A LOVER'S SONG.

where the sun sinks at close of day,
There's where my thoughts are flying;
As I gaze, I seem to see a face,
And my heart pursues my thoughts apace,
While the sunset glow is dying.

Over the bull-Over the hills and far away,

Over the hills and far away Over the him and far away
I will journey myself some day—
I will match the birds in flying;
I will find my sweetheart true to me,
And glad, ah glad, will our greeting be,
With a gladness that knows no dying.
—Elizabeth Harman, in Overland Monthly



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CHAPTER I .- CONTINUED.

The fellow was bound to be a source of anxiety to me as long as he had the power to speak, but I could not well murder him outright. Fortunately, his patois was wellnigh unintelligible to ears untrained to the dialect of the southern negro, and, if my plan worked, he would ere long meet his deserts in one of the British prison hulks, the horrible reputation of which was now widespread. I have small doubt that he thought he was coming to his death when I ordered spread. I have small doubt that he thought he was coming to his death when I ordered him up, for, like the slave he had once been, he cringed and writhed at my feet, begging for his life in a manner both disgusting and pitiful. Yet, for all his gratitude at my promise to spare him on condition of his silence, I felt that, were it in his power, he would have knifed me as I stood. I had no fear that he knew of my hidden gold, Lounsbury having been far too shrewd to take for partners men of the character of the crew, bury having been far too shrewd to take for partners men of the character of the crew, he probably having seduced them with promises of some ready cash, backed with visions of prize money and the high favor of British officers. I had a warrant for thus believing, for my mate had suddenly lowered his voice as he referred to the treasure below, in all likelihood for the purpose of concealing from the man at the wheel its presence on board the schooner.

To the fellow at my feet, whose name, I now mind me, was "Stofe" (probably a corruption of Christopher), I made no promise for the future, only saying I would hold my hand for the present, and then ordered him to take in the jib and staysail, that the Phantom might lay in the wind and meet her fate as soon as possible.

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Indeed, I had expected ere this to have had a shot acorss my bows and another one into me for not obeying the hint of the first, an action which had so far been impossible. I fancied (and afterward found I was right) they were nonplussed at the queer semanship displayed by the drunken progress of the Phantom. It had been thought, may have that as but the research the progress of the progress of the phantom. ship displayed by the drunken progress of the Phantom. It had been thought, may-hap, that, as but two men showed on our deck, we had a host below, and that, in the disguise of a simple trader, we were intend-ing to delude them and lay them aboard with little ceremony; or, failing in this, were adopting some uncouth mode of warfare on the sea, as strange to them as is the Indian land method to the European regular.

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It was with a feeling akin to shame that when the forward halyards were let go I had the negro bend the Stars and Stripes to the ensign halyard, placing the flag union down and under the flaming bunting of the enemy. These were hoisted to the mainpeak, and thus I had set a sign of surrender before surrender was called for, but as a part of my plan it became a hard necessity.

CHAPTER II.

ALIAS CAPT. LOUNSBURY.

Now the headsails being let go with a run and hanging loose over the bow, the foresail and its traveling blocks giving out a deafening protest against its slack sheet, the mainsail joining in the thundering chorus, and the wheel jerking violently hither and thither with the kick of the rudder, we were sufficiently heavend the wavel order of things sufficiently beyond the usual order of things sufficiently beyond the usual order of things to suit my purpose, and my trump card, in the shape of a dead man lying in the scupper, lay clear to the eye of anyone who might board us. The sight was uncanny enough, and my instinct was to have the negro heave the body over board; but, as it was to be a silent witness to the story I was about to tell, I let it bide, though, as the sequel showed, 'twould have saved me a sight of trouble to have followed my first impulse. I confess that my heartbeats took on additional force and frequency as I stood and

tional force and frequency as I stood and watched the schooner's nearer approach. She came on to within easy gunshot, and swung into the wind, all of a flutter from stem to stern, and then "lay to" with her headsails full aback. From the scarlet flag at her peak to her clean cutwater she was an object of beauty, though in a light air I doubt she would have slid her keel through the brine with greater speed than would the Fhantom, which had been built for fleetness and rapidity in stays.

With my wits by this time well about me, and my wounds bleeding but little (as was shown by the few drops that now drupped from my fingers' and). I stood by the below

from my fingers' ends), I stood by the helm and took in every detail of the enemy, from

and took in every detail of the enemy, from
the crowd at her davits to the long brass
piece forward of the foremast, the gun being
trained point blank at me.

