

In an Old Picture Gallery

AND THAT was Master Walter, the good squire, the flower of the Keiths," said Mrs. Wynford, the house-keeper to the fair, glistening bride of the owner of Keithleigh abbey, Dorsetshire, pausing before the full-length portrait of a young man of apparently some five or six and twenty years of age. "But how tell I have I heard my mother tell the tale of his courting Miss Thurlow of the Hall, and how her father, a proud, haughty man, looked down on him because—"

RECEIVER'S SALE

OF THE

New York Bankrupt Clothing Shoe and Hat Co.

\$125,000 Worth of Fine Clothing, Millinery, Boots, Shoes, Shirt Waists, Skirts, Furnishing Goods, Etc. By order of the Court the Receiver will place on sale the entire stock of The New York Bankrupt Store, located at 224 Lackawanna Avenue—the store formerly occupied by Brown's Bee Hive.

THIS ENTIRE STOCK OF MERCHANDISE MUST BE TURNED INTO CASH TO SATISFY CREDITORS.

Opening Days, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Nov. 16, 17 and 18

And the entire stock will be closed out at 25 cents on the dollar. \$125,000 worth of Fine Clothing, Millinery, Boots, Shoes, Shirt Waists, Skirts, Furnishing Goods, Hats and Caps, will be placed on sale to be sold at one-quarter their actual price. This tremendous Receiver's Sale will commence Thursday, November 16th, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continue from day to day until the entire stock is sold in the mammoth building, 224 Lackawanna Avenue, Scranton, Pa., by the Receiver of the New York Bankrupt Clothing, Shoe and Hat Company. Goods will be slaughtered, regardless of cost or value at 25 cents on the dollar. No postponement. Doors will open at 9 o'clock sharp, Thursday, November 16th. Nobody allowed in the building before that hour. Look of the extraordinary low prices.

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

- 1200 Men's Serviceable Suits, worth \$7.00.....Receiver's Price \$1.05
875 Men's Fine Business Suits, worth \$8.00.....Receiver's Price \$2.85
684 Men's Nice Dress Suits, in black, grey and brown, good value at \$14.00.....Receiver's Price \$4.68
375 Men's Elegant Dress Suits, in double and single-breasted, really worth in other stores \$18.00.....Receiver's Price \$5.50
Elegant assortment of Men's Fine Dress Suits, in all the leading Fall Styles, in Fancy Cheviots and Cassimeres, equal to any \$25.00 suit.....Receiver's Price \$8.49

Big Assortment of Men's and Boys' Overcoats to be Sold at 25c on the Dollar

Don't Buy Elsewhere Until You Examine This Stock: The Greatest Chance in the History of Scranton to Save Money.

MEN'S PANTS DEPARTMENT

- \$1.00 Men's Working Pants.....Receiver's Price 30c
\$1.25 Men's Working Pants.....Receiver's Price 50c
\$2.00 Men's Good Business Pants.....Receiver's Price 87c

SHOE DEPARTMENT

- Men's \$2.00 Dress Shoes. Receiver's Price.....93c
Men's \$3.00 Dress Shoes. Receiver's Price.....\$1.34
Men's \$1.50 Working Shoes. Receiver's Price.....79c
Men's \$3.00 Fine Shoes. Receiver's Price.....1.69
Men's \$2.00 Solid Leather Shoes. Receiver's Price.....69c

Furnishing Goods for Men and Women. Stock of Over \$30,000 Must Be Sold

- Ladies' \$2.50 Skirts. Receiver's Price.....65c
Ladies' 20-cent Hose. Receiver's Price.....5c
Ladies' 35-cent Hose. Receiver's Price.....9c
Men's 4-ply 10-cent Linen Collars. Receiver's Price.. 3c
Men's 4-ply 20-cent Linen Collars. Receiver's Price.. 5c
Men's \$1 White Laundry Shirts. Receiver's Price.. 49c

Remember, we have thousands of other Bargains we lack space and time to mention. We have employed a large force of salesmen and salesladies so that all will be promptly waited on. Do not delay but come at once to the Great Receiver's Sale, as first choice is always the best. Remember the Day and Date. The Big Sale begins Thursday morning at 9 o'clock sharp, November 16th, in the large building formerly occupied by Brown's Bee Hive, 224 Lackawanna Avenue, Scranton, Pa.

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LOOK FOR THE BIG RECEIVER'S SIGN.

Closing Out of the New York Bankrupt Clothing, Shoe and Hat Co.

