Queloh Evening Mercury

WEDNESDAY EV'G. NOVEMBER 20

NORAH CUSHALEEN

OR THE HAUNTED CASTLE.

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'It's Miss Mary, sir,' he gasped, turning to Hargreave.
'Oh, what of her?' asked the latter, at once getting alarmed.
'This is her marriage night, sir.'
'Her marriage night?' echoed the youth, staggering back.
'Oh, musha,' cried Michael, 'I didn't believe it mesself till ould Paddy O'Flin—that's Father Brannagin's servant—tould me. He was going up to clane the chapel, and light it up for the ceremony.'

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"To-Misther Malvrin Blantire, uv rourse."

'What! another attempt to force her to the odious union?' cried the youth.

'Paddy says there's no force at all, at all. Miss Mary is to be married with her own consent."

'She fickle, changeable!—I will not believe it, 'exclaimed Hargreave. 'No, if there's truth in the story at all, it is another vile plot to destroy her. But she shall be saved once and for all. I will claim her as my wife before them all, and denounce the villain at the very altar."

altar.'
'I will go with you,' said Norah, in a tone of quiet resolution.
'You shall,' said Hargreave. 'I will protect you from the cruelty of your seducer. Where is this warriage to be celebrated?'

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'At Father Brannazin's church, at three o'clock,' replied Michael.

'I'll take ye to it,' cried Terry.—
Praise to the Virgin, we are in time.'

It was arranged that Michael should remain in the ruin with Amelia and Norah's child, and that the others should descend to the valley, and proceed to the solitary chapel where the marriage was about to be performed.

'In a few minutes Norah was ready, and they departed and went at a rapid pace down the slope, Hargreave being fear ul lest they should be too late.

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Father Brannagin's chapel stood upon an emmence surrounded by trees, at no great distance from the principal entrance to Kendal Castle; but inasmuch as it was several hundred yards from the public road, and approached by a path which led no where else, it was, in its isolation, solitary and seeluded.

The night being cloudy, it was quite dark when Hargreave and his party came in front of the edifice which was considerably larger than one would have thought necessary for the district. They had walked rapidly from the ruin and it still wanted a few minutes of the hour at which the ceremony was to take place; but a stendy light beaming from one of the windows showed that the chapel was in readiness for it.

'Thank God, we are not too late,' said Norah, drawing a long sigh of relief.

'By my faith, but I dinna think we are muckle owre sune,' remarked Andrew. 'If we had been keepit another day in the cave the mischief wad habeen dane.'

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'And probably fallen a sacrifice to Matyrin's vengeance,' said Hargreave. It would have been in the cause of truth and virtue,' sighed Nosah.

'We must save you if we can, even now,' observed Hargreave. 'You will not appear unless it is absolutely necessary. I have some hopes that when the squire learns of Malvrin's former mar riage, that his pride will be touched, and his resentment roused because of the deception which has been practiced upon him. In that case he will himself forbid the union, and for the present at least, your existence will be unknown, and an opportunity given for your flight to some other place of safety.'

'If it warn't for that ould she-adder, sure the ruined castle is safe enough,' remarked Terry.

'It will suffice no longer as a place of retuge,' rejoined the youth; 'But another my te found;

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At this moment a small side door opened, and the light which streamed forth showed the figure of Paddy O'Flin, the priest's attendant.

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'God save ye, Paddy O'Flin,' 'aid Terry, stepping forward.

'The top o' the evening to ye,' responded Paddy; 'but I don't know who you are at all, at all.'

'Och, sure, never mind that,' returned Terry. 'It's not to be expected that a gintleman like you that has his reverence to wait upon and spake to should have time to know all the boys and colleons in the valley. But hearin' o's the grand marriage that is to be in the chapel to night, we made bould to come up and see it.'

'Faix then ye've had a walk for just mothing,' answered Paddy, 'for not a soul ov ye can set a foot in the chapel this blessed night.'

'An' what's the hinder Paddy, avick,' rejoined Terry. 'Sure his reverence didn't used to be keepin' poor folks out we chapel.

'Thrue for it, and it's not his reverence at all, but Squire Kendal wants the marriage to be a private one, and he would be mighty displeased if he Icu, any toy in the chapel, let alone the colleen thu's wid you. So maybe you will be ather goin' away, to I expect them over from the castle ever moment.'

I there not a dark corner in the chapel where we could remain quiet and not be seen?' asked Hargreave, stepping forward. I am a stranger and I have taken a fancy to see the marriage at night. Of course I am willing to pay for the privilege, and here are swo half-

and nobody would see yes.

The money was transferred to Paddy, and he at once led the way into the chapel, past the altar, to a seat behind two broad pillers, which supported the gallery. The only lights in the place being the two candles burning at the altar, this spot was cast into the despest shadow and had the party desired to be mer apectators of the coremony, it might have taken place without their presence being suspected. But, of course, as the reade is aware, they had quite a different interior.

tion. .
Some minutes of perfect silence followed, then the sound of wheels was heard outside, and a vehicle stopped in front of the church, and the lights of the vehicle flashed in at the windows. Paddy O'Flin hurried out to meet the bridal party and escort them into the building by the great door, and a few minutes after he was gone a man strangely dress ed in skin glided in, and stood with his back to one of the opposite pillars.

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