The stranger worked with the alacrity of
man-of-war, for the schooner had barely
lost her way when I saw a boat drop from
her larboard quarter and pull toward us,
while another came around her bow and followed. They were both filled with wellarmed men, as could be seen by the glitter
of musketry, and the way they came over
the whitecaps showed their temper. It
showed temper, too, in the smart manner showed temper, too, in the smart manner they boarded me, the first boat hooking on to the main channels, the men clambering out with scarcely a shout and no questions, and in a twinkling I beheld half a score of them on my deck, they, I fancy, being mightily surprised at having met with no re-

The crisis was now at hand, and I played my first card with something of the despera-tion of a ruined gambler. Striding up to an officer whom I saw coming aft with bare

"Ye show scant courtesy in boarding me,
ir. Had you turned up an hour agone,
'twould have been to some purpose."
"Who in h—l are you? Where's the capain of this ship?" was the excited rejoinder.
Now there was something about the tone man bred to the sea, much less to the regu-lar service, for, though I then had small knowledge of the uniforms of the British, I knew that which graced the back of the offione me "as not of his majesty's navy, | wish). I was not so sure

I knew it by its cut and garniture, and the land flavor of the man lay also in the fact that he wore a forage cap and carried a cavthat he wore a forage cap and carried a cav-alry saber instead of a cutlass. His face, too, lacked the true sea tan, its fair complexion showing the effects of unusual exposure to sun and wind. What his rank might be I had no idea, and speculation was lost in the quick retort that naturally rose to my lips. "Who are you, sir, to tumble aboard a prize of his majesty's in this fashion? Ye stand in need of a lesson in marine manners

prize of his majesty's in this tashion? I estand in need of a lesson in marine manners as well as marine matters. Do ye hope to judge of a craft's cargo by a squint at her hatch cover, or of a man by the cut of his jib? Think not to deceive yourself or me! I know my rights, and also know the different hatch the property of a see his property of the second standard second ce betwixt the cry of a sea bird and a hen-

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If I had any doubt as to the official position of the officer, it was set at rest by the subdued laugh that came from the group about us. Piqued by the sound of mirth from those he had no power to punish, his face turned to an ugly red, and, litting his saber as though to cut me down, he shouted:
"You insolent dog! I will make you sweat for this! Lay hold of him, some of you! Tie the villain up! Damnation! are you all cowards?" he continued, as there was a shuffle of feet, though no one approached me. There is no telling what might have been the upshot of this dispute had there been no interruption, for the fellow seemed deter-

There is no telling what might have been the upshot of this dispute had there been no interruption, for the fellow seemed determined to use his saber on me. But, fortunately for one of us, we were joined by another officer, whom I afterward found had come from the second boat.

"Hold hard, Scammell! You are not handling one of your own dragoons! What is this all about? You fly the signal of a prize, sir," he continued, turning to me; "how comes it you are alone? Who and what are you?"

"I am Captain Jack Lounsbury, bearing instructions from Sir Henry Clinton, as that cockatrice might have found ere this had he used a smooth tongue. This is my prize—a Yankee schooner laden with lead for New London, and taken by me single-handed. There lies her skipper, and all but one of her crew are overboard." And with this I pointed to the body of my mate.

I had hardly spoken when two marines came aft with the negro Stofe betwixt them. He was trembling like a sail in the wind, and hung his head as though he had lost all strength to lift it. I was looking for an exposure on the instant, but the officer waved them back with a motion. There was an unspoken but plainly shown respect for me in the demeanor of the crowd as its gread away. The two officers stood for a moment in undisguised wonder at the recital of my prowess, giving alternate glances at the body and myself, and then the last comer, who

m unasguised wonder at the recital of my prowess, giving alternate glances at the body and myself, and then the last comer, who was plainly the one in authority, spoke.

"You alone did this? By St. George, Sommell, you came near getting into a mess! I promised to show you a sea scrimnage, but not the kind you were hatching. Let us have further warrant of these facts."

mess! I promised to show you a sea scrimmage, but not the kind you were hatching. Let us have further warrant of these facts." he continued to me. "Who was he?" pointing toward the scupper, "and when did this happen? Let us come by the papers."

"Yonder fellow is Donald Thorndyke, the master till I overcame him," I answered. "I shipped as mate. If you will go below we can come by the whole matter," I replied, not caring to extend my yarn with the negro within hearing. "Or, better, we can take what we there find and go aboard before your captain, where the whole matter may be boiled down at one sitting."

