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CALENDAR FOR FEBRUARY, 1883.

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SULLIVAN & MACNEILL, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW.

Solicitors in Chancery.

NOTARIES PUBLIC, &c.

OFFICES: O'Halloran's Building, Great George Street, Charlottetown.

W. W. SULLIVAN, Q. C. | CHARLES B. MACNEILL.

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DR. CREAMER, Physician & Surgeon.

KENT STREET, CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. ISLAND.

Patients attended to at all hours. — no 15

McLeod & Morson, BARRISTERS & ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW.

Solicitors, Notaries Public, &c.

OFFICES: Reform Club Committee Room, opposite Post Office, Charlottetown, P. E. Island.

MONEY TO LOAN on good security, at moderate interest.

W. A. O. MORSON, Nov. 24, 1882.

HICKEY & STEWART, MANUFACTURERS OF

Chewing and Smoking TOBACCO.

No. 1 Queen St., Charlottetown.

P. E. ISLAND.

Nov. 8, 1882.

GEO. P. TANTON, Practical Photographer

(Established 1849.)

With an Experience of over 30 years

PICTURES WELL TRIED AND PROVED GENUINE.

Every variety of PHOTOGRAPHIC WORK done in the Latest Styles.

Give us a call. Old Stand, —

78 Great George Street, Charlottetown.

Nov. 8, 1882.

WADDELL & SON, Tinsmiths, Gasfitters, &c.

HAVE REMOVED TO WATER STREET.

Opposite Merchants' Bank,

where they are prepared to furnish everything in their line of business at moderate prices to all their old customers, and as many new ones as will favor them with their patronage.

WADDELL & SON, Charlottetown, Nov. 15, 1882.

A. McNEILL, Auctioneer and Commission Merchant.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. ISLAND.

AUCTION SALES of Real Estate, Bankrupt Stock, Furniture, &c., attended to on moderate terms.

Nov 15

P. A. HUGHES, CABINET MAKER.

CORNER OF POWELL AND CRAFTON STREETS,

NEAR THE FISH MARKET, Charlottetown, - P. E. I.

All kinds of Household Furniture made to order, of the latest styles, cheap and good.

The strictest attention given to the Undertaking department. Charges moderate.

Lorne Restaurant

—AND—

TOBACCO

—AND—

CIGAR STORE.

WATER STREET,

Charlottetown, P. E. Island.

This is the only first class Oyster and Refreshment Saloon in the Province.

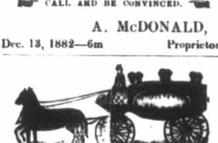
Oysters on the Half Shell a Specialty.

Meerschaum and Briar Pipes, Tobacco, Cigars (imported and domestic), Cigar cases, and a full line of Smokers' Goods always on hand.

CALL AND BE CONVINCED.

A. McDONALD, Proprietor.

Dec. 13, 1882—6m



M. HENNESSY, Furniture Dealer.

No. 36 Great George Street, P. E. ISLAND.

Good Furniture made to order at Cheapest Rates. All orders filled promptly.

62 Undertaking attended to in all its branches, in town or country. — no 15

HARVIE'S BOOKSTORE, QUEEN STREET.

You will find the Cheapest

SCHOOL BOOKS, PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS,

Prayer Books, Hymn Books,

PENS, PENCILS,

Rubber, Ink, Book Marks, Cards, Toys, &c., &c.

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE:

48 QUEEN STREET, CHARLOTTETOWN.

Nov. 8, 1882.

REMOVED.

THE subscriber having removed from 1 Powell Street to Richmond Street, nearly opposite the store of Messrs. Fowle & Darnach, he is prepared to attend to his old customers and as many new ones as may patronize him.

Books and Shoes on hand and made to order.

For stock, style and workmanship he can compete with any other in the trade.

JOHN McNAUGHAN, Boot and Shoemaker.

Nov. 23, 1882.

DR. CONROY

Has Removed his Office and Residence to MUTON'S BUILDING,

Lower Great George Street,

OPPOSITE EXAMINER OFFICE.

Charlottetown, Nov. 15, 1882—6m

Charles McQuillen, Boot and Shoe Maker.

POWELL STREET,

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. ISLAND

The best of material and good workmanship guaranteed. All orders promptly attended to.

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FURNITURE

Call and Examine Our Stock of

Parlor, Drawing Room, Chamber,

AND

Dining Room FURNITURE.

