



TIME LOST.

An Instructive Fable by Dear Old...

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One day as the Sage was passing along a highway he came upon several Travelers who were standing around the body of a man lying upon the earth.

"What is this?" asked the wise man as he looked about.

"We cannot agree as to the man lying here," replied one of the Travelers.

"I contend that, being a Traveler like myself, he should not pay a poll tax."

"And I contend that, being a Peasant, he must pay the tax," added a second.

"Under the law he must be a Traveler."

"Under the law he must be a Peasant."

Thus they argued and wrangled and discussed, and the Sage looked down at the man in silence.

It was finally agreed to leave it to the wise man to decide, and he lifted up his voice and said:

"My dear friends, you may cease your wrangling and go your ways in peace. While you have been arguing the question the poor man has died of starvation, and he is therefore neither a Traveler nor a Peasant, but a cold corpse."

Moral.—You'll find it in Washington or Porto Rico. M. QUAD.

Spelling His Name. "Tea is way up," said the boarding house wit as he slyly looked about the table.

"How high?" inquired unsuspecting little Miss Jenks.

"Shanghai!" cried the funny man, with a violent snort.

There was a dead silence.

"Shanghai-oo," if you please, Mr. Bunker," said Miss Tippit of the staff of the summer school.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Helping the River. "What are those people along the shore and in boats doing?" asked the maiden in the pale blue taffeta shirt waist.

"They seem to be dragging the river," replied the interested masculine observer.

"Good land! Does the river run so slow that it has to be pulled along?"—Chicago Tribune.

First Aid to the Impecunious. Grapher—I left my pocketbook at home, and I haven't a penny in my clothes. Say, lend me a fiver, will you? I'll return it tomorrow.

Phoxy—I'll do better. Here's a nickel; you can go home and get your pocketbook.—Philadelphia Press.

Especially in Chicago. "Do you think there is too much courtesy mixed with business nowadays?"

"No; I think we ought to mix more courtesy with our business and less business with our courtesy."—Chicago Record.

Useless to Linger. "I am waiting," said the old codger, "to find a friend without fault."

"Take my advice then," said the fellow who tells unpleasant truths, "and cease waiting. Move on. You'll never find him."—Philadelphia Call.

He Didn't Know. She—How did you come to marry a widow?

He—She asked him why he didn't marry, and he thoughtlessly replied that he didn't have to.—Smart Set.

Asking Too Much. "Harry, this pamphlet says vinegar will take rust off the spokes of your wheel."

"Yes; but it says 'rub briskly.'"—Indianapolis Journal.

The Return Trip. "Will you have plenty of fresh fruit at that farm where you go, Alice?"

"Yes; Arthur says he will bring a big basketful every night."—Detroit Free Press.

A Trivial Offense. Judge—So you stole from this man a gold watch with a plated chain?

Prisoner—Only the chain, your honor. But the watch was hanging on to the end of it!—Helene Welt.

When Herbs Are Trump. O woman, we, the men, have joked and sneered with scanty grace

O'er how you "niggled" and you "trevoked" And "killed" your partner's ace,

Forgetful quite that you're a game Where we but pose as clumps,

Since Eve in constant use, For woman, when she's bound to win,

Delights to play the duce. —Edwin L. Sabin in Brooklyn Life.

GEMS IN VERSE.

Liberty, Liberty, Goddess of Glory, Reign in thy beauty, immortal and true! Down through the ages in song and in story

Liberty, Liberty, never grow hoary! Blossom and beam like the flowers of the field. Thy garments of grandeur are torn and gory

Liberty, Liberty, shine on eternal! Rule o'er the world by day and by night. Ever be brilliant, radiant and vernal;

The Woman With the Broom. [Written after seeing a farmer's wife cleaning house.]

