A GOOD FIGHT.

BY CHARLES READE.

They went to Ghysbrecht Van Saxoen, and he received them at once; for the man who is under the torture of suspense catches eagerly at knowledge.

Certainty is often painful, but seldom, like suspense, intolerable.

"You have news of Gerard?" said he eagerly.

Then they told him about the letter and Hans Meaning.

He listened with restless eye.

"Who writ this letter?"

"Margaret Van Eyck," was the reply; for they naturally thought the contents were by the same hand as the superscription.

"Are ye sure?"

And he went to a drawer and drew out a paper written by Margaret Van Eyck while interceding with the Burgh for her house.

"Was it writ like this?"

"Yes. 'Tis the same writing," said Sybrandt, boldly.

"Good! And now, what would ye of me?" said Ghysbrecht, with looking keen, but in a weariness so well feigned, that it staggered them.

They fumbled with their bonnets, and stammered and spoke a word or two, then hesitated and beat about the bush, and let out by degrees that they wanted a letter written, to say something that would be sure to keep Gerard in Italy, and this letter they proposed to substitute in Hans Meaking's wallet for the one he carried.

While these fumbled with their bonnets and their iniquity, and vacillated between respect for a burgomaster, and their knowledge that this one was as great a rogue as themselves, and, somehow, rather, on their side against Gerard, pros and cons were coming one and forth and fro in the keen old man's spirit. Vengeance said let Gerard come back and feel the weight of the law. Prudence said keep him a thousand miles off. But this prudence said also, why do dirty work on a doubtful chance? Why put it in the power of these two rogues to tarnish your name? Lastly, his strong passion that Gerard was in possession of a secret by means of which he could wound him to the quick, coupled with this caution, recalled him:

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"Humph! And you think that will keep him in Italy?"

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"This would be a bitter pill to him," said the old hypocrite.

"It will be for his good in the end," replied the young one.

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"A curtal axe!" said Sybrandt; "no, nor even like a stroke with a cudgel!" and he shot a sly envenomed glance at the Burgomaster's broken nose.

Ghysbrecht's face turned white with ire, when this adder's tongue struck his wound. But it told, as intended; the old man bristled with hate.

"Well," said he, "tell me what to write for you, and I must write it; but, take notice, you bear the blame if aught turns amiss. Not the hand which writes, but the tongue which dictates, doth the deed."

The brothers assented warmly, secretly within. Ghysbrecht then drew his inkhorn toward him and laid the specimen of Margaret Van Eyck's writing beside him, and notes in inquiries as to the size and shape of the letters, when an unlook'd for interruption occurred. Jorian Ketel hurt hastily into the room, and locked vexed at not finding him alone.

"Thou here! I have matter on hand, good fellow."

"Ah; but this is more. I have a matter of life and death, and I must be alone with my father."

The Burgomaster looked sharply at Jorian, and then looked at his sons, who looked at the floor, but eager to see Jorian out of the way, and to hear the secret. Jorian out of sorts in haste, saw, and was at a loss what to do. He stamped with vexation, recollectant:

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The Burgomaster was also a joyful man, and jogged along toward Savenbergen, with Jorian striding beside him, giving him assurance that in an hour's time the missing parchments would be in his hand.

"Ah! master," said he, "lucky for us it wasn't a thief that took them."

"Not a thief? not a thief? what call you him then?"

"Well, saving your presence, I call him a jackdaw. This is pecked jackdaw's work if ever there was take, the thing you are less in want of, and hide most in a jackdaw, should know," added Jorian irrelevantly, for he was brought up with a jackdaw. He and it were born the same year, but he got his long before me, and, 'tis true, but one life was burden for years all alone of him. If you find but a hole in your house, bigger than a groat, in went his back! the jackdaw and in the matter of stealing he was Gerard all over. What he wanted least, and any poor Christian in the house wanted most, then went most. Mother was a notable woman, so if she did but look round, away flew his thimble. Father lived by cordwaining, so about sunrise Jack went diligently away with his awl, and was [illegible] and was twice. After that, make your bread how you could! One day I heard my mother tell him to his face he was enough to corrupt half a dozen children, and he only cocked his eye at her, and next minute away with the [illegible] like off his very foot. Now this Gerard is tarred with the same stick. The parchments are no more unto him than a thimble or an awl to Jack. He took 'em out of pure mischief and hid them, and you would never have found them but for me."

"I believe you are right," said Ghysbrecht, "and I have vexed myself more than needful."

When they came to Peter's gate he felt uneasy.

"I wish it had been any where but here."

