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#### A SOUTHERN GENTLEMAN.

She's Right. Let the Family Dead Sleep Together.

At the dinner station where we stopped one day on a certain Tennessee railroad almost the first sight which greeted the eye of those who got off was a rough burial box on the platform, and seated near it was an old black woman with a handkerchief to her eyes. When kindly asked the cause of her sorrow she pointed to the box and replied:

"De old man's in dar."

"Your husband?"

"Yes; died two days ago back yere in de kentry."

"And what are you doing with the body here?"

"I wants to bury it at Charlestown but I hain't got money enough to take it on de railroad."

"What nonsense!" exclaimed a man as he came forward. "What's the difference where a nigger is buried? They want her to bury it here, but she won't. She's determined to take it to Charlestown."

"For what reason?" asked the passenger, who had put all the previous questions.

"Kase, sah, all de fo' chillen is buried up dar, an' his mudder an' suster, an' de po' old man will be lonesome down 'ere."

"What bosh!" growled the kick-er.

"Look here!" whispered the other, as he went over to him. "I'd rather be a nigger with her soul than to be a white man with yours. She's right. Let the family dead sleep together."

He entered the express office, paid for the shipment of the body, bought the widow a ticket to Charlestown, and then dropped a ten dollar gold piece in her hand and said:

"Give him a decent funeral, mammy, and this will put a head-board to mark the grave."

"May de Lawd bless you for—?"

But he hurried in to snatch a bite to eat. When he was gone I made inquiries as to his identity, and found a man who replied:

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#### WHEN THE GREEN GITS BACK.

BY JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY.

In spring, when the green gits back in the trees,  
And the sun comes out and stays,  
And yer boots pulls on with a good tight squeeze,  
And you think of yer barefoot days,  
When you ort to work and you want to not,  
And you and yer wife agrees  
It's time to spade up the garden-plot,  
When the green gits back in the trees—  
Well! work is the least of my ideas,  
When the green, you know, gits back in the trees!

When the green gits back in the trees, and bees  
Is a-buzzin' aroun' ag'n'  
In that kind of a lazy go-as-you-please  
Old gait they bum' in:  
When the groun's all bald where the hay-rick stood,  
And the creek's riz, and the breeze  
Coaxes the bloom in the old dogwood,  
And the green gits back in the trees—  
I like, as I say, in sich scenes as these,  
The time when the green gits back in the trees!

When the whole tail-fethers o' Wimer-time  
Is all pulled out and gone!  
And the sap it thaws and begins to climb,  
And the sweet it starts out on  
A teller's forred, a-gittin' down  
At the old spring out his knees—  
I kind o' like jest a-foarin' roun'  
When the green gits back in the trees—  
I jest a-pottentit' roun' as I—durn—please—  
When the green, you know, gits back in the trees!

#### "GOING HOME."

They There Shall Be At Home In The Continuing City.

It is written on the faces of the way-worn pilgrims that we meet. And the tender legend, mutual to the universe, should temper every glance, every word, every thought touching those who fare the way with us. By this sign we are brothers, and between ourselves and the light we should hold even the page of a blotted life, and trace the faint white words "going home." We must not sit in judgment upon the night pilgrim, who is on his way home.

It is written on the milestones of life. An angel index ever points onward, and he whose desires are for a better country reads, and with "steady step and level eye" presses on toward the sunset land, beyond which lies his home. For him the white couch of death is spread in vain; on him the siren's song is lost; for him the glittering coffers of mammon hold no enchantment. Invisible things have riveted his regard. He is going home.

It is written on the tombs of the departed. For a thousand years or more they may slumber in the utter silence, but the fadless passport, still inscribed by eternal fingers, adorns the ages above them; and the very dust may slumber on in hope; for in its mother's lap it still is going home—home to the new earth that shall be made. There they shall be at home in the continuing city, in the better country, within whose borders no desire is born that sighs for the beyond—for itself is the blissful beyond.

So read the motto of the race.  
So heed the passport to the skies,  
Thy home, thy rest, thy dwelling place  
Before thee lies.

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One of the things that go without saying is speechless amazement.

Rest is the great restorer. We tire our muscles by exercise and then rest to restore them, yet a great many of us do not stop to think how little rest we give to our brains. As a usual thing, no part of our brains is ever generally exercised as our digestive organs. A tired and overworked stomach will give signs of distress to which we pay no heed until at last Despair takes hold. Indigestion is just a warning, we can easily avoid further consequences. KODOL is a most thorough stomach relief. It digests what you eat and gives the stomach the needed rest, and greatly assists in restoring it to its normal activity and usefulness. Kodol sold on a guarantee relief plan.

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The man of letters may not be willing to let his wife read all of them.

