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This is a tale of Alaska, a bleak land where men and women fight each other and the relentless elements for the precious gold that lurks beneath the icy soil. Here is told a story of wild ambition, of uncontrolled passion, of men who know no law other than that of their own making; a story of a girl whose beauty and purity plunge her into the deepest peril; a story of big men, big events, big thoughts and big hopes. Read of Nectia, the fascinating heroine, who loves and is loved; of Gale, the man of mystery; of Stark, the killer of men; of Rannion, prince of scoundrels; of "No Creek" Lee, who comes into his own at last; of simple soled, big hearted Poleon Dorot; of Lieutenant Burrell, the gallant Kentuckian who carries law and justice into the Yukon wilds and forces desperate men to recognize him as their master.

CHAPTER I.
THE LAST FRONTIER.

MANY men were in debt to the trader at Flambean, and many coveted him as a friend. The latter never reasoned why, except that he had done them favors, and in the north that counts for much. Perhaps they built likewise upon the fact that he was ever the same to all and that in days of plenty or in times of famine his store was open to every man, and all received the same measure. Nor did he raise his prices when the boots were late. They recalled one bleak and blustery autumn when the steamer sank at the Lower Ramparts, taking with her all their winter's food, how he eked out his scanty stock, dealing to each and every one his portion month by month. They remembered well the bitter winter that followed, when the specter of famine haunted their cabins and when for endless periods they cinched their belts and cursed and went hungry to sleep, accepting day by day the rations doled out to them by the grim, gray man at the log store. Some of them had money belts weighted low with gold washed from the bars at Forty Mile, and there were others who had wandered in from the Koyukuk gully, the legs of their skin boots eaten to the ankle and the taste of dog meat still in their mouths. Broke and dispirited, these had fared as well through that desperate winter as their brothers from up river and received pound for pound of musty flour, strip for strip of rusty bacon, lump for lump of precious sugar. Moreover, the price of no single thing had risen throughout the famine.

He mixed in no man's business. He took and paid his dues unflinchingly. He spoke in a level voice, and he smiled but rarely. He gazed at a stranger once and weighed him carefully; thereafter his eyes sought the distances again, as if in search of some visitor whom he knew or hoped or feared would come.

This day he stood in the door of his post staring up the sunlit river, sobbing the warmth of the arctic afternoon. The Yukon swept down around the great bend beneath the high, cut banks and past the little town, disappearing behind the wooded point below, which masked the upcoming steamers till one heard the sighing labor of their stacks before he saw their smoke.

The sound of shouting caused him to turn his head. Downstream, a thousand yards away, men were raising a flagstaff made from the trunk of a slender fir, from which the bark had been stripped, heaving on their tackle as they sang in unison. They stood well out upon the river's bank before a group of well made houses, the peeled timbers of which shone yellow in the sun. He noted the symmetrical arrangement of the buildings, noted the space about them that had been smoothed for a drill ground and from which the stumps had been removed, noted that the men wore suits of blue and noted in particular the figure of an officer commanding them.

The lines about the trader's mouth deepened, and his heavy brows contracted.

"That means the law," he murmured half aloud.

He stood so, meditating sullenly, till the fragment of a song hummed lightly by a girl fell pleasantly on his ears, whereupon the shadows vanished from his face, and he turned expectantly, the edges of his teeth showing beneath his mustache, the corners of his eyes wrinkling with pleasure.

The sight was good to him, for the girl approaching down the trail was like some wood sprite, light footed, slender and dark, with twin braids of hair to her waist framing an oval

face colored by the wind and sun. She was very beautiful, and a great fever surged up through the old man's veins till he gripped the boards at his side and lit sharply at the pipe between his teeth.

"The salmon berries are ripe," she announced, "and the hills back of the village are pink with them. I took Constantine's squaw with me, and we picked quarts and quarts. I ate them all!"

Her laughter was like the tinkle of silver bells. Every move of her graceful body was unrestrained and flowing, with a hint of Indian freedom about it. Beaded and trimmed like a native princess, her garments mantle

NO BETTER TONIC could be devised than FERROVIM, which consists of fresh lean beef, Citrate of Iron and pure old Spanish Sherry Wine. Just enough of the latter to stimulate the digestion and enable a weakened stomach to assimilate the beef and iron. Try this invigorating tonic if you are thin-blooded, weak and generally run-down. \$1.00 per bottle.