"Twould be a saving of time, certainly," he answered, "but we'll hear the yarn while the schooner is being searched; of course, you understand the importance of the form." And he turned to a sea corporal and gave him the necessary orders. "Now, sir, I am at your service," he said, crossing the deck toward the cabin companion. Hesitating there, he seemed to hang in the wind for an instant, and then strode over to the body. "Did you shoot him?" he asked, as he bent over the prostrate form.

"Nay, I struck him," I answered.

"Faith, then," he returned, sizing me up with a side glance, "I'd sooner take the chance of a bullet than a blow from that list if you struck in earnest! Did he wing you at the onset?"

"Nay, nay; 'twas a nigger striving to knife."

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"Nay, nay; 'twas a nigger striving to knife
me in the back. Let's below. Mayhap ye
have a doctor aboard who will fix up a bad
cut."
Through all this I was conscious of the eye

Inrough alt this I was conscious of the eye of Scammell fixed on me. Whether or not he was suspicious of me, or whether he was still boiling under the dressing I had given him, there were no means of telling. I saw plainly the resentment he made little effort to conceal, and felt that I had made an enemy who would be wightly glad to consess words. who would be mighty glad to cross swords with me on the slightest provocation. He was 28 or 30 in years, or about my own age, and was under me not two inches in stature, which is speaking well for him, as I stood three inches above six feet, unshod. By weight and brawn I well overmatched him (as I did nost men), especially in the latter. weight and brawn I weil overmatched nim
(as I did most men), especially in the latter
quality of physique; but he made a typical
dragoon officer, and would be a formidable
antagonist in any field.

I might hope for little mercy if ever I fell
into the rower of this man fey more.

into the power of this man, for mercy was a quality which, strained or unstrained, he and his fellows had naught to do with. This and an sellows and adapt to do with. This is made sure of on getting into the cabin, where in course of conversation it turned out that he was a captain in De Lancy's Loyal Legion, a body of tory cavalry half freebooters and half in the regular server. Per land the property of the course of the I had heard of them, as who has not? Be-twixt New York and Philadelphia and the

country surrounding both places they were a terror, the malignancy equaling if not surpassing the rapacity of Tryon himself.

I itched to get my fingers on him then and there, that there might be one less blood-sucker above ground, but policy held me from the property of the property o committing an act which probably would have at once wrought ruin to my plans and have at once wrought ruin to my plans and left my poor mother without a son. I was, therefore, bound to treat him with civility, which I did when a word to him was necessary, but I fancy we each knew the other was but skipping over the thin ice of polite-

Being, as it were, in the enemy's lines, I 'ollowed the bent of the licutenant, and laughed loudly and long over the puzzlement (as he called it) into which the Phantom had led them. I drank to the king and damned the rebels; told a story of being a free lance under elastic instructions from Sir Henry Clinton, and how I had taken the vessel by killing Captain Thorndyke and besting the crew. In short, I put myself into my mate's former place as nearly as was possible, following his coarse manner and uncouth language, exhibiting the rough and exhibiting the rough and uncouth language, character befitting a fellow of his

But, beyond Sir Henry's signature, never a line did I show them or tell the nature of my orders; and that for the best reasons, for I knew little of the business myself, not hav-

In my turn at questioning I found that the enemy was the Sprite, an American capture, refitted and renamed, one of the last of Howe's fleet as (Lounsbury had surmised),

Howe's fleet as (Lounsbury had surmised), bearing two passengers beside her usual complement of men, and bound for New York to meet General Clinton, thet on his overland trip from Philadelphia to that city.

Now we had been sitting below for upward of an hour, drinking my rum and making game of the rebels on land and sea (though once, when I spoke of John Paul Jones, I saw I was on dangerous ground, and belayed my tongue, cursing the liquor for having loosed it), when the companion way was darkened by a marine, who, jerking a salute, said, with a scarcely controlled grin: lute, said, with a scarcely controlled grin:

"We have another prisoner, sir."

"Another!" exclaimed the lieutenant, starting up and giving me a stern look.

"What's the meaning of this, Lounsbury?

Are you dealing fairly?"

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to the deck.

I have faced death since, and well-nigh shaken hands with it, but never did the knowledge of its nearness affect me as did the words of the marine; and 'twould take more than money to make me go through a like thirty seconds, or the time it took me to get from the cabin.

Lounsbury had been moved, and lay on his back on the deck with his head resting on the edge of the helm grating. He was soaking from the sousing that had brought him to life, but I sent up a mental thanksgiving on the discovery that it had not also brought him to reason. The sole sign of vitality lay in the fact that he breathed. There was a hoarse and hollow tone at each heave of his broad cheet, which I knew to be due to his broken head; and though I felt him to be a deadly enemy and a charnel house for morals there was a pity in it to see the abject helplessness of the once powerful figure as it sprawled on the hot, white planking.

