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Guelph Evening Mercury

SATURDAY EVENING, FEB. 8, 1873.

SWORD AND PLOW.

FROM THE GERMAN OF WOLFGANG MULLER.

There once was a Count, so I've heard it said—
Who felt that his end drew near;
And he called his sons before his bed
To part them his goods and gear.

He called for his plow, he called for his sword
That gallant, good and brave;
They brought him both at their father's word
And thus he his blessings gave:

"My first-born son, my pride and might;
Do thou my sword retain;
My castle on the lordly height,
And all my broad domain.

"On thee, my well-loved younger boy,
My plow I here bestow,
A peaceful life shalt thou enjoy,
In the quiet vale below.

Contented sank the sire to rest.
Now all was given away:
The sons held true to first behest,
Won on their dying day.

"Now tell us what came of the sword of flame,
Of the castle and its knight!
And tell us what came of the vale to tame,
And the humble hind at night?"

O ask not of me what the end may be!
Ask of the country-round!
The castle is dust, the sword is rust,
The height is but desert ground.

But the vale spreads wide in its golden pride
Of the beautiful sunlight now;
It teems and it rings far and wide,
And the honor rides with the plow.

ANNABEL

—OR—

THE TEMPTATION.

CHAPTER III.

THE STRANGER ENTERS MY ROOMS, BUT PROVES FRIENDLY.

"I know it has," rejoined Philip, quickly. "Now, truly, I was recommended by the gentleman from whom the letter comes to place it into Langton's own hand, and you will confer a lasting obligation upon me by directing me into his presence. He is expecting, I am well aware, this letter."

"Mr. Langton is never at leisure when he is there," was the answer; "but if you must see him, come this way."

Philip followed the speaker as he conducted him with no very good grace through a series of rooms fitted up with desks, at each of which sat clerks, hard at work, to the door of a side room, on which was painted the word "Private," and opening this door he said, in the respectful tone which is usual towards a superior—

"A person wishing to see you, sir."

"Let him come in," answered a clear, pleasant voice, and the man making way for Philip, the latter entered a moderate sized room, comfortably fitted up, and having all appearance of a luxurious sitting room, except for the business table covered with papers, at which sat a man past the middle age, tall, ruddy in complexion finely featured, and of a mild genial countenance—not devoid, however of lines which anxiety seemed to have traced there.

He desisted from his writing, and raised his placid blue eyes as the youth came towards him. The form and aspect of the latter seemed to impress him favourably, for he smiled inquiringly as he pointed to a seat, and prepared to attend to the business in which his visitor had come.

Philip took the seat, and presented the letter.

"Then," he said, "I have been asked to deliver into your own hand."

The merchant carelessly opened the letter, but the first glimpse of the address caused him to change his manner in an instant. He arose at once to listen to Philip, and turning to Philip he opened the letter with eagerness.

"Good," thought Philip. "The gentleman, whoever he is, seems to be in friendship here, and it will be curious if I find it have much change of the Grant."

By this time Mr. Langton had read the letter, and was large rather in it was a large slack, and with [illegible] on left side. As the merchant read on, with its perusal, an expression of astonishment came upon his countenance, which deepened into eager agitated anxiety, and breathless interest as his eye ran through the sentences. That he was deeply affected in an extraordinary manner by the contents of the letter was sufficiently obvious, this being attested not only by his whole appearance, but also by the exclamations which unconsciously escaped him, such as "Dreadful" Horrible! Most Singular! Most Wonderful!"

Philip sat in silence, though he expected that every moment the merchant would address to him words which should throw light on the mystery which had surrounded the stranger, or his name and personality. But this was not to be the case Towards the end of the letter, Mr Langton's excitement abated, though his attention did not flag, and presently he lifted his and fixed them on Philip with a long scrutinising look as if the interest was now transferred from the writing to the person of the latter. Apparently the result was satisfactory, for, as he deliberately folded up the letter, he said—

"Your name, I understand, is Philip Wolfe?"

The youth bowed.

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Family Sewing Machines (single thread)
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Blankets for Half Price.

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NEW RAISINS	5 cents per pound
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GOOD PRUNES	30 pounds for $1
10 pounds of the BEST BRIGHT SUGAR	for $1
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All orders will be delivered free of charge. Give us a call.

E. O'DONNELL & CO.

Guelph, Jan. 23, 1873 Wyndham Street, Guelph.

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WM. STEWART

Has much pleasure in intimating to the public that he has received many lots of desirable New Dry Goods and here offers them at prices, and they will be offered

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I am, yours very truly,

A. B. PETRIE.

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Guelph, Jan. 7, 1873 dw

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Hamilton Dec. 14, 1872 dy