Looking Glasses and Mirrors.

PICTURE FRAMES,

in Gilt, Walnut and Fancy Moulding.

Window Furniture, Bedding, Mattresses, &c.

GREAT BARGAINS.

JOHN NEWSON.

Nov. 22, 1882.

Steel Violin Strings.

—ALSO—

Cat-Gut Strings in Great Variety,

At FLETCHER'S MUSIC STORE

Sign of the "Big Fiddle," Queen St.

Jan 17—1 yr

BAZAAR.

THE Members of the Ladies' Hospital Committee intend holding a Bazaar on the 10th inst., in aid of the City Hospital, and contributions will be thankfully received by the following Ladies:—

Mrs. Foss, President.

Mrs. Conolly, Mrs. J. Longworth,

Mrs. Caven, Miss Hensley,

D. O'M. Reddin, M. Macleod,

Heaton, Mrs. G. C. Gardiner,

M. Blake, Bagnall,

Haskirk, R. B. Peake,

L. H. Davies, Strickland,

Geo. Davies, Miss M. Palmer,

Geo. Macleod, K. Wright.

MRS. MALCOLM MACLEOD, Secretary.

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READ! READ!

The subscriber has been working the

Instantaneous Process for the Last 18 Months,

with the most wonderful success; and has

bought the sole right of the Lightning Process for all Queen's County for 17 years.

He is also sole licensee of the Carbon or Permanent Photographs (Patented) for 17 years.

W. G. MUGFORD, Sole Licensee of Lightning Process, Grafton Street, North of City Clock.

Dec. 13, 1882—3m

DANIEL GILLIS, Boot and Shoe Maker.

DESIRE to inform the public that he has opened the Shoe factory occupied by the late MICHAEL GREEN.

where he is prepared to attend to any work in his line at moderate prices.

REPAIRING promptly and neatly done, and all work guaranteed to give satisfaction.

jan10—3m pd

STOVE PIPE!

TO GET YOUR SUPPLY OF

Stove Pipe and Tinware,

At the shortest notice and of the best workmanship and material.

Customers for Retail or Wholesale orders are cordially invited to call and examine for themselves.

M. STEVENSON, Queen Street, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Nov. 8, 1882.

ATTENTION.

COOK & CO.

Having fitted up their Gallery with all the modern improvements, and having introduced the lightning process, by which

Pictures can be Made Instantaneously.

would respectfully call attention to their style and superior work in Photography.

Old Pictures copied and enlarged by the new process. Also colored in Oil or water in Ink.

Sittings artistically arranged by J. W. Swan, of Montreal.

Go to the right place.

Over the Apothecaries Hall, Charlottetown, Nov. 15, 1882—3m

Roman Intelligence.

At the new temporary Church of the Sacred Heart, the Feast of St. Francis de Sales was observed with great devotion, the church at High Mass and Vespers being too small to contain the crowds.

All the services were pontificated by members of the Sacred College of Cardinals, and the music sung by St. Peter's Choir, under the direction of St. Clement served by the Irish Dominicans, the Feast of St. Ignatius, Bishop of Antioch, was kept on the 1st February, when the original church was illuminated and visited by hundreds of people.

At the grand ceremony of the feast, which took place in St. Peter's, perhaps the one which attracts most strangers to that which took place recently, when the solemn blessing and procession of candles took place, and at all places St. Peter's is most fitted for a solemn procession, not only on account of its vastness, but also for its surroundings, and this occasion was not an exception to the rule.

Cardinal Howard, Archbishop of the Basilica, assisted in the morning, Vespers being sung by one of the canons.

On this day also, as exposed, on one of the altars of the little Church of St. James, near the Basilica of St. Peter's, a piece of the altar upon which Our Lord was presented to the old prophet Simeon. This relic was brought to Rome in the fourth century by St. Helen. It bears the following inscription of the sixteenth century:—

"The lapis est in quo natus tempore obdormi- cium more Hebrorum Virgo Maria sum."

The Holy Father said Mass in his private chapel on the feast of the Purification. Several families, both Italian and foreign, were admitted. At midday, surrounded by his noble court, the Pontiff received in audience the deputations from the various Bishops, parish priests, superiors, and Procurators-general of the Religious Corporations, the heads of colleges, and others who had come, according to an ancient custom, to offer to the Holy Father wax candles of large size and variously painted. These candles, having been blessed, will be given by the Holy Father to the Diplo- matic Corps and Holy See.

