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ST JOHN STAR WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1905,

Or, The Love Story of Charles Brandon and Mary Tudor, the King's Sister, and ming In the Reign of His August Majesty King Henry the Eighth Rewritten and Rendered Into Modern English From Sir Edwin

By EDWIN CASKODEN [CHARLES MAJOR]

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Brandon at once accepted the invita-ion in a personal note to the princess. he had often received worse treatment, tion in a personal note to the princess. The boldness of this actually took my breath, and it seems at first to have startled Mary a little also. As you the princess said: must know by this time, her "dignity oyal" was subject to alarms and quite er most troublesome attribute—very apt to receive damage in her relations

Mary did not destroy Brandon's note, espite the fact that her sense of dignity had been disturbed by it, but after she had read it slipped off into her private room, read it again and put it on ead it and, after a little hesitation put it in her pocket. It remained in the pocket for a moment or two, when out it came for another perusal, and then she unfastened her bodice and put It in her bosom. Mary had been so intent upon what she was doing that she had not seen Jane, who was sitting quietly in the window, and when she turned and saw her she was so angry she snatched the note from her bosom her foot in embarrassment and rage. "How dare you watch me, hussy?"

she cried. "You lurk around as still as the grave, and I have to look into every you spying on me:"
"I did not spy upon you, Lady Mary," said Jane quietly.
"Don't answer me! I know you did! I want you to be less silent after this.

Do you hear? Cough or sing or stum-

ble; do something, anything, that I Jane rose, picked up the note and of-fered it to her mistress, who snatched it with one hand while she gave her a sharp slap with the other. Jane ran out, and Mary, full of anger and shame, ned the door and locked it. The note, being the cause of all the trouble, she impatiently threw to the floor again and went over to the window bench, where she threw herself down bench, where she threw herself down to pout. In the course of five minutes she turned her head for one fleeting Instant and looked at the note, and then, after a little hesitation, stole over to where she had thrown it and icked it up. Going back to the light the window she held it in her hand moment and then read it once, twice, ice. The third time brought the lie, and the note nestled in the

Jane did not come off so well, for her mistress did not speak to her until she called her in that evening to make her toilet. By that time Mary had forgotten about the note in her bose hen Jane began to array her for the ice it fell to the floor, whereupon ooth girls broke into a laugh, and Jane sed Mary's bare shoulder, and Mary sed the top of Jane's head, and they

were friends again.
So Brandon accepted Mary's invitation and went to Mary's dance, but his ing made for him an enemy of the t powerful nobleman in the realm,

nd this was the way of it: These parties of Mary's had been going on once or twice a week during the entire winter and spring, and usually included the same persons. It was a bort of coterie, whose members were more or less congenial and most of them sery jealous of interlopers. Strange as it may seem, uninvited persons often attempted to force themselves in, and all sorts of schemes and maneuvers were adopted to gain admission. To prevent this two guardsmen with halberds were stationed at the door. Modesty, I might say, neither thrives hor is useful at court. ng on once or twice a week during the

When Brandon presented himself at the door, his entrance was barred, but he quickly pushed aside the halberds and entered. The Duke of Buckingham, a proud, self important individual, was standing near the door and saw it all. Now, Buckingham was one of those unfortunate persons who ever lose an opportunity to make a stake, and, being anxious to display his zeal on behalf of the princess, stepped up to prevent Brandon's entrance. Sir, you will have to move out of this," he said pompously. "You are not at a jousting bout. You have made mistake and have come to the wrong

to make rather more of an ass of himself than usual this evening," replied Brandon, with a smile, as he started ss the room to Mary, whose eye e had caught. She had seen and heard It all, but instead of coming to his re-tief stood there laughing to herself. At this Buckingham grew furious and ran around ahead of Brandon, valiant-

Now, by heaven, fellow, make but anther step, and I will rua you through!"

