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PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL R. R. The time of the arrival and departure of the trains on the Pennsylvania Railroad, at Lancaster, has been changed, as follows:

READING RAILROAD.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

MONDAY, APRIL 24, 1869.

Great Trunk Line from the North and Northwest for Philadelphia, New York, Reading, Pottsville, Tanawaka, Ashland, Shamokin, Lebanon, Allentown, Boston, Ephrata, Litz, Lancaster, Columbia, &c.

Trains leave Harrisburg for New York as follows: At 5.30, 8.10, 11.20, noon, 2.00 and 4.00 p. m., connecting with similar trains on the Pennsylvania Railroad, and arriving at New York at 8.30, 11.45, 1.30, 4.45, 8.30, 11.45, and 1.30 p. m., respectively.

Reading and Columbia R. R. THURSDAY, APRIL 15th, 1869. PASSENGER TRAINS WILL BE RUN ON THIS ROAD, AS FOLLOWS:

NORTHERN CENTRAL R. R. Trains leave York for Wrightsville at 6.00 a. m. and for Lancaster at 8.00 a. m.

Photographs, &c. GOLDEN GIFTS. Parents to Families, Father to Daughter, Mother to Son.

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"With malice towards none, with charity for all, with firmness in the right, as God gives us to see the right, let us strive on to finish the work we are in; to bind up the nations' wounds; to

care for him who shall have borne the battle, and for his widow and his orphan, to do all which may achieve and cherish a just and a lasting peace among ourselves and with all nations."—A. L.

FRIDAY, MAY 28, 1869. No. 28.

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Nothing at All in the Paper.

Nothing at all in the paper to-day! Only a murder somewhere or other—A girl who has put her child away.

Miscellaneous.

Mr. King's Mother-in-Law.

"My dear, I think we are all here. We may go down to tea," said Mr. Jonas King to his wife, looking round upon a cheerful little company in his own house.

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"Did not ask him! What on earth did you ask him then?" "He—the knows what I mean."

"Are you crazy?" said Mrs. King. "No; but I soon will be," said the unfortunate man, clutching two handfuls of hair, as if about to tear them out.

"Mrs. King sunk on his shoulder at this sight, overcome." "Jonas," she cried, "whatever fate this man holds over our heads, be it disgrace or abject poverty, let us welcome it as preferable to this. You have me and the children left. We will bear it together."

"Bosh!" was the answer to this heroic speech. Mrs. King burst into tears. Mr. King rushed down stairs again and met Mr. Lining. A bright idea had struck him, and a new despair gave him fresh courage.

"Come up with me!" he said. "Do you see that woman weeping? Do you know who is the cause of it?" in low, concentrated tones. "Most certainly I do not," Mr. Lining answered.

"You are the cause of it." "Yes; she wants your room for mother, who is coming to live here; and you—you don't settle your business and go."

"This very extraordinary Mr. King." "Oh! confound your dignity and your surprises!" "Permit me to remind you—"

"Oh! yes, yes, I know; but out with it now. Anything is better than this suspense, man! My mother-in-law even is better—and that's what you've driven me to!" said the wretched being, tossing his hands aloft.

The guest answered, calmly, to this burst. "Let us step down stairs, Mr. King, and all I have to say can be soon dispatched."

"Jonas, don't go with him," shrieked Mrs. King; "he'll kill you, and just when we were going to be so happy with dear ma, and all."

"Dear ma! Oh, Lord!" ejaculated Jonas. "Ho! ho! ho!" laughed the stranger, after a stare of astonishment at Mrs. King.

In ten minutes Mr. Lining and port-nanteau were going down the street. His sole business, it appeared, was some message from Mr. King's early associates in Georgia. His host had so delayed hearing them, and at the same time so urged his staying, that he had thought he might as well "put up" in such comfortable quarters as at a hotel, during his visit to the city, which was only for a couple of days. As to the dreaded "youthful affair" of Mr. King, he made no allusion to it whatever.