp, with amateur cooks, with spicy hemlock bed, and with a smoke blackened kettle hanging over a snap-ping fire, the smoke of which curls lazily upward, making misty the deli-cate tracery of the waving trees against the soft summer sky, and the ham-mocks swinging like huge cocoons be-tween the trees, inviting to drowsy re-pose. serene. Towards the unoffending Val-entine she bore an enmity that neither time nor familiarity seemed to soften. Occasionally she would unbend so far as to allow that gentleman to assist in-her investigation into the flora of the region of the country in which they were. Can you guess what a revelation this sweet, tantalizing girl was to a young man who had never known a woman's love? Day after day to watch her merry petting of those big brothers, and then to recall his lonely childhood and youth. Is not the fate of this poor Val easily surmised?

surmised? A few yards away an unseen moun-tain brook tumbles its cold water into the rocky river, and the two sing to-gether in low monotone, telling of fern fringed pools and gliding trout. Through archways cut in the glossy laurel thicket can be seen the paths that the feet of the streaming mathematical at last discovers and acknowledges to himself the cause of the vague wretched-ness of the past weeks—acknowledges with a sickening realization that his happiness for life is in the hands of a girl who has only an unreasoning hatred

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