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Expressing the Baby.

(Original)
During the illness of Mrs. Dolittle, wife of Dan Dolittle, carpenter, her baby was in care of her sister in Rosefield, fifty miles away. At the mother's recovery, the father having a job in Rosefield and not wishing to spend the time himself on the journey back, it occurred to him to send the child home under care of the baggage-man of the train, whom he knew well.

He found a little chest that would do very well for a traveling crib. His sister lined it with blankets, put a feather pillow in the bottom and when all was ready deposited the child. Dan put on a tag as a precaution in case the contents fell into other hands than the baggage-man, addressing the chest to "Mrs. Daniel Dolittle, Birkville. This Side Up With Care. Glass." There was no precaution in marking it glass, for the baby's bottle was there ready for use. There were a flat book and a staple to hold the lid down when closed, but it was not intended that the lid should be closed. Just before train time the father carried his baby to the station and turned it over to the baggage-man, who received it willingly, set it on a trunk and put the nipple on the bottle into the youngster's mouth.

An hour later Dan Dolittle saw an "extra" announcing that a bridge had broken under the train on which he had sent his baby and let the first two cars into the river. He ran to the station and, getting on a relief train, went to the scene of the accident. The baggage car was partly immersed, the baggage-man had been killed or drowned, and there was no sign of the baby.

Dan worked all the afternoon moving trunks and hunting for his child's body without avail. While he was at work his wife, who knew the baby was on the wrecked train, arrived, and he was obliged to announce to her that the child had doubtless been thrown out of the car door, which was open at the time of the accident, and buried under the car or heavy trunks at the bottom of the river. The poor woman was hysterical. Dan begged her to go home, but she would not till she knew something of the manner of her baby's death. So he let her stay till the wreck had been removed, but as there were still no indications of what had become of the child husband and wife went to their desolate home broken hearted.

A month passed without any developments as to whether the baby had been crushed or drowned. This uncertainty worked upon the mother's mind, and there was no comfort for her. Had her child died in its bed she would doubtless have recovered from the shock in time. But she brooded over the poor little thing's horrible taking off till Dan began to fear that he would have to send her to a sanitarium. One morning there was a heavy rattling of wagon wheels on the street before the door and a sharp ring at the bell. Mrs. Dolittle answered the call, and an express wagon driver handed her a book and a pencil to sign for a package. She signed wondering, and the man delivered an oblong box. On it was a tag with the address: "Mrs. Daniel Dolittle, Birkville. This Side Up With Care. Glass." Mrs. Dolittle unhooked the lid and opened it.

"Mother of heaven!" she exclaimed and forthwith fainted.

It happened that it was noon, and Dan was momentarily expected home from his work. How long it was after the receipt of the package before he arrived cannot be known, but it was probably very soon. There in the hall was his wife lying on the floor unconscious beside the identical chest in which he had placed her child before sending it homeward, and in it was that child, looking as rudely as an autumn apple, pulling away on a bottle.

If Dan hadn't been a man he would probably have fainted too. As it was, he rushed for water, sprinkled it in his wife's face and brought her to. By this time her senses were ready to receive the impression that her baby was alive and well. She snatched it from its traveling crib and hugged it to her breast, covering it with kisses. Then she put it back and covered Dan with kisses. Then she cried a little and laughed a little, never for a moment wondering how her child could come back to her in this strange manner. But Dan, spying a note in the chest, opened it and read it. It explained matters.

A short distance below the scene of the accident lived an ignorant, stupid German couple. Neither of them heard of the bridge breaking down, and if they had they would never have connected it with what followed. The German was coming across the river in his punt when he saw a floating box. The water was smooth, and the box sailed along right side up. The man took it in, pulled out the book, raised the lid and saw a baby. It was unconscious, and he supposed it dead. Taking it to his hut on the bank, his wife gave it some warm milk, and it revived. The woman, who was childless, believed the Lord had sent her the baby and would not give it up. She kept it a month, when her husband, discovering that it was costing him a good deal of milk and fearing they might get into trouble if they kept it, prevailed upon her to send it on according to the address on the tag. So he took it to an express office, where the clerk after pondering awhile whether to accept such fragile freight concluded to pass it on, especially as it would be delivered within a couple of hours. It is probable that at the time of the accident the lid closed, the book slipped into the staple, the box was thrown into the river and floated to the German.