Jorian reassured him.

"The girl is 'honest and friendly,' said he. 'She had nothing to do with taking them. I'll be sworn!' and he led him into the garden. 'There, master, if a face is to be believed, here they lie: and, see, the mould is loose.'"

He ran for a spade which was stuck up in the ground at some distance, and soon went to work and uncovered a parchment. Ghysbrecht saw it and thrust him aside and went down on his knees and tore it out of the hole.

His hands trembled and his face shone. He threw out parchment after parchment, and Jorian dusted them and cleaned them and stuck them. Now, when Ghysbrecht had thrown out a great many, his face began to darken and lengthen, and when he came to the last he put his hands to his temples and seemed to be all amazed. Then a chill traversed his frame.

"What mystery lies here?" he gasped. "Are fiends mocking me? Dig deeper! There must be another."

Jorian drove the spade in and threw out quantities of hard mould. In vain. And even while he dug, his master's mood had changed.

"Treason! treachery!" he cried. "You knew of this!"

"Knew what, master, in Heaven's name?"

"Caitiff, you knew there was another one worth all these twice told."

"To false!" cried Jorian, not so jeopardously the other's suspicion. "Is a trick to rob me of my kinsfolk's favour. Oh! I know your humour, master." And Jorian was ready to whimper.

A sweet voice fell on them like oil upon the waves. "No good, Jorian, not false, nor yet is it quite true; there was another parchment."

"There, there, there!" "Where is it?"

"But," continued Margaret calmly, "it was not a town record (you have gained your hundred crowns, good man); it was just a private deed between the Burgomaster here and my grandfather Florens."

"Hush, hush!"

"—is Brandt."

"Where is it, pid? that is all we want to know."

"Have patience, and I shall tell you. Gar[illegible] read the title of it, and he said, 'This is Jorian yours as the Burgomaster,' and he put it aside, to read it with me at his leisure."

"It is in the house then?" said the Burgomaster, recovering his calmness.

"Nay, sir," said Margaret, gravely. "Gerard has it."

"Then, in a broken voice, "You must despise poor Gerard—so kind and careless—that you give him—no time—to think of night—of his life—and his grief. The parchment was in his bosom, and he hath taken it with him."

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COUNTER DEPOT, 197 BOWERY—Counters for sale and made to order at low rates. Also, stand and stocked counter for other work very cheap, and will be disposed. Call in for catalogue, [illegible] elsewhere. ap 2 1ac*181

GOOD BUSINESS CARDS 90 CTS. PER [illegible] Good elegant [illegible] Every description of printing done neat and prompt at the new office, 3 Tryon Row, near City Hall. ap18,160,24ac

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KEROSENE, FLUID AND CAMPHENE Lamps, Girandoles, China vases and fancy goods, Gas fixtures and chandeliers, Gilding, Japanning, Plated spoons are for sale at greatly reduced prices, at C. A. BALDWIN, 66 Bowery, cor. New Canal st. ap 2 24ac*58

ILLERY FOOTS CURED—ILLERY'S PAtent Shoe Stiffener, [illegible] 506 Grand st, 2 Astor Place, 1 Union Place, 1 Broadway, 1 Bleecker st. ap 8 24ac 182

MONEY LIBERALLY ADVANCED AT [illegible] Pawnbroker office, 52 New Chambers st, on [illegible] N. B.—Private office. 30,115,3

MILITARY EQUIPMENTS—J. & A. [illegible] Dress Coats, Pants, Caps, Belts, Sashes, Epaulettes, Swords, Sword Belts, Sword Knots, Cartridge boxes and Pouches always on hand. ap 3,155,24

NOTICE—OFFICE OF THE STERLING [illegible] New York, April 11th, 1861. An election of Directors and 3 Inspectors of Election to serve for the ensuing year will be held at 42 Pine st, room 7, Thursday, the 9th day of May next, at 12 M., and the hours of 1 to 3 o'clock, P. M. The transfer books will be closed on the 7th of May instant. By order of the Board. ap 8,156,56 GEO. E. TOWNSEND, Sec.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT certificate No. 2561 for two hundred shares, No. 2487 for one hundred and fifty shares, No. 793 for one hundred shares, No. [illegible] for one hundred shares, No. [illegible] for fifty shares and No. 658 for twenty-five shares, [illegible] to be lost or mislaid, and will be sold at public auction, at the office of the company, 244 Pearl st, on Thursday, 30th day of May next, at 12 m., for non-payment of assessment of $2 per share, due on the 10th day of March, unless the same shall previously be paid with interest and expenses. JAMES M. MILLS, Treasurer. New York April 26th, 1861. ap 1 24*60

