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Well, what are we to say ?' asked the latter returning Hargreave's look with one of contempt.
'I will satisfy your claim,' said the youth

in a tone of cold gravity.

'You,' exclaimed the factor; 'why you are nothing but a poor travelling artist, and how can you pay thirty-five pounds seven and ninepence for another man?

'That is no business of your's, sir. 'HI choose to make an effort to get this poor victim from under your claws that does not give you a right to make personal remarks or ask personal questions. Show me your claim on Mr. Cushaleen, and, if just, I will settle it.

'Och, long life to your honour's honour,' cried Michael, his countenance beaming

with joy.
'Sure and it's ashamed I am of your kindness,' said Terry, 'but the ould man doesn't owe Masther O'Brady a farthing. It's all the other way, for everybody at Dundarra knows that my father was robbed.

'I understand what you mean,' interrupted interrupted Hargreave. 'Of that it is not necessary now to speak. 'Your claim, sir,' he added, turning to O'Brady.

The factor handed him a paper which the youth glanced at.

'This,' he observed, merely purports to be a receipt from you for the sum named, but it gives no particulars of the debt, how Mr. Cushaleen comes to owe you this sum.

'Oh, then he doesn't owe this to you, but to the proprietor of Dundarra,' remarked Hargreave. 'Well, it's all the same. I'm factor on

agement.' So I understand, returned Hargreave Mike O'Rafferty repent of his perfidy. gravely. 'But this receipt, to be a proper one, must be signed by you for the landloid.'

land. 'Mr. O'Brady,' returned Hargreave, firmly, 'in this instance you have to deal with one who knows what your powers as a factor are. You have the liberty, it would appear, to oppress the tenants, but in certain things there is a law for you as well as for them; and Mr. Cushaleen is not bound to The undersigned official assignee gives notice take that sort of receipt from you. Now, if also that he will at the same time (or as soon you choose to make out a regular statement thereafter as counsel can be heard) apply to of your claim as factor against him, and bring the said Judge for his discharge from the office of official assignee, and that his final account is open for inspection at his office in the Town of you will not be paid, and I shall see that you don't lay a finger on the furniture of this

cettage. 'Who are you?' asked O'Brady, considerably astonished. Never mind who I am.' was the answer. Do as I say and receive the money, or take your own course and want it."

'By jabers, and if making out the account will bring the cash, I'll run up and do it. Larry, you don't go out o' this. Maybe its mind you don't budge till I return.'

what he was about. Finding his official assistant so thoroughly alive to his duty, the factor made a quick exit, and took his way

now satisfied with it, paid the money into O'Brady's hands. The greedy fingers of the of which he could see from the long and nar-

'Terry,' he added, turning to the young roofed trishman, 'if Mr. O'Brady doesn't leave tation. this house in less than two minutes, I would advise you to kick him out.' Faix, and it's just myself that would be

a vigorous application with his foot.

The factor did not deem it prudent to following at the heels of Larry, who had by this time quietly slipped into the street.

who had manifested such magnificent gene- a hole in one corner, while three white deal as tell of one.' rosity, Michael and Terry overwhelmed him boxes lay on the ground beside them. with a torrent of grateful thanks, though the expressions of Terry were interlarded with fierce maledictions, directed against the fac- nightcap along with it.

Hargreave received the fervent demonstration with quiet good humour, and when its first force was somewhat exhausted he asked Michael if he had kept the factor's former receipts. 'Sure and I have, ver honour,' replied

the old man. 'Then put that beside, them, and keep the whole safe. They may prove useful some

So saying, Hargreave returned to his room. took up his drawing portfolio, and calling and equal for accommodation to any in the Dash from his slumbers in the corner, went out for a sketching ramble.

ing styles and second to none in the Province. himself. 1'll not forget that, and I'll have grass which grew near. revenge on him for it, if he stays long in Dundarra. A fellow like him will be apt to how,' remarked one, when the work was put evil notions into the minds of the tenants; finished. but, by jabers, it I find he's doing that, 'I have fitted up the above rooms specially for T. Gourley, Photographer, and parties desiring pictures would do well to give him a call.'