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Didn't Want Agony Prolonged.
Missionary—Will you do me a favor? Cannibal—What is it? Missionary—When you get ready to eat me, I wish you would arrange it so that I can be a quick lunch rather than a course dinner.—New York Press.

Invitation Declined.
"As Shakespeare says," remarked Cassidy, who was fond of airing his "book learnin'," "what's in a name?" "Well," replied Casey, "call me what that Ol' don't like an' Ol' show ya."—Kansas City Newsbook.

A Story of Beau Nash.
Beau Nash was not entirely a butterfly, as is proved by the following anecdote: His father was a partner in a glass business at Swansea. This was little known, and the Duchess of Marlborough once twitted him with the obscurity of his birth. "Madam," replied Nash, "I seldom mention my father in company, not because I have any reason to be ashamed of him, but because he has some reason to be ashamed of me."

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NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned as administrator of the estate of John B. Hall, deceased, has filed in the County Court of Klamath County, Oregon, his Final Account of the administration of said estate, and that the court has fixed Monday, the 27th day of December, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day as the time and the County Courthouse in Klamath County, Oregon, as the place for the hearing of objections, if any, to said account, and the settlement thereof.

Dated at Klamath Falls, Oregon, this 26th day of November, 1909.
L. J. BAUMAN,
As Administrator of the Estate of John B. Hall, Deceased.
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FORMERLY WITH THE CITY MEAT MARKET

BRIEF MENTION

Some bargains in Pianos at Virgil's furniture store. 6-13
A nobby line of hand bags at Stilts Dry Goods company.

Phonographs on easy terms at Muller's, corner Sixth and Main streets.
Plenty of tissue paper, stickers, seals, etc., on hand. Star Drug Co.

Why not give a nice box of Xmas candy? Our's is fresh. Star Drug Company.

Eggs from the ranches near the city may be had at all times at Goodrich's Cash store.

Big reduction in all lines of millinery, coats and suits, at the Stilts Dry Goods Company.

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Report of the Condition of
THE FIRST TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK
at Klamath Falls, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business November 16, 1909.

Resources:	
Loans and discounts.....	\$ 51,285.63
Bonds, securities, etc.....	923.43
Banking house, furniture and fixtures.....	2,150.74
Due from approved reserve banks.....	45,648.86
Checks and other cash items.....	235.19
Exchanges for clearing house.....	556.40
Cash on hand.....	10,691.12
Total.....	\$111,491.28
Liabilities:	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$25,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	2,095.34
Due to banks and bankers.....	1,849.83
Individual deposits subject to check.....	39,759.86
Demand certificates of deposit.....	315.00
Time certificates of deposit.....	10,585.00
Savings deposits.....	31,886.25
Total.....	\$111,491.28

Total State of Oregon, County of Klamath, ss.

I, J. W. Siemens, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. SIEMENS, Cashier.
CORRECT—Attest:
GEO. T. BALDWIN,
J. A. MADDOX.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1909.
P. L. FOUNTAIN,
Notary Public.

SHERIFF'S SALE

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Klamath. American Bank and Trust Co., a corporation, vs. Mont E. Hutchison and Sadie V. Hutchison, his wife, defendants.

Suit in Equity to Foreclose a Mortgage.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of an execution and order of sale duly issued out of the above named court and cause on the 24th day of November, 1909, upon a decree made and entered for record in said court in said suit on the 27th day of September, 1909, in favor of the above named plaintiff, directing the sale of the premises herein described to satisfy the sum of \$375 and \$46.88 interest on said sum and \$10.20 costs and disbursements, and the further sum of \$507.08, with interest on said sum from the day of the rendition of said decree, and accruing costs.

Now, therefore, in view of said execution and in compliance with same, I have duly levied on said premises and will, on Friday, the 24th day of December, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. on said day, at the front door of the county courthouse at Klamath Falls, Klamath County, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in and all the right, title and interest of the above named defendant in and to the following described real property situated in Klamath County, Oregon, to-wit:

Lot 4 block 5 in the City of Klamath Falls, together with all the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

The proceeds of said sale will be applied in satisfaction of said execution, order and decree, interest and costs, and all accruing costs and overplus, if any there be, to be paid unto said court to be further applied as by law directed.

Dated at Klamath Falls, Oregon, this 24th day of November, 1909.
W. B. BARNES,
Sheriff of Klamath County, Oregon.
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