MEANER THAN THE MEANEST.

Low-Down Trick of Sanctimonious Sinner Who Carried a Bottle in His Pocket.

He got on the train at Van Nostrand and sat down beside me. He was long, lean and lanky. First he looked out of the car window and then at me, says a writer in the New York Herald. Settling deeper into his seat he suddenly remarked:

"Dry day, eh?"

I merely nodded my head affirmatively.

"Do you drink, young man?"

I said I didn't mind if I did.

He said he would mind, though. "Furthermore," he continued, "I am surprised that a man of your modest appearances, with eyes denoting Christian breeding, a forehead denoting good moral character and a mouth too pure to withstand the taint of intemperance, should be willing to indulge in the flowing bowl."

I could only squirm about in my seat and prepare myself for an 18-karat temperance lecture about to be thrust upon me.

"And, young man, do you know that hundreds of homes have been devastated by strong drink?"

I knew.

"Do you realise that the idols of manhood have been shattered and wealth squandered by liquor?"

I realized.

"Are you aware that wine is a mocker and drink is the national curse?"

I was aware.

"Are you cognizant of the fact that every glass is the foundation stone of intemperance?"

I was cog.

"Do you know that wines, liquors and cigars are the advance agents of insobriety? And, young man, for the sake of your parents, for the good of your wife—if you have one; for the respect of your children—if you have any, I want you to make me one promise—"

"And that is?" I hurriedly interrupted, willing to promise anything, for his words had aroused me, and I knew I had been grovelling in the dark, and that every drink was a blot on the sunshine of my home.

"I want you to promise me that you will not let another drop of liquor pass your lips."

"I won't," I almost shouted, extending my hand as a seal to the faithful adherence to my promise.

"And you will not yield to temptation?"

"I will not."

"And you will not ask for a drink, should you see anyone else imbibing?"

"I give you my word of honor, I will not."

"Thanks, young man, thanks," and with that the mean, groveling, contemptible, long, lean, lanky hypocrite put his hand to his back pocket, brought forth a pint flask of whisky and drank to his heart and stomach's content, while I sat like a buncoed commuter amid the giggling occupants of the train.

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Notice to Non Resident.

To Charley De Long, non-resident defendant:

You are hereby notified that on the 25th day of September, 1901, Malinda I. De Long filed a petition against you in the district court of Webster county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to obtain a divorce from you on the ground that you have willfully abandoned plaintiff, also on the ground of cruel treatment and want of support. You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 4th day of November, 1901.

Dated this 25th day of September, 1901.

MALINDA I. DELONG.

By J. M. CHAPPIN, her attorney.

PUBLIC SALE!

The undersigned will sell at his farm nine miles due south of Red Cloud, on

Tuesday, Nov. 9th,

commencing at 10 a.m. the following described property:

45 Head Stock!

described as follows:

38 HEAD OF CATTLE! consisting of 19 milch cows, 6 fresh with calves by side and rest fresh soon; 4 yearling steers; one thoroughbred short horn bull, long yearling; 14 head of steer and heifer calves.

7 HEAD OF HORSES; consisting of one span 3 year-old road bred horses; one span trotting bred colts, one yearling and one sucking; one span 2-year-old driving horses; one English shire filley one-year-old.

Other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—10 months time will be given, purchaser giving note with good security bearing ten per cent interest.

JOHN DOYLE.

COL. C. L. WINFREY, Auctioneer