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HEFFERNAN BROTHERS, BRITANNIA HOUSE, GUELPH.

Guelph Evening Mercury

SATURDAY EVENING, JULY 13, 1872

The Foster Brother;

OR—
The Orphan of the Wreck.

CHAPTER VII.

KENNETH MAINTAINS HIS RIGHT—THE MYSTERIOUS VISITOR AT THE LUNATIC ASYLUM.

"Ahem! may I inquire, my dear doctor, if the poor man's friends have made inquiries after him?" said Jones, as they moved along.

"His friends have not been heard of. Nothing has been discovered to lead to the knowledge of who he is. The parochial authorities, who are charged with the burden of his maintenance, have made every inquiry in Jamaica, from where the Eglantine sailed, but without finding the least trace of him. It is thought that he was the attendant or servant of the child, and its mother who was drowned; but the inquiries about the lady and the child have been as fruitless—nothing whatever can be learned concerning them.

"Dear me, how distressing, how mysterious," sighed Mr. Jones Sweetbread, in a concerned tone. "Is—is the child not old enough to tell anything?"

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"Walley—Walley" repeated Jonas, reflectively; "what can that mean?"

"Of course we cannot tell; but that is the name he goes under here. This way, please."

Having now entered the building, they proceeded along passages, up staircases, till at length they came to a room the door of which stood ajar, and pushing this open, they passed into the interior—a small apartment barely furnished, but light and well ventilated. Jonas did not show much elasticity in following the doctor into the room; he rather hung back a little and hesitated, and carefully raised the folds of his comforter, and drew down the brim of his hat till his face was nearly concealed. Then he slowly and cautiously advanced, and peered behind the doctor at the inmate of the cell as if fearing to attract his notice.

If such was his fear, it was needless. In a corner, on a low stool, sat the maniac, in the same crouching attitude in which Kenneth had found him on the rocks, holding the bundle on his knee, and his body bent over it, as if holding it from harm. The entrance of the doctor and his companion never disturbed him; his wild, restless eyes sometimes ranged round the room, but they fixed themselves on nothing, and sometimes his lips moved rapidly and uttered inarticulate sounds.

Jonas looked at him keenly in silence for the space of two minutes, during which time it might have been noticed that he breathed quickly, so eager and intent was his gaze.

"Thank you, doctor—a thousand thanks, I shall go now," he whispered, and quitted the room in greater haste than when he entered it.

An interesting case, isn't it, Mr. Sweetbread?" remarked the doctor, as he piloted the way out.

"Very interesting," replied Jonas. "I was—really I was quite overcome at the sight—at the awful change on him—I mean that must have come upon him, to turn him into a being like that. His hair is white, too."

"That is the result of the fright," said the doctor. "The hours of horror he endured before his reason went, white-washed his hair. That result is not uncommon, and the process can be explained."

"And, doctor," returned Jonas, pausing all of a sudden in one of the passages, and coming to a stand opposite a window in such a way that the light shone full in the doctor's face, while his own was in the shadow, "is it your opinion that his reason will return to him?"

"Well, you know," answered the doctor, stroking his chin and looking circumspectly at the patient, "it is impossible to speak with certainty. He is a strong and a healthy man physically, and so long as his bodily health keeps good I have no hope that he will become rational. But should he have a severe illness—a fever for instance—the crisis might produce such a nervous reaction as would bring back the balance. There is just a possibility, a bare possibility."

"And would his memory return?" asked Jonas, quickly. "Would he remember his former life—the wreck, and all the matters before it?"

"Yes, with singular vividness. In fact though years should elapse, his consciousness would return at the point where it left him. The intervening years would be a total blank, and the wreck and all the matters before it would be present in his mind as if not a moment had passed since."

"You don't say so?" ejaculated Jonas.

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