A GHOST STORY.

THE HAUNTED BED-CHAMBER.

A Night of Terror Passed in a Lordly Castle with a Shadowy Form.

I am a distant relative of Lord F., whose country house in Kent is, as you all know, a very old one. Once in one of his good humored moods he invited me to make him a visit. I gladly accepted his invitation, for I dearly love to ramble over ancient buildings, and one of this kind Lord F.'s castle certainly is. I was assigned to a room which my friend told me had never been opened since he could remember. This was done at my own request, and I found that my apartment was a large room with a high wainscoting. The bed, a ponderous affair, stood in the middle of the room. It was made of oak, the sides coming down to the floor. On examining it I discovered what seemed to be a door in its side, but being unable to open it I gave the matter no more thought. That night about three o'clock I suddenly awoke, and to my great horror I beheld a shadowy form pacing the room. I sprang up and approached the figure, which glided toward the bed and disappeared in the side. I could sleep no more, but restlessly strode up and down the haunted chamber until morning. I made haste to apprise Lord F. of what I had seen. He was greatly surprised, and informed me that within his own recollection nothing of the sort had been seen. I resolved to make a thorough investigation of everything in the room, and the door in the bed recurred to my mind. On examining this closely I found a slight projection, on pressing which the door flew back, disclosing a flight of stone steps leading to a room under the floor. I immediately called Lord F. and informed him of the discovery. With some trepidation we descended the steps, first taking care to procure a light. We found ourselves in a strongly built room about ten feet square. In the middle hung an ancient chandelier, in the iron sockets of which were two or three stubs of candles. In one corner was a small wooden frame in the extreme stages of decay, and beside it a notched blade of iron. We had been there but a few moments when we heard a slight rustle, and looking around, saw coming toward us the same [illegible] which I had seen the night before. We drew to one side, and [illegible] us, and going to the wooden frame, stooped, picked up the blade of iron and went through a series of remarkable motions. This the ghost kept up for quite a while, but at last stopped, and taking up what seemed to be a rope, bound this around its neck, and catching hold of the chandelier with one hand, with the other bound the rope to the iron, and then with a yell disappeared. During this scene we stood motionless, not daring to move a muscle. When at last the supernatural being left us we rushed up the stairs, and breathed freer when once we arrived in the room above. For several days we pondered over this. Lord F. could think of nothing in connection with his family history which could throw any light on this subject. Several times we entered the chamber, and twice witnessed the same strange performance of the specter which haunted the apartment. One day while ascending the steps I noticed a box or sort of cupboard protruding from the side of the bed. I pointed this out to my friend, and on examining it we found a great number of papers, among which was an ancient note book, which proved to be the diary of Lord F.'s grandfather. On careful examination of this book we found the following entries, which enlightened us respecting the ghost:

"MAY 10TH.

"To-day we captured a spye, whom we putte in ye celle under ye Oake roome."

"ALSO FOR MAY 20TH.

"To-day our captive was founde hanging from ye ceiling of his celle. He was entirely dead."

Our ghost was evidently that of this captive spy, come back to haunt the cell in which he had taken his life. We found another entry of interest, which read as follows:

"AUGUST 14TH.

"We have had to close ye Oake Room because it is troubled by ye ghost of our former spy. Every night he walks and goes thro' ye motion of cutting wood, at which employment he was kept while living."

This statement explained to us the meaning of the strange antics of the specter. Soon after Lord F. filled up the cell, and since then my ghostly visitor has not been seen.—[St. Paul School Home Scholastic.

A Dig in the Ribs,

If on the right side and lower part of the diaphragm, though playfully meant and delivered, is calculated to evoke profanity from a chappy whose liver is out of order. When that region is sore and congested, pokes seem fiendish. Look at a man's countenance ere you prod him under the ribs. If his skin and eyeballs have a sallow tinge, you may infer also that his tongue is furred, his breath apt to be sour, that he has pains not only beneath his ribs, but also under the right shoulder-blade. Also that his bowels are irregular and his digestion impaired. Instead of making a jocose demonstration on his ribs, recommend him to take, and steadily persist in taking, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the finest antibilious and alterative medicine extant. Incomparable is it, also, for dyspepsia, rheumatism, nervousness, kidney trouble, and fever and ague.

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Stiff Knee. New Athens, Ill., June, 1888. Strained my knee; became stiff; could not walk for a month; used crutches; after using two bottles of St. Jacobs Oil, threw crutches away; cured. GUSTAVE HAFFERT.

