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"The Time is Short." BY AUTHOR OF "STEPS HEAVENWARD."

A shepherd's tent of reeds and flowers decaying; That night when moonlight crumpled into naught; So seems my life, for some time past decaying.

Up, up, my soul, the long-spent time redeeming; Slow thou the seeds of better deed and thought; Light other lamps, while yet the light is burning.

Think of the good thou might'st have done, when brightly The sun to thee life's choicest seasons brought; Hours lost to God in pleasures passing lightly.

The time is short. Then be thy heart a brother's To every heart that needs thy help in aught; Soon thou may'st need the sympathy of others.

If thou hast friends, give them thy best endeavor. Thy warmest impulse and thy purest thought; Keeping in mind, in word and action ever, The time is short.

Where summer winds, from laden, hover, Companions rest, their work for ever wrought; Soon other graves the moss and fern will cover.

Up, up, my soul, ere yet the shadow falleth; Forget not those, when duty's angel calleth. The time is short.

By all the lapses thou hast been forgiven, To all the lessons prayer to thee hath taught; To all that teach the sympathies of Heaven.

OBSERVATIONS. It is always the case. An old well was cleaned out in Indiana last week and they found a woman at the bottom of it.

Two men were murdered in Indian Territory a few days ago, growing out of an accusation by the father of one that the mother of the other stole hogs.

Over one million boys and girls attend public schools in New York State, at an expense of ten millions of dollars.

The London World says: An extraordinary discovery has just been made by the Indian office.

The orange crop in Florida the present season is represented to be large. The aggregate income from the crop in the vicinity of Leesburg, Sumter county, during the past year, it is stated, estimated at \$400,000.

The Cincinnati Enquirer, in a double-leaded article, says that the reputation of a Democratic politician of national reputation has been all over the State, having met three-fourths of the party leaders, and says Tilden's supporters number nine to one over those of any other Democrat.

Trouble at the Virginia Military Institute. A special from Richmond, Va., says that information has just been received there of the dismissal of 27 students from the Virginia Military Institute, at Lexington, for disobedience of orders and for breaking arrest.

The New York Herald says the presence in that city Saturday of a number of Democratic politicians from Albany caused the rumors in regard to a scheme having for its object the unification and harmonizing of the Democratic party throughout the State.

The Sanction of Marriage. The recent encyclical of Pope Leo XIII against divorce is apparently exciting a profound reactionary sentiment in favor of the indissoluble sanctity of marriage throughout the entire Christian world.

Over One Half. Of the male portion of the American people 45 years of age suffer more or less with diseases of the Kidney and Bladder.

A GREAT HISTORIAN'S LOVE. An Episode in the Life of Gibbon--How He Lost the Too Tender and Too Frank Heart of Suzanne Curcho.

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It is always the case. An old well was cleaned out in Indiana last week and they found a woman at the bottom of it. Beecher says when a church is free of debt it begins to die.

The story is one of trust and sorrow in which the great writer evinced as little of manhood as of consideration and constancy and cannot but leave an unenviable blot upon a luminous life.

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