Scammell stooped for the man's pulse, peering closely into his face the while, and then for a moment the whole load of anxiety came back on me as he straightened up and said:

"I have seen this fellow before, though I

said:
"I have seen this fellow before, though I fail to place him as Thorndyke. He looks



I drank to the King, and d-d the rebels.

like the chap who escaped from the rebels

like the chap who escaped from the rebels after spiking the guns near White Plains. But that was before we took New York. Why the d—l can't I remember names?"
Here again was mighty dangerous ground, for Scammell was right, though I knew nothing of it then nor until the war was over. The spiking of the guns was an old story, but it had been long agone, and I was only aware of the bald fact. However, I felt that he had struck a scent, which if followed up (and I fancied him the man for it) might, nay, would, be likely to drive me to bay.

It was well, then, that at that moment a recall gun sounded from the off-lying schooner. It seemed to wake the lieutenant to the fact that time had gone, and that the sun was well toward its setting. Without more ado a guard was left on the vessel until a report could be made to the captain of the Sprite, and with the others I went along, that I might again tell my tale and get my knife-thrust into proper dressing. knife-thrust into proper dressing.

CHAPTER III. A VOLUNTARY PRISONER.

Darkness was well settled on the sea, though there still hung a faint, hot glow in the west when I had finished my business

on the Sprite.

Barring the baleful eye of Scammell, there had been nothing to mar the proceedings ir making a report in harmony with my story The dragoon's silence and steady gaze were a trifle disconcerting, and the knowledge of the captured black (who had been conveyed

a trille disconcerting, and the knowledge of the captured black (who had been conveyed to the Sprite), coupled with the feeling that Lounsbury might return to his senses and spring a mine beneath me, served to keep my nerves at a tension which became wellnigh unbearable.

There had been a number in the elegant cabin, but of them I wot not, save that most of them got hot with liquor. For a sight of it had been taken, even the captain having his judgment crossed and his jollity increased by constant recourse to the bottle.

And here let me say that, in my poor opinion, both the length and cruelty of the war were helped more than a little by this never-ending taking aboard of "Dutch courage." Had it made men battle in proportion to their boasting, 'twould have served some proper end, but I never found that I could fight better with eyes and wits tangled with liquor, and, in fact, though I preach not, never touched it when in trouble save as on this occasion—to keep up appearances.

And even on this occasion I had still the

this occasion-to keep up appearances And even on this occasion I had still the apper hand of what I drank, and noticed that Scammell was nursing himself as well; but, aside from we two, 'twas a noisy crowd that tumbled to the deck to see me back to the Planton.

the Phantom.

I had made myself mighty popular during my short stay aboard. A change of berths had been offered me, but I had small notion I had made mysen mines. I had made mysen mines to my short stay aboard. A change of berths had been offered me, but I had small notion of shooner to be a Yankee trader. There was a Yankee sailor captured and a Yankee captain dead, and why should there be suspicions?—and there were none in the mind of the lieutenant; but of his friend, the dragoon, who had come aboard for a bit of dangerous play (and had nigh achieved his wish), I was not so sure.

I had made mysen mines of the my short stay aboard. A change of berths had been offered me, but I had small notion cargo, though I put it on the ground of forfeiting prize money if I deserted her. A crew of five men were given me (which would make a small claim for salvags in fastory of the Sprite), and now, with the dector, who was to give a hand to Lounsbury, I stood by the side while laying a small wish), I was not so sure.

I had little heart in the laugh and last handshake to the rest, and was about put-ting foot on the side steps to pass to the boat that was swinging high and low on the running seas, when my attention was caught by the face of a girl who rose through the companion and stood startlingly clear against the black background of the night. The bright lamplight from the cabin flooded and brought out every detail of her features. It was but the face and bust I saw, the open door cutting off the lower part of her figure, but 'twas the face of an angel, and for an instant I forgot to move, looking at her as I would at a beautiful picture.

And a picture she made as she stood there turned toward us. High breeding showed in the delicate contour of chin and cheek, dark boat that was swinging high and low on the

the delicate contour of chin and check, dark eyes and clearly cut straight nose, but 'twas the small mouth with its fine red lips half open as though in inquiry that held me by its sweetness, while the mass of auburn hair, dressed high, as was the fashion of the times, ways a truch of respective a burn of the control of

"What's the meaning of this, Louisbury:

Are you dealing fairly?"

I was as surprised as he, and had no answer to make, but before my confusion became manifest the marine again spoke.

