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CHAPTER X

The New Year's festivities and the trade were over at Elkwan. The dance in the sleephouse, for which Etienne, seated high on a sugar barrel, provided the music from an ancient and scarred violin, had passed off without compelling the interference of the factor as peacekeeper. The customary present of sugar and flour, tea and pork, had been given to each family of hunters and the Crees had feasted and gossiped to their hearts' content, oblivious of bitter moons to come on far trap-lines when, if game were hard to find, their children would whimper with hunger. The last of the dog-teams had jingled up the river trail or down the delta bound for Akimiski. Thanks to Scott, it had been an unbroken trade which had come to the little post. Not only had he brought across the ice the Elkwan Crees but some from Kapiakau and Attawapiskat, as well.

For a week Garth and Etienne were busy sorting and pressing the fur, which was to go by sled immediately to Albany. "Twenty-eight thousand dollars," said the factor as he finished checking his list. "Our little trips inland after Scott and over to the island were rather worth while, my friend." Etienne grinned. "No little post lak' dis exair mak' dat trade on dis bay. Day geeve you bigger place soon. You tak' Etienne Savanne wid you?" "Take you with me, you old villain! How could I go along without you? You're responsible for this catch of fur, and you know it."

Savanne gravely shook his head. "Eet was you who tak' de chance on de river to fur South. Wen we go to Albany I tell dem peopl' dat de new man at Elkwan ees hell on catch de fur."

Guthrie stopped to laugh at the serious half-breed. Of the loyalty of his head man, who had taught him practically all he knew about pelts, he had had ample proof. Down the coast over the sea-ice traveled the sled loaded with the Christmas trade. At Kapiakau, where the early January dusk overtook them, they turned up the delta to the post to pass the night with the surprised Boucher, whose Indians at Akimiski had left him to trade with McDonald.

Starting the following morning under the stars, before the light died, the sled from Elkwan sighted the buildings of Port Albany. As Garth and Etienne entered the trade room, Cameron, curious of the result of their mission, called: "Well, well, what's the news from the island? Did you get across the ice?" "Yes, we got across a week before Christmas, but had a tough time," Guthrie dissembled gravely, nudging Etienne.

"Didn't see how you could do any good going over there. Your man failed to hold any of the Elkwan people, then?" surmised the disappointed Cameron. "Same way with Attawapiskat and Kapiakau—they lost most of their people—went to the schooner. It sure grinds me to think of that McDonald coming in here and taking all that fur."

"Well, he outbids us for it, and it's only human in the Indians to let him have it. How much is the whole island trade worth in an average year, anyway?" suddenly asked Garth. "Let's see," said Cameron, scratching his grizzled head. "Um, I should say that it runs about two hundred fox skins, all kinds."

"Well, Mr. Cameron," drawled the factor of Elkwan, "I've got half of it out on the sled, then."

"What?" Cameron stared stupidly into the twinkling eyes of the man before him. "Thought you said you didn't—half of it? What d'you mean, half of it? Half of what?" sputtered the puzzled trader.

"Why, half of the Akimiski trade. We got a hundred skins."

"You got a hundred? Why, man, you said you didn't hold 'em—your people. Are you crazy, Guthrie?" cried the excited Cameron. Unable to contain his mirth, Etienne exploded at the far end of the trade counter, as Garth replied: "You took it for granted that we failed. I didn't say we fell down," chaffed Guthrie.

"For heaven's sake, man, stop your fooling and tell me the truth. Do you mean to say that you've got a hundred fox from Akimiski on that sled out there?" demanded Cameron. "I do."

"Well—I'll be—skinned alive!" And the dazed trader stood, fists on hips, gaping at the grinning Garth and Etienne. "How in Jehoshaphat did you do it? You got 'em, after all, with Souci?" "Souci and Etienne, here, scared them to death."

The color rose to the dark hair on her forehead. "I found a job. You see they needed a nurse terribly, at the school." Her eyes avoided his searching look now. "My brother returns in the spring, so I decided to wait for him here."

"But when I left, you were leaving in a day or two for Moose," he relentlessly persisted. "And you wrote my Christmas letter and never told me you were only ninety miles away," he added reproachfully.

"I—I couldn't interfere with the—your fight for the fox trade," she replied weakly. "Well, the fact is, Miss Joan Quarrier," he said with a laugh, "that you're here at Albany, and I'm at Albany, and I hereby announce that I'm going to stay a day, or two, or three, and talk to you."

"I'm sure," she said with a low bow, "that you are most flattering. But you forget that my employer, Mr. Swan, does not approve of you, sir."

