### IN CANTERBURY CATHEDRAL.

Here rose the minster where Augustine taught; Beneath our feet here slumbers one whose life, 'Twixt hostile King and Dane, was one long strife-

Great Dunstan; at this chancel's threshold caught Fell Becket; here the Prince of Poictiers brought The English woman he had crowned his wife, And when his years, with fight and fever rife, Waned in his spring, his tomb in bronze was wrought.

Gone the poor fabric our apostle raised,

The altar, where, when cares of state and strife Lent him to Heaven, Dunstan prayed and praised, And gone the walls of Becket's better life;

Bu , though not one stone stood which these beheld.

'Twere hallowed ground, where trod these saints of eld.

-Douglas Sladen, in the Churchman, N. Y.

## A MAN WITH A HISTORY.

"I can't see those three palm trees," said the major, a gray-headed "ranker," who supported a wife and a family of six in West Kensington, out of his pay.

He and the best part of his regiment under his command were winding their way across the desert, through thick thorny scrub, between treacherous looking low parallel ranges.

"I can't make out those palm trees," said the major; "Lieut. Lovett, shoot the guide at the first sign of his playing false."

to reconnoitre, sir."

"Lieut. Lovett and the two file of men

geant fell, marked out by their uniforms as distinctly as if they had been branded. The Arabs evidently had some renegade among them well up in English uniforms.

Still the column fought its way on doggedly. At last there was only one commissioned or non commisioned officer left -a smooth-faced boy, fresh from school, just rushed through Sandhurst. But still the magic of discipline held the men to-gether. And then he, too, was picked off by the sharpshooters; and if he had been a Crimean veteran, the effect could not have been more instantaneous. The men, who were half of them little better than recruits, commenced a saure qui peut, each man rushing for the nearest boulder or thornbush to shelter himself for one minute from the murderous hail of bullets which poured from the ridges. The Arabs had been Lady Gwen proved an easy victim. She am, My dear Hexham, Your affectionate brother, heard so much of his exploits from her waiting for this, like vultures waiting for a lion to die, and sprang out of the scrub with spear and knife to make shambles. Next moment one of the rank and file sprang forward to where the dead boy lay, sword in hand, clutching the colors which he had seized as the color-sergeant fell. Quick as lightning he caught hold of the sword, and waving in the air, thundered out the command, "Form company square." The men, when they saw the familiar signal and heard the tamiliar word of command, sprang into their places with one accord. They were again a regiment and not a flock of sheep without a shepherd. They had a strange commander; a fine man enough he must have been once, but his ruined complexion and bloodshot eyes, with their look of devil-may-care, told the tale of dissipated years. Still the men felt that they had a master among them once more, and neither bullet nor blade could make any impression on their firmness, though their numbers diminished wofully fast, and, owing to their commander being one of the rank and file like themselves, the sharpshooters could not pick him out. Their ammunition was failing, and they knew that in a few minutes death must await them as surely as it did an hour ago, when each was cowering to save himself, when suddenly they heard the noise of a machine gun and saw the swarthy hordes of Arabs mown down. The heart of every one but the man with the bloodshot eyes beat high. He did not value his life. In another moment he was dead, pierced to the heart with a shot fired by an Arab in his flightat random. A moment after the General dashed up at the head of his cavalry, and the main force appeared at the top of the ridges. The Arabs were in full flight, and the hussars were ordered to complete the rout. It appeared that there had been double treachery. The regiment's guide was one of the enemy, who had led them into a trap, and with the enemy was an Arab in the service of the English, who had slipped away at the earliest opportu-nity and taken the alarm to the general, who had hastened to the rescue with his whole force. The general found the soldiers crowded round a fallen comrade, a man in a private's uniform, with the regimental colors in one hand and an officer's sword in the other. He leaped from his horse, and while the saved men told the story of the man whose presence of mind had saved them he unbuttoned the dead man's tunic and shirt, for he had caught a glimpse of a slender gold chain round the swarthy neck. The chain was attached to a leather wallet, brown with sweat and wet with the blood from his death wound. It hung next his skin. The general opened it reverently, and as he examined it the rough soldiers standing round him were moved, for tears rolled down his cheeks. The wallet contained only three things, a tress of hair, fair and silky, the miniature of a beautiful young girl with a delicate, highbred face, and a letter, worn by being carried about in the pocket, addressed : "Captain the Honorable Charles LeGrey, White's." The paper inside was coroneted and the writing splashed with tears; the note was very brief:

### CHAPTER II.

The castle of Doom, where the long line of the Earls of Morvah had reigned in feudal splendor, commanded St. Ives bay, and, like most of the Cornish castles, was quite close to the sea. On the ordnance map it was marked Carbis Castle, but for generations and generations Cornishmen had called it the Castle of Doom, for its owners had always met with some horrible fate. Not one earl of Morvah, not one Baron de Carbis before them, had died in the natural course, and the gloomy Nor-man keep on the brow of the beeding cliff, with the waves roaring in the galleries they had honeycombed beneath, seemed itself ominous. And now the long Mor-vah had dwindled down to two persons, Petrock, 18th earl, and Lady Gwendolin Carbis, the lily of Cornwall. The earls had been all sorts-soldiers of fortune, bandits, debauchers, spendthrifts, black-legs; they had only tallied in coming to a violent end. Earl Modred, the last, had been a miser and usurer, so grinding, so fiendishly brutal to his debtors and tenants, that a family of stalwart sons, ruined by one of the life tenaacies in vogue in Cornwall, and enforced upon their father's death with more than ordinary heartlessness, had turned upon their ruiner and killed him, though they all swung for it afterward. His miserliness made him keep up the family tradition; it had also an effect upon this history, for he left his savings to his daughter, which made her the highest heiress in the west of England. Earl "Lieut. Lovett's gone with two file of Petrock had no very distinguishing vices men and the guide to the top of the ridge except his ungovernable temper, he was a member of two or three crack fast clubs, at one of which he saw much of Charles Le

never came back, and the major said no more, for a volley from the ridge stretched him lifeless. Officer after officer, sergeant after serknew this, but for a man of his temperament the captain had a strong fascination. The Morvah blood was wild enough in all conscience, and there was nothing in gambling daredevilry that would stagger LeGrey. He had lived life to the dregs. At last, in an evil moment, the captain thought of Lady Gwen. Carbis' jointure as a means of satisfying his creditors. Lord Morvah was one of his most intimate friends, and he imagined that his consent went without asking. Hers was a more delicate matter. She might not think so well of a roue and debauche. Making her acquaintance was not difficult; he had only to learn from mutual friends what houses she went to, and as a member of the same set there were sure to be some where he would have the entree. So it proved, and Lady Gwen proved an easy victim. She At last, in an evil moment, the captain

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to his fall through so many feet of air, the expression of his face was ghastly beyond description. Those who saw the last Earl of Morvah, lying on a tavern table awaiting the coroner's inquest, were haunted by the scene till they died. The Castle of Doom was suffered to fall into decay. It seemed to have fulfilled its bode when its last owner followed the tradition of his family. The remainder of the history is contained in two letters:

From Major Gen. Hon. John Le Grey, com-manding Her Majesty's forces at the battle of Wady Issek to the Right Hon. Lord Hexham, Hexham Priors, Northumberland, England.

MY DEAR BROTHER,-Our favorite, but too wild brother Charles, has finished the stormy career which opened so brightly. I arrived just too late to save him at the battle of Wady Issek, where he had

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brother, and she, too, had the wild blood running strongly in her veins. The pure young girl gave her whole heart to her blase hero, whose exploits, it must be admitted, had many of them been on the battle field.

Not so Lord Morvah. Capt. Le Grey might be good enough to be his friend, but he was not good enough to be his sister's friend, much less her lover. Lady Gwen's spirit was equal to her brother's, she was her own mistress, and marry Charles Le Grey she would. Lord Morvah forbade him the house.

#### CHAPTER III.

On the highest point of ground of the St. Ives peninsula in Lord Morvah's park stood disused engine house, such as one sees dotted all over Cornwall, like castles battered in the civil war. One of the earls had had the resemblance heightened by adding battlements and putting in windows. It did for luncheon at shooting parties, for it saved going down to the castle and back, him in his private's uniform, holding up the and the telescope at the top swept land and sea for miles and miles.