At 2 p.m. the Holy Father, accompanied by his cardinals, and to other parishes and religious communities. His Holiness has also received in private audiences Count and Countess de Merode, with their son and his bride, the Abbot of Monte Cassino, Pere Feary of St. Salpice, Mr. Racine, Bishop of Chicoutimi, Canada, Mgr. La Borde, Bishop of Blois, and many others.

By the Congregation of the Propaganda, the Pope has nominated Mgr. Richter, of Cincinnati, to the Bishopric of the Grand Rapids, U. S. A.

At the same time, the Holy Father, in Charlottetown, retaining in administration the Vicariate of North Carolina. His Holiness received with pleasure the news that the Government had granted the title of Monsignor to the Bishop of Soerem and Parma; the latter took solemn possession of his diocese on the 25th January, and was received with great honors by the Holy Father.

The wife of the Spanish Ambassador to the Holy See, Madame Grouzard, has received the honor from King Alfonso of being enrolled among the Noble Ladies of the Order of Maria Louise.

The correspondence between the Holy Father and the German Emperor appears to have been of a less formal character than was at first supposed. The following is the text of the letter which His Majesty addressed to Leo XIII. on the occasion of a reunion of the Holy Laws:—"I beg to thank Your Holiness for the letter which you addressed to me, and I heartily return the good wishes to which you therein gave expression. It strengthens me in the hope that the satisfaction felt by me by Your Holiness, at the establishment and activity of my mission (at the Vatican), will furnish me with a fresh reason for seeking, by a corresponding advance, to reply to the conciliatory steps hitherto taken by my Government, which have made it possible for most of the (Prussian) episcopates to be re-occupied. I am of opinion that such an advance, were it to be made in the matter of the pre-ordination of clerical appointments (to the States), would mean more to the party of the Catholic Church than to that of the State, as rendering it possible for the vacancies which have occurred in the service of the Church to be filled up. If by an advance of the clergy in this respect, I could arrive at the conviction that the readiness to effect a rapprochement were mutual, I would thus be able to countenance the reconsecration, by the laying of a less formal character, in consideration of the Emperor-King's letter, to His Holiness the Vicar of Christ, and his friends will refrain from bringing forward their contemplated motion for the repeal of one of the most stringent of the May decrees, called the expatriation law. The publication of the letter was certainly public, as Dr. Windhorst and his party have no inconsiderable weight in the Reichstag, if reports speak truly. The comments of the German press are also instructive. For instance, in the *Zugbote*, in calling attention to the conciliatory sentiments expressed by the Emperor, expresses the opinion that it would not have been proper to have taken upon the coalition of law and fact, and that, in the purpose of exacting the fulfillment of the duty of notifying ecclesiastical appointments to the Government. The Ger-

The Beauty of Christian Virtues.

The distinction between vice and virtue has been carefully marked by profane as well as by sacred writers. Philosophy and practical experience have revealed to the world the necessity of the evil effects resulting from the corruption created by the indulgence of our passions, and the wisdom of cultivating and practicing a virtuous life.

Perhaps among all the virtues, the most noble and the most difficult to practice is that of humility. It is the virtue that brings us down to earth and lifts us up to heaven. It is the virtue that makes us aware of our own weakness and dependence on God. It is the virtue that makes us patient and forgiving towards others. It is the virtue that makes us content with our lot and grateful for the blessings of God.

Humility is the foundation of all other virtues. Without it, we cannot have true love, true faith, true hope, true charity, true courage, true patience, true gentleness, true kindness, true meekness, true self-control, true purity, true peace, true joy, true peace, true joy, true peace, true joy.

Let us, therefore, cultivate the beauty of Christian virtues, and we shall find the path to true happiness and eternal life.

St. Vincent de Paul Society.

In the current year, the great day of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will celebrate its *anniversary*, or golden jubilee. It would be happy to know what steps are being taken to mark this anniversary, but also to make it the epoch of a new departure of increased energy and renewed life.

That is the common sense view to be taken of all anniversaries of the kind, religious or secular. If they are not made the starting-points of a new progress, they had better not be celebrated. If the life and activity of a society are forgotten, we have no right to remember merely its traditions of glory and honor, beneath whose shade we can somnolently repose ourselves, that with the name we also possess the spirit of the past.

