

A QUAKER DETECTIVE.

We were five passengers in all; two ladies on the back seat, a middle-aged gentleman and a Quaker on the middle seat and myself on the front.

The two ladies might have been mother and daughter, aunt and niece, governess and charge, and might sustain another relationship, which made it proper for two ladies to travel together unattended.

The middle gentleman was talkative and sprightly. He soon struck up an acquaintance with the ladies; toward whom in his zeal to do, he rather overlaid the agreeable—bowing and smiling and clattering over his shoulder in a way painfully suggestive at his time of life of a "criek" in the trick. He was evidently a gay Lothario.

The Quaker wore the uniform of his sect, and confined his speech, as many Parliamentarians would save his credit by doing, to simply "yeas" and "nays." As for myself, I make it an invariable rule of the road to be merely a listener and looker-on.

Toward evening I was aroused from one of those reveries into which a young man without being a poet or lover, will sometimes fall, by an abrupt query from the talkative gentleman.

"Are you armed, sir?"

"I am not," I answered, astonished no doubt visibly at the question.

"I am sorry to hear it," he replied; "for before reaching our next stopping place it will be several hours in the night, and we must pass over a portion of the road on which more than one robbery is reported to have been committed."

The ladies turned pale, but the stranger did his best to assure them.

"Not that I think there is the slightest danger at present," he resumed; "only when one is responsible for the safety of the ladies, you know, such a thing as a pistol in reach, would materially add to one's confidence."

"Your principles, my friend," addressing the Quaker, "I presume, are as much opposed to carrying as to using carnal weapons?"

"Yes," was the response.

"Have the villains murdered any of their victims?" the elder lady nervously inquired.

"Or have they contented themselves with—plundering them?" added the younger in a timorous voice.

"Decidedly the latter," the amiable gentleman hastened to give assurance; "and as none of us are prepared to resist in case of attack, so nothing worse than robbery can befall us."

Then, after blaming his thoughtlessness in having unnecessarily introduced a disagreeable subject, the gentleman quite excelled himself in efforts to raise the spirits of the company, and had succeeded so well by the time night set in, that all had quite forgotten, or only remembered their fears to laugh at them.

Our genial companion talked himself fairly hoarse. Perceiving which, he took from his pocket a box of newly invented "cough candy," and, after passing it first to the ladies, he helped himself to the balance and tossed the paper out of the window.

He was in the midst of a high encomium on the new nostrum, more than half the efficacy of which, he insisted, depended on its being taken by suction, when a shrill whistle was heard, and almost immediately the coach stopped, while two faces, hideously blacked, presented themselves, one at each window.

"Sorry to trouble you," said the man on the right, acknowledging with a bow, two lady like screams from the back seat; "but business is business, and ours will soon be over if things go smoothly."

"Of course, gentlemen, you will spare us as far as may be consistent with your disagreeable duties, the feelings of these ladies," appealed the polite passenger in his blandest manner.

"Oh, certainly they shall first be attended to, and shall not be required to leave their places, unless their conduct renders it necessary."

"And, now ladies," continued the robber, the barrel of his pistol glittering in the light of the coach lamp, "be so good as to pass your purses, watches, and other such trinkets as may be accessible without too much trouble."

The ladies came down handsomely, and were no further molested.

One by one, the rest got out. The middle-aged gentleman's turn coming first, he submitted with winning grace, and was robbed like a Chesterfield.

My own affairs, like the sum I lost, are scarcely worth mentioning.

The Quaker's turn came next. He quietly handed over his pocket-book and watch, and when asked if he had any other valuables, said, "Nay."

A Quaker's word is good, even among thieves; so, after a hasty "good night," the robber thrust his pistol in his belt.

"Stop!" cried the Quaker.

"What?" asked the robber.

"For at least two good reasons," was the reply, "I have a couple of derringers, cocked and presented."

"Help?" shouted the robber. "Stop!" the Quaker again commanded; "and if any one of thy sinful companions advance a step to thy relief, the spirit will surely move me to blow thy brains out."

The robber at the opposite window, and the one at the leader's heads, thought it a good time to leave.