RAGS &c—THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE paid for rags, old pamphlets, blank books, news and wrapping paper, at 24 Spruce st. a12,189,24ac

STEAM JOB PRINTING, From a Card to a Posting Bill at lowest rates, WRITTEN SHOW CARDS, All kinds at SHELLEY'S, 68 Barclay st. ap8,129,24ac

SPECIAL NOTICE, MADAM DEVOE Would respectfully inform the ladies and gentlemen of New York and vicinity, that she is prepared to purchase clothing, jewelry and every description of goods to the amount of the highest cash price. Letter addressed to 375 Eighth avenue will be promptly attended to. N. B.—All business transactions strictly honorable. Address Madam DEVOE, 375 Eighth ave., 3d door from 28th st. apto 24ac 154

SHOE DEALERS—BROADWAY AND city finders, our boot, shoe and gaiter uppers are well cut and fitted, and all finest French stock bought in cash, and sold cheap for cash. M. ARTHUR & SON, 69 Gold st, New York. apto,24ac*158

WANTED—10,000 LADIES TO TAKE their hats to 237 Eighth ave, bet. 20th and 21st sts, to remember my dyery, where they can press and wire ladies' straw hats for 25 cents; hats dyed if required. (Query—Where is the necessity of paying from $1 to $6 for a new hat, when you can have your last year's done up to look as good or 25 cents?) Ladies, remember this is the only establishment on the avenue where they bleach and press their own hats. Gentlemen's hats cleaned and pressed. Hats dyed any color. N. B.—Ladies' fancy furs cleaned and kept free from moth during the summer, on reasonable terms. CINIGAN. ap30,195,24ac

WAR! WAR! WAR! Roofers, House and Ship painters, call at 73 South st, Gay's Patent Gutta Percha Roofing and Enamel Paint are ahead of anything in the market. No coal tar or asphaltum in either. No other Company has a patent for Gutta Percha Roofing. FORBES & WILLIS, 73 South st. 1,178,6

WARRANTED GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES. Silver Cylinder Lepaumes, jewelled, $8, $9 and $10 00. Silver Hunting Levers, full jewelled, $12, $15 and $20 00. Silver Hunting Cylinders, full jewelled, $10, $12 and $15 00. Gold Watches, suitable for ladies, full jewelled, $16 and upwards. Silver English Patent Levers, $20, $25, $35 and $40 00. Watches sold by me are warranted one year. ap5,126,56 JOHN COX, 302 Bowery.

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PERSONAL NOTICES.

BOUNTY LANDS, &c.—SOLDIERS, Sailors and others, who have served in any of the wars, can obtain their warrants by applying at 82 Nassau st. Office Patent. D. S. BLOWNE, Attorney for United States Claims. ap18 24ac*152

INFORMATION WANTED OF MARY REVEY, by her father and mother, MICHAEL and ANNA REVEY, at No. 92 Broome st, upstairs. The person who informs her, or information to the recovery of her, will be rewarded according to our ability, and receive our blessing. 1,119,6

INFORMATION WANTED—IF THIS should meet the eye of JAMES HENRY LYONS, who left Dublin, Ireland, for Canada, about 7 years ago, I can tell him of his family, and he will be paid by letter to G. MCMURTHY, 160 West st, New York. Canada papers please copy. 1,173,3

INFORMATION WANTED OF THOMAS CONLIN, of Ballinasloe, Ireland; came to this country and was a seaman in some of the Southern ports. Any information will be thankfully received by his sister ANN, at Waukesta, Wisconsin, or A. C., box 882 Sun office. ap19 2ac*127

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO EVERY person that father or mother will not be responsible for any debt contracted by MARY ANNE LOUGHEAN. PATRICK LOUGHEAN. 30,118,3

PENSIONS—WIDOWS DRAWING PENsions under act of Feb 3d, 1858, or June 3d, 1858, and widows whose husbands have been killed or died in service, may hear something to their advantage by calling on the subscriber, at the southeast corner of Chambers and Chatham sts. CALVIN W. SMITH. 21,150,24

$10 DOLLARS REWARD—THE PERSON that finds THOMAS McCANN, who was drowned last Thursday, at pier No. 46 East River, will get the above reward by notifying his distressed mother, at 178 East 16th street, room No. 13, he was about 23 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high, and dark hair, when drowned had on a black sack coat, light colored pantaloons, white undershirt, and blue striped overshirt, with boots on, had no neck tie, or waistcoat on. 30,116,3

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