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REASON IN HIS REGRET.

He Mourned the Late Mr. Brown and Mourned Him Fervently.

"I have come," said the stranger with the mild face and the side whiskers to the undertaker in the little town, "to make some inquiries concerning the late Mr. Brown. What kind of a grave did you give him?"

"Mr. Joseph Brown, sir," said the undertaker, "was a poor man when he died, and his widow could not afford really high class obsequies. In fact, there is no harm in stating that there is no stone over the grave at all. Mrs. Brown left here very shortly after her husband's death and has not since returned. No one in our town has seen her subsequently."

The stranger pondered a moment or two, and then drew his chair up to the undertaker.

"Your information agrees perfectly with what I had supposed," he said. "Now I want you to erect the handsomest stone you've got over the grave, and on this stone I wish the following inscription to be cut and gilded:

"I
MOURN
HIS
LOSS,
HOW
DEEPLY
NONE
CAN
TELL."
"RICHARD ROBINSON."

The stranger here produced a large roll of bills.

The undertaker was delighted. "Certainly, sir. It shall be done exactly as you direct. You must have been a great friend of his, sir, I take no doubt." And he rubbed his hands cheerfully.

"No, I never saw him in my life," said the other.

"What? You astonish me. How comes it, then, that you mourn his loss so deeply, if I may ask?"

"I married his widow."—San Francisco Examiner.

Not Yet Kin.

Sir Nicholas Bacon had once to sentence a number of malefactors to be hanged. One of these, by name Hogg, pleaded hard for mercy and among other pleas put in that of kinship. "Nay," says Bacon. "How do you make that out?" Says the prisoner, "My name is Hogg and yours is Bacon, and Hogg has ever been kin to Bacon." "Not," says Bacon, "till it has been well hanged," and forthwith confirmed the sentence.—Exchange.

His Idea of Distance.

"How far was it," asked the lawyer of the witness, "from your house to the road where the difficulty occurred?"

"'Bout a acre en a half, suh."

"I mean how many yards?"

"Dey wuzn't any yards dere at all, suh, exceptin' of my yard, en dat wuz 'bout a acre en a half fum de road."—Atlanta Constitution.

A Fellow Feeling.

"Why do you persist in looking at the moon and sighing?" she asked while gently steering their course toward the candy emporium.

"Pure sympathy," in an absent-minded way. "It's on its last quarter."—Detroit Free Press.

System.

Towne—But the race is nearly over, and the horse you mention is running two laps behind. Why do you want to bet on him?

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His Brutal Conduct.

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"What about?"

"She told me to guess what she had bought me for Christmas, and I guessed."—Chicago Record.

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It is difficult to keep a record of the persons using elevators. In the case of the elevated railroads, surface roads and other common carriers, the tickets or money collected can be used as a means of obtaining statistics, but nothing of this kind is possible with the elevators, which are patronized daily by thousands of persons who pay nothing for the privilege.

It is estimated that in the average building using several elevators trips are made about every minute and a half. One large retail store in Sixth avenue has 62 elevators. Many of the buildings have eight and ten, and the number in other buildings varies from one to six. Taking 30 buildings with six elevators, each carrying six passengers per trip, it will be seen that in one hour 43,200 passengers would be carried. In five busy hours 216,000 passengers would represent the number of persons carried in only 30 buildings. From this it may be seen that with thousands of elevators in use in New York the figures are enormous. In 1887 it was estimated that 16,000 persons were carried in one day by the two elevators in the Potter building.

In the clearing house 250 passengers patronize the elevator regularly between 12 and 1 o'clock. The New York Life building has eight elevators in operation, and it is reported that each elevator carries 2,000 passengers each day. In the Mutual Reserve building 5,000 passengers are carried daily. The Postal Telegraph building elevators average 2,700 hours' work per month. A low estimate of the number of passengers carried may be put at 300 passengers per hour, equal to 180,000 persons in one month. When it is remembered that this represents the service in one building, it will be seen that the amount of work done by elevators is vast.—New York Commercial.

His Notion of It.

"Why," she asked, "do so many of the poets write about goldenrod? It seems as if every one of them had tried to glorify it."

"Well," replied the man who had worked on a farm, "the only explanation I can give is that the poets probably never tried to raise potatoes in a field where goldenrod had got a good start."—Cleveland Leader.

Expensive Modest.

"What's the matter, old man? You look sad."

"I am. I just asked Farnsworth to lend me \$5."

"And I suppose he said he didn't have that much in the world."

"No. He had to get a \$10 bill changed in order to let me have what I had asked for."—Cleveland Leader.

Chinese nature is a curious branch of human nature. The Celestials not only continue to buy as freely as ever from their customers, the Japanese, but many of the Chinese insist that they never heard of the war.

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