J. KNOWLSON.

J. KNOWLSON. did 1 ot look quite a stranger to me, but who it is he resembles I can't recollect. But let him beware—Jacob O'Brady never yet proved.

ed a harmless enemy.'

As the factor finished this soliloquy, he reached the closed door of Mik's cabin. As on the former occasion, so now, Mike was alone, and sat quietly smoking when O'Bra-

said the visitor, as he rubbed his hands to- safe tae let on, this is sic a lawless kintry.

told you where to go and what to take.'
And much trouble you had in doing that,' good for your health." 'Have you forgot the bargain, Mike? without a feeling of dread.

ye won't like.' was no use to argue with his antagonist, and work. there was nothing for it but to take his leave Andrew was satisfied on this point when whoop from Terry, who immediately began wowing in his heart that he would yet make he went up with Norah's breakfast. The to caper round the enclosure, and throw up

CHAP. VIII.

AND ENDS WITH TERRY IN LUCK. Though Andrew made no objection to remain at the lonely ruin of Dundarra Castle

My dafiness was not so easy tae be acted.

All that day his mind was filled with the 'My dafiness was not so easy tae be acted.

But what's tae be as the guardian of Norah, yet, after the departure of his master and Terry, he felt his situation to be rather a strange one. There he was, just arrived in a new country, nothing of which he had yet seen, and engaged in an exciting adventure. The termination of a warre of it his lave of instice would be important. All that day his mind was filled with the counted for as yours. But what's tae be done subject, and he was puzzled to decide whether or not to inform his master. He believed that his own safety would be imperilled by disclosing the secret, and he was not so easy tae be accounted for as yours. But what's tae be done subject, and he was puzzled to decide whether or not to inform his master. He believed that his own safety would be imperilled by disclosing the secret, and he was puzzled to decide whether or not to inform his master. He believed that his own safety would be imperilled by disclosing the secret, and he was puzzled to decide whether or not to inform his master. He believed that his own safety would be imperilled by disclosing the secret, and he was puzzled to decide whether or not to inform his master. He believed that his own safety would be imperilled by disclosing the secret, and he was puzzled to decide whether or not to inform his master. He believed that his own safety would be imperilled by disclosing the secret, and he was puzzled to decide whether or not to inform his master. He believed that his own safety would be imperilled by disclosing the secret, and he was puzzled to decide whether or not to inform his master. He believed that his own safety would be imperilled by disclosing the secret, and he was puzzled to decide with the boxes?'

all sides by rocks and crags, it is scarcely geance of the murderers. worse than man-the silence and solitaria dodge to shut the house against us, but ness of the spot, therefore, caused him little he was drawn as if by fascination to the night and watch for them. Suppose we put as to say he was wide awake, and knew time, his situation was not very disagreea- twilight, before the beams of the moon grew Bedad, but that would be a nate trick

worse to bear. As it was of the utmost impor- over the grave. In about an hour he returned with the account made out in full, and Hargreave being

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be inhabited, Andrew durst not issue forth
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On the third night after they had taken up their abode at the ruin, as Andrew lay halfasleep on the couch which he had construct- when the bolts were cautiously drawn, and For several nights they came and kept mighty glad to do it,' exclaimed Terry leap- ed for himself, he was aroused by some the door as cautiously opened. muffled sounds which broke the silence, and You insolent upstart painter, roared O'- listening more intently he heard the whisp- so slow and careful to-night? asked Har- booty. Dash would fain have accompanied

Brady, Il may live to pay you off for that, ering of human voices. Out with you, roared Terry, putting him- at once rose from his couch and approached self in an attitude whereby he might make the loop-hole which looked into the enclosure we have just mentioned, for the sounds seemed to come from that direction. The sleepin.'
full mean was high in the heaven, and cast 'Oh is that all. I am glad that nothing risk the result, but beat a precipitate retreat, full moon was high in the heaven, and cast a flood of light over all the rnin, and the calamitous has taken place here. It would When they were left alone with the youth fell on three men busily engaged in digging we had come to hear of a mistortune as well gence that two men had entered the enclos-Andrew was rooted te the spot with hor-

ror, and he felt his hair rising and lifting his prised if we had, for bad linck never comes

' Hae care on us a' he ejaculated, ' that's be in the boxes. Save us and keep us. they've cut it into three parts to bring it eas- them to his chamber, receiving the joyous ier up the mountains. Hech, but this is a savage kintry. A murder is naething tae the Irish folk. I've often heard that they shoot at tolk frae ahint the hedges, and fell them stane deid wi' cudgels, a' for little or naething, and faith I doot it's ower true. Here's been ane o' their midnight assassinations, and the body o' the victim is tae be hidden up in this out-o'-the-way place.'

