

TURNING POINT

By Mary Imlay Taylor

CHAPTER XVII: Jane returns, learns what has happened and re-minds Jim that Sherwin saved his life and hers.

CHAPTER XVIII He had glimpsed the steep side of the precipice at last, and seen what his sister had been watching. Sherwin was standing beside two hundred feet, dashed the cataract; along the narrow, dizzy ledge, as yet unaware of him, came Stenhart - alone! Cautiously, searching, peering this way and

him, waited for him. Jane, looking up now, saw that she could not reach Sherwin, could not even cry out to him. She knew of the cave -he had told her of it -a. a way to escape; a warning in time and they would never find him, could not trap him, but she was too late; Stenhart would see him, Stenhart would betray him!

Stenhart, moving cautiously, foot by foot, pering listening, looking back for 'elp—help that would ne er reach him! Sherwin waiting. There was something in his awful patier ce like that of the tiger who waits to spring - certain of his prey. The narrow ledge showed a knife drawn in the wooded height; it shone in the sunlight almost as keenly as the torn ribbons of spray from the torrent below them. The roar of the cataract downed all sound. Scream as she might, Jane could not reach the erre or the man who watched the other's slow advance. It was like a nightmare, the creeping, creeping ur that ledge to meet Death.

Jim caught his breath. A cloud had obscured the sun, and as it sailed away he saw Sherwin's face as he crouched, leaning forward. ready! One thrust and Stenhartcoming on, unaware of him-would go down-down.

Jane covered her face with her out hoarsely, tried to shout a warning; then, realizing its futility, he groaned aloud. Good God, he's going to kill him!" 1 cried.

Sherwin had stepped out from his hiding-place; he seemed to tower, vengeance incarnate. Stenhar, stood still an instant, frozer n his tracks. His drawn pistol fell from his hand; he seemed to Then, as the man le had hunted tered back, stumbled and fell head long over the narrow ledge.

It had happened in an instant in the twinkling of an eye. Sherhim - untouched, unscathed crumple up, eel backward and plunge over the edge of the precipice. So swift was it, that he neither moved nor spoke; for full minute he stared blankly a the spot where Stenhart had disappeared. A strange sensation swept him, he grew dizzy himself; his head swam, and the hills awful majesty. He knew nothing of the men who were creeping toward him through the woods; he believed hisself alose, alone with that awful power which had seized his enemy and brusced him like a ff from the ledge! Slowly he took a step forward and, steadying himself, looked over the brink. Thirty feet below him that solvary stunied tree thrust out its dwarfed trunk from the heer side of the precipice. Sprawled across it, limp, motionless, lif less, hung Stenhart. sprawling limbs, his hanging head, The white froth of the boiling corhis ghastly upturned face.

He was not dead! Even as Sherwin looked, he saw him move his head in the torture of pain and fear: it was more terrible than a swift wiping out of life, for death was playing a game of hide and seek with him. A movement, almost a breath and he would go down into elernity, and it he hung there - with no nortal elp at hand - he must perish thus! It could not be for long, but Sherwin looking down at him, knew that he was conscious and saw no help. only the face of the nan who had sworn to ill him! Revenge exquisite in his torments, was accomplished. Sherwin need but stand there and see him die! Even as he looked, he saw the old tree weight of the fallen body; its root: were loosening in their age - old crevice of rock. In a little while, hart, it would bend downward. Annihilation waited there, eternity yawned for him, and he knew it! Sherwin, grasping a ledge of rock to seady himself, looked down at the aelpless man who had be-trayed him. Stenhart, looking up dizzily, saw him and tried to lift feeble hand in entreaty. It was there, feeling the tree sway be neath him, helpless, at the end of

hope. Sherwin straightened himself suddenly; he had Leard a distant sound, voices in the woods! Instantly, he divined the truth; Stenhart had again betrayed 1 im, they were after him. But he had ample time to reach his cave, and once there they would not get him, for he knew the other opening and it was safe. Nor could they save Stenhart; the tree was giving! Five minutes more—and he would be avenged! He need not stir a finger, and Jane, who had besaught him not to slay, would know that there was no blood up n his hands!

