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HE WAS IN A HURRY.

When He Got Time He Apologized to the Hotel Clerk.

There is a clock face on the Pennsylvania side of the National hotel, the pointers of which have for years denoted the time at 9:33. Guests of the St. James who have front rooms not infrequently depend upon this superannuated timepiece to guide their movements, some-times to their great discomfort. Not a few appointments have been declared off because of that clock.

There came near being bloodshed at the St. James a few mornings ago. One of the guests, whose appearance denoted that he had dressed himself in the space of a minute, came thundering down stairs, not waiting for the elevator, and rushed over to the counter, back of which was the clerk, who was trying to snatch an hour's nap in the early morning.

"I'd like to know why in the mischief I was not awakened at 8 o'clock," he demanded.

The clerk attempted to reply, but the guest was too mad to listen to anything that might suggest an apology.

"This is a pretty hotel!" he continued. "I have stopped here for years, but I will never come here again. Make out my bill."

"Don't be in a hurry—"

"I will be in a hurry. You exasperate me. Tell me not to hurry, and here it is nearly 9 o'clock, and I should have been awakened at 8."

The clerk tried to get in a word, but it was useless.

"Get your register and see if I did not give an order for 8," the guest persisted. The register was brought forth, and, to the surprise of the clerk, there was the order for a call at 8.

"There, what did I tell you? Now see what you have done for me. I have missed my train and probably a big order. I have no notion to sue the proprietor."

The clerk's ire began to rise.

"What train did you wish to make?" he asked in a sarcastic tone.

"The 8:35."

"Well, you go back to bed, and I will see that you are called in plenty of time."

"Come, no joking. What do you mean?"

"Just what I wanted to tell you some time ago—it is now a quarter of 7."

A madder man than this guest was never seen in the St. James. And when he heard that the National clock was not running and had not been for years his anger knew no bounds.

He apologized to the clerk and went away swearing vengeance on that clock.—*Washington Star.*

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"Here is a white brier," she said,
"As white as the love that I give to you."
I plucked a marigold out of the bed.
"Here is a heart that is blithe and true—"

"Elithe and true and full of the sun."
My lady smiled at our fair conceit,
Pulling the flowers one by one
And pressing the thorns beneath her feet.

The soft hours stole across the lawn,
And she came close and softly said,
"When the dew is dry and the leaves are gone,
What will become of the white and the red?"

And I said: "In a garden the poets know,
Where the laughter of youth grows never old,
We will see the phlox and the lilies blow
And the sweetbrier loving the marigold."

"We will walk the pathways without a care,
Smelling the rose and the mignonette,
And you will be wonderfully kind and fair,
And I will be still as my cigarette!"
—Theodore Roberts in *Time and the Hour.*

Thackeray as a Diner.

Many worthy and some notable persons have possessed the onion habit now and again. William Makepeace Thackeray, writing of himself in "Lovell the Widower," says, "It is notorious to all my friends there is a certain dish I cannot resist." He referred to stewed tripe and onions, as a proof of which it is narrated of him that on one occasion while on his way to dine with the Marquis of Westminster his eye caught sight of a placard in the window of a London restaurant bearing the legend, "Tripe and onions tonight." Going in, he called for the dish and writing materials, and wrote off as an excuse to his would-be host that he had unexpectedly met an old friend that insisted upon detaining him.

Thackeray's favorite edibles were raw oysters and onions, and it may be recalled that he told Mr. Field, the Boston author, who acted as agent in his lecture tour in this country, that his chief purpose in coming to America was to obtain some of the famous large oysters of this land—which he had heard grow to fabulous size—instead of the little coppery things of England. At this first dinner of Boston, therefore, a plate of large "Providence Rivers" was set before him as an appetizer. He partook of one with a surprised look. Being asked how he felt, he replied: "Profoundly grateful. I feel as if I had swallowed a baby." He added that he must eat an onion to digest him.—*Philadelphia Ledger.*

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