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Monster Searchlights and Gelatine Screens to Illuminate the Gorge.

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Now it looked as though one were seeing with Dante eyes, so red and fierce was the scene, and so darkly red the shadowy banks between which the river tossed waves of blood. Further down, beneath the new steel arch bridge, where the furious rapids were tossing the spray fifty feet or more in the air, red and green lights were used. Then the plain lights were shown again and then, where the rapids are strongest and wildest, the red screens were used with an effect whose weirdness the contrast vastly heightened. So impressive was the spectacle that for several minutes there was absolute silence in the cars and then a cheer of admiration broke out. From that point to the end of the road the colors were changed rapidly, with beautiful effect, and at midnight the party returned to the falls. It is said that the success of the experiment insures the illumination of the gorge by searchlights next season and that means the addition to the attractions of Niagara of a wonderfully thrilling night spectacle and one which, once seen, will not be forgotten.

Former visitors to Niagara will recall that when the state reservation was private property there was for the last season or two a successful illumination of the upper rapids and of the falls themselves and a heightening of their wildness and weirdness and beauty by a similar use of colored screens. The scene was one to remember and Niagara visitors have reason to congratulate themselves that private enterprise again proposes thus to enhance the night wonder of Niagara. For you may croak as you please about "natural" beauty, nature is too prone to veil her beauty at night; and if esthetes be shocked at an artificial coloring of the water and find no compensation for loss of naturalness in such bewildering riotousness of color and grotesqueness as one can hardly dream of, even they must approve the lights which make visible the natural beauty when darkness would otherwise veil the scene.

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