"All the worse for Swan, then, for I'm going to see you tomorrow morning, afternoon, and evening. Swan or no Swan, I am a masterful man and will have my way. What time tonight do I knock on the door of the Reverend Swan?" With all his eyes Garth was caressing the face which had come to him by the fire in the snow, followed him over the tundra of Akimiski, companioned his dreams. The miracle of her being here—to talk to him, to be with him, to be with her south across the forests! And who had she stayed on in the dreary north?

"I think you could come tonight," Joan's teeth flashed in an alluring smile. "I'll try to reconcile Mr. Swan to the bitter dose of your presence. He needs me here, you know—finds my experience valuable."

Removing his mitten, with a quick movement Garth slipped off the mitten of the surprised girl and took her hand. "I need you here," he said, "as well as Swan. Eight o'clock tonight. And walked swiftly away, mad hope in his brain, his emotions out of hand. Why had she stayed? Why had she stayed? He kept asking himself as he hurried to Cameron's house."

At supper at the Cameron's Guthrie said: "I met an old friend on the clearing tonight." The kindly eyes of the factor's wife grew quizzical as they met the glance of her guest. "She was here when Etienne came to the kitchen and told us of your success. What did you do to that girl last September? She and I have talked a lot about you this winter."

Guthrie's heart warmed to the inference. He felt the blood in his face, and strove to cover his embarrassment with the question: "How did she come to stay and help that edify of a man, Swan?"

Mrs. Cameron smiled. "They were dreadfully in need of some one who had training. Half the children had some ailment and Swan and his wife were at their wits' end. I suppose Joan couldn't resist the call, as her brother was to return to the bay in the spring."

"Did you meet him?" asked Garth. "Oh, yes, they ate here several times. Very important person—the doctor."

"What's this matter," laughed Garth. "Didn't you like him?" "Like him? It was all I could do to keep my hands off that rooster," growled the lord of Albany. "He made a formal protest in writing to the company to the effect that he had been insulted by you and that you refused to get his stuff on Akimiski, but I told them at Moose what I thought of him."

Garth was grateful to Cameron for his omission of other details of Quarrier's charges, which he knew Joan had scornfully demolished. "Well, Miss Quarrier, not responsible for her brother. Could I bring her over from the Mission tonight? Swan almost kicked me out in September."

"Why, of course, Major Guthrie. I was going to ask you to," said Mrs. Cameron. "The poor child has a dreary enough time with the Swans. They're been worrying about her soul, you know, because of her liberal views on religion."

After supper Garth hurried over the trail to the mission. If Garth Guthrie had been susceptible to withering looks from a reverend gentleman whose meager frame stiffened uneasily in the black cloth and clerical collar affected by Mr. Swan, he would have been embarrassed at the chilly reception extended to him when he said: "Good evening, Mr. Swan! I have come to take Miss Quarrier over to the Cameron's for the evening."

"You, sir," indignantly replied the missionary, "have put yourself beyond the pale—have no right to the society of pure women."

Hands on hips, for a space Garth smiled good-naturedly down on the greatly stirred Swan, considering he had him play. Then he said quietly: "Swan, if you choose to believe the nonsense with which Quarrier has filled your peanut brain, there is no law to prevent it. But Miss Quarrier has had opportunity to judge and she doesn't believe it. She is also her own mistress and capable of determining her own actions. She is going to the Cameron's with me now. Tell her I'm here."

The last was spoken with such cold vehemence that Reverend Swan instinctively drew back, fearing bodily harm. But the little man was stubborn. "Miss Quarrier was placed under my protection by her brother. I have a duty—"

"Oh, is that you, Mr. Guthrie?" called a feminine voice from somewhere in the building. "Just a minute! I'm putting on my coat."

What's the Answer?

Questions No. 18

1—What United States ship won a famous victory over what French warship and when?
2—What American leader in the Revolution was named the "Swamp Fox"?
3—Who invented the cotton gin?
4—What date did Charlie Robertson pitch his no-hit game against Detroit?

5—What actor, critical disputes notwithstanding, lives in the traditions of the stage and of theater-goers as the greatest America ever has produced?
6—What city of the British empire is known as the "Modern Athens"?
7—What great historical work had to be re-written because the manuscript was accidentally burned?
8—What are the most interesting and attractive of the ungulates of the Asiatic steppes?
9—Is this sentence correct English: "She could tell by the sound of the engine they were going slower?"
10—What is the meaning of "Lamb of God"?
11—What led Byron to write "English Bards and Scotch Reviewers"?
12—Who was the American commander at the battle of Bennington?
13—Who was the British governor of Virginia at the outbreak of the Revolution?
14—Who invented the phonograph?
15—Who is champion British woman golfer?
16—What modern French painter helped to found and has been the chief influence upon the impressionistic school?
17—What great pianist, an especial favorite in America, made his first visit to this country as an infant prodigy and had his tour interrupted by the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children?
18—What river is the largest Chinese waterway?
19—To what region is the mountain beaver restricted?
20—What is wrong with this sentence: "I like those sort of people?"

