Richmond Dispatch.

SATURDAY MORNING.....MAY 19, 1860.

Lonely.

Sitting lonely, ever lonely,
Waiting, waiting for one only.
Thus I count the weary moments passing by;
And the heavy evening gloom
Gathers slowly in the room.
And the chill November darkness dims the sky.
Now the countless busy feet
Cross each other in the street,
And I watch the faces flitting past my door;
But the step that lingered nightly,
And the hand that rapp'd so lightly,
And the face that beam'd so brightly,
Come no more.

By the firelight's fitful gleaming
I am dreaming, ever dreaming,
And the rain is slowly falling all around;
And voices that are nearest,
Of friends the best and dearest,
Appear to have a strange and distant sound.
Now the weary wind is sighing,
And the murky day is dying,
And the wither'd leaves lie scatter'd round my door;
But that voice whose gentle greeting
Set this heart so wildly beating
At each fond and frequent meeting,
Comes no more.

HOW THE OLD LOVE FARED.

CHAPTER I.

One morning the sun shone gloriously from his blue home in the skies athwart a few pale yellow clouds. Then its rays fell disheartened and cold on some two or three hundred yards of murky atmosphere, beneath which lay a "rising town."

The streets were something narrow, and the houses were curiously jammed, and had a permanently blackened look; but what they lacked in size or beauty, they compensated for in number. Seafaring men stood talking in groups at the corners of the crossings. Every pair of trousers in the place was more or less daubed with tar; and some of those who wore them were fine stalwart specimens of the Saxon race, with bullet head, bull-dog neck, handsome sun-burnt face, and crisp, flat, yellow curls. Small boys of five years old wore their fathers' sou'-westers. One jostled another as he passed along the street; another young 'un was climbing up a coast-wall, in a sort of fly fashion, inserting his toes in invisible chinks, and holding on by projections not to be discerned by ordinary eyes. He fell more than once, and from a fair height, too; but rose nothing daunted, and doggedly recommenced the ascent. They all wore a reckless, self-reliant air, and were, I suppose, of the proper stock to make British sailors. Even the less respectable of the women who were wrangling among the men, differed strangely from the faded, worn-out objects who are daily placed before the magistrates in our London police courts. Their laughter was loud, their voices deep, their limbs massive. Very virile indeed they looked, and were. Further on to the right, some stupendous works were in course of construction. Thews and sinews were to be seen there, such as only England produces, toiling doggedly and perpetually.—Steam-engines of various forms and uses were toiling also after their fashion—here to pump water in, and there to pump water out. Besides these, there were some hundreds of big horses dragging enormous loads, calmly, as if they were quite used to the engines, and cared less than nothing about their noise. They were of the sort of animals foreigners are so much smitten with when they see them in the dray-carts in London, very carefully tended; many of them were gaily ornamented with ribbons, plaiting of hair, brass settings, and the like, according to the taste and ability of the man who looked after each particular horse. The works themselves were well worth an examination. The workers were pushing out groins and breastings which must have astonished the sea as they gradually forced it out of its old landmarks. It happened more than once that it had in the night-time arisen and revenged itself, and that in few hours the labor of months had been swept away. But the next day saw men calmly setting to work to repair the damage with double care, and replace the wall with fourfold strength. More than a score of broad acres were already redeemed from the salt waters. Here and there might be observed thoughtful-looking men, standing, watching keenly and with contracted brows the progress of things.

Standing rather apart, with folded arms and a profoundly discouraged air, a young gentleman was likewise gazing round him. He was broad-shouldered, rather undersized, but not ill-made, and muscular. He had full blue eyes, a quantity of hair of a tawny red, a large mouth garnished with a set of capital teeth. Naturally his smile was constant, bright and jovial; but now it was considerably overcast. He walked up to one of the contractors with the air of a man who has made up his mind to a last effort.

"Then you do not see any prospect of employment for me, Mr. Langford?"

"No, I do not indeed, Sellon. You, see, Renny manages it all, and he has the cash. That place would have just suited you, and you would have done the work far better than Renny's nephew. It's not the right man in the right place, Stephen. But the man is in the place; and right will not turn him out, while might keeps him in. I'm very sorry for it, Stephen, but it cannot be helped."

"Well, good-bye, then, Langford. I shall be at Wendon on Sunday." They shook hands, and parted.

CHAPTER II.