While Andrew was thus cogitating, the three men continued their work, having dug T. G. would return his thanks for the very Meanwhile O'Brady had parted from Lar- the hole large enough for their purpose, they liberal patronage bestowed upon him for the past number of years, and he is now better prethe lonely cabin of Mike. pared than ever to suit the wants of the public 'He advised Terry to kick me out, did them, treading it well down with their feet. in the picture line, in the latest and most pleashe?' mutte.ed the factor vindictively to and bringing over it the nettles and tall ' Be jabers, and its safe enough here, any-

'Arrah, and its mesself that's ov the same

y entered.

'Enjoying pleasant meditations, Mike?' drew Donaldson was keekin' at he frae this heard this lang time.'

'Enjoying pleasant meditations, Mike?' hole. But losh preserve us, it may no be

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gether and smiled with satisfaction.

'You've just guessed it, Mischer O'Brady, sur, returned Mike, as he let out a white cloud, which curied up towards the black rafters.

'And I can guess the subject, too,' giggled the factor—'Terry Cushaleen's boxes of gold dust?'

And he had very true? laughed O'Brady. 'Ah, ha! very true,' laughed O'Brady. created an excitement which effectually ban-Yours now, of course—that is, one-half yours, and the other half mine. Where have 'you hid them?'

'Where nobody will have the luck to find them.'

'I have set but where 22 'I hope not, but where?' dreams were concerning murders, of which 'If I tould, somebody would be after hav-

ing the luck to find them.' 'Yes, but of course-I won't tell anyone. It is my interest as well as yours to have the place of concealment unknown.'

There are a work to have the place of concealment unknown.'

There are a not any or a limit. Interest to bring his agony to a climax, he imagined that he was now the victim. A fierce red-whiskered Irishman was kneeling on his breast with a bright knife in his hand, which he was Then don't ask to know where it is,' about to plunge into his throat. This occasaid Mike, emitting another cloudy puff.

'Oh, come Mike, that's not fair,' whisper- and Andrew, making a frantic effort to esed his visitor, there should be no secrets cape from his murderer, rolled from his couch between partners. Since we share alike, I uwon the floor, and awoke.

should know the place where the boxes are A thankful man was he when he lound in

was but a dream, and with a long sigh of re-'Share alike,' repeated Mike. 'Did ye lief he gathered himself up. His first act share in the trouble or the danger, Misther O'Brady? May be ye'll tell me ye were at the Gap o'Coil, and helped the boys and me to unload Barney Magee's waggon?'

'If I weren't there,' said the factor, 'I been disturbed, but he saw at a glance the patches of fresh earth that had not been trodden upon, and the broken stalks of nettles remarked Mike. 'It didn't cost you more than a walk across the common and that was Though it was now sunlight instead of moonlight, Andrew could not look upon the spot

Sure you remember that we were to go I never used tae tak' ony thocts into my down his pipe and crossing his legs, 'd'ye dered man haunts the spot where his body drew, with great composure think Mike O'Rafferty is fool enough to give lies buried till the murderers are fun' oot and 'And how could they away two thousand pounds when he is able brocht tae justice. If that's true, there's a here?' said Hargreave, who was not less to keep it. Bedad if that is your opinion I'll specific wandering about this runin, an' nae amazed than Terry himself. was done. It was clear that Mike meant to give him no share of the booty. His rage away frae this fearful place. I wonder if he saw, and the fear and perplexities he had and mortification were indescribable, but it Norah saw the vagabonds at their infernal experienced all that day.

ing of the midnight funeral; and, in fact, sly tone. Andrew soon made himself sure that she could not, for, on going to the loop-hole in over,' said Terry, whom the loss of breath her chamber, ke found that it did net com-

in an exciting adventure, the termination of which could not be conjectured.

