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THE JOURNEYMAN'S SECRET.

From the Diary of a Journeyman Printer.

"You can take this case," said the foreman; "here is a stick—here is some copy; and if you would like a quiet and steady partner, you will find this gentleman still enough in all conscience."

The "partner" merely looked up and faintly smiled in acknowledgement of the foreman's compliment, and kept on with his work, while the foreman turned away to attend to something else.

We worked on steadily until dinner, as we were in a hurry to get the paper up, without exchanging a word or even a look. In the afternoon I had more leisure to study the physiognomy of my neighbor. He was a young man, of about three or four and twenty, with handsome features and a rather intellectual cast of countenance. His face was quite pale, and the raven darkness of his hair, eyebrows and eyes, made me immediately come to the conclusion, after thoroughly studying his physiognomy, that he was a hard student during his leisure hours, or that, depriving himself of recreation, of books or other sources of enjoyment, he spent all his waking hours at the case. The latter supposition time proved correct.

As day after day passed by I became more acquainted with him; and I found him to be a singular character. Beneath his stand, he had constructed a kind of closet, which contained a spirit lamp, a mattress with bedding, a few cooking utensils, and a small stock of the plainest kind of food. When the hours for meals arrived he would light his lamp, and putting some food over it to cook, would work until al the rest of the hands had left the office, when he would sit down to his frugal repast. He worked incessantly during work hours, hardly leaving the office, unless to purchase food, or some errand of that kind. Morning, noon and night, when I returned from my meals, I invariably found him at the case, working away with all his might, as if some great issue depended upon the improvement of every minute. I supposed he slept upon the cot which he always kept in his closet; but as he was always at work when I left at night and when I returned in the morning, I could not positively assert that he did so. I was not long in discovering that there was some mystery connected with him, and that his intense application to labor was not prompted merely by a desire to make money; for if there is anything in phrenology, judging from the formation of his head, he was the very one whom I would have selected from a score for a spendthrift. Occasionally his cheek would flush, his eyes light up, and a happy smile overspread his features; then the smile would go away, his eyes would fill with tears, while an expression of sadness—almost despair—would seat itself upon his countenance. I have been tempted a thousand times to ask him the cause of this, but as he appeared so cold and isolated I refrained from doing so, as it is not pleasant proffering sympathy unasked.

"Well, how do you like your neighbor?" asked one of the journeymen of me, as we were descending the stairs one evening.

"I can hardly make him out," said I; "he appears to be a strange sort of a being. You are better acquainted with him than I; how do you like him?"

"For my part, I hate him, and what is more, he has not a friend in the whole office. That fellow has been here for three months, and he has hardly spoken to any one. A man who makes such bills as he does, and hoards up his money like a miser I have very little friendship for. We wouldn't any of us care so much if he would be a little sociable, and spend a dollar, or even a dime occasionally; but no—every five cent piece he gets he hangs on to as if he was afraid the eagle would spread his wings and fly away with it, doing him out of a five-cent piece. But he can't stay here long. We've insulted him a dozen times; and he has less spunk than I think he has if he don't resent it some day. We'll get him into a quarrel then, and have him discharged."

"But," said I, "do you know anything about his history? He may have some all-absorbing end to accomplish, which is the cause of his untiring assiduity. You should have a little charity for the fellow, and taking Crocket's motto, 'be sure you're right before you go ahead.'"

"No, we know nothing of him, and if circumstances are as you suppose, it will be his own fault if they are discovered too late, for we have tried often enough to scrape an acquaintance with him. You had better not take up on his side if you do not wish to incur the displeasure of the whole office. Good night."

I had some charity for the fellow, and was resolved to see him righted should he get into difficulty. I soon saw that he was very unpopular, and that, as I felt rather disposed to make allowances for him, I was considered as his friend. Many were the jokes cracked at our expense.

"I say, fellows," said a rowdy looking customer, who went by the name of Zeke, do Quakers ever have camp meetings?"

"Yes," answered the other, "they have a camp meeting over there in Quaker corner every night. That fellow camps out upon the floor every nap he takes."

"Well," said another, I've heard of boarding at the market house and sleeping on the bridge, but I never saw an illustration of it before."

"Wonder if they wouldn't take in boarders?" asked the first speaker. I'll see if they don't wan't the rules and regulations of the House printed. If they do I'll board out the bill."

I glanced at my neighbor to see how he bore this ridicule. His face was flushed and his lips firmly compressed, as if to choke down the rising indignation. But he said not a word. I fancied, however, that he picked up the type faster than usual. Things could not go on in this way much longer, for as god-like a quality as forbearance is, it cannot hold out against everything. I saw that a storm was gathering, and prepared to act my part as a man when it burst forth.