I saw it all, but could hardly realize what was going on, it came so quickly and was over so soon. Like a flash ndon's sword was out of its sheath and Buckingham's blade was flying toward the ceiling. Brandon's sword was sheathed again so quickly that one ld hardly believe it had been out tall, and, picking up Buckingham's, he said with a half smothered laugh, "My lord has dropped his sword." He then broke its point with his heel against the hard floor, saying, "I will duil the point lest my lord, being unactuationed to its use, wound himself."
This brought peals of laughter from everybody, including the king. Mary laughed also, but, as Brandon

but clung to the girl's skirts all the more tenaciously. Turning to Brandon,

"Master Brandon, I am glad to see you, and regret exceedingly that our friend of Buckingham should so thirst for your blood." She then led him to the king and queen, to whom he made his bow, and the pair continued their walk about the room. Mary again alluded to the skirmish at the door and

"I would have come to your help, but her escritoire. Soon she picked it up. I knew you were amply able to take care of yourself. I was sure you would worst the duke in some way. It was better than a mummery, and I was glad

to see it. I do not like him." The king did not open these private balls, as he was supposed at least not to be their patron, and the queen, who was considerably older than Henry, was averse to such things. So the prin cess opened her own balls, dancing for a few minutes, with the floor entirely and threw it upon the floor, stamping to herself and partner. It was the honor of the evening to open the ball with room back of a group of people and was talking to Wolsey—who was always very friendly to him—and to Mas-Mary had drifted into a corner of the ter Cavendish, a quaint, quiet, easy lit-tle man, full of learning and kindness, and a warm friend to the Princess

> It was time to open the ball, and from my place in the musicians' gallery I could see Mary moving about among the guests, evidently looking for a partner, while the men resorted to some very transparent and amusing expedients to attract her attention. The princess, however, took none of tha bidders, and soon, I noticed, she espica Brandon standing in the corner with

> Something told me she was going to ask him to open the dance, and I regretted it, because I knew it would set every nobleman in the house against him, they being very jealous of the "lowborn favorites," as they called the untitled friends of royalty. Sure enough. I was right. Mary at once began to make her way over to the corner, and I heard her say, "Master Bran-

don, will you dance with me?" It was done prettily. The whole girl changed as soon as she found herself in front of him. In place of the old time confidence, strongly tinged with arrogance, she was almost shy, and blushed and stammered with quick coming breath, like a burgher maid before her new found gallant. At once the court-lers made way for her, and out she walked, leading Brandon by the hand. Upon her lips and in her eyes was a "Look at this handsome new trophy of my bow and spear."

I was surprised and alarmed when Mary chose Brandon, but when I turned to the musicians to direct their play imagine, if you can, my surprise when the leader said:

"Master, we have our orders for the first dance from the princess." Imagine also, if you can, my double surprise and alarm—nay, almost my terror—when the band struck up Jane's "Sailor Lass." I saw the look of surprise and inquiry which Brandon gave ed to appear more truthful than he Mary, standing there demurely by his side, when he first heard the music, and I heard her nervous little laugh as she nodded her head, "Yes," and stepped closer to him to take position for the dance. The next moment she was in Brandon's arms, flying like a sylph ment and delight greeted them before they were balf way around and then a great clapping of hands, in which the sight, although I think a graceful woman is more beautiful in La Galliard than any other dance or, in fact, any other situation in which she can place

ess of Kent, first lady in waiting to the queen, presented herself at the musicians' gallery and said that her majesty had ordered the music stopped, and the musicians, of course, ceased playing at once. Mary thereupon turned quickly to me.

"Master, are our musicians weary that they stop before we are through?" The queen answered for me in a high voiced Spanish accent: "I ordered the music stopped. I will not permit such an indecent exhibition to go on longer."
Fire sprang to Mary's eyes and she exclaimed: "If your majesty does not like the way we do and dance at my balls, you can retire as soon as you see fit. Your face is a kill-mirth anyway." It never took long to rouse her

ladyship. The queen turned to Henry, who was laughing, and angrily demanded: "Will your majesty permit me to be thus insulted in your very presence?" "You got yourself into it. Get out of it as best you can. I have often told you to let her alone. She has sharp claws." The king was really tired of Catherine's sour frown before he married her. It was her dower of Spanish gold that brought her a second Tudor

instruction. The king asked Brandon to teach him the steps, which he soon learned to perform with a grace per-haps equaled by no living creature othor an a fat brown bear. The ladies were at first a little shy and inclined to stand at arm's length, but Mary had set the fashion and the others soon followed. I had taken a fiddler to my room and had learned the dance from Brandos and was able to teach it also, though I lacked practice to make my step perfect. The princess had needed no practice, but had danced beautifully from the first, her strong young limbs and supple body taking as nat-

urally to anything requiring grace of movement as a cygnet to water. This, thought I, is my apportunity to teach Jane the new dance. I wanted to go to her first, but was afraid, or for some reason did not, and took several other ladies as they came. After I had shown the step to them I sought out my sweetheart. Jane was not a prude, but I honestly believe she was the most provoking girl that ever lived.

