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Restoration of the Apparently Dead to Life.

Lydia Maria Child relates the following incident in her own family, of the restoration of the apparently dead to life:

The yellow fever raged fearfully in Boston the last part of the eighteenth century. The panic was so universal that wives forsook their dying husbands, in some cases, and mothers their children, to escape the contagious atmosphere of the city. Funeral rites were generally omitted. The "death carts" sent into every part of the town, were so arranged as to pass through each street every half hour. At each house known to contain a victim of the fever, they rang a bell, and called, "Bring out your dead." When the lifeless forms were brought out they were wrapped in tarred sheets, put into the carts, and carried to the burial place, unaccompanied by relatives. In most instances, in fact, the relatives had fled before the first approach of a fatal disease.

One of my father's brothers, residing in Boston at the time, became a victim of the pestilence. When the first symptoms appeared his wife sent the children into the country and herself remained to attend upon him. Her friends warned her against such rashness. They told her it would be death to her, and no benefit to him, for he would soon be too ill to know who attended upon him. These arguments made no impression upon her affectionate heart. She felt that it would be a life-long satisfaction to her to know who attended upon him, if he did not. She accordingly stayed and watched him with unremitting care.

This, however, did not avail him. He grew worse and worse, and finally died. Those who went round with the dead carts had visited the chamber and seen that the end was near. They now came to take the body. His wife refused to let it go. She told me she never knew how to account for it, but, though he was perfectly cold and rigid, and to every appearance quite dead, there was a powerful impression on her mind that life was not extinct. The men were overborne by the strength of her convictions, though their reason was opposed to it. The half hour again came round, again was heard the solemn words, "Bring out your dead." The wife again resisted their importunities; but this time the men were more resolute. They said the duty assigned to them was a painful one, but the health of the city required punctual obedience to the orders they received. If they ever expected the pestilence to abate it must be by a prompt removal of the dead, and immediate fumigation of the infected apartments. She pleaded and pleaded, and even knelt to them in agony of tears, continually saying: "I am sure he is not dead." The men represented the utter absurdity of such an idea; but finally, overcome by her tears, they again departed.

With trembling haste she renewed her efforts to restore life. She raised his head, rolled his limbs in hot flannel, and placed hot irons to his feet. The dreaded half hour again came round and found him as cold and rigid as ever. She renewed her entreaties so desperately that the messengers began to think a little force would be necessary. They accordingly attempted to remove the body against her will, but she threw herself upon it, and clung to it with such frantic strength, that they could not easily loosen her grasp. Impressed by the remarkable energy of her will, they relaxed their efforts. To all their remonstrances she answered: "If you bury him, you shall bury me with him." At last, by dint of reasoning on the necessity of the case, they obtained from her a promise that if he showed no signs of life before they again came round, she would make no further opposition to the removal.

Having gained the respite, she hung the watch upon the bedpost, and renewed her efforts with redoubled zeal. She placed hot kegs of water about him, forced brandy between his teeth, breathed into his nostrils, and held hartshorn to his nose; but still the body lay motionless and cold. She looked anxiously at the watch; in five minutes more the promised half hour would expire, and those dreadful voices would be heard passing through the street. Hopelessness came over her; she dropped the head she had been sustaining; her hand trembling violently, and the hartshorn she had been holding was spilled on his polished face. Accidentally, the position of the head had become tipped slightly backward, and the powerful liquid flowed into his nostrils. Instantly there was a short, quick gasp, a struggle, his eyes opened; and when the death-men again came they found him sitting up in bed. He is still alive, and has enjoyed unusually good health.

America a Match for Napoleon.

Cornelius O'Dowd, a writer in *Blackwood*, who entertains no great affection for this country, is yet delighted with the Mexican situation. He says:

A more insufferable piece of insolent pretension cannot be imagined than what is called the Monroe doctrine. That my next door neighbor should not live in a certain style lest the servants in my house should become dissatisfied, is too gross an absurdity to be entertained. That whatever rules he prescribe for my family should be adopted by every one who resides in the same street, is somewhat overbearing; and yet, with all this, I declare I am all for the Yankee in this Mexican row. It is not the justice of the case I want to think of. It is not whether France has the right on her side, and whether this demand to retire be one of those mandates a high spirited nation cannot submit to; my whole consideration is limited to the fact—here, at last, the greatest bully of Europe has met his match! Here is a young, athletic, daring fellow, ready to go into the ring with that finished pugilist that none of us have the courage to fight, and who, even with the gloves on, doubles us in a fashion far from agreeable.

America dares to hold language to France that all Europe combined would not utter. There's no denying it; there's no qualifying it. If we had a continental coalition to-morrow, we could not venture to say what America has just said. What Minister of Russia, or England, or Austria, would say to the French Emperor: "We were thinking of something else when you slipped into Savoy and Nice the other day; now that our hands are free, you will have to go back again." We are famous for brave words in our Foreign Office, but does any one expect that such a message as this will ever issue from Whitehall?

We would no more provoke the Tuileries by an insolent dispatch than we would go into one of Van Amburgh's cages and kick the lion. It has become a sort of European superstition that France can beat every one, and I am downright grateful to the Americans that they don't believe it.