It was Sunday in the old town of Wendon, and the cracked bell of a large church was clanging forth its invitation to people to enter its opened doors. It was an old church—you might tell that by its strange, high, lumbering pews, which no devout young Oxford curate had yet swept away. The windows were cobwebbed and dusty, with here and there a pane of stained glass in quaint pattern; these were distributed with perfect irregularity. These windows looked on to the backs of gloomy houses, and on to worn gravestones, where the forefathers of those who now stood there, slept. Long, tangled, sickly grass twined about the gravestones; one or two were ornamented with marigold and oyster-shells. Some rows of smoke-dried green slowly grew and slowly decayed by the side of the old church. The bell-ropes hung into the body of the building, and a stove reared its unsightly pipe in the centre, supported by iron bars, which radiated from it in every direction. The churchwardens were already seated—or rather, enthroned—in canopied pews, and looked down with the contempt natural to officials on the rest of the scanty congregation.—They were substantial shopkeepers, and had every right to do so. The pews at the side were of an extra height. Their seclusion sometimes promoted intense devotion—sometimes, great levity. A few school-girls sheltered their whisperings in these depths, and some aged and not very reputable or handsome looking old men in coifs and caps were thinly sprinkled higher up. A glance at the pile of loaves ranged behind the churchwardens, might possibly account for their attendance. In the linings of these pews every shade and hue in green must have been exhausted. Some were of a rich brown and tawny aspect; others were violently green, and very woolly in substance; sundry of them were worn and moth-eaten, the rotten wood had fallen away from them; and holes were present in the flooring, of which one could only guess the probable extent. Against two of the pillars were slips of wood, and thereon were inscribed arms, and other heraldic devices; also, names purporting to be of those men who had in that parish served the honorable office of mayor. The dates were respectively affixed; some were as old as seventeen hundred and twenty. Their honored remains now mouldered within the dreary precincts of this venerable edifice, and their dignity was of strangely little moment to them. The clergyman looked like a gentleman; an observer would guess that he was also a bon-vivant. He read the services in a speedy, yet orthodox manner. The congregation was not large, and the clerk's responses were alone audible.

Just before the confession, a pretty dark-eyed girl glided down the aisle, with a rather conscience-stricken air, opened with some difficulty one of the doors, and hid herself immediately in the very highest pew—there she kneeled down to say her short prayer. Within just as much time as suggested the idea that he had lingered outside in order not to appear together, Stephen Sellon entered, and seated himself in the adjacent pew. The two behaved very well during the service, taking only stealthy, innocent glances at each other, and even these at long intervals; but when the sermon was read, and the benediction said, the girl remained a little longer than usual on her knees, and Stephen was waiting for her when she rose. They walked silently together out of church, and turned on to a broad walk, shaded by trees, which bordered the river on which the town stood. As they got further away from the departing congregation, Stephen, being an enterprising youth in all he undertook, possessed himself of her hand, and put his disengaged arm in her bonnet in such fashion that she could not choose but look at him. And he looked long, but not apparently making himself the happier for so doing, but at the conclusion he gave a great sigh.

"Margaret, my darling, I've no good news for you. I've been up to the dock-works; but the place Langford hoped to give me is filled, and there's no chance of another opening. They don't want young, untried hands there, and of brains there is plenty and over. These are hard men, Margaret; they might have given me a trial."

"But, Stephen," said the girl, and her voice faltered a little, as she spoke, "you know what you wish cannot be. I cannot leave my father, he is aging sadly. I think his poor eyes are growing dim, and now he would rather hear all his beautiful music played to him than do it himself; and my love, Stephen, my great hope is, that I may be able to take his pupils for him."

"You would do it well, Margaret; you have a wonderful knack of managing people."

Margaret smiled, and in her smile there was a peculiar tender expression, which seemed like a ripple, about her mouth. She became grave again.

"You don't know how hard I practise of nights, and how I treasure up his instructions. If I can in some one or two business to be able to take his place, that will do much. And then, when he is so old he can work no longer, I can take his place, and support him. He has worked for me, it is fit that I should work for him."

"But if I could get work near, you need not leave him, Margaret; we could marry, and all live together."

"No, Stephen, we are too young to flatter ourselves, with such uncertain prospects. Alone we may struggle, and if we fail we fail alone, and drag down no others; but were we married, and your employment so uncertain, cares would come on us more quickly than we could meet them. Believe me, we are best single."

There was no selfishness about the young fellow, and yet man-like he could not forbear the answer, "Margaret, you think more of your father than you do of me. My young life," he stopped abruptly.

"I should be no good wife to you, Stephen, if I failed as a daughter; so do not press me more, dear Stephen. God knows I am sorely tried already," and the pent-up tears came at last.

Then Stephen inwardly called himself many frightful names, of which unmanly wretch and brute were the least severe; but he only said audibly:

"I know it, Margaret—forgive me," and the words were hardly out of his mouth, before he was forgiven, I suppose, for the hand was again placed confidently in his. He continued, "The worst is yet to come, Margaret. I have undertaken to work my way out to India, and the captain has promised to get me engineering work as soon as we arrive. It is no degradation," he said, stoutly. "I did hope to have begun higher up; but I've never shirked work, and I'll show that a gentleman can do as good a day's work as any one. I've toiled with dust, and dirt, and oil, and what not, and I'll do it again. I know my trade thoroughly, the lowest as well as the highest part of it; it's only to begin over again, and I'm young and strong."

"Yes, it's all true," said poor Margaret, and these few words were all she could say.

"I shall not forget you, Margaret; it may be twenty years before we meet again; but even then, I shall be yours only."