That the parent society in France is awake to the responsibility which rests on its members at this epoch, is very evident from the excellent advice which the President-General of the Society, M. Adolphe Baudouin, has addressed to his *confreres*, urging them to make an early and adequate preparation for this celebration next May. With characteristic modesty he submits a very elaborate plan, rather as a suggestion, calling for criticism and additions from his brethren, than as the basis of a perfected plan.

He indicates what may be accomplished, without prescribing what must be done.

Naturally, the first duty will be to give God formal thanks for the immense spiritual favors of which the Society has been the channel to the members themselves, no less than to the poor whom they have benefited. How great these are and have been, M. Baudouin indicates by quoting the recent words of an eminent Cardinal, who, in reply to an address from the Conference of his diocese, said to them:—"I am assured that no one will think me guilty of exaggeration, if I express my conviction that there are many souls now in heaven, who would not have entered it if the Society of St. Vincent de Paul had not existed." Weighty words, profoundly and truly encouraging.

In the next place, M. Baudouin wishes his brethren to remember their dead. The charity of the Brethren of St. Vincent de Paul puts out the fire of Purgatory, and writes extinguishing the flames, and it may wisely and well be exercised on this occasion for such a purpose.

A special distribution may also be profitably made to the poor on the relief of the Society, which they may share the joy of the Brothers.

M. Baudouin urges the Conferences to hold congresses at this period, to which the well-disposed, whether members of the Society or not, should be invited, to hear reports of the past work of the Society, either in its Local Conferences or in its general work. On the fruitful principle of the Communion of Saints, enables each of us to share, in a certain degree.

It is a time for new works. We want more "extraneous" Holy Families, Catholic libraries, and so forth. "Can't those be founded?" asks M. Baudouin. The President-General, when writing this, intended to refer to the work of St. Vincent de Paul, more real ground for hope and confidence in her future than in scores of the petty precautions against anarchists or imperialists, with which her ever-changing ministries, soule in years and puerile in practical experience, are amusing themselves and the world.—*Catholic Review*.

The Drinking Customs of Society.

We have been requested, by a friend, to publish the following important decisions, which have recently been given by dignitaries of the church, upon the drinking customs of social life. They are based on the teaching of the best Catholic Theologians, and should be attentively studied by all.—

Whoever drinks deliberately to such an extent as to lose his reason commits a mortal sin.

Whoever knows by past experience that when drunk he

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

Lombard, Feb. 21. Mr. Commons, Sir Herbert... The New Brunswick Government has been defeated in the Assembly.

London, Feb. 22. Mr. Hartington said the Government... The Catholic Church at River du Loup was destroyed by fire on Friday last.

London, Feb. 23. Mrs. Parnell said she desired to do as to... The Supreme Court opened at Georgetown yesterday.

New Advertisements.—In Store, F. T. Newbery... The Catholic Church at River du Loup was destroyed by fire on Friday last.

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The Markets.

Our latest Boston advices are of the 24th inst. and report... Flour is quoted at \$11 to \$12.50 for Mass and Extra No. 1.

The first House of Commons, in 1867, was composed of 181 members... The Act of last session provided for a further increase.

On the 27th inst., the wife of W. L. Cotton, of a daughter... MARRIED.

At Montagu, at the residence of H. W. Stevenson... At the residence of Mr. Edward Wray, Pleasant Grove.

At Lakeland, Nova Scotia, on Sunday, the 26th inst... At the residence of Mr. Edward Wray, Pleasant Grove.

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IN STORE.

Flour, "Kent Mills," (Patent Roller), "Crown Brand," (High Patent), Superior Extra.

Wholesale, Fenton T. Newbery, Charlottetown, Feb. 28, 1883.

\$40,000. FORTY THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF STAPLE & FANCY DRY GOODS.

CLOTHING, TO BE SOLD AT—J. B. MACDONALD'S, QUEEN STREET.

Having completed STOCK TAKING, I find I have an unusually large stock on hand.

WINTER GOODS, AT COST, J. B. MACDONALD'S, QUEEN STREET.

DRESS GOODS, In Cashmere, Black and Colored Cord and Laces.

CARPETS, In Brussels, Scotch Tapestry, Felt and Hemp.

SEEDS, CHOICE, FRESH AND RELIABLE, STEELE BROS. & CO.

