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Guelph Evening Mercury

WEDNESDAY EV'G, SEPTEMBER 18.

NORAH CUSHALEEN

OR THE
HAUNTED CASTLE.

By the powers, but this is not uncommon for a bride to be a little nervous. "It's quite a nice place, and there's a beautiful view of the lake," said the priest, as he looked at the bride and groom.

"Our own quarters won't be so snug in the kitchen below," remarked O'Brady. "But I suppose we'll manage to put up with it for one night."

"Put up with it, repeated Daley. "Sure we might put up with ten times worse, when the honor is good and plenty. It's the drink that makes the comfort. Come, open a bottle, and let us drink to the success of Malvina and her lovely bride."

The factor did not seem to see anything objectionable in his proposition, for he drew from his coat pocket a bottle of cork-crowns and two glasses. The priest placed a rude seat close to a rough deal table, and the pair sat down to enjoy the drink.

"Here's to Squire Blantire and his bride," said Father Daley, as with sparkling eyes he held the full glass to his lips. "Such a bould Irish marriage deserves to be followed by good luck. — Medad, but it's Malvina that has the brave dashing spirit in him."

"Of course he has," said the factor. "He wasn't the man to let a needy English adventurer take the prize from between his teeth, or to give up the pursuit because Miss Mary was foolish enough to refuse him. Egad, she'll find herself a wife to-night whether she will or no."

"And a mighty pleasant woman she'll be in the morning," said his reverence, with a loud laugh.

"I don't know about that," returned O'Brady. "Mary Kendal has a fiery spirit in her, and it may be a while ere she gets over being thwarted; but, of course, she'll cool down in time."

"And look laughingly back on this night's adventure," added the priest. "I expect to get madly a bumper from her at Blantire Castle, for making her its mistress against her will."

"She'll be sure to make an awful outcry to-night," said O'Brady. "What do you mean to do when she says—No?"

"Sure, when a woman says 'no' she means yes," said his reverence with a laugh, and that's the female dictionary. "I'll read it by—When do you think they'll be here?"

"Immediately," replied the factor. "Squire Kendal was to allow Miss Mary out at dark for a walk in the park, where Blantire was to pounce on her and gallop off at once. An hour's good riding will bring them to the ruin. Come fill up your glass."

"Faith, and it's myself will," said the dourly priest. "There's nothing like wine for keeping the damp out."

Norah sat listening in breathless horror behind the door. She heard and understood all. Mary Kendal was that night to be borne from her home, brought to the ruin, and forcibly united to Malvina Blantire, who was already her own husband.

The poor girl shuddered, bent her head towards the face of her sleeping babe, and put her hand to her brow to ease the throbbing of her bewildered brain.

CHAPTER XVII.—THE ABDUCTION OF MARY KENDAL.

If a wounded spirit is hard to bear, a wounded heart—a heart whose love is opposed by injustice and force—is not less difficult to sustain; and so felt Mary Kendal when her father kept her a prisoner in her own room, and treated her with all the rigor and sternness of a jailer.

The treatment would have melted, crushed, and overcome a timid girl who did not possess, in a great degree, the gift of self-reliance, but in Mary Kendal it roused up a spirit of indignant resistance. She peculiarly felt the injustice and unreasonableness of her father's conduct, both in thwarting her love for Hargrave and in trying to compel her to marry Malvina Blantire. Her father's firm, unbending spirit dwelt in her likewise, and the harshness which it caused him to manifest produced a resiliency in her nature, and a resolute of soul which violent measures would strengthen rather than shake.

Yet did she suffer much inward grief and sorrow. What would Hargrave think of her? That was her constant, ever-recurring question. Would he think her fickle, changeable, inconstant—a flirt, a coquette—a heartless hypocrite, incapable of true love—a trifler with the affections of another? It was most natural that she should think so, since she had failed to keep her appointment, and sent him no message of explanation or token of continued regard.

Oh! how she longed that he might know the truth—that he might know that she was unchanged, and still loved him—that she came not to the trying place only because she was prevented—that for her love and constancy to him she was shut up in close confinement, and watched with jealous care by an angry and implacable father.

But she had no means of communicating with him. Her window, indeed, looked into the park, but it was in the third story of the mansion, and no one came to her place of confinement except her father, whose visits were paid in stern silence, and as silently received by Mary.

All day, but especially towards evening, she sat at the window, surveying the landscape, and half expecting that her eye would fall on the form of her lover—judging him truly, and maintaining her faith in his honour and in the depth and reality of his affection, she thought he would wander in the vicinity of the castle, in the hope of meeting with or seeing her. But the days passed and he came not, and sadness and disappointment fell upon her heart.

One evening towards dark, her father entered her room at an hour when he did not usually visit her. Surprised at this, she turned from the window, and regarded him with a stealthy glance of anxiety.

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Montreal, 2nd Sept., 1867.

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