

Pennsylvania Legislature.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 1890.

This being the day appointed by the Constitution for the meeting of the General Assembly, a number of gentlemen elected members of the House of Representatives, sufficient to constitute a quorum, met.

MR. GEO. V. LAWRENCE, of Washington county, announced that in accordance with the Constitution this body would organize in an hour from that time, 12 o'clock.

The hour of twelve having arrived, Mr. STRONG, of Philadelphia, moved that this House come to order.

Mr. REA, Clerk, in accordance with the terms of the Constitution the members present will please come to order. Is the Secretary of the Commonwealth present?

The SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH.—Mr. CLERK—I have the honor to present the returns of election of members of the House of Representatives, in obedience to the requirements of the law.

The CLERK.—The Secretary of the Commonwealth presents the returns of the late general elections of members to the House of Representatives; what order will the House take?

Mr. G. V. LAWRENCE, of Washington.—I move that the Clerk of the House be authorized to proceed to the opening of the returns of the late General Election. Carried.

Mr. GEO. V. LAWRENCE, of Washington.—I move that the reading of the full returns be dispensed with, as it will occupy too much time, and that merely the certificates of election be read.

Motion put and carried.

After the CLERK had proceeded in reading the returns,

Mr. JOSEPH H. WILSON, of Beaver, interrupting.—I suppose that the motion intended amply announced of the members elected.

Mr. A. E. HALL, of Centre.—I understood the motion that the certificates of election should be read, and not the number of votes.

MR. STRONG, of Philadelphia.—It will be sufficient to read the certificate of election. I perceive that you have, in some way, mixed up the returns from the Fourth District of Philadelphia. It may be some mistake in the certificate.

The CLERK.—The mistake was that of the Clerk.

Mr. STRONG, of Philadelphia.—I think that the reading of the certificate will be sufficient. Should any member require anything in addition it can be complied with.

The CLERK.—It has been customary heretofore, to read the number of votes, and at the conclusion to announce the names of members elected.

The reading of the returns from the judges of elections was proceeded with as follows:

Adams—Samuel Dutton.

Franklin and Fulton—James R. Brewster, James C. Austin.

Butler—John M. Thompson, W. M. Graham. Bedford and Somerset—Geo. W. Williams, George G. Walker.

Huntingdon—J. Simpson, Africa.

Blair—Jacob Burley.

Cambria—Richard J. Proudfoot.

Juniata—A. Wilson Taylor.

Armstrong and Westmoreland—Andrew Craig, J. R. McGonigal, John H. Conlter.

York—John Collins.

Greene—Daniel W. Gray.

Washington—George V. Lawrence, William Graham.

Allegheny—William Varnum, David A. Pressley, Charles L. Goehring, David E. Beyer, William Epp.

Beaver and Lawrence—Joseph H. Wilson, James D. Bryson.

Mercer and Venango—George D. Hofius, Elisha W. Davis.

Clarion and Forest—John M. Fleming.

Jefferson, Clearfield, Elk and McKean—I. G. Gordon, A. M. Benton.

Crawford and Warren—Hiram Butler, Henry L. Rouse.

Kane—Henry Teller, Jonas Gunnison, Potter and Tioga—L. P. Williston, Lewis Mann.

Lebanon—Joseph Eckman.

Berks—Elijah Penn Smith, Solomon L. Custer, Joshua S. Miller.

Lancaster—Nathaniel Elmaker, jr., Samuel Kenney, Amos S. Green, Jacob E. Cassel.

Northumberland—Joseph S. Selbach, J. M. Macfald.

Cumberland and Perry—John M. Curdy, John Power.

Philadelphia—J. Joe Caldwell; 2. William B. Turner; 3. Patrick M. Donoghue; 4. Henry K. Strong; 5. Joseph Moore, jr.; 6. Charles O'Neill; 7. J. H. Seltzer; 8. Jacob E. Ridgway; 9. Henry Dunlap; 10. S. S. Panchost; 11. Isaac A. Sheppard; 12. Richard W. Wiley; 13. Wm. D. Morrison; 14. James Donnelly; 15. J. F. Preston; 16. Thomas W. Duffield; 17. Charles F. Abbott.

