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HANKERING AFTER SANDWICHES.

 $JONA\,THA\,N.-$ " I'd like to 'annex' that colored person's property!"

Love Letter Writing Under Difficulties Continued.

When I received your note, my lass,
The nicht afore yestreen,
I quickly flew and lit the gas,
And on it placed my een;
But sad was I when I beheld,
The strain in which you wrote
To weep, it often me compelled,
My heart was in my throat.

Ye really think I ha'e gane gate!
Fie Lizzie, fie for shame!
It's bad in you to think me quite
As much as that to blame.
I never thocht that you would try,
Tae quench the flame o' love,
Within my breits, since I wad die,
For you, my bonnie dove.

For you, my counte dove,

But let me read a few lines mair,

Ye'll maybe change your tune.

An'ease my heart, noo sad an' sair,

As I get farther doon.

That's better! Ah, that's better lass!

Your like yourse! again.

I'll let the first twa verses pass,

My doo, my duck, my hen!

Whene'er I read them ower I'll say, Ye wrote them jist for fun, Tae mak' the saut and burnin' tears, Adoon my cheeks the run. And then brocht in the horrid strain, Tae chase my grief awa', Tae ease my heart frae pangs o' pain, An' dry the tears that fa'.

An dry the tears that is.

You'll fin' my photograph enclosed,
An' tae the life it's true,
My cheeks through being much exposed,
Have caught the rose's hue.
My brow is as the lily white,
An' azure is my e'e,
Each feature you'll remember quite
As this bit card you see.

I haena muckle changed, my dear, Since last you saw my face, Afore you left this city here, For that far distant place. I've grown mair manly tae view; My love for you mair strong; The fair moustache aboot my mou, Mair beautifu' an lang.

Mair beautili an lang.

My love, I here may tell you, Liz.,
Is tender, strong, an' true,
Tis burnin' as Mount Etna is.
Like it, 'twill ne'er be through.
Though some's love is like powder's flame,
A flash, and then 'tis o'er,
My love is evermore the same,
The same for ever more

Sae noo my bonnie, sonsie lass,
I ask you in this rhyme—
And things hae cam' tae sic' a pass,
I ask for the last time—

If you will leave your parents dear, An' cast your lot wi' me? You wad my sad heart daily cheer, An' I wad comfort thee.

An' swat comfort thee.

No write me by return o' mail
An' say that you'll mine.
The happy tidings will I hail,
WI joy my face shall shine!
I'll wait wi' patience till I hear,
What you hae got tae say,
In answer tae this screed, my dear
Your own true lover

LIZZIE'S REPLY NUMBER TWO.

A.

Rap tap, rap tap upon the door, I heard the postman's knock. And quickly skipped across the floor An 'turned the willing lock. He placed a letter in my han', 'The seal I broke wi' speed; I gied the signature a scan, An' syne began tae read.

An' when I read it line by line,
I started it anew,
The words tae me seemed mair divine,
Each time as I got through.
An' thus I've learned it a' by heart,
An' daily will repeat,
The words that could such joy impart
Are mair than honey sweet.

An' may Venus me inquire,
While here I mak' reply,
This is my deep heartfelt desire,
My earnest prayer an' cry.
May she inspire the words I write,
As well she can I know,
An' humble thanks I will indite
To her, for doing so.

Your photograph I dearly love, It's very nice indeed; Your very thoughts come tae my voice, As I each feature read; Your mou'still wears the wining smile, Your mou'still wears the wining smile, Your e'e the loving leer, Not even a single trace o'guile, Aboot you doth appear.

This true ye have a manlier look,
Than when I saw you last,
Within yon sweetly shaded nook,
Where Carman's burn flows past.
Where aft as e'en oor wreaths we wove
O' blue and heather bells,
When each kiss was a treasure trove,
And love was magic spells.

I'm glad tac hear your love is strong, And evermore the same, As your love, so shall mine be—long, I score a fitful flame
That burns as doth the noon-day sun, An' cools doon in a trice, Afore its rays hae richt begun, Such love were best named vice.

And as ye ask me tae become
Your ain leal, loving wife.
Throughoot the years that are tae sum
Up oor bit spell o' life.
I'm willing tae be joined tae you,
Your happiness tae share.
Oor griefs an' pains will then be few,
Love lichtens every care.

l'il leave this place to-morrow week, I'il leave my parents dear,
Oor tales o' love we then can speak,
Into ench ither's ear.
A motto I will keep my lad,
Inscribed upon my heart,
And should I c'er be dull or sad,
Much comfort twice impart.

Tis this, "United we shall stand,
As rocky mountains sure,
But minus matrimonial band,
We cannol long endure."
Make this your motto too, dear A.,
And we shall happy be,
Meantime that's all I've got to say,
Yours ever,
L. E. G. L. E. G.



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TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endoted "Tender for Port Credit Lighthouse," will be recived at Ottawa, up to the fifth September next, for the construction of a Timber Block, surmounted by a woods Lighthouse Tower, at the outer end of the north brainwater pier at Port Credit, County of Peel, Ontario. Plans and Specifications can be seen, and forms often of the procured by intending contractors, at this Department, here, and at the office of the Collector of Customs Port Credit, at the Steamboat Inspector's Office. Toronto. The Department does not bind itself to accept the lessest or any tender.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque of a Canadian Bank, equal to five for end, when which will be forfeited the party declines to enter into a contract. If the tender is not accepted the cheque will be returned.

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