H. W. HOWARD, MANAGER FOR RECEIVER.

I dreamed that I was back in England, dear old England, once more! It was vesper time on a Sunday afternoon, and I heard this of old the hymn that we loved so well, he and I, "Abide With Me," and he was by my side, and little Cyril, bright and beautiful, raised his sweet, clear voice at the last verse, and then I awakened. But, Janet, listen well to what I say. Something tells me that my boy was not drowned, as we so long supposed. I have thought and for some time past, and now, I feel sure of it. You'll know him, Janet, here her voice rose and clear, "by the letter 'C' in old English on his left arm." Here she paused, but Walter Keith gave a deep cry, and sank on his knees by the bedside, and with wondering eyes, crept softly up and knelt beside him. "Sing, my boy; sing the last verse of that hymn of which she has just spoken," said the squire in an agitated tone. And then rose the voice of the lad in its clear treble: "Hold Thou Thy cross before my closing eyes; Shine through the gloom and point me to the skies. Heaven's morning breaks and earth's vain shadows flee; In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me."

HYGIENE OF BARBER SHOPS. Precautions Necessary to Prevent the Spread of Disease. From the Medical Journal. It has been abundantly established that disease is not rarely transmitted through the mediation of the barber-shop, and the issuance by the Pennsylvania state board of health of a leaflet of "Hygienic Hints for Barbers and Hairdressers" (Circular No. 52) is therefore a step in the right direction. The board recommends that no person suffering from any disease of the skin, scalp or hair should act as a barber, nor should any one suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis or any disease commonly known as contagious serve in this capacity. When diphtheria, scarlet fever, smallpox, measles, or other contagious diseases occur in the

family of a barber, he should not nurse the patients, nor in any way come in contact with them, but he should leave their care to members of the family who do not enter his shop or place of business, and he should temporarily change his residence. The place of business should be kept scrupulously clean, as should also the chairs, razors, clippers, brushes, towels, and all other articles or instruments used. Towels should be carefully washed and then rinsed. Persons suffering from any disease of the skin, scalp, or hair, or from pulmonary tuberculosis, or convalescent from other contagious diseases, should not visit any barber-shop or parlor, but should be attended by the barber or hairdresser at their own homes. All instruments used on sick patients should be carefully disinfected. Customers should be encouraged to own their own instruments (razors, soap, brushes, etc.), and in the case of those suffering from diseases of the skin, scalp, or hair, this should be compulsory. For operations on a dead body, the barber should have instruments used only for this purpose. Razors and clippers may be disinfected by boiling five or ten minutes in soapy water or in water containing a little potassium carbonate. Hair brushes, combs, and strops may be disinfected by placing them in a small closet or case that closes hermetically and in which is kept a saucer constantly filled with a solution of formalin. Brushes and combs will need cleaning with bran or clay in hot water at intervals. Shaving brushes may be disinfected by being placed in boiling water for five minutes before using, or, better still, the brush may be entirely dispensed with, and a puff of cotton used, which can be destroyed after one using. Before passing from one customer to another, the barber or hairdresser should wash his hands thoroughly. He should use warm water and carbolic soap, or one containing mercuric chlorid. The powder puff so constantly used should be replaced by a ball of wad-

ding, or, better, by a powder blower. The ball of cotton should be thrown away after one using. The lump of alum used to stop the flow of blood should be broken into small pieces, and after using one of these on a customer, it should be thrown away and not used a second time. Some prefer the burnt or calcined alum, applied on cotton, which can be thrown away after one using. Only strictly clean linen, towels, wrappers, etc., should be used for each customer. If a freshly laundered wrapper cannot be supplied to each customer, a clean towel should be used in place of the wrapper. Vaseline and wax should be used carefully, so as not to convey disease from person to person. The hairdresser should remove vaseline from the vessel containing it with a spatula or spoon, and not by inserting his possibly contaminated fingers into the vessel. Each person should have his own wax. The barber should not employ sponges in his work, nor should they ever be seen in shaving or hairdressing establishments, as they cannot be cleaned as a towel or wash rag may be. In their place a towel should be employed. In order to cleanse the floor of the establishment, it should be sprinkled with dampened sawdust or wet tea leaves, and then carefully swept, in order that as little dust as possible may be raised. The sweepings should be burned every evening. The shop should be thoroughly ventilated before the day's work is begun, and some arrangement for continuous ventilation throughout the day should exist. These rules are so simple and so practicable that they are capable of and should at once receive universal application. As with other progressive acts, the wonder is that these recommendations have not been made concretely before, and the Pennsylvania board of health deserves credit for having taken the initiative in this matter. Tribune want advs. bring returns.

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