He drew a deep breath; almost at his feet lay the coil of rope that he had dropped when he met Jane, He saw it and remembered the purpose had had ir mind. The minutes seemed to beat themselves into his brain, his pulses throbbed, his lips were parched. He stooped, reached for the rope and, uncoiling it, wound it about the great trunk of a sycamore, then, tossing the long end over the side of the abyss, he grasped it and began to descend, hand over hand.

The rope swung out and then went taut with his weight. Little as he went down he glanced aside at the tree under Stenhart. It was yielding, one crack more in the straining bark and it would snap! Swinging at the ope's end in space, Sherwin, the avenger, risked

(To be continued)

Sunday School

The Spirit Of True Worship Deuteronomy 8, 11-14; 18-20; Isaiah 40: 30, 31: Mark 12, 28-34, Golden Text - God is a spirit: and they that worship Him must worship Him in spirit and in truth.--John 4:24.

Moses' Warning Moses is led by God to warn the Israelites of a weakening faich as they prospered materially. It is a grievous fault in human nature to so enjoy material bless ings as to rest our security in them. The exhortation of our Lord is the only wise and safe rule for the individual Christian to fol-

these verses the prophe Isaiah reveals the weakness of nations and men, and the majesty and power of God. He draws at-Being weary does not refer to the flesh; it is the spirit which is exhausted. There is a spiritual weariness, an emptiness which the young can feel as well as the ma-ture. It was to meet this spiritual an moral exhaustion that Jesus cailed the weary to Himself. The word "renew" means new-ness of life. Inspired with God's

enduement of the Holy Spirit we nount up", we "run and we are r t weary" in the passionate service, we "walk, and rot faint" in the common duties of life. What Is Love? Our duty to God is summed u n one word: Love. What is love? To love another is to have a desire and a delight in his welfare.

is to have a supreme desire for and deligh. in God's glosy, so that everything is secondary to Spiritual Love The Second Commandment quires that we have the same de sire for and delight in the welfare of our neighbour as we have in our own welfare. The Second Com n.andment is really involved in the First, for if we love God, whom

To love Cod with all the heart

and soul and mind and strength

we have not seen, i.e must love our nei hbour whom we have seen. A man cannot love God if he does not love his neighbour for love to God involves love to neighbour.
There are many to-day who call themselves Christians who lack clear moral discernment. To see the truth clearly shows that one is not far from the Kingdom of God. When one submits to the

truth he is in the Kingdom. ISSUE 29-1946





Looking for a washing machine? Some of these ought to show up in your local store pretty soon. They're portable models, shown being stacked for shipment by Ruby Shelton at the Los Angeles plant where they're made. The midget washers can clean four men's shirts or 12 pieces of lingerie or eight diapers.

CHRONICLES of GINGER FARM

We have just said good-bye to

Gwendoline P. Clarke

move. Sunday afternoon, for in

reconnoitring trip. And oh dear,

hardly a berry anywhere! Whether

whether the bushes were just killed

out in that patch, I don't know.

But won't it be a tragedy if there

are no wild berries to pick again

the last of our young cockerelspleases. Bob's idea of rest is to stay that is, the last of the first hatch. not more than five minutes in one We still have plenty of small birds place at a time. And Partner's and running around—so we won't be mine-well, we think it a good idea onesome for a little while yet. just to snatch a few odd winks We are also enjoying our first whenever there happens to be a shower for about three weeks-and not always--no not always; sometimes I keep our family on the

oh dear, how we needed it. (By the way, I am referring to a shower of rain-not of bath water). The ground is terribly dry. There loesn't seem to be any moisture anywhere-even the leaves on the trees are wilting. But it has been marvellous haying weather. To date, not one cutting of hay has been spoilt. I can't remember any thing like it before. * * * This year, for us, the summer

seems to be mostly week-ends.