Margaret smiled, but this time it was a poor, wan, struggling smile. "I shall be old and faded then, Stephen."

"It does not matter," he returned, with a steady, loving gaze. "You may be old and faded, worn and shriveled; but you will be more to me than any other woman."

Here they turned their steps back to the church.

"Well, Stephen, I bind you by no promise; we will follow the promptings of our own hearts. We have the world before us, and God to aid us," she said.

They walked on silently for a little time.—"We must part now, dear Stephen.

"I sail to-morrow, Margaret."

They stood and gazed sadly on the gravestones; there seemed nothing but an atmosphere of dampness and decay around them, only the warm love and young hopes in their breasts; but these triumphed, even in the sorrow of the hour. He held her in his strong arms, for one last caress, and then released her. In another minute he had gone. And so they parted with wrung hearts, fearing, as many young lovers have feared, that the hour-glass of time, or the scythe of death, would stand between them—in this life.

CHAPTER III.

Stephen Sellon pulled his hat over his eyes and bent his steps towards the little inn, where his worldly goods were packed ready, for transit, in a depressed and remorseful state of mind. He was miserable enough, and though he bit his lips and clenched his teeth, it was hard work to keep the tears from starting. It was in vain that he inwardly exhorted himself not to feel this wringing pain at his heart; that he repeated to himself, at first mentally, and afterwards aloud for greater effect, that hard, wise saying of Queen Elizabeth, "Time will comfort us, and why not do for ourselves Time's office?" Nature, not manhood, was uppermost. His dinner was dispatched, and then he lighted his pipe, crossed his legs, and gazed moodily into the fire. He folded his arms tightly across his chest, thinking of her. Then he opened the window, and leant out with some romantic idea that the wind would waft her breath to him, or that the same moon should look down on both. He had not naturally a genius for self-torment, quite the reverse; but in love a man will do such things. In his mind's eye he beheld her as his wife; and again, he saw her fretted and worn, struggling for her father with adverse circumstances, and sinking quietly, but surely, while his arm would be far from her. Then an organ-boy added his mite of torture, and commenced Angioli d'amore, a song he had often heard Margaret sing; he turned away as if he had been stung. It suggested unfaithfulness, and he tried to recall her actual words. No vow had been given, though much had been implied. So, being driven from the window by the organ, he returned and faced his friend, the fire, watching ring after ring of pale blue smoke ascend, until he fell into a sort of doze, then started up, looked at his watch, got his luggage together, and hurried off in time to catch the night-train for town.

[TO BE CONCLUDED IN OUR NEXT.]

DISSOLUTIONS, &c.

NOTICE.—The term of co-partnership of PULLIAM & BETTS having expired, by agreement, this day, the same business of selling NEGROES AT AUCTION and privately, on commission only, will be continued by us, at THE OLD STAND, ODD FELLOWS' HALL. We respectfully solicit a continuation of patronage from our friends and the public generally, and by industry and perseverance hope to merit the liberal patronage heretofore extended to us.

PULLIAM & CO.

A. C. PULLIAM,
R. P. PULLIAM,
D. K. WEISIGER.

Richmond, Va., May 10, 1860. my 11—3m

NOTICE.—The firm of PULLIAM & BETTS having this day ceased, WM. H. BETTS will continue in the NEGRO AUCTION BUSINESS, and has taken into co-partnership with him E. J. GREGORY. The will conduct the business under the firm of BETTS & GREGORY, at their salesroom on Franklin street, four doors below Wall street, and about one square below the former office of PULLIAM & Betts, and respectfully solicit a continuance of the patronage which was so liberally extended to Wm. H. Betts while in the firm of Pulliam & Betts.

They have obtained the services of Mr. BUSHROD W. ELMORE as Clerk, who has an interest in the business.

WM. H. BETTS,
E. J. GREGORY.

RICHMOND, May 10, 1860. {my 10—d&cw2m

CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The subscribers have entered into co-partnership, under the name and style of W. PETERSON & CO., for the purpose of conducting a general wholesale and retail DRUG AND PRESCRIPTION BUSINESS, at the old stand of the late firm of Bell and Main streets. Having such facilities as will enable them to offer goods at prices that cannot fail to prove satisfactory, they respectfully solicit a share of the patronage of the community.

W. PETERSON.
Richmond, May 1, 1860. H. W. FORBUSH.

W. PETERSON offers his sincere thanks to his friends and customers for their former liberal patronage, and respectfully asks a continuance of the same for the new concern of W. PETERSON & CO. my 5—1m

DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership heretofore existing under the name of WENDENBURG & BOHMER, at City Point, Va., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

ROBERT WENDENBURG will continue the business on his own account, and solicits a continuance of the liberal patronage bestowed on the late firm.

ap 26—1m WENDENBURG & BOHMER.

NOTICE.—Having sold my tools, stock in trade and good will to Mr. GEO. STARRETT, my friends and customers will please call on him for any work they may require.

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mh 31—3m

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