It was Saturday afternoon; the hands were ranged round the "stone," with their bills in their hands, waiting to be paid off. "Quaker" happened to be at one end of the "stone," and immediately opposite stood "Zeke." As usual, "Quaker" was the "observed of all observers," and sly whispers, which were answered by a titter or a nudge of the elbow, passed round the group. As the foreman paid "Quaker" the amount due him, he gave him a new quarter dollar to make out the the change. This did not escape "Zeke's eye, and he said in a tone loud enough to be heard by all:—

'If that eagle on that quarter had life, and I were a State prison convict, I wouldn't swap places with it, for my confinement would be far more preferable to being squeezed to death.'

This was the hair that broke the camel's back. With the exclamation, 'You d—d scoundrel!' he made one bound, and with a stunning blow, brought 'Zeke' to the floor. Then jerking off his coat and placing himself in a fighting attitude, he turned to the astonished group with "come on now, cowardly ruffians. If you cannot let me alone peaceably, I will make you do it by force. I have borne your insults long enough, and if you have any more to offer come on with them!"

This challenge was sufficient. Coats came off and sleeves were rolled in a minute. I saw that my friend would be apt to get the worst of the fight, and forcing him in a corner, I exclaimed, 'Gentlemen, one word, if you please. It would be cowardly for you all to attack this man; I will not see it done. And if you will attempt it I have something here (tapping my breat significantly) that will stop it.—He is not to blame; he has only resented an insult which any of you would have done. You have all insulted him because he has conducted himself strangely; let him explain his conduct, and perhaps we can make up our quarrel. He owes you an explanation—if not to you, he certainly does to me. And now, sir, said I, turning to him, 'I demand it of you as a right.'"

He hesitated a moment. 'Come, my friend,' said I, 'let us have it, whatever it is, and at once put an end to this quarrel.'

'Well, gentlemen,' he said, 'I am not disposed to lay my private affairs open to the public gaze, but I suppose I must do it for once. You must know, then, that from my earnings I must not only support myself, but my mother, two sisters and three small brothers, who reside in a distant State. I could earn enough at home to support them well, but my reason for coming here is this: One of my sisters, who is a beautiful girl of sixteen, and the pet of the family, has been blind from birth.—We had no hope of her ever acquiring the faculty of sight, and were content to abide by what we thought a dispensation of Providence. But recently I have seen a case similar to hers—a young man—who was restored to sight by an eminent physician of Paris. I have corresponded with that physician, and he has high hopes that in my sister's case he can effect a cure.—This, gentlemen, is what I have been laboring for since I have been here—to raise funds sufficient to take her to Paris. I love that sister as I do my own life; I have labored day and night—have deprived myself of many comforts, and borne your taunts and jeers for her sake. But I can bear it no longer. If you are men you will desist; if your do not I warn you of the consequences!'

'Zeke' had risen to his feet and heard all my friend had said. As he listened to the 'Quaker,' I could see the moisture coming into his eyes; and when he had finished, he stepped forth and grasping the 'Quaker's' hand, while the tears trickled down his face, he said, in a voice quivering with emotion.

'My noble fellow, we have wronged you deeply, and I for one ask your forgiveness. Had you told us what your object was we would not have placed a single obstacle in your way.'

'I forgive you freely, sir—I forgive you all,' said Quaker.'

'And how much have you to raise yet, I asked, 'before you will have the requisite sum?'

'About one hundred and fifty dollars.—If I have my health, and continue to make good bills, I shall be ready to start to Europe in about two months.'

'You won't have to wait that long,' said Zeke,' laying the money he held in his hand upon the stone, 'if my week's wages, every cent of which you're welcome to, will help you along. Come, boys,' he added, 'how many of you will follow suit?'

'Well, there's mine,' said Jim, laying an X upon the pile, 'and mine,' and mine and mine,' said a dozen voices, as each had deposited an equal amount, until they had made quite a pile of bank bills.

'There, stranger, take that, and may God prosper you,' said 'Zeke,' tendering him the money.

'No, gentlemen,' answered the 'Quaker,' 'I thank you for your liberality, but I cannot take your money. I am no beggar; all I ask is that I may be allowed to do my work without being disturbed.'

'But you must take it,' urged 'Zeke,' growing warm, 'we owe it to you, and you shall take it. We've done you a great wrong—we've abused you—and we have no other way of making amends. Besides, if you won't take it, it will be spent before Monday morning, and I know that for my part it will be much pleasanter to commence the week with the consciousness of having appropriated my money in a sensible way than with the foggy head, aching limbs, and empty pocket, which always follow a 'free and easy.'

Still the stranger hesitated. 'Take it—take it for your sister's sake,' said two or three voices.

'I accept it, gentlemen,' said the Quaker, 'as you say, for my sister's sake,' and I hope to be able some day to return it, principal and interest.'

'Quaker' left for Paris shortly after, and in a few months we had the satisfaction of hearing that his sister was completely restored to sight, and that they were on their way home.

I have heard from him several times since. His lines have been drawn in pleasant places,' and he is now a judicial functionary in a neighboring State, (Kentucky.)