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A BACHELOR'S SPIDER.

A St. Louis bachelor sat down to a table in his room to write a letter when an immense black spider advanced toward him upon the table. He took a straw from a broom and drew it gently over the spider's back and legs for ten minutes, when it went away. The next evening the spider reappeared and went through the same antics with the broom straw, to his evident pleasure. This was kept up all the winter, the big spider coming out regularly every night for a frolic with the broom straw.

WHY HE RAN AWAY.

A dog belonging to a Wanaqua (N. J.) lad had for a long time been in the habit of picking up his breakfast and running away with it instead of eating it. The boy followed him on Friday, and the dog led him a roundabout trip, evidently to tire out his pursuer. Finally the dog lay down and waited for the boy to go away. The boy started abruptly, as if to go home. The dog then ran very fast and disappeared in a covert, where investigation revealed a decrepit and emaciated old dog, who was eagerly devouring the breakfast.

A CAT'S HOSPITALITY.

I once had a cat that always sat up to the dinner table with me, and had his napkin round his neck, and his plate and some fish. He used his paw, of course, but he was very particular and behaved with extraordinary decorum. When he had finished his fish I sometimes gave him a piece of mine. One day he was not to be found when the dinner-bell rang, so we began without him. Presently [illegible] coming up stairs and [illegible] into his chair with two mice in his mouth. Before he could be [illegible] dropped a mouse on to my plate, and then proceeded to devour the other off his own plate. He [illegible] with me as I had [illegible] with him.

[illegible]

[illegible] for meal.

STORY OF [illegible].

Delacroix painted his famous [illegible] in two copies. He received for either of them 1,500 francs and 2,000 francs—that is, for one £80 and for the copy £72; that first copy was sold to a banker in Paris for £101, the second copy went to Algiers. The name of the painter got more known, as much as £300 was given for the original work by an intimate friend of mine, at whose house the very banker who first had it saw it, and wanted to buy it back. The next day a telegram came from Algiers that the copy had been burned. Immediately the price of the now only existing one rose, and I saw it sold two years after for 36,000 francs (£1,440). Of course, Delacroix might in the same way complain that he originally received only £80.

A DOCTOR'S VISION.

When Dr. More was a student at Cambridge, in Queens College, he was standing at the door of the dining-room one day when he saw a Mr. Bonnell come out of the hall, looking as he always did in life. A friend near was struck by the appearance of the man, and asked who it was, when More told him, mentioning some particulars of Bonnell's history, where he was from, and commenting upon his personal appearance. That evening the prayers of the college were desired for one who was in a sick and dangerous condition. More asked who was sick, and was told it was Bonnell, when he at once declared he had seen Bonnell that day, and was assured that it was impossible, for the man had not left his bed for a considerable time. But More insisted that he had seen the man, and brought his friend to witness to the truth of his statement. The same day Bonnell died, and the stranger who was with More, and had seen the figure, identified the body of Bonnell as that of the man he had noticed coming out of the hall at noon, and at a time when it was positively known Bonnell was lying unconscious in his room.

His Visiting Card.

During the war when Colonel Bob Crockett was stationed at Camden, he had a small sign, "Colonel Crockett's Headquarters," posted above his door. One night a number of the boys, having taken down the sign, went out to a farmer's hen house and after taking every chicken they could find, left the sign. The next morning an old fellow entered Crockett's quarters and asked:

"Is this Colonel Crockett?"

"Yes, sir."

"Is this here your visitin' keyard?" taking the sign from under his coat.

"Where did you get that?"

"Found it this morning in my hen house."

"What were your chickens worth?"

"Fifteen dollars in gold."

"Well, old fellow, you break me, but here's your money. Don't say anything about it."

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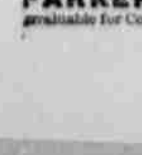
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CHARLES B WINEGAR,
Pre D S No. 7277 for the SE qr Sec 28 Tp 13 S R 34 E W M.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: F M Preston, Sam Tucker J J Mainwaring, T S Whitmire, all of Prairie City, Or.
29-34 J. B. HUNTINGTON, Register.

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ELISHA B. ALLEN,
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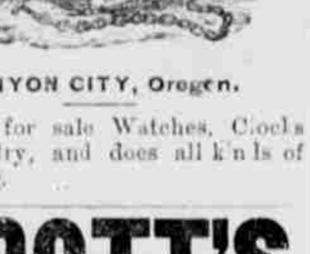

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