Delaware—William D. Pennell.

Dauphin—Wm. C. A. Lawrence.

Chester—William Shaffer, Isaac Acker, Caleb Florio.

Montgomery—John Bisnant, David Stoneback, Dr. Charles H. Hill.

Packs—Jos. Barnesley, Jesse W. Knight, Northampton—Jacob Cope, P. F. Ellenberger.

Lehigh and Carbon—Samuel J. Kistler, and Zacharias Long.

Monroe and Pike—Charles D. Broadhead.

Wayne—H. E. Bardsale.

Strong—John Stone, Peter Byrne, Isaiah L. Chapin.

Susquehanna—George T. Fra.

Bradford—Thomas Sneed, O. H. P. Kinney.

Wyoming, Sullivan, Columbia and Montour—Samuel Oakes, Geo. D. Jackson.

Lycumberland and Clinton—Robert Crane, George A. Achenbach.

Centre—Adam E. Barlow.

York—George Baker.

Union, Snyder and Juniata—Thomas Hayes, W. F. Wagonseller.

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The CLERK.—There are, as yet, no nominations for Speaker.

MR. O. H. P. KINNEY, of Bradford.—I believe that no nominations are necessary.

The names of members were now alphabetically called, when

Messrs. Abbott, Acker, Austin, Barlow, Batesley, Bayard, Bissel, Boyer, Brewster, Bryson, Burley, Butler, Casell, Collins, Craig, Davis, Dunlap, Durban, Eckman, Elmaker, Epp, Frazier, Goehring, Gordon, Graham, (Butler,) Graham, (Washington,) Green, Gunnison, Hayes, Hoffman, Kenney, Kinney, Kistler, Lawrence, (Washington,) M'Curdy, M'Gonigal, Mann, Moore, O'Neill, Panchost, Peirce, Pennell, Pinkerton, Pressley, Preston, Proudfoot, Ridgway, Rose, Seltzer, Shaffer, Sheppard, Sneed, Strong, Sultzbach, Taylor, Teller, Thompson, Turner, Varnum, Wagonseller, Walker, Wiley, Williams, Williston and Wilson—65 voted for W. C. A. LAWRENCE.

Messrs. Achenbach, Africa, Bates, Barlow, Benton, Broadhead, Byrne, Caldwell, Chapin, Cope, Coultter, Crane, Custer, Dismant, Donnelly, Duffield, Elmenger, Fleming, Gray, Hill, Jackson, Knight, Lawrence, (Dauphin,) Long, M'Donoghue, Manifold, Maurer, Miller, Oakes, Power and Stoneback—33 voted for HENRY DUNLAP.

The tellers announced that they agreed in their tallies, and that the result was follows, viz:—

Wm. C. A. LAWRENCE, of Dauphin, received fifty-five votes, and Mr. H. DUNLAP, of Philadelphia, thirty-three.

MR. H. DUNLAP voted for Mr. CHAS. H. HILL, of Montgomery, but subsequently to Mr. LAWRENCE voting in his (Mr. DUNLAP's) favor, by permission, changed his vote in favor of Mr. Wm. C. A. LAWRENCE, of Dauphin.

The SPEAKER elect was conducted to his seat.

MR. LAWRENCE, of Dauphin, moved that the House do proceed to the discharge of its duties in the following order:

To day we assume the discharge of duties important and arduous. The social and business interests of more than three millions of people are in our hands. The magnificent commerce of the West, the agriculture which spreads its beautiful canopy over our whole State, and the mechanic arts which vivify all matter all depend upon us for encouragement and protection. The development and cultivation of our material resources, the culture of the people and promotion of their happiness, are duties from which we cannot escape, and which, if neglected, respect our glory and the contrary, just as our efforts are well or ill directed. I entreat you, therefore, gentlemen, to stuncheon to your aid all of the intelligence, prudence and industry in your possession.