As a woman was walking, a man looked at and followed her. "Why," said she, "do you follow me?" "Because I have fallen in love with you." "Why so? My sister, who is coming after, is much handsomer than I am—go and make love to her." The man turned back, and saw a woman with an ugly face, and being greatly displeased, returned and said. "Why did you tell me a story?" The woman answered, "Neither did you tell me the truth, if you are in love with me, why did you look for another woman?"

'Is there much water in the cistern, Biddy?" inquired a gentleman of his Irish girl, as she came up from the cellar. "It's full on the bottom, sir, but there's none at the top," said Biddy.

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Oct. 13. 90-1y-c.

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Oct 11. 89.

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June 2. 34-1y-c.

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Oct. 4. 86.

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S. B. & J. A. EVANS.

Jan 15. 129

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Oct. 22. 94.

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JAMES ANDERSON, EDWARD SAVAGE.
ANDERSON & SAVAGE,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
WILMINGTON N. C.
Liberal cash advances made on consignments.
Oct. 27. 94

GEO. HARRISS,
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WILMINGTON, N. C.
STRICT attention given to procuring Freight and purchasing Cargoes for vessels.
REFER TO
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O. G. Parsley, Esq.
I. A. Taylor, Esq.
J. D. Bellamy, Esq.
Messrs. Tooker, Smyth & Co., } New York.
" Thompson & Hunter,
Alex'r. Herron, Jr. Philadelphia.
Messrs. Williams & Butler, } Charleston, S. C.
H. F. Baker, Esq.
Jan. 2, 1853. 123-tf.

C. DuPRE & CO.
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C. DUPRE. D. B. BAKER.

HENRY NUTT,
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Sept. 8, 1853. 75-tf.

O. L. FILLYAW,
PRODUCE BROKER.
COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANT,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
September 20th, 1853. 80-1y-c.

ROUNTREE, WATSON & CO.,
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78 South St., New York.
Liberal Advances Made on Consignments.
J. D. ROUNTREE, B. C. WATSON, W. H. WIGGINS.
August 25, 1853. 69-1y.

JOSEPH R. BLOSSOM,
General Commission and Forwarding Merchant.
Prompt personal attention given to Consignments for Sale or Shipment.
Liberal Cash advances made on Consignments to me or to my New York friends.
Wilmington, Jan. 30, 1853. 135.

T. C. WORTH,
COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANT,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Feb. 17, 1853. 143-1y.

COCHRAN & RUSSELL.
(SUCCESSORS TO THOS. ALIBONE & CO.)
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PHILADELPHIA.
I. HARVEY COCHRAN,
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July 30th, 1853. 58-tf.

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June 12, 1853. 33-1y.

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WILMINGTON, N. C.
Particular attention given to sale and purchase of Naval Stores.
June 1, 1853. 123-1y.

J. C. LATTA,
COMMISSION MERCHANT & GENERAL AGENT,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Oct. 1, 1853. 85-1y-

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GEO. HARRISS.
June 11. 38-tf.

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JAS. H. CHADBOURN & CO.,
General Commission Merchants,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
JAS. H. CHADBOURN. GEO. CHADBOURN.
Jun. 1, 1853. 123.

RUSSELL & BROTHER,
(LATE ELLIS, RUSSELL & CO.)
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Liberal cash advances made on consignments of Naval stores, Cotton, and other produce.
May 3, 1853.

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April 18, 1853. 15.

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Keeps constantly on hand, Wines, Teas, Liquors, Provisions, Wood and Willow Ware, Fruit, Confectionaries, &c. South Front street,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Nov. 18, 1852. 109.

S. B. & J. A. EVANS,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Will keep always on hand a large and very select stock of Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Paints, Oils, Glass, Surgical Instruments, Patent Medicines, Perfumery, &c., at low prices.
Jan. 18, 1853. 130.

JOSEPH H. FLANNER,
General Commission Merchant,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
May 9th, 1853. 87-1y-c.

J. HATHAWAY & SON,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
J. HATHAWAY, J. L. HATHAWAY.
Feb. 15, 1853. 31.

GEO. H. KELLY,
COMMISSION MERCHANT.
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References.
Willie Hall, of Wayne, John McRae, Wilmington
W. Caraway, " Gen. Alx. McRae, "
E. P. Hall, Wilmington, Wiley A. Walker, "
Dec. 13, 1852. 115-1y.

MILES COSTIN,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
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REFER TO
E. P. Hall, Esq., Pres't Branch State Bank, } Wilmington, N. C.
Thos. H. Wright, Esq., Pres't Bank Cape Fear,
O. G. Parsley, Esq., Pres't Commercial Bank.
Dec. 19, 1852 118-tf.

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Front street, South of Market,
BROWN'S BUILDING, WILMINGTON, N. C.
Sept. 16, 1852. 79-y-c

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REFERENCES:
Messrs. Ellis, Russell & Co., } Wilmington.
" Adams, Bro. & Co.,
" J. R. Blossom, Esq.
August 14. 1852. 65.-c

D. C. FREEMAN. GEORGE HOUSTON.
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