mean with the various members Well, well, it must be thundering and near members, of our family again-Tippy has just pushed the coming along every week-end like homing pigeons, we have no sooner said "Good-bye" than we are say-ing, "Hullo, you're here again!" And when they come there is a wild scramble for old clothes and place under the kitchen table. wonder why it is so many dogs are scared of thunder. To tell you the simple reason that a bad storm shoes-overalls, shirts, slacks, anymight result in our wheat crop thing at all that can be worn in the being levelled to the ground. That hayfield. Half the time nobody knows what belongs to whom and the result is often a general mix-up. | year we are growing to that makes us doubly Which reminds me, I have a my dear friends, is not exactly my

ing the house upside down hunting for the overalls he had worn the have washed and put them away. I simple reason that I had forgotten about them. While we were still arguing Joy and the men came in with a load of hay. Daughter exclaimed immediately - "Look, there's Bert's overalls-Joy's wearing them!" And she was-sne was also wearing a blouse belonging to pair of sneakers which Bob had routed out from somewhere. Daughter is not quite so trampish! She generally has some kind of an outfit at home to change into-

The dress parade on Sunday norning is also quite characteristic Partner and Bob shave, bathe, and quite naturally get into something other than work clothes. Bert, the city slicker, absolutely refuses to shave and delights in wearing over alls and an old collarless shirt. He says he has to shave and wear a tie nearly every day of his lite. To do just the opposite is his idea of relaxation. Partner, on the other hand, cannot relax unless he first gets out of his work clothes. Joy's pet method of escapism is



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How Can I? By Anne Ashley

from window glass?

A. Try rubbing with hot, strong

wringer, take a piece of cloth and wet it with kerosene. Rub the sollers well and they will be as clean and white as when new. Repeat every week washing.

Q. What can I take to produce A. Stew spring onions in

coarse brown sugar and take a teaspoonful at night. This will not only produce sleep, but is very Q. What is ur correct way to A. Never operate the rolling pin backwards and forwards when making pastry. Roll it forwards

Q. How can I take proper care of ivory knife handles? A. Do not out them in het water, which turns them yellow. Wash with warm soapy water, and wipe quickly. Once a month rub them with a flannel moistened with denatured alcohol and dipped in powdered whiting that has been sifted through cheesecloth.

Q. How can I loosen screws and nails which are rusted into

only and then lift it.

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Nothing To Report en away?" you've been away there's ndal, Freddie!"

arket, and were talkming. "Better step with me and have a as it's so hot," said Farmer No. 2 went, cider, and was asked Ah," he said, "how did ye say ye made? was the reply. said Farmer No. 2, wtre a great pity ye one more apple left.

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By Hershberger



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trying to jump into the Chicago

for her husband. Cops shouldn'

act so fast; she may have been

-Peterborough Examiner.

-Ottawa Citizen

trying to get him a fish.

Lient. Amateur swimmer

-Kitchener Record.

Do, Don't Take A Tip One of the best tips these day is don't, in a canoe.

Ottawa Citizen.

We Could Retaliate Russia has tossed a voting controversy into the lap of the Atomic Energy Commission. Wouldn't Russia be surprised and hurt if somebody lost patience and tossed something into Russsia's lap!

—Brantford Expositor.

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Is That The Reason? Women, it seems, are more fas-cinated by horrors than men, A Flag Suggestion One of the difficulties foreseen i which may account for their marrying some of them.

—Quebec Chronicle-Telegraph. we decide to have a Maple Leaf on ur flag is that of choosing one from our seventeen varieties of maple. Why not solve the whole A Cynical Note. matter by putting a sap bucket on

A marriage expert says that the flag, the sap to do honor to the men like to marry girls "whose knowledge is less than theirs." This undoubtedly explains why a ize the Government? lot of men are bachelors.

-Kingston Whig-Standard.

Too Good To Last When this country was disco Dangerous Money ered, the Indians were running af-A Mid-West professor predicts fairs with no debt, no taxes, no that the monetary system of the future will be based on uranium. women were doing all the work But think of the disaster to the The white man sure put his foot in neighborhood when a dollar is things, trying to improve on a system like that.

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