Beside the encouragement which the State owes to private enterprise, and the supervisory care which she has exercised over powers delegated to other hands, there is much labor to be done in a Pennsylvania Legislature. The canals are gone; we have no public property to guard; no public expenditures to control. All needful legislation can readily be performed in a much shorter time than is usually devoted to our sessions, and I recommend a speedy transaction of our business, and an early adjournment, feeling well assured we shall be commended therefor by our constituents. The power of the Chair shall be directed towards the accomplishment of this desirable end.

It is a mournful reflection that of those who met with us here a year ago, four have already been added to the list of the dead. The young, generous and ardent Woot, the amiable Baltimore, the accomplished Connor, and lastly, William P. Hall, are numbered with the dead. I feel that our numbers are small, and that the determination whether we all tend, this fearful mortality in so small a number cannot but remind us of our own insecure tenure of life, and impel us to a rigid and conscientious performance of duty. May their rest be as tranquil as their lives were honorable.

It is my duty to call your attention to the present prospect of our constituents. The progress of our State many of them have become obsolete and useless, not having a single bill to act upon during a whole session, while upon others devolve labor too great for a careful transaction of business. I recommend that they be speedily revised and remodeled.

I am deeply sensible of the honor of a second election to this office, and appreciate my indebtedness to you, and it is my duty to equal to the task, the duties shall be performed.

MR. DUNLAP was here called by the SPEAKER to administer to him the oath of office.

MR. LAWRENCE was affirmed.

The SPEAKER.—Those gentlemen who swear by the book will please recite themselves as the roll is called, in order that their oaths to support the Constitution of the U. S. and State of Pennsylvania, and to behave themselves as members of the House with fidelity, may be taken.

This being accomplished, and members names registered, such gentlemen as swear by the book will please recite themselves as the roll is called, in order that their oaths to support the Constitution of the U. S. and State of Pennsylvania, and to behave themselves as members of the House with fidelity, may be taken.

Such members as affirm also gave in their adhesion to the constituted preliminaries. All the members being either sworn or affirmed, the SPEAKER announced that the House was now organized and would proceed to business.

MR. JACKSON of Sullivan.—Mr. Speaker: I beg leave to offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the House to act in conjunction with a similar committee appointed by the Senate (if the Senate shall appoint such committee) to wait upon the Governor and inform him that the two Houses are duly organized and ready to receive any communication he may desire to make.

Passed second and third reading, and agreed to.

Committee appointed by the SPEAKER consists of Messrs. JACKSON, SELTZER and ROUSE.

MR. O. H. P. KINNEY, of Bedford.—Mr. SPEAKER, I beg to offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That until otherwise ordered the sessions of the House will commence at eleven o'clock and adjourn at one o'clock.

After second and third reading it was agreed to.

MR. ISAAC A. SHEPPARD, of Philadelphia.—Mr. SPEAKER, I beg to offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee of two be appointed to wait upon the Senate and inform that body that the House of Representatives is organized and ready to proceed to business.

After second and third reading it was agreed to.

The SPEAKER appointed Messrs. SHEPPARD and HILL.

MR. LEWIS MANN, of Potter.—I beg leave to offer the following Resolution.

Resolved, That the Rules of the last Session of Representatives be adopted as the Rules of this House, until otherwise ordered.

After passing second and third readings it was agreed to.

MR. CHARLES O'NEILL, of Philadelphia.—Mr. Speaker: I ask leave to present a petition with an accompanying resolution.

The SPEAKER.—It is in order, Sir.

The petition was presented and the resolution, as follows, after passing second and third readings, agreed to.

MR. O'NEILL offered a petition from twenty-five qualified electors of the Sixteenth Legislative District of the city of Philadelphia, contesting the seat of THOMAS W. DEWITTE, from said district.

Also the following resolution:

Resolved, That this House proceed on Thursday next at 12 m. to the selection of a committee to investigate and try the contested election in the case of THOMAS W. DEWITTE, now a sitting member of this House, from the Sixteenth Representative District of the city of Philadelphia.

The CLERK.—The gentlemen selected as tellers will please step forward.