Downed by the cares of cleaning house, she leans Upon her broom and gazes through the dust,

Oh, lords and masters in our happy land, How with this woman will you make account,

The World Today Is Better Than It Ever Was Before. Oh, the earth is full of sinning

There is much that needs amending In the present time, no doubt;

But in spite of all the trouble That obscures the sun today,

Glorify. Oh, what glory must there be for him who hears

Who can know that he is numbered with the great,

The heroes and the men who rule are few;

In the Smoking Car. There's the big meerschaum, with the little man

There's the red faced man with the dark Key West

By the door is the man with the sticky cob;

When Herbs Are Trump. O woman, we, the men, have joked

'Tis not required that all be grave,

There were three men, pale prisoners of sorrow;

One cursed at Fate; himself one cursed, but one

Reducing Its Risks.

At the recent meeting of the supreme council of the American Legion of Honor an important measure was adopted.

Another scaling of obligation is that the American Legion of Honor will not hold itself responsible for the face of the policy unless the amount received from the assessment of members is large enough to pay the loss.

"Insurgents" Lose Their Case. The case of the Pennsylvania members of the Junior Order of American Mechanics, who opposed a special assessment and other changes inaugurated by the national council, was decided adversely on Wednesday by the state supreme court.

How the Earth Grows. The earth is growing heavier at the average rate of 500 tons a year.

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Mark Hanna has his hands full just now with the chairmanship of the Republican national committee and the correspondence school he has opened for the purpose of teaching the strenuous "Teddy" the difference between mud throwing and argument.

The Republican party's interest in the flag seems to be confined to an attempt to confiscate it as a political trade mark, and even then they have ranked it as subsidiary to "the full dinner pail."

Gentlemen, for hats and caps go to A Oswald's. He has a nice variety.

ROUND THE REGION.

The grievance committee representing the engineers and firemen of the Wyoming division of the Lehigh Valley Railroad have returned from New York, where they conferred with the officials of the company.

Dr. W. H. Lewis, Lawrenceville, Va., writes, "I am using Kodol Dyspepsia Cure in my practice among severe cases of indigestion and find it an admirable remedy."

Edwin E. Everhart, who has been in Lackawanna jail since June 23, on the charge of conspiring to kill his father, Dr. I. F. Everhart, with the evident purpose of hurrying his inheritance to a quarter of a million dollar estate, was released on bail yesterday and immediately enlisted in the marines, to enter the service in the Philippines.

Do not get scared if your heart troubles you. Most likely you suffer from indigestion. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and gives the worn out stomach perfect rest.

Walter Johnson and Charles Buchan, two Shamokin miners who had been thrown out of work by the strike, while walking on railroad tracks near Johnstown, stepped out of the way of a fast passenger train and were struck by a shifter running in the opposite direction.

It is well to know that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will heal a burn and stop the pain at once. It will cure eczema and skin diseases and ugly wounds and sores.

The employees of the Shamokin, Mt. Carmel and Ashland-Centralia electric roads have asked for an advance of wages, and unless granted they threaten to tie up the entire system.

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THE DELAWARE, SUQUEHANNA AND SCHUYLKILL RAILROAD. Time table in effect April 18, 1927. Trains leave Drifton for Jeddo, Beckley, Hazle Brook, Stockton, Beaver, Meadow Road, Union and Hazleton Junction at 5:30, 6:00 a.m., daily except Sunday; and 7:45 a.m., 2:38 p.m., Sunday.

Trains leave Drifton for Onondia Junction, Harwood Road, Humboldt Road, Onondia and Shepton at 6:45 a.m., daily except Sunday; and 7:05 a.m., 2:38 p.m., Sunday.

Trains leave Shepton for Beaver Meadow Road, Stockton, Hazle Brook, Eckley, Jeddo and Drifton at 6:25 to 7:15 a.m., daily, except Sunday; and 8:11 a.m., 3:44 p.m., Sunday.

Trains leaving Drifton at 5:30, 6:00 a.m. make connection at Beckley with P. R. R. trains for Wilkes-Barre, Sunbury, Harrisburg and points west.

For the accommodation of passengers at way stations between Hazleton Junction and Drifton, a train will leave the former point at 5:30 p.m., daily, except Sunday, arriving at Drifton at 5:00 p.m.