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Guelph Evening Mercury

FRIDAY EVEN'G, SEPTEMBER 20.

NORAH CUSHALEEN

ON THE
HAUNTED CASTLE.

He came forward and stood beside her.

'Well, Mary,' he said, in a cold, grave tone, 'has reflection yet shown you the duty of obedience?'

'I am not aware, father, that I have hitherto been wanting in that duty,' answered Mary.

'No you have not,' rejoined Mr. Kendal, 'and therefore I am the more surprised at your present conduct.'

'There is possibility of obedience becoming a duty,' remarked Mary. 'It is so now. You are demanding what even a father has a right to exact. The heart is too sacred for any human interference.'

'Romance again—still romance,' said the Squire, impatiently. 'When will you get into the region of common sense and proper ideas? Of course you think me cruel and tyrannical—a perfect brute. Don't you, now?'

'I think false notions have blinded your better judgement, and made you unjustly severe,' answered Mary. 'I have tried to be patient under the injustice, but it is a hard task. You ought to know, father, that I have the Irish spirit in me, and can ill brook imprisonment.'

'If you had the true Irish spirit you would not require to be imprisoned,' rejoined the squire. 'I wish to heaven you would show yourself more of a Kendal.'

'I always thought truth and devotion were the grand characteristics of the Kendal spirit,' remarked Mary, in a quiet tone.

'So they are—so they are; but these are always joined to a proper pride and regard for the honour of the family. A true Kendal would not condescend to take up with a low, unknown, and intriguing adventurer, who—'

'Peace, father! cried Mary, rising up. 'I will not hear Mr. Hargrave malign. But for him you would have now no daughter; and as for him being unknown, he has revealed to me his spirit, his mind, and soul. These are high and honourable, and it is these that make a man.'

'There you go—there you go. That is of course a quotation from one of those vile and cursed novels. But I have not come here to renew a useless controversy. You don't merit the least indulgence; but to show you that I am not so cruel as you imagine, I have come to allow you an hour's walk in the park.—The confinement has, I see, made you pale. But mind, only an hour, and I trust to your honour to return.'

Mary bit her pretty lip and remained silent for some moments. She felt inclined to resist an indulgence so imperiously granted; but the temptation of a ramble in the summer twilight was too great to be resisted, and she at length said that she would take advantage of the permission, though it was with an air of indifference and an absence of the appearance of gratitude; for she did not admit that she had done anything to forfeit her freedom.

'Wrap yourself well up,' said Mr. Kendal. 'The night dews are beginning to fall.'

Mary quietly dressed herself in proper walking costume, and when she was ready looked towards her father, who remained in the chamber. He in turn looked towards the open door, and interpreting this as a permission to go, she walked leisurely out, descending the stair and walked into the park by the hall door.

The hour of twilight had fully come. There were no lingering rays of sunset on the peaks of the high eastern mountains, and the dusky light was deepening over the earth. The huge and ancient trees, which were scattered over the park, looked like dark indistinct masses, and the belt of fir plantation at the far end seemed a black broad line, clothing the horizon.

To this point Mary slowly made her way. She had the secret hope in her heart that Hargrave might be lurking there, and that a hurried but sweet meeting, full of explanation, would take place between them. It was the only place near the mansion where he could be concealed from observation, and a road led through the centre of it to a gate skirting the high road, at which there was no lodge, so that he could there gain admission without being questioned.

She walked on, her heart fluttering more violently as she neared the plantation, and her eyes bent searchingly among the trees. If he were there, he was sure to come forward at once; for though he was himself unseen, he could easily observe her in the open park.

Accordingly, when she had almost reached the edge of the wood she observed the form of a man moving towards her. The gloom was too great to permit of recognition, but the height, the shape, and general appearance resembled Hargrave. Not doubting that it was he, she went joyously and eagerly forward—they came close to each other, when, to her consternation, she found herself face to face with Malvina Blantire.

She started back, and her first impulse was to turn and flee.

'Where away, my pretty fair one,' said Malvina gaily. 'You seem to have changed your mind all of a sudden.'

The words brought back Mary's dignity and self-possession. Though she loathed the man, she need not be afraid of him.

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Commission Merchants, Montreal.
KIRKWOOD, LIVINGSTONE, & MORE,
Commission Merchants, Collier's Wharf, Halifax.
Montreal, 2nd Sept., 1867.

Insolvent Act of 1864

In the matter of James Inman, surviving partner of the late firm of Inman Brothers, Cabinet Makers, Stratford.

Steam Cabinet Factory FOR SALE.

IN consequence of the death of the late William Inman, the business carried on by him and the above-named James Inman, at Stratford, has been placed in my hands to be wound up. A large number of unfinished Common Chairs, and about \$1,800 worth of Furniture, all quite new.

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Tuesday 24th Sept., 1867

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Guelph, 24th Aug., 1867. dw-2m

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Guelph, August 1, 1867. daw

CATTLE STRAYED.

LOST on the night of Wednesday the 5th inst., a white cow, with a black spot on her side, and a black spot on her face.

CATTLE, marked A on right hip. Any person giving information at Lindsay's Hotel, Guelph, or to Isaac Atkinson, Hamilton, will be handsomely rewarded.

A. McKILLOP.

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THOMAS BROWN,

Guelph, 5th September, 1867. dw Day's Block, Wyndham-st., Guelph.

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WM. McLAREN.

Guelph, 2nd September, 1867.

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Guelph, 2nd August, 1867. (dw-2m)

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