Left alone in a solitary retreat with the poor wronged Norsh and her child prefect.

When he must appear as the principal with the poor wronged Norsh and her child prefect. poor wronged Norah and her child, periect- when he must appear as the principal wit- fingers at him into the bargain, the mane ly ignorant of the locality, and shut in on ness, and probably draw upon him the ven- thief o' the world.

After a long and deep deliberation, Anto be wondered at if he experienced strange thoughts and feelings. The dreary isolation drew came to the conclusion that he would have a great wind to know who stole your thoughts and feelings. of the place, and the weird mysticism which say nothing about it. If he had got the mathung over the deserted castle, would most ter entirely out of his mind at the same, trouble to find it out. certainly have produced on a superstitious it would have been an immense relief; but mind a sensation of nervous fear and timid- the near vicinity of that secret grave and the how. ity; but Andrew was a man of common possible neighbourhood of the wandering sense, and had no fear of any human being spirit of its murdered tenant, disturbed him short time they'll be back for the boxes. uneasiness, and as Mr. Hargreave brought loop-hole, and his eyes were fixed as by a the gold dust into other boxes and fill these him some books, wherewith to beguile the a spell upon the fatal corner. Once at the with stones. The close confinement of the castle was he thought he saw a white haze floating idea.

latter closed eagerly over it, and he quietly row loop-hole which let light and air into chuckled over the greenness and simplicity.

The greetly ingers of the count see from the long and har linto upon the oaken door, which was then the chuckled over it, and he quietly the chamber he occupied. There was signal that his master had come to visit him. as he considered them, of the wandering artist.

Sees artist.

Andrew hesitated a little about opening it his property. They removed the boxes to the same chamber; but the view from that was for he thought it might be the ghost imitative in the inside of the ruin, and Hargreave waited the ruin are the ruin and the ruin are the r Now, sir, said the youth, this releases this old man from your vindictive tyranny.

Same chamber; but the view from that was for ne mought it might be the ghost limited to a small enclosure surrounded by the ruined walls. Probably it had been the mittance; but in a moment or two he re-He is at last safe from all your malice. great hall of the castle, but now it was un- flected that a ghost could gain access inde- was put into execution. The deal boxes roofed and covered by a crop of rank vegependently of an open door. He therefore were filled with stones, and re-buried in the concluded that it would be in reality Mr. same spot; and before daybreak Terry and Hargreave.

Anything wrong Andrew that you are hope of seeing the robbers return for their

his eager face. 'No-naething,' answered Andrew, with with old Michael at Dundarra. apparent unconcern. 'I think I was half

moment he reached the loop-hole his eye have been a doubly bad business, Terry, if the time on the look-out, with the intelli-'Mighty bad, ver honour,' sighed Terry,

but there's run for it.' · I am sorry to say we bring evil tidings a grave they are howkin, and the body maun for Norah,' said Hargreave to Andrew, after be in the boxes. Save us and keep us the latter had refasted the door, and followed powers but they'll hev their trouble tor

> monster her husband.' . No, it concerns Terry. He has been robbed of all his California savings."

'I'm grieved to hear o't.' returned An-

lemonstrations of Dash by the way.

'That's vexin,' said Andrew in a concerned tone. 'Did the robbers break into yer drew. 'but there were three afore.' house? ' Faix. I wish that had been the way of it,' replied Terry, ' for one would have a chance f savin it, but the blackguards didn't let the

boxes come as far as Dundarra-· Boxes?' repeated Andrew, inquiringly. ' Yes, I had three of them filled with gold dust, and -. , 'Three?' cried Andrew, seizing Terry by

'Man alive, don't frighten me,' cried Terry. 'Three, yes three white boxes." · White?' cried Andrew again in breath- moment advancing. less excitement. 'Oh, musha, sure and he's gone crazy,'

said Terry, looking half bewildered at Har-

'Tell me, were they white wudden box- Terry. es,' repeated Andrew, with unabated excitement.

I say where is my share?' repeated the factor, addressing himself to Mike.

good to know,' answered Terry.