Answers No. 17

1—An English ecclesiastical historian of the Seventh and Eighth centuries.
2—Calcutta.
3—The fact that he never smiles.
4—Uble of Cleveland.
5—Major John Andre.
6—Isaac Hull.
7—George Westinghouse.
8—Four, two varieties of receiving chambers and two ventricles or driving chambers.
9—No; an Olympiad was the period from one Olympian festival to the next.
10—God is incorporeal, divine, supreme, infinite Mind, Spirit, Soul, Principle, Life, Truth, Love.
11—To protest against the order for the scrapping of the frigate Constitution.
12—Ecuador.
13—Easter Island.
14—Paderewski.
15—George Cruikshank.
16—Old Rosebud won it in 2:03 2/5.
17—Constitution.
18—Zachary Taylor, in the Mexican war.
19—Lord Lister.
20—Helps them to avoid enemies, find food, recognize kin and discover mates.

Matinees Looked Upon as Wrong Innovation

Matinees originated at Astley's theater, London, during the season of 1803. Then they really were as the name signifies, "amusing performance much to the horror of old-fashioned playgoers. The time was modified to afternoon but Thalia still was shocked.

Critics assailed the innovation with a vim. John Oxenford, stage reviewer for the London Times, declared "that afternoon performances will lower the place to the standards of a penny-gaff," but despite attacks the daylight performances prospered and in time became a recognized institution.

Astley's had been acquired in that year by Dion Boucicault, father of the actor of the same name, after resigning the management of the Winter garden in New York. He was a pioneer in the matter of more comfortable and attractive theaters, which in those days were mostly dingy, dirty, insanitary and ill-ventilated.—Exchange.

Chess Ancient Pastime

Chess is acknowledged as one of the world's oldest games. John de Vigney assigning its invention to a Babylonian philosopher, Xerxes. Others have attributed it to Chilo, one of the seven sages of Greece. Gibbon believed the Indians conceived the game, and that Persia perfected it. Earlier dates have been suggested, however, by the depiction of chess in the paintings of the ancient Egyptians and the descriptions of it in the Chinese books of wisdom.

Canoing Sport Revived

The old Indian practice of canoeing was slowly but surely dying out when it was brought back to life by the organization of the American Canoe association in 1880. Due to the work of this association canoeing today is one of the most popular of summer sports.

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The Two Wives

Mrs. Whitney Warren, who was recently awarded the Legion of Honor for her war work, was talking at a luncheon in New York about an elderly millionaire widower who had become engaged to a chorus girl. "His partner took him to task about this foolish engagement the other day," Mrs. Warren ended. "His partner said to him: 'This won't be a happy marriage like your first one was, George. Your first wife was a real helpmate, but this chorus girl is out after your money.'"

"The foolish millionaire widower laughed. 'Yes,' he said, 'once I owed my success to my wife, now I owe my wife to my success.'"—Minneapolis Tribune.

Salts Fine for Aching Kidneys

When Back Hurts Flush Your Kidneys as You Clean Your Bowels

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, sometimes get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders. You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region begin drinking lots of water. Also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is intended to flush clogged kidneys and help stimulate them to activity. It also helps neutralize the acids in the urine so they no longer irritate, thus helping to relieve bladder disorders.

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Gray Wolves Dying Out

Depredations of the large gray wolf are believed to be almost at an end in the West because of the unrelenting activities of the United States biological survey and other agencies against them. In New Mexico, says Popular Mechanics Magazine, only eight wolves were caught last year and thirty-one the preceding year. Arizona reports that no wolves are now known to be within the borders of that state. A constant patrol is kept along the international boundary to prevent invasions by timber wolves and mountain lions from Mexico.

Aviators Triumph

As far as we have been able to ascertain, the German aviator, Capt. Von Richthofen, brought down the largest number of planes during the World war, the planes numbering 80. An English major, Raymond Collishaw, brought down 77, and an English major, Bishop, brought down 72 and the English major, E. Mannock, 71.—Washington Star.

He Doesn't Mean Bouquets

Zeb Hopkins sees the big o'ry house is no place to hold the amateur night. Zeb sees it's too long a throw from the gallery to the stage.—Farm and Fireside.

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