Outside this tower one autumn morning, while the mist was still thick enough to hide every thing a few miles away, stood Capt. Charles Le Grey. He was kept sometime waiting, and occupied the time-for his breakfast had been of the very scantiest-in picking the glorious blackberries that grew across the mouth of the disused and unprotected shaft. As it is usual in breakneck places, they grew to perfection, but he had to use the greatest precaution in gathering them, for it was hard to make out where was terra firma and where only matted vegetation veiling the black abyss below.

At length from out of the mist emerged a beautiful young girl, having the line nostrils and the short upper lip, and the slender, well poised figure and feet which we associate with high breeding, as well as the sky-colored eyes and sun-colored hair which have been goodly in the eyes of man since Helen of Troy made them the fashion. She flung herself into his arms passionately.

"My darling, my darling, they shan't separate us." Then recovering herself quickly, she held up the key of the tower and entreated him to release her and open t. "The mist will be off soon and my brother may discover my absence. From the windows of the tower we could mark his movements."

sion; "your brother has discovered your absence." And Lord Morvah appeared, carrying a horse-whip, attended by two or three of his servants with cudgels. Capt. Le Grey was unarmed, except for the walking-stick he had used in climbing the hill. Lord Morvah made a dash at him to horsewhip him. The captain eluded the blow and the peer fell forward. There was a crash of breaking brambles, then a horrible silence, and then-it seemed an age after-

The Earldom of Morvah was extinct The servants struck at Le Grey with their cudgels, but Lady Gwen stepped between, white as a sheet, though too thunderstruck to weep. "Lord Morvah is killed; you are my servants; leave this gentleman alone "My first and last darling": "After this and go to the nearest mine for a relief Major-General.

II. From Major-General the Hon. John Le Grey, commanding Her Majesty's forces at the battle of Wady Issek to Sister Gwendolin, at the cenvent of the Watchers, Rome.

MADAM:—Herewith I beg to return to you the miniature of yourself which you gave to my late lamented brother, Capt. Charles Le Grey, together with the letter written by you to him. The stains on the letter and picture are blood, for he was carrying them next to his body when he fell fighting glorious-ly in the service of his country, at the battle of Wady Issek. (Here, as in the last letter, followed a des-cription of the battle.) Madam, you must excuse a stranger venturing to address you thus, but I felt stranger venturing to address you thus, but I felt that you would like to hear of the noble ending of one who had such a tragic influence on your life. Madam, excuse a bad, untidy letter from a sorrow-ing brother, and believe me yours faithfully, JOHN LE GREY,

Major-General.

The poor sinful body of Charles Le Grey does not lie in the sands of the desert, but in the great cathedral, whose golden cross shines over the last beds of Nelson and Wellington, whither it was transported at the cost of the last of the house of Morvah. A memorial brass, inconspicuous, but with an exquisite relief of the battle. showing sword to give the signal for forming the square. records that it was erected by Sister Gwendolin, in affectionate memory of Private, the Honorable Charles LeGrey, of the Queen's Own, late Captain in Her Majesty's Rifle Brigade, who fell in the moment of victory while gallantly commanding his regiment after it had been denuded of its officers at the battle of Wady Issek.-Douglas Sladen.

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you-I can never see you again. But, by them, I entreat you to return to town, I my hope of heaven, I am yours and yours cannot see you now; I will write to you at only till I die. She whose fondest wish your club." She never saw him again. He on earth was to be your wife. G. C."

them to their wallet, put them in his pocket. "Bring the body to my tent," he commanded, and they hastily knocked up a stretcher, and on it they laid the body of Determinent to alter her decision, and as with-out her property his affairs were desperate, he resigned his commission and enlisted in the ranks of another regiment as Private Harris. Pte. Harris, with the boy-officer's sword in his hand, and the tattered colors of the regiment laid over his body as if he had been by commission as well as by fact their had tallen into deep water; only, whether it commander. had tallen into deep water; only, whether it was due to the passion in which he died or

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