A LASS OF THE LUMBERLANDS

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SYNOPSIS.

Rupert Holmes, a lumberman of the Pacific Northwest, is murdered in the office of the Dawson Lumber Company at a shindig given by him and child in the logging camp. Rupert's daughter Helen, who has quarreled with her father, had left home to be married. For the double murder Jim Hawkins, a logger, is arrested by Sheriff Jim Dawson. Two days later Rupert Holmes is the lumber king of the Pacific Northwest. Helen, his daughter, lives, unknown to anyone by several names and is about to marry Stephen Dawson, a New Englander, against the great Amalgamated which Rupert Holmes has been fighting to the settlers. By this time Stephen is known as Dawson, a young engineer, and her father has left her a fortune. Stephen discovers that the land is valuable timber and she promises to marry him. Rupert Holmes meets his abandoned wife, Virginia, and tells her that Helen is dead. Helen, in an attempt to help Hawkins, is arrested by Sheriff Dawson and is taken to the county jail at Port Blake for safe keeping. The Amalgamated demand a franchise for a railroad through the valley. Rupert Holmes refuses to grant it and Gleason, agent of the Amalgamated, is employed by the Amalgamated to get the franchise. Stephen tells his sweetheart to win Holmes' favor by any means. Helen goes to work with the old man. Stephen goes away. Little Bear confesses Holmes' murder to Helen. Holmes tells Helen of his enemies and tells her that Stephen is one. Holmes' partner, Bill Stone, is also one. Helen tells Holmes that Stephen has gone