Real Bargains WILL BE GIVEN, WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

J. B. MACDONALD, QUEEN STREET, Charlottetown, Feb. 28, 1883.

Clearing-Out Sale of Music and Music Books.

BREMNER BROS' BEING desirous of clearing out their present stock of Music before the end of March.

FANCY GOODS, will be disposed of at a discount of twenty-five per cent.

A Man Run Over! A man was driving up Prince Street, he jumped out of his sleigh and ran over to E. S. BONNELL & CO'S.

Gold and Silver Plating Done, The only first-class place in P. E. Island to get your Gold and Silver Plating done.

Sheriff's Sale, THE VERBODEN ENGINE WORKS Co. (Limited), HENRY S. GATES.

By virtue of a Writ of Statute Execution made and directed, issued out of Her Majesty's Supreme Court of Judicature.

ALL that tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Charlottetown, described and bounded as follows.

And I do hereby give Public Notice that I will on MONDAY, the 17th day of September next, A. D. 1883, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, in Charlottetown.

DOMINION.

Boot & Shoe Store, Extraordinary Value Given in all kinds of BOOTS, SHOES, RUBBERS, OVERSHOES, MOCCASINS, SLIPPERS, & C.

TO MAKE ROOM FOR SPRING GOODS, J. B. MACDONALD'S, QUEEN STREET.

WICKLOW & KILLARNBY, A LECTURE will be delivered by the Very Rev. D. McDonald, D. D., before the Catholic Literary Union, in St. Patrick's Hall, on Wednesday Evening, THE 28th INSTANT.

Subject—"Among the Mountains of Wicklow and Killarnby." Admission 10 cents; Reserved Seats, 15 cents.

JOHN A. MCINNIS, Secretary, February 21, 1883.

CHOICE, FRESH AND RELIABLE SEEDS, STEELE BROS. & CO., Seed Merchants, 106 BRIDGE ST., ONT.

Prince Edward Island FURNITURE WAREHOUSES, KENT STREET, Charlottetown, Feb. 28, 1883.

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THE Diamond Bookstore!

Stationery, Books, Toys, Fancy Goods, IS REMOVED TO Monaghan's New Brick Building, 59 QUEEN ST., QUEEN SQUARE.

THEO. L. CHAPPELLE, THE CENTRAL SAMPLE ROOMS ABOVE THE STORE ARE THE BEST IN THE CITY.

WINTER GOODS, REDUCED PRICES, JOHN MACPHEE & CO.

DRESS GOODS, KNIT WOOL GOODS & WINCRYS, A lot of Mantle and Ulster Cloths, Men's all wool Pants, \$1.90, \$2.25, \$2.45.

JOHN MACPHEE & CO., Are offering the following GOODS at greatly Reduced Prices.

Regular Traders! Prince Edward Island RAILWAY, Time Table No. 19.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT, To take effect on 29th Nov., 1882.

Trains Outward, (READ DOWN), Trains Inward, (READ UP).

Stovepipe! Stove Pipe! CHEAPER THAN EVER, CITY TIN STORE, Upper Queen Street.

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'Let nothing be mentioned out of doors, said he, of what has lately passed within the children in the east-apartment. The young gentlemen had not so much reason to be frightened as they apprehended. A piece of furniture fell down in the room underneath, which made the noise that alarmed them so much; but I can testify that all things in the room were quiet, and there is nothing to fear. All of you attend me in the chapel in an hour; do your duties, put your trust in God, and obey your lord, and you will find everything go right as it used to do.'

'They dispersed. The sun rose, the day came on, and everything went on in the usual course; but the servants were not so easily satisfied. They whispered that something was wrong, and expected the time that should set all right. The mind of the Baron was employed in meditating upon these circumstances, that seemed to him the fore-runners of some great event. He sometimes thought of Edmund; sighed for his expulsion; and lamented the uncertainty of his fate; but to his family he appeared easy and satisfied.

From the time of Edmund's departure, the fair Emma had many uneasy hours; she wished to inquire after him, but feared to show any solicitude concerning him. The next day, when her brother William came into her apartment, she took courage to ask a question.

'Pray, brother, can you give any guess what is become of Edmund?'

'No,' said he, with a sigh; 'why do you ask me?'

'Because, my dear William, I should think, if anybody knew, it must be you; and I thought he loved you too well to leave you in ignorance; but don't you think he left the castle in a very strange manner?'

