

The Proud Lady of the Castle.

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'A curious place, to be sure,' said the young man, seating himself for a moment's rest on a fallen mass of brick-work overlaid with soft moss, and letting his horse meantime graze at his will from the rank growth of the courtyard. 'A very curious place. Looks as if no one had been here for a hundred years. I wonder whether this can be the haunted castle my uncle was speaking about only the other night? If so, he added I wish to goodness the spirits-lady would have the hospitality to welcome me to her domains, and offer me a drink of something this hot day. And as he took off his hunting cap to air his heated brow, his thoughts reverted lovingly to a certain glass tankard in his uncle's house which when filled with yellow Strasburg beer, was about as pleasant a sight to Kurt Von Stein as the world could well offer.

After a while the idea occurred to the young man that as chance had brought him to the castle, he might as well pay his respects to the owner of it whether she was a phantom or not.

A turret stair, broken and worn, was close at hand to the spot which he had chosen for a resting place. Twilight was beginning to fall as he reached the castle; now, suddenly, darkness seemed to have come, and as he mounted the winding turrene stairs he noticed that lights were already showing through many of the windows of what appeared to be a less ruinous part of the building than that by which he had entered.

'That is all right,' said Kurt to himself. 'I was wise to try my fortune here. A supper, or even a bed, would not come amiss to me, for I scarcely know how I shall find my way back to my uncle's house to-night. But at any rate I shall get some directions, and perhaps, if the people are not over hospitable, a guide home.'

So saying, he made his way up the stair-case and knocked at the door which was at the top of it. The door opened noisily, as though by an unseen hand, and admitted him into a long corridor, lighted and adorned with white marble statues. From this he passed into a suite of rooms hung with tapestry and strewn with freshly laid rushes, with a few carved settees and chests for furniture. Still he met no one.

Next he came into a great hall, on the walls of which hung a number of antique portraits, while in the centre of the apartment was a table spread as if for supper.

'This is very curious,' said Kurt to himself. 'Where can the family have gone to? However, one comfort is, they've got something to eat. I think I'll wait here and give them a chance of inviting me.'

So saying he sat down at one end of the table, which was laid for two persons. Scarcely had he done so when the door of the room opened noisily, and a lady, young and beautiful, but with a somewhat sad and pale face entered.

Kurt rose, and at once began to make apologies for his unwarrantable intrusion. The lady waved a white hand toward him and bade him to be seated. 'Say no more,' she said, in a sweet, sad voice. 'I expected you.'

There was evidently some mistake here thought Kurt, but as the mistake seemed to mean a good supper, he was not unwilling to fall into it. He at once took a seat at the table, and the lady took hers opposite him.

She was certainly very beautiful, he thought, as he looked again at her over the brimming wine cup. The wine, too, was excellent; so was the whole repast—at which the lady waited upon him with her own fair hands—the only peculiarity about it being that neither bread nor salt was to be found upon the table, but Kurt Von Stein was too much of a gentleman to notice the omission, though he certainly enjoyed his supper the less by reason of their absence.

At length the young man ventured to ask one or two questions of this kindly hostess. 'May I enquire,' he said, 'are you, fair lady, the daughter of this house?'

'Yes,' was the answer, given, as it seemed, sadly and low.

'And your parents?'

'They are there,' said the lady, pointing to the pictures on the walls.

'Do you mean to say that you live in this house alone?' asked Von Stein.

'Alone,' returned the lady. 'I am the last of my race.'

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A Good Account.

'To sum it up, six long years of bed-ridden sickness and suffering, costing \$200 per year, total \$1,200—all which was stopped by three bottles of Hop Bitters taken by my wife, who has done her own housework for a year since, without the loss of a day, and I want everybody to know it for their benefit.'

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SUN RISES.....4.24 | HIGH WATER 8.53 a.m.
SUN SETS.....7.28 | FULL MOON 24, 2, 26, 2m

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

Toronto, May 21.

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FRED. W. HYNDMAN,
April 7, '80—3aw, wklly, pat 2i

Canada Temperance Act, 1878.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

TAKE NOTICE, that the Petitions to the Governor General of Canada in Council, praying that an election may be held to decide whether the electors of Queen's County are favorable to the adoption of the provisions of the Canada Temperance Act, 1878, will be deposited, on or before the 27th day of May, instant, for public examination, in the office of the Registrar of Deeds for Prince Edward Island, at Charlottetown, pursuant to the provisions of the Act, where they may be seen by parties who desire to examine the same.

(Signed) JOHN J. CHAPPELL,
Sec'y of Com.
Charlottetown, May 11, 1880—pat her 2w

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THIS Celebrated Stallion "Black Boy" will stand at the owner's stable, Wheatley River, for the season. "Black Boy" is three years old, weighs 1,200 lbs., stands 16½ hands high, sired by "Black Spetter," dam "Morgan," grand dam "Columbus." This breed of Horses is positively prize winners. Parties would do well to see him before dealing elsewhere, since his style and color exceeds anything we have seen.

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D. SMALL,

Jan. 21, 1880—tf

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Tenders will be received until

Tuesday, the 22nd day of June next.

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Tuesday, the 8th day of June.

By order,

F. BRAUN,
Secretary

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