### LIVE AND LET BE.

Live and let be! The Alpine heaven is bright;
Tired cloudlets sleep along yon azure sea;
Soft airs steal by and whisper, faint and light,
Live and let be!

Live and let be! Is it not well to rest
Sometimes from labor? Live as do the flowers?
Bask in the sunshine, lie on Nature's breast,
Not counting hours?

Not heeding aught, but on the pale, worn cheek
To feel the warm breath of the murmuring pine,
And watch on many a rose-flushed, heavy peak
Heaven's glory shine?

Is it not well? Sweet, too, at wandering eve
To list that melody of tinkling bells,
And hear old Echo in her distance weave
Endless farewells!

Night, too, hath here her music, deep and strong,
Of cataracts, solemn as an ancient psalm,
Whence the soul's fever, born in heat and throng,
Grows cool and calm.

Live and let be. It will be time enough
Hereafter to resume the great world's care,
When autumn skies are troubled, winds are rough,
And trees are bare.

Then to renew the fight, the cause rewaken,
Dare all the strife, the burden and the pain
Rally the weak; the downcast, the forsaken,
Lift up again.

And what thou doest then in peace begotten,
Shall show like peace, her looks and tones recall,
And, all the frail and faulty past forgotten,
Bring good to all.

Till then let nothing past or future vex
The untrammeled soul, 'mid Nature's freedom free
From thoughts that darken, questions that perplex.
Live and let be!

*—From the Spectator.*

### Mottoes.

From Life.

For a prize-fighter—"He that is down need fear no fall."

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For a Wall street speculator—"God tempers the wind to the shorn lamb."

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### Time Slipping Away.

"Excuse me, dearest," he said, disentangling himself.

Then he stalked to the edge of the veranda and fiercely demanded:

"Boy, what are you lurking about the front gate for at this time o' night?"

"Mornin' papers, sir?"

### A Bad Break.

"Yes," said the chairman sadly, "our temperance meeting last night would have been more successful if the lecturer hadn't been so absent-minded."

"What did he do?"

"He tried to blow the foam from a glass of water."

### A Hard Character.

Lawyer (to witness)—What is the defendant's character for veracity, Uncle Rastus?

Uncle Rastus—Vorrasity, sah? Why, I has seen dat Sam Johnsing eat a hull ham.

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Of all remedies, DR. HAND'S Pleasant Physic is the only one which cured my babe of constipation. JOHN WARE, Troy, N. Y.

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*HARRISBURG, PA., AUGUST 5, 1886.*

| | | MUTUAL LIFE. | NORTHWESTERN. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. 31, 1885. | Insurance in force | $368,952,337 00 | $110,710,861 00 |
| " | Admitted Assets | $108,431,779 00 | $24,238,046 00 |
| " | Payments to Policyholders | $14,402,049 00 | $2,637,794 00 |
| " | Premium Income | $14,708,902 00 | $3,785,045 00 |
| " | Dividend Paid Policyholders | $5,183,023 00 | $778,583 00 |
| " | Dividend Paid on each 1,000 Ins | $8 63 | $7 03 |
| " | No. of Policies in force | 120,888 | 50,100 |
| " | Average Dividend to each policy | $26 34 | $15 54 |
| " | Death Losses Paid | $5,930,034 00 | $1,049,004 00 |
| " | Death Losses Resisted | $92,782 00 | $59,000 00 |
| " | Expenses of Management | 12.3 Per Cent. | 16.6 Per Cent. |

And in order to expose the true inwardness of the Northwestern's PROGRESSIVE DIVIDENDS, we quote from the Insurance Commissioners of Pennsylvania Life Reports for the year stated:

NORTHWESTERN.

| | Insurance in Force. | Premium Income. | Dividends Paid Policyholders. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1876 | $ 67,400,191 | $2,565,805 | $825,450 |
| 1877 | 64,410,847 | 2,292,341 | 870,727 |
| 1878 | 61,441,014 | 1,984,578 | 919,892 |
| 1879 | 61,048,888 | 1,860,978 | 792,184 |
| 1880 | 64,967,081 | 1,876,925 | 788,262 |
| 1881 | 74,503,740 | 2,179,502 | 798,611 |
| 1882 | 85,350,424 | 2,620,148 | 680,895 |
| 1883 | 92,083,093 | 3,009,212 | 675,829 |
| 1884 | 98,765,982 | 3,376,776 | 727,135 |
| 1885 | 110,710,861 | 3,785,045 | 778,583 |

Comment on the above record is unnecessary.

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LANCASTER AND MILLERSVILLE R. R.—TIME TABLE.

Cars leave Lancaster for Millersville at 8:00 and 11:30 a. m., and 2:00, 5:00, 6:30 and 9:15 p. m.

Cars leave Millersville for Lancaster at 6:00 and 10:00 a. m., and 1:00, 3:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

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On and after SUNDAY, MAY 30th, 1886,

TRAINS LEAVE READING

For Columbia and Lancaster at 7.30 a. m., 12.00 noon and 6.10 p. m.

For Quarryville at 7.30 a. m. and 6.10 p. m.

For Chickies at 7.30 a. m. and 12.00 p. m.

TRAINS LEAVE COLUMBIA

For Reading at 7.30 a. m., 12.35 and 3.40 p. m.

For Lebanon at 12.35 and 3.40 p. m.