'I do, my dear; there is a mystery in very circumstance of his departure; nevertheless I will trust you with a secret—he did not leave the castle without making a distinction in his favor.'

'I thought so,' said she; 'but you might tell me what you know about him.'

'Alas! my dear Emma, I know nothing. When I saw him last, he seemed a great deal affected, as if he were taking leave of me; and I had a foreboding that we parted for a longer time than usual.'

'Ah! so had I,' said she, 'when he parted from me in the garden.'

'What leave did he take of you, Emma? She blushed, and hesitated to tell him all that had passed between them; but he begged, persuaded, insisted; and at length, under the strongest injunctions of secrecy, she told him all.

Edmund's behavior, on that occasion, said William, 'was as mysterious as the rest of his conduct; but now you have revealed your secret, you have a right to know mine.'

He then gave her the letter he found on his pillow. She read it with great emotion. 'Saint Winifred assist me!' said she, 'what can I think? The peasant Edmund is no more, but there lives one—; that is, to my thinking, Edmund lives, but is no peasant.'

'Go on, my dear,' said William; 'I like your explanation.'

'Nay, brother, I only guess; but what think you?'

'I believe we think alike in that respect, that he meant to recommend no other person than himself to your favor; and, if he had him to a prince for a husband to my Emma.'

'Bless me,' said she, 'do you think it possible that he should be of either birth or fortune?'

'It is hard to say what is possible. We have proof that the east apartment is haunted; and, perhaps, his own fate may be involved in that of others. I am confident that what he saw or heard there was the cause of his departure. We must wait with patience the unravelling of this intricate affair. I believe I need not enjoin your secrecy as to what I have said; your heart will be my security.'

'What mean you, brother?'

'Don't affect ignorance, my dear; you love Edmund, so do I; it is nothing to be ashamed of. It would have been strange, if a girl of your good sense had not distinguished a swan among a flock of geese.'

'Dear William, don't let a word of this escape you; but you have taken a weight off my heart. You may depend that I will not disclose of my hand or heart, till I know the end of this affair.'

'Keep them for Edmund's friend,' said she. 'I shall rejoice to see him in a situation to ask them.'

'Hush! my brother; not a word more; I hear footsteps.'

They were her eldest brother, who came to ask Mr. William to ride out with him, which finished the conference.

The fair Emma, from this time, assumed an air of satisfaction; and William frequently stole away from his companions to talk with his sister upon their favorite subject.

Edmund was never weary of hearing the actions of this truly great man, nor Wyatt of relating them; and, during three days' journey, there were but few pauses in their conversation.

The fourth day, when they came within view of the house, Edmund's heart began to raise doubts of his reception.

'If,' said he, 'Sir Philip should not receive me kindly, if he should resent my long neglect, and disown my acquaintance, it would be no more than justice.'

He sent Wyatt before to notify his arrival to Sir Philip, while he waited at the gate, full of doubt and anxieties concerning his reception.

Wyatt was met and congratulated on his return by most of his fellow-servants. He asked:

'Where is my master?'

'Is he the peer?'

'Are any strangers with him?'

'No, only his own family.'

'Then I will show myself to him.'

He presented himself before Sir Philip.

'St. John,' said he, 'you are welcome home! I hope you left your parents and relations well.'

'All well, thank God! and send their humble duty to your honor, and they pray for you every day of their lives. I hope your honor is in good health.'

'Very well. Thank God for that!'

'But, sir, I have something further to tell you. I have had a companion all the way home, a person who comes to wait on your honor, on business of great consequence, as he says.'

'Who is that, John?'

'It is Master Edmund Tysford, from the castle of Lovel.'

'Young Edmund?' said Sir Philip, surprised. 'Where is he?'

'At the gate, sir.'

'Why did you leave him there?'

'Because he bade me come before, and acquaint your honor that he waits your pleasure.'

'Bring him hither,' said Sir Philip; 'tell him I shall be glad to see him.'

John made haste to deliver his message, and Edmund followed in silence into Sir Philip's presence. He bowed low, and kept at a distance.

Sir Philip held out his hand and bade him approach.

As he drew near he was seized with an unusual trembling; he knelt down, took his hand, kissed it, and pressed it to his heart in silence.

'You are welcome, young man!' said Sir Philip; 'take courage, and speak for yourself.'

Edmund sighed deeply. He at length broke silence with difficulty.