"Now, get in, friend," said the Quaker, still covering his man, "and take the middle seat; but first deliver up thy pistol."

The other hesitated.

"Thee had better not delay; I feel the spirit begin to move my right forefinger."

The robber did as he was directed, and the Quaker took his place by his side, giving the new-comer the middle of the seat.

The driver who was frightened half out of his wits, now set forward at a rapid rate. The live gentleman soon recovered his vivacity. He was facetious on the Quaker's prowess.

"You're a rum Quaker you are. Why you didn't quake worth a cent."

"I am not a 'Shaking Quaker,' if that is what thee means."

"Of the 'Hickory,' or rather of the 'Old Hickory' stripe, I should say," retorted the lively man. But the Quaker relapsing into his usual monosyllables the conversation flagged.

Sooner than we expected, the coach stopped where we were to have supper and a change of horses. We had deferred a redistribution of effects until we should reach this place, as the dim light of the coach lamp would have rendered the process somewhat difficult.

It was now necessary, however, that it should be attended to at once, as our jovial companion had previously announced his intention of leaving us at this point. He proposed a postponement till after supper, which he offered to go and order.

"Nay," urged the Quaker, with an approach of abruptness, and laying his hand on the other's arm, "business before pleasure, and for business, there is no time like the present."

"Will thee be good enough to search the prisoner?" he said to me, still keeping his hand, in a friendly way, on the passenger's arm.

I did so, but not one of the stolen articles could be found.

"He must have got rid of them in the coach," the gentleman suggested, and immediately offered to go and search.

"Stop!" thundered the Quaker, tightening his grasp.

The man turned pale, and struggled to release his arm. In an instant one of the derringers was leveled at his heart.

"Stir a hand or a foot and you are a dead man!"

The Quaker must have been awfully excited, so completely to forget both the language and the principles of his persuasion.

Placing the other pistol in my hand, with directions to fire on the first of the two men that made a suspicious movement, he went to work on the Lothario, from whose pockets, in less time than it takes to tell it, he produced every item of the missing property, to the utter amazement of the two ladies who had begun, in no measured terms, to remonstrate against the shameful treatment the gentleman was receiving.

The Quaker, I need scarcely add was no Quaker at all, but a shrewd detective, who had been sent out on the track of a band of desperadoes, of whom our middle aged friend—who don't look near so middle aged when his wig is off—was the chief. The robbery had been adroitly planned. The leader of the gang had taken passage in the coach, and after learning, as he supposed, our defenseless condition, had given the signal to his companions by throwing the scrap of paper already mentioned. After the unexpected capture of the first robber, it was attempted to save the booty by secretly passing it to the accomplice, still believed to be unsuspected, who counted on being able to make off with it at the next stopping place.

The result was that both, for a season, did the State some service.

Real and Exchangeable.—Said a loving wife to her husband, "Will you never learn, my dear, the difference between real and exchangeable value?"

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A man with four wives was brought before Hans Swaribar, a Mohawk Justice, for commitment on a charge of Bigamy. "Four wives," exclaimed the astonished Hans: "four wives. Dat was a most hocusious crime! Disbarrah him at vonce!"

"Why," protested the prosecutor, "why discharge him when the proof is positive? Will the court explain?"

"Yes, I ecksplains. Off he lift mit four wives he got bunishment enough. I lift mit von, and I got too much bunishment already."

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SUMMONS.

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Caroline E. Dorris, Plaintiff, vs. Felix G. Dorris, Defendant.

Know all men, that Felix G. Dorris, said Defendant, in the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff, filed against you in the above named court, by Monday, the 14th day of November, A. D. 1870, which is the first day of the next regular term of said court, following the expiration of the time prescribed in the order of the Judge of said court, and more than six weeks from the date of said order and of this summons, and the first publication hereof, or judgment will be taken against you for want thereof.

You are hereby further notified that if you fail to appear and answer as above required, the plaintiff will apply to said court for a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between you and her, and for the care and custody of the minor children—the issue of said marriage. By order of the Hon. R. P. Boise, Judge of said court, made this 25th day of July, A. D. 1870.

SULLIVAN & WHITSON, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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JOEL A. KIRBY, Administrator.

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