In 1910 coins to the value of £27,972,034 were issued by the mint, as against £15,311,110 in the previous year. The actual number of pieces struck at the mint during 1910 was 152,801,841. In the preceding year it was 113,139,480.

It is now officially announced that the Duke of Connaught will succeed Earl Grey as Governor General of Canada, in September. He will hold the appointment for two years and that period may be extended.

Worms cause fretfulness and rob the infant of sleep, the great nourisher. Mother Graves' Worm Expeller will clear the stomach and intestines and restore healthfulness.

With a view to restoring London's lost importance as a shipping port, the recently constituted "port of London authority" is considering a vast scheme for improvements in the River Thames. Docking facilities involving an expenditure of nearly \$75,000,000 are contemplated, the work to occupy 20 years.

No surgical operation is necessary in removing corns if Holloway's Corn Cure be used.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has awarded the contract for the construction of the hugh dam on the Bow River at Bassano, in Alberta, which is to be used in connection with irrigating an additional 540 acres of land in the eastern section of the company's irrigation block.

A POWERFUL MEDICINE.—The healing properties in six essential oils are concentrated in every bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, forming one of the most beneficial liniments ever offered to the use of man. Thousands can testify as to its power in allaying pain, and many thousands more can certify that they owe their health to it. Its wonderful power is not expressed by its cheapness.

It is said that the C. P. R. will do away with the Joggin and Little Joggin bridges, near Digby, and build a bridge from the Smith's Cove shore direct to Digby, doing away with one bridge and shortening the road.

Use according to directions, Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Remedy will afford relief in the most acute form of summer complaint. Whenever the attack manifests itself no time should be lost in seeking the aid of the Cordial. It will act immediately on the stomach and intestines and allay the irritation and pain. A trial of it will convince anyone of the truth of these assertions.

It is said to be definitely determined that Senator Row, of Edmonton, will succeed to the late Mr. Hanson's place as Canadian Consul general at Paris. The appointment is expected before long.



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GENERAL NEWS.

Official announcement is made that the King and Queen will visit Dublin and Edinburgh.

FOR COUGHS and Colds, use Allen's Lung Balsam. Relief is warranted or money refunded.

Sir John Arbuthnot Fisher, Admiral of the fleet, retired from the British Navy, Jan 25th, under the age limit. He was born in 1841 and had been Admiral since 1905. His career was international.

LOSS OF APPETITE AND GENERAL DEBILITY are quickly over come by the use of a few bottles of "The D. & L." Emulsion.

At the conclusion of the Easter term in April next the Prince of Wales will have completed his studies at the Royal Naval College at Dartmouth. It is reported that in the fall of this year he will enter Oxford University for a two years' course of study.

Don't wait till your hair is gone. Use BEARINE (the genuine bear's grease pomade) in time and save it. 50c. a jar.

One of the features of the Scottish National Exhibition, to be opened in May next by His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, will be a historical pageant illustrative of the times of Mary, Queen of Scots.

INVEST 25c. in a box of Davis' Menthol Salve and be prepared for ulcers, neuralgia, old sores, etc.

An interesting relic of the Tudor age has just been discovered in Folkestone in the shape of a gun. Upon examination this was found to date back to the time of Henry VIII, whose arms are cast on it.

Honored by Women



When a woman speaks of her silent secret suffering she trusts you. Millions have bestowed this mark of confidence on Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y. Everywhere there are women who bear witness to the wonderful working, curing-power of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription—which saves the suffering sex from pain, and successfully grapples with woman's weaknesses and stubborn ills.

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New Brunswick Crops, 1910.

The following statistics gathered by the Provincial Department of Agriculture show the crops for 1910, so far as statistics are gathered, to have been better than last year, with the single exception of the potato crop. The yield per acre of wheat was last year 18.5 bushels per acre, this year 19, of oats last year 29.1 bushels, this year 29.7, of buckwheat last year 24.7, this year 24.6, of potatoes last year 187 bushels, this year 127, of turnips last year 511, this year 500.8. The hay crop, for which statistics are not gathered, was an unusually large one, running it is estimated fully 25 p.c. above the average crop.