MR. G. V. LAWRENCE, of Washington.—Mr. SPEAKER: I move that this House do now adjourn. Agreed to. Adjourned.

SENATE.

TUESDAY, JAN. 30, 1890.

The Senate met at three o'clock, P. M., and was called to order by the Speaker, Mr. TURNER, of Westmoreland.

The Secretary of the Commonwealth was introduced, and presented the returns of the late election for Senators, in the several districts in which Senators were elected; which were read.

The newly elected Senators were all present, and were duly qualified, as follows:

1st District—Geo. B. Smith, George Connell.

2d District—Bradford, Susquehanna, Wyoming and Sullivan—George Landon.

10th.—Luzerne—W. W. Ketchum.

11th.—Tioga, Potter, McKean and Warren—Isaac Benson.

14th.—Cumberland, Perry, Juniata and Mifflin—E. D. Crawford.

18th.—Adams, Franklin and Fulton—Alex. K. McClure.

20th.—Blair, Cambria and Clearfield—Lewis W. Hall.

21st.—Indiana and Armstrong—Jonathan W. Meredith.

24th.—Allegheny—Elias H. Irish.

25th.—Beaver and Butler—Delozima Imbrie.

The roll was then called, and the Senators present answered to their names, as follows:

1st Dist. Philadelphia—Isaac Marselis, John H. Paton, George R. Smith.

2. Chester and Delaware.

3. Montgomery—John Thompson.

4. Bucks—Mallon Yardley.

5. Lehigh and Northampton—Jeremiah Schindler.

6. Berks—Benjamin Nunemacher.

7. Schuylkill—Robert M. Palmer.

8. Carbon, Monroe and Pike—Thomas Craig, jr.

9. Bradford, Susquehanna, Wyoming and Sullivan—George Landon.

10. Luzerne—W. W. Ketchum.

11. Tioga, Potter, McKean and Warren—Isaac Benson.

12. Clinton, Lycoming, Centre and Union—Andrew Gregg.

13. Susquehanna, Northumberland, and Columbia—Reuben Keller.

14. Cumberland, Perry, Juniata and Mifflin—E. D. Crawford.

15. Dauphin and Lebanon—John B. Rutherford.

16. Lancaster—Bartram A. Shaffer, Robert Baldwin.

17. York—Wm. H. Welsh.

18. Adams, Franklin and Fulton—A. K. McClure.

19. Somerset, Bedford and Huntingdon—William P. Shell.

20. Blair, Cambria and Clearfield—Lewis W. Hall.

21. Indiana and Armstrong—Jonathan E. Meredith.

22. Westmoreland and Fayette—Jacob Turney.

23. Washington and Greene—George W. Miller.

24. Allegheny—John P. Penney, Elias H. Irish.

25. Beaver and Butler—D. L. Imbrie.

26. Lawrence, Mercer and Venango—Wm. M. Francis.

27. Erie and Crawford—Darwin A. Finney.

28. Clarion, Jefferson, Forest and Elk—Kennedy L. Blood.

MR. CLERK.—Messrs. Baldwin, Penney, Elias H. Irish, Imbrie, Ketchum, Landon, M'Clure, Meredith, Palmer, Penney, Rutherford, Shaffer, Smith, Thompson, Turney and Yardley—20, voted for Wm. B. FRANCIS.

Messrs. Blood, Craig, Crawford, Francis, Keller, Marselis, Miller, Nunemacher, Schell, Schindler and Welsh—11, voted for JAMES TURNER.

MR. FRANCIS was conducted to the Chair by Messrs. TURNER and SHAEFFER, and returned thanks to the Senate for the honor conferred upon him, in the following address:

FELLOW SENATORS.—I can say at this time what, perhaps, never has been said before, for I appear before you without a single line written—without one line committed, for the simple reason that having discharged the duties of my moment has come to me like a thunder clap in a cloudless sky—without a moments warning, and were it not for the meshes of custom wears, as one has beautifully said before me, that we must not disregard, I would have taken my seat in silence. But as it is the custom, and I feel it in my inmost heart, I thank you for the honor conferred, and I thank you the more grateful because that honor was unsolicited and unsought by me.