"Tis the dead man come to life, sir. We were flushing him an' the deck, an' 'twas the water as fetched him, sir."

"Glad I am 'tis no worse,'' said the officer with a laugh. "I feared I smelled a trick. You American-born are the devil and all at playing deep games, and, faith' for a second I thought you might have cozened me. Let us to the deck."

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I had sudden reason to turn my curse from the liquor, for had it not been in me I doubt not I would have fallen backward. Like a drowning man, I had visions passing through my mind with a rapidity that makes description impossible. My very strength gave out for the moment, but there was enough left to get me to my feet and follow the others to the deck.

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"An'ye know not Mrs. Badely, Sir Henry's light-o'-love? Tis a shame that king's officially light-o'-love? Tis a shame that king's offic lass, though, in my mind, she'll have little to do with the likes o' him after setting foot ashore.

shore."

From this and other rambling talk I gathered that the Sprite was taking two ladies from Philadelphia to New York—ladies high in favor with Gen. Clinton—and that one of them, Mrs. Badely, was the famous beauty to whom the doughty knight had given his heart without the honorable accompaniment of his hand and name. Her notoriety had even spread beyond the British lines, and much of the opportune inactivity of the enemy was explained as due to the fascination of his mistress and the inability of the commander to withdraw from her influence and take the field. take the field.

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Not to Be Thwarted.

Joseph Jefferson, in his younger days was never a man to be thwarted. It is said that he once even interrupted Jay Gould at a board meeting rather than detained over time in New York. Jefferson had lost the transfer check for his baggage and wanted to get that baggage rechecked without it. officials were in a great hurry and refused to listen to him. "If you haven't your check we can't tend to you for an hour," said one. "What!" cried the actor, bouncing about the platform, "we'll see about that! Is there any-body in authority here? Any director or anything?" "Well," sneered a burly baggage tosser, "there's Mr. Jay Gould baggage tosser, "there's Mr. Jay Gould in the board room. "Fetch him!" cried Mr. Jefferson. "Fetch him this instant!" "What?" asked the astonished porter. "Well, then, I shall get him myelf." and he dashed upstairs into the office and proceeded to explain things to Mr. Gould. New, Jay Gould was a man who did not fancy interruptions to business, so when the panting employe entered and asked: "Shall I give him the baggage?" the financier replied:
"Give him the baggage? Can't you see who he is? I have work to do nim the depot if he wants it!"-Troy Times.

Generosity takes two forms: one pats ts object on the shoulder, the other on the heart. It is the province of royalty lone to act the host as did the sultan of Turkey recently, when he poured into the hands of the kaiserin of Germany a handful of diamonds, the smallest of which was worth over \$2,000; but a kindlier and more imitable example was once set by the grandfather of the kaiser. Just 20 years ago Kaiser Wil-liam I. visited Baden-Baden and strolled Two peasants from the neighboring Black forest, evidently a young man and his sweetheart, wistfully eyed some little object, timidly asked its price and on hearing it, almost tearfully turned away. The grand and kind old kaiser had noted it all. The peasant pair had just reached the exit from the enclosure, when one of the people of the shop came up to them and placed a packet in their hands, with the words whispered low: "By the will of the kaiser."-Youth's Companion.

How She Used Chewing Gum. There is one young woman in New York who says that chewing gum is almost a necessary part of a young woman's dressing table. "Do you know," she says, "the other day I lost a big rhinestone out of one of my best hat-pins. I found the stone, but didn't know what to do, for I wear the pin all the time, and I was going to use it just then. If you only stop to think a minute there is nothing you can't do. I happened to think of chewing gum bought a piece, chewed it a little unti it was soft, put in the vacant place in my pin, like cement, and it has hardened there, and I don't believe it will

Not Elected.

During the hearing of a case in court the other day, a funny answer by the prisoner convulsed the court in laugh-ter. "Silence in the court!" thundered the magistrate. "The next person who laughs will be instantly ejected!" At this the prisoner burst out laughing. "Stop that foolish noise!" said the magistrate. "Well, I do call that hard!" said the prisoner. "You said you would eject the next person who laughed, and I am only waiting to see you carry out your promise."—Golden Days. Non-Territorial Expansion

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A Weak Memory.

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A local newspaper woman is a member of a colony of her sex in a downtown flat. Be was her turn this week to do the buying of the light housekeeping supplies. Probably she relied a little too implicity on her memory. Anyway, she was overheard at the 'phone calling up one of the big groceries: "I want a half dozen cakes of suppressed yeast!" she cried. And that was all of the order she could remember.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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