I never had succeeded in holding her hand even the smallest part of an instant, and yet I was sure she liked me very much-almost sure she loved me. She feared I might unhinge it and carry it away, or something of that sort, I suppose. When I went up and asked

her to let me teach her the new dance, "I thank you, Edwin, but there are others who are more anxious to learn than I, and you had better teach them

"But I want to teach you When I wish to teach them, I will go to them." "You did go to several others before you thought of coming to me," answered Jane, pretending to be piqued. Now, that was the unkindest thing I ever knew a girl to do—refuse me what she knew I so wanted and then put the reher, and quite curious to see how men put themselves in her way and stood on as to be easily observed and, person as to be easily observed and p k and corner wherever I go or have chance, chosen. Brandon after leaving too far and that I was growing angry Sept 12—Sch Aldine, 209, Care

> dance before so large a company. I should not object so much if no one else could see—that is, with you, Edwin." "Edwin!" Oh, so soft and sweet! The little jade! To think that she could hoodwink me so easily and talk me into a good humor with her soft, purring "Edwin" I saw through it all quickly enough and left her without another word. In a few minutes she went into an adjoining room where I knew she was alone. The door was open, and the music could be heard there, so I for Stamford. followed.

wish." said I. She saw she was cornered, and replied, with a toss of her saucy little head, "But what if I do not wish?"

Now, this was more than I could endure with patience, so I answered, "My young lady, you shall ask me before I "There are others who can dance it

much better than you," she returned, without looking at me. "If you allow another to teach you that dance," I responded, "you will have seen the last of me." She had made me angry, and I did not speak to her for more than a week. When I did—but I will tell you of that later on. The evening was devoted to learning the new dance, and I saw Mary busily engaged imparting information among the ladies. As we were about to disperse I heard her say to Brandon:
"You have greatly pleased the king by bringing him a new amusement. He asked me where I learned it, and I told him you had taught it to Caskoden and that I had it from him. I told

"Oh, but that is not true. Don't you think you should have told him the truth or have evaded it in some way?" asked Brandon, who was really a great lover of the truth, "when possible," but who, I fear, on this occasion wished to appear more truthful than he

Caskoden so that he can tell the same



"But what if I do not wish?" taste and she is inclined to him, he lays up great stores in her heart by making her think him good, and shame

ful impositions are often practiced to Mary flushed a little and answered: "I can't help it. You do not know. Had I told Henry that we four had enjoyed such a famous time in my rooms he would have been very angry, and-and-you might have been the sufferer."

"But might you not have compr truth some way and leaving the impression that others were of the party that evening?"

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Bktn Eva Lynch, Hatfield, for New here. I can teach you now, if no one to see us Sch Abbie and Eva. Hooper, Olsen, CARLETON BAND for City Island f o. Cosstwise—Str Aurora, Ingersoil, for Campobello; sch Clara A Benner, Phinney, for Back Bay.

derry.

Cld Sept 2, soh E Webster, Maxwell, for Philadelphia; tirig Speed, Christiansen, for Connah's Quay.

CAMPBELLITON—Ard Sept 8, str Concordia, Black, from Greenock.
Cld 1st, bark Morma, Albersen, for Menal Bridge; 9th, bgt Oakhurst, Marcurser, for Montevideo.

HILLSBORO—Ard Sept 9, str Edna, Meidell, from Newark.

Wells; lemonade booth, Mss. Alfred Belyea.

The prize winners in last night's contest were: Air gun No. 2, Samuel Sewell; bowling ailey. Len. Lord; bean toss, Len. Lord; McGinty family, Fred Ring; door prize, holder of ticket No. 652. Meidell, from Newark.

MONCTON-Ard Sept 11, sch Irene,

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nia, for Sydney, C B.

BROW HEAD, Sept 11—Passed, str.

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BOSTON, Sept 12-Ard, strs Cestrian, FARMER PILOT RAN from Liverpool; Montevidean, from Glasgow; Boston, from Yarmouth, NS; schs Oriole, from River Hebert, N S; Temperance Bell, from St John, N B; Genevieve, from do; John Proctor, from Philadelphia; Charlotte W Miller, from Albany; Marcia Bailey, from Machias;

BOOTHBAY HARBOR, Me, Sept 12

—Ard, schs S Sawyer, from Port Liberty; Pemaquid, from Portland, Me;

Three Sisters from St. Lohn, M. P. Three Sisters, from St John, N B.