I came here among you, as you all know, from one of the rural districts, accustomed to earn my bread by the sweat of my brow, and hence in assuming the position which your indulgence has honored me with, I need your indulgence and I will expect your forbearance. Need I again thank you for this testimony of your high regard—a double one to me, coming from the quarter I do.

I shall endeavor to the very best of my ability to discharge the duties that may devolve upon me.

I do not intend to detain you here with a speech, or object here in not speech making; and let me say that my earnest desire is that there shall be much working and little speech making; and that having discharged the duties for which we are here assembled, we may soon return to our homes to the bosoms of our families, and there enjoy ourselves without the troubles of parliamentary rules that sometimes annoy us in the course of our duties here. And in entering upon those duties, I would be false to myself and unworthy of you did I not believe the aid of that God, who has called us together to day, that he would enable us to discharge our duties in his fear, and for the best good of those who sent us to these halls. Let us forget all party jealousies and party strife, and know no North, no South, no East, no West. Our own beloved Pennsylvania first, the Union next, and God over all.

MR. TURNER, at the request of the Speaker, administered to him the oath of office.

The newly elected Senators were then sworn in.

MR. TURNER submitted a resolution, that if the House of Representatives concur, the joint rules for the government of the two Houses at the last session, be adopted for the present session. Adopted.

MR. PALMER offered a resolution, that a committee of two Senators be appointed to wait upon the House of Representatives, and inform that body that the Senate is organized and ready to proceed to business. Adopted.

MR. WELSH submitted a resolution, that a committee of three be appointed, to act in conjunction with a similar committee of the House of Representatives (if the House appoint such committee), to wait upon the Governor and inform him that the Legislature is duly organized, and ready to receive any communications he may have to make. Adopted.

MR. McCLURE submitted the following, which was adopted.

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed on the part of the Senate, to act in conjunction with a similar committee on the part of the House (if they should appoint such a committee) to contract for the publishing of a *Daily Legislative Record* at a price not to exceed that paid for similar publications in former sessions.

The SPEAKER announced the several committees to be appointed and appear upon the journal.

A Committee from the House was announced,

and informed that that body was organized, and ready to proceed to business.

MR. PARKER offered a resolution that the Rules of the Senate of the Session of 1857, be adopted for the government of the present Senate.

MR. GHELLI wanted to know whether the resolution would include the rule of the last session prohibiting smoking in the Hall?—He wanted no caviling about that commendable reform. He moved to strike out 1857 and insert 1859.

The amendment was agreed to—years 19, days 12, as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baldwin, Benson, Blood, Craig, Crawford, Greig, Hall, Imbrie, Irish, Landon, Meredith, Miller, Palmer, Schell, Schindler, Smith, Thompson, Turney and Francis, 19.

NAYS—Messrs. Finney, Keller, Ketchum, M'Clure, Marselis, Nunemacher, Parker, Penney, Rutherford, Shaffer, Turney and Welsh, 12.

ELABORATOR OF CLERK.

On motion of Mr. PENNEY, the Senate proceeded to the election of a Chief Clerk; when RUSSELL ERRETT, of Allegheny, was elected on the first vote, as follows:

Messrs. Benson, Connell, Finney, Francis, Gregg, Hall, Imbrie, Irish, Ketchum, Landon, M'Clure, Meredith, Palmer, Parker, Penney, Rutherford, Shaffer, Smith, Thompson and Yardley—20—voted for RUSSELL ERRETT.

Messrs. Bell, Craig, Crawford, Keller, Marselis, Miller, Nunemacher, Schell, Schindler, Turney and Welsh—11—voted for Wm. H. MILLER.

MR. ERRETT was sworn in, and assumed the discharge of his duties.

MR. WELSH submitted a resolution, which was adopted, that when the Senate adjourns, it will adjourn to meet again at eleven o'clock to-morrow morning; and that that be the standing hour of meeting, and one o'clock, P. M., the hour of adjournment, till otherwise ordered; except on Mondays, when the hour of meeting shall be three o'clock, and the hour of adjournment five o'clock, P. M.