I never knew I liked America so well till I began to speculate on this war. I never suspected that there really was a tie of kindred which journalists disparage by that false adulation they deal in. I hate all the cant of "cousinship," but call them our own bone and blood; speak of them as a people who have the same leading traits as ourselves—sturdy, determined, untiring, unyielding—taking their share of hard knocks to-day with a fixed resolve to repay them to-morrow; in a word, of that stuff that makes them right trusty friends and very terrible enemies. Regard them in this light, and say, if a war should break out between them and France, what side you would like to back. I say, America. I'd lay my head on the issue; and if any gentleman is willing to bet an equivalent—say another crown piece—I cry "Done," and wait the event.

Jefferson Davis and His Opinions.

A correspondent of a Northern paper writes that he has seen the great state prisoner, Jefferson Davis. He says:

I obtained a pass to enter the Fortress, where I had not been many hours when I met the great rebel chief, Jeff. Davis, face to face, while he was taking his usual daily walk on the ramparts, under escort of an officer by his side, and two armed soldiers behind him; and I had a good view of him as he passed me. He was well dressed, had a light colored felt hat and new boots. His eye was clear and bright, his step firm, and his bearing as proud as a Roman conqueror. He indulged in this recreation every day, and is, apparently, cheerful and free from care. During these walks he frequently recites scraps of Latin and Greek poetry. He is privileged with the use of the fine library of the Fortress, and is permitted to write, of course, under the inspection of the commanding officer.

He is a great smoker, and when in his apartment employs his time in writing, reading and praying. Alternately he is very quiet and pious, and restive and boisterous. He freely expresses his opinions about the Generals and leaders on both sides. He thinks McClellan was our greatest general, and says Grant is no soldier, nothing but a butcher: Lincoln was a good-natured man but a jackass; Andrew Johnson is pretty smart, and inclined to do the fair thing so far as he can, but he is not a great man. He thinks his capture was very unjust, as he was fairly paroled by the surrender of General Lee and Johnson, and says that if he had had any idea of being taken, he could easily have made his escape. He was terribly enraged at what Foote of Mississippi, said to him, and declared that Foote was a 'constitutional liar'—that he had often told him so; that he was glad when he made his escape from the Confederacy, and that he gave orders to let him go, and not to stop him, adding, I was glad to get rid of such a nuisance.

"The Duke of Marlborough," Jeff. says "deserted his sovereign—fought successfully under the banners of another Prince, and his name has come down in history as one of the noblest men and greatest of Generals of the time. But Marshal Ney, one of Napoleon's famous Generals, who, after the banishment of Napoleon to Elba, gave in his adhesion to the ruling powers, and again joined his chief on his return, was, after his final overthrow, taken and shot as a traitor."

His commentary upon these historic facts was this: "Treason never prospers—for when it does, none dare call it treason."

An Unearthly Story.

From the Staffordshire (Eng.) Sentinel.]

A very weird story is current in the hill country of Staffordshire. We have been unable to verify the narrative with anything like precision, and content ourselves with relating it as near as possible as it was told to us by a clergyman. One day last week a carrier, with his horse and cart, was taking his accustomed journey between Buxton and Mansfield. After he had gone some distance, he was accosted by a wayfaring man, who was plodding along the road, who asked for a lift. The carrier took the man up and then proceeded onwards. After awhile, the carrier complained that his hands were cold, and asked his companion to drive for him for a time. The man consented, and took hold of the reins. Before they had gone much farther a stranger on horseback—the horse, by the way, was a white one—overtook them, and rode by the side of the cart.

A conversation was commenced, which very soon took the direction of the cattle plague. Its devastating effects were discussed, and a parallel was drawn between it and other calamities, past and future. The stranger on horseback suddenly became prophetic, saying that next year there would be a plague or blight among the corn, which would destroy the fruits of the earth, which would be followed the next year by a plague among mankind. "Christians," he said, "would be dead in the road-side by hundreds." "Yes," he added, lowering his voice, and addressing the holder of the reins, "dead as the man who is sitting by your side!" The driver turned, and to his horror, found that he was sitting by the side of a corpse! The stranger on horseback galloped away, and the temporary driver of the cart was left to pursue his journey with his melancholy burden.

Gen. Cass Dying from Softening of the Brain.

The editor of the Lacrosse (Wisconsin) *Democrat*, who is now in Detroit, writes as follows:

Gen. Cass is still alive, though his family have gathered here in daily expectation of his decease. The General is now in his eighty-fourth year. He passes most of his time in sleep, undisturbed. At rare intervals he wakens up sufficiently to ask for some of his old friends, who are sent for but on arriving, even within the hour, he is generally asleep again. His disease is softening of the brain, from years of mental labor in the service of his country. He has all the care, attention and nursing it is possible to give. His family look upon him with the greatest reverence and satisfaction, and pray that his last day on earth may be far distant. At times he is able to converse quite freely and rationally with his family but this is the exception, not the rule.

Grant's Visit to Richmond.

A special says Gen. Grant's visit to Richmond was marked with many pleasing and gratifying results. People flocked to see him in large numbers, from curiosity, no doubt, but during his stay he was called upon respectfully by such persons as Robert Ould, ex-rebel commissioner for exchange of prisoners, Gen. Joseph Anderson, of the Tredegar Iron Works, Mayor Mayo, Gens. Nickhaus and Henningsen, Judges Lyons and Meredith, and many other influential citizens.

The ladies also called upon Mrs. Grant freely, manifesting becoming feeling and sentiments. The railroad placed a special car at his disposal. The Spottswood House assigned him a large suite of rooms. The Ballard House offered to do the same; and every one vied to contribute to his comfort and pleasure. He dined once with General Turner, temporarily commanding, visited Fort Harrison and other points of interest, and returned, well pleased with his visit.

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