'Hurnah! hurrah!' shouted Andrew,
quitting his hold on Terry's arm, and dancswered O'Brady. 'I dogged your footsteps,
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'Is it ?' said Terry. 'Then its mesel,

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takes the liberty to think that yer mighty aisy plaised with news." And me been frichtenin' myself a' day

who considered that Andrew's senses had quite deserted him.
'Murder!' roared Andrew. 'That's just

what I thocht. Three coffins for ae body, and a funeral at midnight. Od, I can lauch at it noo, but a feard heart had I at the time. 'For heaven's sake, Andrew, explain

Come here, sir; come baith o' ye,' said Andrew, beckoning them towards the loop-

They silently obeyed, and the Scotchman pointing with his finger, remarked-Dae ye see you corner, that the mune's licht fa's sae sweetly on? Let us gang and howk words howk yonder, and we'll find something

worth while. 'Pooh, pooh! you are fooling us,' said Hargreave impatiently.
'Am I?' returned Andrew coolly. 'Then

come wi' me, and I'll tak the fire-shovel and howk mysel.'

"Thunder and ouns, if these aren't my head aboot specifis, he said to himself, but boxes! exclaimed Terry.

'Misther O'Brady,' said Mike, laying maist folk believe that the ghost o' a mur"There's nae doot o' that,' returned An-

'And how could they possibly come

The recital was met by a wild joyous

alone caused to stop.

'Terry,' observed Hargreave, who had been musing while the others talked. . I

'Well, then, it's meself that doesn't know very seriously. Fifty times during the day Now, you and I can come up here every

'There, that's the speciit noo,' he said to down to. Dundarra at once, and bring up a transfer the dast, and fill the boxes with

Hargreave reached Dundarra with the pre-The latter was about to repeat the kneck, clous gold in their possession.

greave anxiously, while Terry who stood them, but Hargreave durst not trust his pre-behind him asked the same question with sence lest his bark should betray them, so he had to remain in great discontentment For several nights, as we have said, they watched in vain, but at length Hargreave and Andrew were shaken out of a sound sleep by Terry, whose turn it was to be at

> 'And bedad, I know who the blackguards are,' said Terry in a vehement whisper. 'It's Mike O'Railerty and one of his boys. and sure all the country side knows that they don't make an honest living. Be the

nothing this time anyhow.' His two companions were instantly ontheir feet and went to the loophole to have drew. 'It will be something about that a view of the scene. The moon was now on the decline, but her light was still strong enough to enable them to see the persons of

those outside. 'There's two o' them,' whispered An-'Mike has another broth of a boy,' re-

other figure glided in, and kept in the shadow behind the other two. 'Na, that's a fatter man,' returned Andrew. 'Whist, they are speaking.'

'And where is my share?' said a deen voice, the figure in the shadow at the same

Both men gave a roar and leaped some paces backward. 'That is O'Brady,' exclaimed Hargreave. 'The ould blackguard himself,' muttered

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wi' thochts o' a ghaist,' cried Andrew bursting into a roar of laughter.
Oh murder! murder! exclaimed Terry,

yourself, said Hargreave, who had witnessed his servant's behaviour with unmitigated

Not knowing what to make of it, they accompanied Andrew to the outside, and he led them into the enclosure, and began to dig with great alacrity in one corner. The earth was very soft, and the shovel easily removed it. Presently the latter struck on wood, and somethink white appeared in the moonlight; Andrew bent down, and with great quickness, lifted three boxes, one after the other, and laid them on the ground.

take it as an insult, and resent it in the way doot it will expect me tae bring the crime Andrew, who was breathing pretty hard Jacob O'Brady began now to see that he I tell, and, by tellin, wha kens but I may and told what had transpired on the previous

> latter received him with her usual equnim- his heels in the most extravagant manner. ity. It was evident that she had seen noth- 'Wha's daft noo,' observed Andrew, in a

> > 'There's nae occasion,' returned Andrew.

strong enough to dispel the evening shadows, upon them,' said Terry. grinning at the

watch along with Andrew in the ruins, in

ure and were busy digging at the corner.

marked Terry. 'And there he is,' said Hargreage as an-

'Here they are, all three of them,' said Mike, as he lifted up the boxes. 'I'll take two and vou'll take one.'

'Troth and they were, if it'll do ye any 'How did you manage to come here?'

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