On motion of Mr. GREGG, the Senate then adjourned.

HOW AN ADVERTISEMENT GOT A WIFE.

From "Once a Week."

"Tobacco is the tomb of love," writes a modern novelist of high standing; but, with every respect for his authority, I beg to say it was quite the contrary in my case.

Twenty-one years ago, I was sitting by my fireside, toting up innumerable pages of my housekeeping-book, taking exercise in arithmetic on long columns of "petty cash"—comprising items for carrots and bath bricks, mental tacks and mutton chops, until, tired and wearied, I arrived at the sum total, and jerked the book on the mantel-piece. Nearly at the same time I placed my hand in the pocket of my dressing-gown, drew out a leather case, and lit a pipe. Well, having lit the principle, I placed my feet on the fender and sighed, exhausted by my long job of domestic accounts. I was then in business—'twas a small wholesale business then, 'twas a large one now—yet one morning's toting of carrots and bath bricks, of metal tacks and mutton chops, would tire me a thousand times more than twenty-four hours of honest ledger work. I sighed, not from love, but from labor; for, to tell you the truth I had never been in love. Is this to go on forever? thought I, as I took my third whiff, and looked dreamily through the thin smoke as it ascended between me and a large print of the capture of Gibraltar, which hung over the chimney-piece? Am I to spend my prime in toting up pars-nips, and computing carrots, and computing mutton chops? I sighed again, and in the act, off flew the button of my neck band as though some superior power had seasonably sent the accident to remind me of my helplessness.

The button settled the business; though, as it slipped down inside my shirt, and passed with its mother-of-pearl coldness over my heart, it for a moment tempted to chill my matrimonial resolution. I pitied my own lonely state, and pity, we know, is akin to love. But how was the matter to be accomplished? Most men at my age would already have adjusted their inclination to some object; so that having made up their mind and counted the cost, little more would have remained to be done than to decide upon the day, and lay hold upon the license. This, however, was not the case with me, I had been too much occupied, too idle, or too indolent to devote the time, or make the effort to "form an attachment." It was through no indiscretion or difficulty to be pleased; for had any young lady of moderately agreeable powers taken the trouble, she might have married me long ere then. I should even have been grateful to her for taking the trouble off my hands, but I was too bashful to adopt the initiative.

Accordingly, I thought of an advertisement; but as I persuaded myself for a joke. So I scratched with a pencil on the back of a letter, the following—

"WANTED A WIFE.—None but principals need apply. The advertiser does not require cash, but only a companion. He is six and twenty, and tired of single, he thinks he can settle down to married life. As men go, he believes he has a moderate share of temper, and want of time is his only reason for having recourse to the newspapers. He has enough means for himself and a second party, and willing to treat at once. He is quite aware that a great many attempts to convert his honest intentions into an extravagant joke will be made, but he warns all rash intruders. If he finds a man hardy enough to make sport of his affections, he will thrash him; if a woman, he will forgive her. He has a heart for the sincere, a horseplay for the impudent. In either case, all applications will be promptly answered if addressed to P. P., at the office of this paper."

I felt proud of my composition, and puffed away my principle with a vague gleam and anticipation of something coming out of it. I had no very great idea that anything but fun would result; and I certainly had not the slightest notion of involving myself in a personal collision with any one. Still the presentiment that it was not destined to be all a barren joke pressed upon me. On Saturday the advertisement appeared, and I heard its style caressed by all my friends, and it was jokingly suggested, by more than one, that I was the domestically destitute individual who put it forth.

On Monday morning I sent a boy to the newspaper office for P. P.'s letters. I expected he might be followed by some curious and inquisitive person; so I told him on his way back to call at a bachelor neighbor's of mine for a book. The trick told. The lad was followed by some persons who never lost sight of him until they ran him to my friend's, and then they went back and announced that he was the advertiser. I thus discharged in full one or two practical jokes which my neighbor had played upon me. The answers were of the usual character—several seeking to elicit my name, and still more suggesting places of meeting, where I was to exhibit myself with a dower

in my button-hole and a white handkerchief in my hand. One only looked like business. It was from a lady, who proposed an interview in a neighboring city, about forty miles north.—She said there was something so frank and straightforward in my advertisement, that she was convinced it was real, and she could only rely upon my keeping her name secret, if, after we met, nothing came of the meeting. She would, therefore, see me at the ———, at ———, on a certain day, and if mutual approbation did not follow the interview, why there was no harm done.