HAVRE, Sept 12—Ard, str Gulf of Ancud, from St John, N B, and Haliwhere she again took bottom, but this

Bucks Harbor, Me; Brigadier, from protest. Stonington, Me; Thomas H Lawrence, from do; Almeda A Willey, from Mus- PREFERRED MARRIAGE TO JAIL.

irty, from Rockport, Mass; Julia and Martha, from Calais; Lanie Cobb, from do; Henry Henry Hutton, from Bangor; Spartel, from Demisville, Me; Empress, from Rockland, Me; Sarah A Reed, from New Bedfard; Emily S Baymore, from Laneville, Me, for Phil-

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BUENOS AYRES, Sept 11—Ard, barks Argentina, from Yarmouth, NS; Mabel L Meyers, from Boston. MAMBURG, Sept 9-Sld, bark Mag

PORTLAND, Me, Sept 12-Ard, U S coast survey str Bache, from cruising; U S revenue cutter Woodbury, from oruising; str St Croix, Thompson, from St John, NB, for Boston, and sid; schs Mineola, Stanley, from Portsmouth; J W Belano, Wilson, from Jacksonville; Marcus Edwards, from Bangor for New York: Metamora, Davis, from New

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, Sept 12 -Ard, schs Jacob S Winslow, from Philadelphia for Portland; C A Sproul, from Port Reading for Kennebunk port; J S Lamprey, from South Amboy for Rockland; Jennie A Stubbs, from Edgewater for Chelsea; Rosa Mueller, from South Ambov for Booth-bay; Hattle H Barbour, from do for Bar Harbor; Lizzie D Small, from Port Johnson for Bangor; J L Colwell, from Port Reading for Fredericton, NB; Donzella, from Elizabethport for Lunenburg, NS; B B Hardwick, from igewater for Digby, NS; Annie Bliss, from New York, bound east: Scotia Queen, from do for Canning, NS; Lizzie Lane, from Bangor for New York; Silver Leaf, from Diligent River, NS, for do; Frank and Ira, from St John for New Bedford; Bradford C French, from Hilsboro for Chester, Pa; L A Stewart, from Calais, to discharge

here and Roslyn, NY. Shipping News. Battle liner Trebia arrived at Sharp-ness, England, yesterday from West

Str Calvin Austin, 2,500, June, Battle liner Fyuna Sand Soston, W G Lee, midse and pass, and John last evening for West Bay. John last evening for West Bay. Where she will inish heading. She will she have been proceed to Brow Head. Battle liner Pydna sailed from St Furness liner Evangeline sailed last evening for Halifax. West India liner Ocamo sailed for

Halifax yesterday afternoon. deals at Campbellton. Bark Nellie Troop will load lumber

Sailed.

Sept 12—Str Ocamo, Buchanan, for ed last evening in the Curling Rink, west Indies, etc, via Halifax.

The Carleton Cornet Band fair opened last evening in the Curling Rink, west end. The rink had been effectively trimmed with flags and bunting Domestic Ports.

HALIFAX, Sept 12—Ard, strs Amethyst, from New York; Sidly, from Liverpool via St Johns, NF; sch-Rothesay, from New York.

Sid, strs Rosatind, Ctark, for New York; Silvia, Farrell, for St Johns, NF; Minia, for sea.

CHATHAM, NP—ard Sept 11, bark

ively trimmed with flags and bunting and presented a pretty appearance. The band's programme was one that was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Among the value attractions were: No. 1 air gun alley, with John Carlson, NF; Minia, for sea.

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RUNCORN, Sept 11—Sld, bark Avonia, for Sydney, C B.

BROW HEAD, Sept 11—Sld, bark Avonia bridge of the city electric light station.

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laughed also, but, as Brandon was bending Buckingham his blade, came in pand demanded:

"My lerd, is this the way you take it means yourself to receive my guests? Who appointed you, let me ask, to appointed you, let me ask, to appointed you name from our next list unless your name from our next list unless you take a few lessons in good manners." This was striking him hard, and the quality of the man will at once

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MONCTON, Sept. 12—Bud J. A. Taylor, a popular traveller for the Sumner Company, Moncton, was marked
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