'I am come thus far, noble sir, to throw myself at your feet, and implore your protection. You are, under God, my only reliance.'

'I receive you,' said Sir Philip, 'with all my heart. Your person is greatly improved since I saw you last, and I hope your mind is equally so; I have heard a great character of you from some that knew you in France. I remember the promise I made you long ago, and I am ready now to fulfill it, upon condition that you have done nothing to disgrace the good opinion I formerly entertained of you; and am ready to serve you in anything consistent with my own honor, character, and situation.'

Edmund kissed the hand that was extended to raise him.

'I accept your favor, sir, upon this condition only; and if ever you find me to impose on your credulity, or encroach on your goodness, may you renounce me from that moment.'

'Enough,' said Sir Philip; 'rise, then, and let me embrace you; you are truly welcome.'

'Oh, noble sir,' said Edmund, 'I have a strange story to tell you; but it must be by ourselves, with only Heaven to bear witness to what passes between us.'

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'I want no refreshment,' said Edmund; 'and I cannot eat or drink till I have told my business to your honor.'

'Well, then,' said Sir Philip, 'come along with me.'

He took the youth by the hand, and led him into another parlor, leaving his friends in great surprise what this young man's errand could be. John Wyatt told them all that he had related to Edmund's birth, character, and situation.

When Sir Philip had seated the young friend, he listened in silence to the surprising tale he had to tell him. Edmund told him briefly the most remarkable circumstances of his life, from the time when he first saw and liked him, till his return from France; but from that era, he related at large everything that had happened, recounting every interesting particular, which was impressed on his memory in strong and lasting characters. Sir Philip grew every moment more affected by the recital; when Edmund related his dream, he breathed short, and seemed to devour him with attention; when he described the fatal closet, he trembled, sighed, sobbed, and was almost effronterd with his agitation; but when he related all that had passed between his supposed mother and himself, and finally produced the jewels, the proofs of his birth, and the death of his unfortunate mother, he flew to him, he pressed him to his bosom, he strove to speak, but speech was for some minutes denied. He wept aloud; and, at length, his words found their way in broken exclamations.

'Son of my dearest friend! dear and precious relic of a noble house! child of Providence! the beloved of Heaven! welcome! thrice welcome to my arms, to my heart! I will be thy parent from henceforth; and thou shalt be indeed my child, my heir! My mind told me, from the first moment I beheld thee, that thou wert the image of my friend! My heart then opened itself to receive thee, as his offspring. I had a strange foreboding that I was to be thy protector. I would then have made thee my own; but Heaven orders things for the best; it made thee the instrument of this discovery, and in its own time and man-

ner conducted thee to my arms. Praise be to God for His wonderful doings towards the children of men! Everything that has befallen thee is by His direction, and He will not leave his work unfinished. I trust that I shall be His instrument to do justice on the guilty, and to restore the orphan of my friend to his rights and title. I devote myself to this service, and will make it the business of my life to effect it.'

Edmund gave vent to his emotions, in raptures of joy and gratitude. They spent several hours in this way, without thinking of the time that had passed; the one enquiring, the other explaining and repeating, every particular of the interesting story.

At length they were interrupted by the careful John Wyatt, who was anxious to know if anything was likely to give trouble to his master.

'Sir,' said John, 'it grows dark, do you want a light?'

'We want no light but what Heaven gives us,' said Sir Philip; 'I know not whether it was dark or light.'

'I hope,' said John, 'nothing has happened. I hope your honor has heard no bad tidings;—I—I hope no offence.'

'None at all,' said the good knight. 'I am obliged for your solicitude for me. I have heard some things that, grieve me, and others that give me great pleasure; but the sorrows are past, and the joys remain.'

'Thank God,' said John, 'I was afraid something was the matter to give your honor trouble.'

'I thank you, my good servant! You see this young gentleman. I would have you, John, devote yourself to his service. I give you to him for an attendant on his person, and would have you show your affection to me by your attachment to him.'

'Oh, sir,' said John, in a melancholy voice, 'what have I done to be turned out of your service?'

'No such matter, John,' said Sir Philip; 'you will not leave my service.'

'Sir,' said John, 'I would rather die than leave you.'

'And my lad, I like you too well to part with you; but in serving my friend, you will serve me. Know that this young man is my son.'

'Your son, sir?' said John.

'Not my natural son, but my relation; my son by adoption, my heir.'

'And will he live with you, sir?'