Most people would have put down this as a trap to give me a journey for nothing. I did not. A presentiment impelled me to accept and keep the engagement.

This was in the old coaching days, when a man had time to make an acquaintance in forty miles, not as now, when you are at your journey's end before you have looked round your company in a railway carriage. There were but two inside—myself and a pleasant, talkative, honest-faced, elderly gentleman. My friend and I were seated next to each other, and I had time to make an acquaintance in forty miles, not as now, when you are at your journey's end before you have looked round your company in a railway carriage. There were but two inside—myself and a pleasant, talkative, honest-faced, elderly gentleman. My friend and I were seated next to each other, and I had time to make an acquaintance in forty miles, not as now, when you are at your journey's end before you have looked round your company in a railway carriage. There were but two inside—myself and a pleasant, talkative, honest-faced, elderly gentleman. My friend and I were seated next to each other, and I had time to make an acquaintance in forty miles, not as now, when you are at your journey's end before you have looked round your company in a railway carriage. There were but two inside—myself and a pleasant, talkative, honest-faced, elderly gentleman. My friend and I were seated next to each other, and I had time to make an acquaintance in forty miles, not as now, when you are at your journey's end before you have looked round your company in a railway carriage. There were but two inside—myself and a pleasant, talkative, honest-faced, elderly gentleman. My friend and I were seated next to each other, and I had time to make an acquaintance in forty miles, not as now, when you are at your journey's end before you have looked round your company in a railway carriage. There were but two inside—myself and a pleasant, talkative, honest-faced, elderly gentleman. My friend and I were seated next to each other, and I had time to make an acquaintance in forty miles, not as now, when you are at your journey's end before you have looked round your company in a railway carriage. There were but two inside—myself and a pleasant, talkative, honest-faced, elderly gentleman. My friend and I were seated next to each other, and I had time to make an acquaintance in forty miles, not as now, when you are at your journey's end before you have looked round your company in a railway carriage. There were but two inside—myself and a pleasant, talkative, honest-faced, elderly gentleman. My friend and I were seated next to each other, and I had time to make an acquaintance in forty miles, not as now, when you are at your journey's end before you have looked round your company in a railway carriage. There were but two inside—myself and a pleasant, talkative, honest-faced, elderly gentleman. My friend and I were seated next to each other, and I had time to make an acquaintance in forty miles, not as now, when you are at your journey's end before you have looked round your company in a railway carriage. There were but two inside—myself and a pleasant, talkative, honest-faced, elderly gentleman. My friend and I were seated next to each other, and I had time to make an acquaintance in forty miles, not as now, when you are at your journey's end before you have looked round your company in a railway carriage. There were but two inside—myself and a pleasant, talkative, honest-faced, elderly gentleman. My friend and I were seated next to each other, and I had time to make an acquaintance in forty miles, not as now, when you are at your journey's end before you have looked round your company in a railway carriage. There were but two inside—myself and a pleasant, talkative, honest-faced, elderly gentleman. My friend and I were seated next to each other, and I had time to make an acquaintance in forty miles, not as now, when you are at your journey's end before you have looked round your company in a railway carriage. There were but two inside—myself and a pleasant, talkative, honest-faced, elderly gentleman. My friend and I were seated next to each other, and I had time to make an acquaintance in forty miles, not as now, when you are at your journey's end before you have looked round your company in a railway carriage. There were but two inside—myself and a pleasant, talkative, honest-faced, elderly gentleman. My friend and I were seated next to each other, and I had time to make an acquaintance in forty miles, not as now, when you are at your journey's end before you have looked round your company in a railway carriage. There were but two inside—myself and a pleasant, talkative, honest