TRAINS LEAVE QUARRYVILLE

For Lancaster at 6.35 and 7.15 a. m. and 2.25 p. m.

For Reading at 6.35 a. m. and 2.25 p. m.

For Lebanon at 2.25 p. m.

LEAVE KING STREET (Lancaster,)

For Reading at 7.30 a. m., 12.40 and 3.40 p. m.

For Lebanon at 6.40 a. m., 12.40 and 5.15 p. m.

For Quarryville at 9.31 a. m., 5.00 and 6.30 p. m.

LEAVE PRINCE STREET (Lancaster,)

For Reading at 7.40 a. m., 12.50 and 3.50 p. m.

For Lebanon at 6.47 a. m., 12.50 and 5.25 p. m.

For Quarryville at 9.20 a. m., 4.50 and 6.30 p. m.

TRAINS LEAVE LEBANON,

For Lancaster at 7.20 a. m., 12.35 and 7.30 p. m.

For Quarryville at 7.20 a. m.

**SUNDAY TRAINS.**

TRAINS LEAVE READING

For Lancaster at 7.20 a. m. and 4.00 p. m.

For Quarryville at 4.00 p. m.

TRAINS LEAVE QUARRYVILLE

For Lancaster, Lebanon and Reading at 7.10 a. m.

TRAINS LEAVE KING ST. (Lancaster,)

For Reading and Lebanon at 8.00 a. m. and 3.55 p. m.

For Quarryville at 5.50 p. m.

TRAINS LEAVE PRINCE ST. (Lancaster,)

For Reading and Lebanon and 8.16 a. m. and 4.06 p. m.

For Quarryville at 5.43 p. m.

TRAINS LEAVE LEBANON,

For Lancaster at 7.55 a. m. and 3.45 p. m.

For Quarryville at 3.45 p. m.

For connection at Columbia, Marietta Junction, Lancaster Junction, Manheim, Reading and Lebanon, see time tables at all stations.

A. M. WILSON, Superintendent.

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD SCHEDULE.—In effect from June 13, 1886.

Trains leave LANCASTER and leave and arrive at Philadelphia as follows:

| WESTWARD. | Leave Philadelphia. | Leave Lancaster. |
|---|---|---|
| Pacific Express | 11:20 p. m. | 1:25 a. m. |
| News Express | 4:30 a. m. | 6:35 a. m. |
| Way Passenger | 4:30 a. m. | 6:30 a. m. |
| Mail train via Mt. Joy | 7:00 a. m. | 9:31 a. m. |
| No. 2 Mail Train | via Columbia | 9:35 a. m. |
| Niagara Express | 7:40 a. m. | 9:50 a. m. |
| Hanover Accom | via Columbia | 9:50 a. m. |
| Fast Line | 11:50 a. m. | 2:00 p. m. |
| Frederick Accom | via Columbia | 2:10 p. m. |
| Lancaster Accom | via Mt. Joy | 2:50 p. m. |
| Harrisburg Accom | 2:15 p. m. | 6:30 p. m. |
| Columbia Accom | 4:40 p. m. | 7:30 p. m. |
| Harrisburg Express | 5:40 p. m. | 7:40 p. m. |
| Chicago and Cin. Ex. | 8:50 p. m. | 10:45 p. m. |
| Western Express | 10:05 p. m. | 12:10 a. m. |
| **EASTWARD.** | **Leave Lancaster.** | **Arrive at Philadelphia.** |
| Phila. Express | 2:20 a. m. | 4:45 a. m. |
| Fast Line | 6:05 a. m. | 8:25 a. m. |
| Harrisburg Express | 8:10 a. m. | 10:20 a. m. |
| Lancaster Accom ar | 8:55 a. m. | via Mt Joy |
| Columbia Accom | 9:00 a. m. | 11:45 a. m. |
| Seashore Express | 12:58 p. m. | 3:15 p. m. |
| Philadelphia Accom | 2:05 p. m. | 5:00 p. m. |
| Sunday Mail | 3:00 p. m. | 5:45 p. m. |
| Day Express | 3:45 p. m. | 6:50 p. m. |
| Harrisburg Accom | 6:40 p. m. | 9:45 p. m. |

The Lancaster Accommodation leaves Harrisburg at 8:10 p. m. and arrives at Lancaster at 9:20 p. m.

The Marietta Accommodation leaves Columbia at 6:40 a. m. and reaches Marietta at 6:55. Also leaves Columbia at 11:45 a. m. and 2:45 p. m., reaching Marietta at 12:01 and 2:55. Leaves Marietta at 3:05 p. m. and arrives at Columbia at 3:20; also, leaves at 8:35 and arrives at 8:50.

The York Accommodation leaves Marietta at 7:10 and arrives at Lancaster at 8:30, connecting with Harrisburg Express at 8:10 a. m.

The Frederick Accommodation, west, connecting at Lancaster with Fast Line, west, at 2:10 p. m., will run through to Frederick.

The Frederick Accommodation, east, leaves Columbia at 12:25 and reaches Lancaster at 12:55 p. m.

Hanover Accommodation, west, connecting at Lancaster with Niagara Express at 9:50 a. m., will run through to Hanover, daily, except Sunday.

Fast Line, west, on Sunday, when flagged, will stop at Downingtown, Coatesville, Parkesburg, Mt. Joy, Elizabethtown and Middletown.

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