'Yes, John; and I hope to die with him.'

'Oh, then, I will serve him with all my heart and soul; and I will do my best to please you both.'

'I thank you, John, and I will not forget your honest love and duty. I have so good an opinion of you, that I will tell you of some things concerning this gentleman that will be useful to you respect.'

'Be enough for me,' said John, 'to know that your honor respects him, to make me pay him as much duty as yourself.'

'But, John, when you know him better you will respect him still more; at present I shall only tell you what he is not, for you think him the only son of Andrew Tysford.'

'And is he not?' said John.

'No, but his wife married him, and he passed for her son.'

'And does old Tysford know it, sir?'

'He does, and will bear witness to it, but he is the son of a near friend of mine, of quality superior to my own, and, as such, you must serve and respect him.'

'I shall, to be sure, sir; but what shall I call him?'

'You shall know hereafter; in the meantime bring a light, and wait on us to the other parlor.'

When John withdrew, Sir Philip said: 'That is a point to be considered and determined on immediately. It is proper that you should assume a name till you can take that of your father, for I choose you should drop that of your foster-father; and I would have you be called by one that is respectable.'

'In that, and every other point, I will be wholly governed by you, sir,' said Edmund.

'Well, then, I will give you the name of Scargrove. I shall say you are a relation of my own; and my mother was really of that family.'

John soon returned, and attended them into the other parlor. Sir Philip entered with Edmund by the hand.

'My friends,' said he, 'this gentleman is Mr. Edmund Scargrove, the son of a dear friend and relation of mine; he was lost in his infancy, brought up by a good woman out of pure humanity, and is but lately restored to his own family. The circumstances shall be made known hereafter. In the meantime, I have taken him under my care and protection, and will use all my power and interest to see him restored to his fortune, which is enjoyed by the usurper who was the cause of his expulsion, and the death of his parents. Receive him as my relation and friend. Zedeky, do you embrace him first. Edmund, you and this gentleman must love each other for my sake; hereafter you will do it for your own.'

They all rose, each embraced and congratulated the young man. Zedeky said: 'Sir, whatever griefs and misfortunes you may have endured, you may reckon them at an end from the hour you are beloved and protected by Sir Philip Hareley.'

'I firmly believe it, sir,' replied Edmund; 'and my heart enjoys already more happiness than I ever yet felt, and promises me all that I can wish for future; his friendship is the earnest Heaven has given me of its blessings hereafter.'

They sat down to supper with mutual cheerfulness; and Edmund enjoyed the repast with more satisfaction than he had felt for a long time. Sir Philip saw his countenance brighten up, and looked on him with heartfelt pleasure.

'Everytime I look on you,' said he, 'reminds me of your father; you are the same person I loved twenty-three years ago. I rejoice to see you under my roof. Go to your repose early, and to-morrow we will consult further.'

Edmund withdrew, and enjoyed a night of sweet undisturbed repose.

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THE OLD BARON, OR THE CHAMPION OF VIRTUE.

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Father Oswald and Joseph went into the bed-room in the haunted apartment, and found everything quiet there. They put out the fire, extinguished the lights, locked the door, and brought away the key.

'I thought how it would be,' said Joseph, as they returned.

'Hush! not a word,' said Father Oswald; 'you find we are suspected of something, though they know not what. Wait till you are called upon, and then we will both speak to some purpose.'

They carried the key to the Baron.

'All is quiet in the apartment,' said Father Oswald, 'as we can testify.'

'Did you ask Joseph to go with you,' said the Baron, 'or did he offer himself?'

'My lord, I asked if anybody would go with me, and they all declined it; but he, I thought proper to have a witness beside myself, for whatever might be seen or heard.'

'Joseph, you were servant to the late Lord Lovel; what kind of a man was he?'

'A very comely man, please your lordship.'

'Should you know him if you were to see him?'

'I cannot say, my lord.'

'Would you have any objection to sleep a night in that apartment?'

'I beg—I hope—I beseech your lordship not to command me to do it!'

'You are then afraid. Why did you offer yourself to go thither?'

'Because I was not so much frightened as the rest.'

'I wish you would lie a night there; but I do not insist upon it.'

'My lord, I am a poor ignorant old man, and I fear much understanding. Besides, if I should see the ghost, and if it should tell me anything, would bid me keep it a secret, I should not dare to disclose it; and then what service should I do your lordship?'

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