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Synopsis–Episode Five

"ONE AGAINST MANY"

After a furious fight in the gymnasium, Hutch and Nancy make a getaway in a motorboat. They are pursued by Marlow and the others to an abandoned lighthouse, where they are locked in by Marlow, who has gained on them. But Hutch turns the tables by climbing down a rope and locking them in.

At home again, Nancy discovers the scarf again missing and suspects Ann. At Ann's home she learns that she and her grandfather have gone to the reservoir, and they follow. Old Mr. Haviland, in his eagerness to find the hidden formula, ignores danger and crosses the reservoir, into which logs are being rolled. Ann begs Hutch to rescue him. Hutch takes a short cut by crossing the reservoir on the logs floating therein. He stumbles and falls many times, but he cannot reach the building from where the logs are being sent down the sluiceway before several crash into the frail rowboat, injuring Mr. Haviland. To quickly reach him, Hutch mounts a log and rides with it down the sluiceway. He manages to get Ann's grandfather to shore, but death overtakes him before divulging the hiding place of the seaweed formula.

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