The number of live stock kept on the farms in December, 1910, compared to December, 1910, was as follows:

	1909	1910
Horses	57,713	61,042
Cattle	199,481	215,829
Sheep	143,274	147,489
Swine	79,010	80,022

Following are the crops and total yields of the crops for which statistics were gathered in the two years:

	1909	1910		
Acres	bus	acres	bus	
Wheat	14,447	268,079	13,988	265,848
Oats	194,815	5,682,538	196,795	5,847,877
Buck wheat	56,735	1,405,775	56,395	1,390,717
Potatoes	47,853	8,968,098	47,744	3,160,158
Turnips	6,531	3,440,862	6,310	3,160,158

SAVED HER FINGER.



Dr. John Henry Jowett, pastor of Carr's Lane Congregational Church, the famous English preacher, has decided to accept the recently extended call to the pastorate of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church of New York City. He has had the call, under advisement for some time, but his final decision is now announced.

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Zam-Buk

Mrs. B. E. B. B. of 337 Provencher Ave., St. Boniface, Winnipeg, says: "Some time ago my children took diphtheria, and while attending them the poison entered a small scratch on the second finger of my left hand. This became very sore and blood-poisoning soon set in. For months after the children were quite well I was suffering from a shockingly bad finger. The scratch was caused originally by a pin, and in itself, was not at all serious. The consequences, however, of neglecting this scratch, were very serious to me. "When the blood-poisoning set in I tried medicine and a salve I had in the house. These, however, did not save the finger. I got out the ointment and the finger became more and more swollen and discolored. It then began to fester, and I had to let out the pus, and you can imagine how painful the finger was. Despite my best care, however, it again festered and the ointments, liniments, and other preparations which the doctor gave me seemed absolutely unable to bring about any relief. "The doctor thereupon advised me to go to the St. Boniface Hospital. I feared that if I went to the Hospital the finger would be amputated. We were told of a case similar to my own in which Zam-Buk had effected a cure when everything else had failed. I had the doctor send me only a small quantity of the medicine, and I was, therefore, decided to give Zam-Buk a trial. A supply was procured, and we commenced to use Zam-Buk treatment. It only took a few days to show the wisdom of this step. The blood-poisoning and inflammation were relieved, the finger became less swollen, and it was evident very shortly that the trouble was being relieved to a less and still less area. We persevered with the Zam-Buk and in the end of the foregoing week was thoroughly cleaned, then healed. In under three weeks from first commencing with Zam-Buk the finger was entirely well, and I had effected a cure when everything else had failed. I had the doctor send me no doubt I should have saved myself hours and hours of agonizing. "All mothers would note this case. Zam-Buk is a sure cure for blood-poisoning, festering, cuts, scratches from barbed wire, lesions, eczema, rashes, tetter, salt rheum, face sores, ulcers, piles, bad leg, varicose veins, and all skin injuries and diseases. So a box of Zam-Buk and a store or post-free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price. Send in stamp for postage of free trial box. Refuse imitations.

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The Nova Scotia "Lumber King" says: "I consider MINARD'S LINIMENT the BEST liniment in use. I got my foot badly jammed lately. I bathed it well with MINARD'S LINIMENT and it was as well as ever next day. Yours very truly, T. G. McMULLEN."

There are many cases of typhoid fever in Ottawa. All the hospitals are full. Two emergency hospitals have been organized.

Hon. L. P. Brodeur will introduce a bill in the Commons making wireless telegraph equipment compulsory on certain classes of passenger steamers.

HOPE FOR THE CHRONIC DYSPYPTIC.—Through lack of consideration of the body's needs many persons allow disorders of the digestive apparatus to endure until they become chronic, filling days and nights with suffering. To these a course of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills is recommended as a sure and speedy way to regain health. These pills are specially compounded to combat dyspepsia and the many ills that follow in its train, and they are successful always.

Trade returns for the last nine months show an increase of \$68,000,000 in imports and about \$500,000 in exports.

A glass of iced "Salada" Tea will be found most refreshing this warm weather. As cooling as a summer breeze.

Even people who are usually healthy occasionally require some kind of a food tonic. Ferronim, that excellent combination of beef, iron and sherry wine, if taken when the system is run down from overwork or a slight cold, will prevent a more serious illness. Ferronim gives strength to convalescents and all thin-blooded people. \$1.00 a bottle.

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