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# BERTHA THE SIBERIAN CHEESEHOUND

MEANING: "LOOK AT ALL THOSE SELFISH RICH PEOPLE PASSING BY THIS POOR BLIND MAN WITHOUT DROPPING A NICKEL IN HIS CUP"

KOOK LIFF ZOF

BLIND

WHICH MEANS: "I'LL HAVE TO TAKE THE MATTER IN MY OWN HANDS"

KOGGLE PLIP UMSLO FOGUS

AGOO MIK ZEV

HERE, MY GOOD MAN

\$10, \$20, \$30, \$40

HE'S PHONEY, TOO!

ZILCH!

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I'M IN A GREAT HURRY. I HAVE TO SING AT THE OPERA AND I'M LATE - I WANT A CAR TO DRIVE DOWN TO THE OPERA HOUSE

I'LL HAVE MY MAN DRIVE YOU DOWN IN ONE OF OUR LATEST FALLEN-ARCH-SIXES

THERE'S MY WIFE - HER NAME IS PEARL - ISN'T SHE A PEACH? SHE GOT JEALOUS ONCE WHEN SHE SAW ME GIVING A DEMONSTRATION TO A BEAUTIFUL GIRL - SHE THINKS I'M A SHEIK

HURRY HURRY! I HAVEN'T A MINUTE TO SPARE

I THINK I'LL TURN BACK AND TELL PEARL YOU'RE ONLY AN OPERA SINGER AND YOU HIRED THIS CAR TO BE TAKEN TO WORK - I DON'T WANT ANY MIS-UNDER-STANDING

PLEASE HURRY - PLEASE! TODAY'S OPERA MEANS \$2000 TO ME AND MY DRESSMAKER AND MILLINER ARE YELLING FOR MONEY

LOOK, LOOK, THERE'S BOOB OUT MOTORING WITH ANOTHER WOMAN - THIS IS THE SECOND TIME I'VE CAUGHT HIM AT IT

YOU POOR CHILD - I'LL TAKE YOU AWAY IN MY CAR FOR A FEW WEEKS - THAT WILL TEACH HIM A LESSON

CITRONELLA, WHERE DID PEARL GO?

SHE WENT DOWN THE ROAD IN A CAR WITH MRS. LOOSETONGUE

TURN AROUND, YOU POOR FISH - YOU'RE DRIVING ME AWAY FROM THE OPERA HOUSE

I MUST CATCH UP WITH PEARL AND EXPLAIN WHO YOU ARE

NOW YOU'VE LOST HER, ANYWAY - TAKE ME TO THE OPERA HOUSE!

I'LL GET YOU TO THE OPERA HOUSE NOW, MADAM - YOU CAN'T BLAME ME FOR BEING WORRIED ABOUT PEARL

THIS IS TERRIBLE - NOW I THINK I'VE LOST MY VOICE YELLING AT YOU

THIS IS STRANGE - IT LOOKS SO DARK AND DESERTED

EVERYTHING'S ALL RIGHT - I GUESS THE OPERA ISN'T TILL TOMORROW NIGHT

THE AUDIENCE GOT TIRED WAITING FOR YOU - I HAD TO GIVE THEM BACK \$13,891.15 WHEN THEY THREATENED TO KILL ME - I'M RUINED!

THAT MAN IS RESPONSIBLE FOR MY DELAY

PROFESSOR, LEAD ME YOUR BASS FIDDLE FOR A MINUTE

I OWE SO MUCH ALREADY I MIGHT AS WELL OWE FOR THE FIDDLE, TOO

*J. P. ...*