#### THE WEATHER

Sometimes it's calm and sometimes rough. But, let it shine or rain, About it people talk enough. To make the weather vane—Pittsburg Post.

It's vain about its shape—you're right; Just take my quiet nip— Open the door most any night And see the weather strip!—Cleveland Leader.

So many garbs it has, in fact, In grades from hot to cold, The weather bureau must be packed As full as it can hold.—Boston Transcript.

'Tis meet that we each change should greet Without vain mutterings; We can't, however, buy our meat With any change it brings.—Chicago Record-Herald.

**AT NAPOLEON'S TOMB**

An American was being shown the tomb of Napoleon. As the loquacious guide referred to the various points of interest in connection with the tomb the American paid the greatest attention to all that was said.

"This immense sarcophagus," declared the guide, "weighs forty tons. Inside of that is a steel receptacle weighing twelve tons, and inside of that is a leaden casket, hermetically sealed, weighing over two tons. Inside of that rests a mahogany coffin containing the remains of the great man."

For a moment the American was silent, as if in deep meditation. Then he said:

"It seems to me that you've got him all right. If he ever gets out, cable me at my expense."—Success.

**A DEED AND A WORD**

A little stream had lost its way Amid the grass and fern. A passing stranger scooped a well, Where weary men might turn. He walled it in and hung with care A ladle at the brink; He thought not of the deed he did, But judged that all might drink. He passed again, and, lo, the well, By summer never dried, Had cooled ten thousand parching tongues And saved a life beside.

A nameless man amid a crowd That thronged the dairy mart Let fall a word of hope and love Unstuffed, from the heart; A whisper in the tumult thrown, A transitory breath, It raised a brother from the dust, It saved a brother from death. O germ, O fount, O fount of love, O thought at random cast, Ye were but little at the first, But mighty at the last!—Charles Mackay.

**Doing Business Again**

When my friends thought I was about to take leave of this world, an account of indigestion, nervousness and general debility," writes A. S. Chisholm, of Treadwell, N. Y., "and when it looked as if there was no hope left, I was persuaded to try Electric Bitters, and I rejoice to say that they are curing me. I am now doing business again as of old, and am still gaining daily." Best tonic medicine on earth. Guaranteed by any druggist. 50c.

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#### Verdict for Dr. Pierce

AGAINST THE Ladies' Home Journal.

Sending truth after a lie. It is an old maxim that he who will travel seven leagues while truth is getting its boots on, and no doubt hundreds of thousands of good people read the unwarranted and malicious attack upon Dr. R. V. Pierce and his "Favorite Prescription" published in the May (1906) number of the Ladies' Home Journal, with its gross libelous play headings, who never saw the humble, growing retraction, with its ineffectual and libelous heading, published two months later. It was boldly charged in the standard and libelous article that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, for the cure of women's weaknesses and ailments, contained alcohol and other harmful ingredients. Dr. Pierce promptly brought suit against the publishers of the Ladies' Home Journal, for \$200,000 damages. Dr. Pierce alleged that Mr. Bok, the editor, maliciously published the article containing such false and defamatory matter with the intent of injuring his business, and that the article contained, in addition, such libelous, malicious and untrue statements as to his personal life and character as to constitute a libel on the part of the publisher of the Ladies' Home Journal, and that the said article was calculated to injure the good name and reputation of Dr. Pierce, and to cause him to lose business, and to suffer financial loss. The court in its decision ruled in favor of Dr. Pierce, and awarded him \$200,000 damages.

#### NEVER HAD TIME.

There was an old fellow who never had time  
For a fresh morning look at the Volume Sublime;  
Who never had time for the sort hand of prayer  
To smooth out the wrinkles of labor and care;  
Who could not find time for that service so sweet  
At the altar of home, where the dear ones all meet,  
And never found time with the people of God,  
To learn the good way that the fathers have trod,  
But he found time to die,  
O, yes!  
He found time to die.

This busy old fellow, too busy was he  
To linger at breakfast; too busy was he  
For the merry, small chatter of children and wife,  
But led in his marriage a bachelor life;  
Too busy for kisses, too busy for play,  
No time to be loving, no time to be gay,  
No time to replenish his vanishing health;  
No time to enjoy his swift-gathering wealth;  
But he found time to die,  
O, yes!  
He found time to die.

This beautiful world had no beauty for him;  
Its colors were black and its sunshine was dim,  
No leisure for woodland, for river or hill,  
No time in his life just to think and be still;  
No time for his neighbors, no time for his friends,  
No time for those higher, immutable ends  
Of the life of a man who is not for a day,  
But, for worse or for better, for ever and aye,  
But he found time to die,  
O, yes!  
He found time to die.

#### There's nobody smart enough

when he grows up to live up to the reputation his parents gave him when he was a baby.

If a girl doesn't want to be kissed she is very deceitful.

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