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HE WASN'T SOAKED

This Tailor Lost Money by not Understanding Slang.

Had Been Warned to Soak a Customer but had to Ask His Victim the Meaning of the Term.

"When I go over to the old country I am going to get a lot of clothes to bring back with me," said a well known Windsorite, who went abroad recently.

"Oh," said his brother, "if that is the case, I have a brother who is a tailor in London, and I will give you a letter of introduction and write him telling him to see you right."

In course of time the traveler stepped into the tailor shop in London and presented his letter of introduction.

He got a warm handshake from the tailor, who said he had received a letter from his brother telling of the traveler's expected arrival, but could not understand part of the letter. The letter, when produced, read:

"Dear Brother—The bearer, Mr. — is from our place and wishes to get a lot of clothes in London. He has all sorts of money. Soak him. Yours affectionately."

The part of the letter that could not be understood was the concluding phrase. The traveler of course understood the Americanism, but managed to keep his face straight while he gave it a favorable construction. He saved the laugh until he could have it on his American friend. — Chicago Inter Ocean.

His Plea For Water.

"If there is anything I dislike," remarked Colonel Stilwell, wiping his mustache with impressive deliberation, "it is a bigoted person. Some of the people at my home in Kentucky came very near taking permanent offense at me, but I held out and finally convinced them."

"What was the discussion about?" "It was the old controversy. Somebody mentioned water, and Judge Morgan stated his opinion that it was something that ought to be abolished. The major argued for its use in moderation, but the judge wouldn't have it. I was sorry to disagree with the judge, but I stated my arguments and elicited from him that he had to give in. I called his attention to the great achievements which all the world is now engaged in applauding. I recalled to his mind the glories of our naval heroes, the men who are so proud of their country, the men of whom their country is so proud. Then I pointed my finger at the judge and asked him how those naval heroes could have done those glorious deeds if there hadn't been plenty of water for them to sail their ships on."

WAS ACCOMMODATING

A Dead Beat Sent for the Restaurant Proprietor

And Announced his Readiness to be Kicked out of the Place.

Scene—A swell restaurant (say, Simpson's). Waiter presents bill to swell, who has been dining both "wisely and well."

Swell—Waiter, just tell Mr. Simpson I should like a word with him. Ah, how do you do, Mr. Simpson? Some 12 months ago I dined here, but, unfortunately, was unable to pay. You made a few rather powerful remarks and then very properly kicked me down stairs.

Mr. Simpson—Ah, I do remember the matter, now you mention it. But, never mind, sir—never mind. Let bygones be bygones.

Swell—Just so, sir. I have now to compliment you upon the charming dinner I have just enjoyed. The wine was really excellent, but I am sorry to say—that is, I regret—er—well, the fact is (lifting his coat tails accommodatingly) I must trouble you again, Mr. Simpson.

How to Fall Unhurt.

"People wonder how an actress can fall on the stage without hurting herself, but it is the easiest thing in the world," said an actress.

"The great secret of falling is to relax. If you slip and fall some time when you do not wish to, if you can only remember to relax your muscles, you will be saved perhaps from a serious injury. Children and drunken people fall relaxed."

In Some Places.

Shooting Tenant (Just arrived for the grouse)—What a beautiful place to live, Dougald!

Dougald—It's no bad place to live. But what was ye think o' havin' to travel 15 miles for a glass o' whiskey?

Shooting Tenant—But why don't you buy some and keep it?

Dougald—Ah, mon, but whiskey will na' keep!—Punch.

Dogs Growing Weaker.

Experts agree that the life of a dog is shortened by close breeding and exhibition and that we are gradually raising dogs that will not be so long lived as the semi-wild mongrel types.

The best thing to be done when evil comes upon us is not to resort to lamentation, but to act; not to sit and suffer, but to rise and seek the remedy.

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Healthy, happy children make better men and women of us all. A little care and a little planning before birth is often more important than anything that can be done after. On the mother's health and strength depend the life and the future of the children. A weak and sickly woman cannot bear strong and healthy children. Most of the weakness of women is utterly incurable. Proper care and a proper medicine will cure almost any disorder of the feminine organism. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been tested in thirty years of practice. It is healing, soothing, strengthening. It is perfectly natural in its operation and effect. By its use, thousands of weak women have been made strong and healthy—have borne the mother of strong and healthy children. Taken during gestation, it makes childbirth easy and almost painless and insures the well being of both mother and child. Send 31 cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page "Common Sense Medical Adviser," profusely illustrated.

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LOTS OF CAVALRY

Required to Flank the Boer Positions.

The Enemy Have a Great Dread of British Mounted Fighters.

London, Dec. 27.—The Times publishes the following despatches from its war correspondent: "Arundel, Dec. 25.—The force here, consisting mostly of cavalry and horse artillery, have successfully checkmated a much larger force of Boers about Coleberg. The military situation demands a large increase in the cavalry. Experience here shows that the Boers greatly dread cavalry with horse artillery.

The Boer positions here are strong, and an assault would involve terrible losses, but either flank could be readily turned and retreat cut off if our cavalry were sufficiently numerous and the horses fit. The Boers would then be forced to attack the British in their positions or disperse. Loyal Boers say the enemy has gained few recruits in this neighborhood."

BOER SUPPLIES.

Shiploads Reported Sent From New Orleans.

New Orleans, Dec. 27.—The British consul here is authority for the statement that New Orleans has been one of the chief ports used by Boer agents for securing supplies for use in the Transvaal. Corn has been one of the principal staples bought and shipped, without creating comment or suspicion. The British authorities, however, appear to have possessed more or less information on the subject for some time, but have been powerless to stop the shipments. The plan, the British consul says, has been to ship the grain and other supplies from New Orleans to Rotterdam, and there re-ship to ports from which the Transvaal could be reached. British ships were used to carry the supplies as far as Rotterdam.

Night revealed the fact that the quantity of corn shipped from New Orleans to Rotterdam this season has been in excess of 3,000,000 bushels, while the legitimate trade has never required more than 400,000 bushels.

The Chatham Loan & Savings COMPANY.

36th—Half Yearly Dividend—36th

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of SIX per cent per annum upon the paid up capital stock of this company has been declared this day for the current half year, ending December 31st, 1899, payable at the Company's office, on and after January 2nd, 1900.

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