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TO THE READER

THE MOONLIGHT BANQUET is a satire on flamboyant speaking. The moral is that the poor should be remembered.

In justice to myself I wish to declare that I had the idea of having animals think and speak before Rostand's play was produced.

L. P. PUTERBAUGH.

North Yakima, Washington.

1. The first part of the document discusses the importance of maintaining accurate records of all transactions. It emphasizes that proper record-keeping is essential for the integrity of the financial system and for the ability to detect and prevent fraud. The text notes that without reliable records, it would be difficult to track the flow of funds and identify any irregularities.

2. The second part of the document outlines the specific procedures for recording transactions. It details the steps involved in the accounting process, from the initial recording of a transaction to the final posting to the general ledger. The text stresses the need for consistency and accuracy in these procedures to ensure that the financial statements are reliable and free from error.

3. The third part of the document addresses the role of internal controls in the accounting process. It explains how internal controls are designed to prevent and detect errors and fraud, and how they contribute to the overall effectiveness of the financial system. The text highlights the importance of a strong internal control environment and the need for regular monitoring and evaluation of these controls.

4. The fourth part of the document discusses the impact of technology on the accounting process. It notes that the use of computerized accounting systems has significantly improved the efficiency and accuracy of financial reporting. However, it also points out that the use of technology has introduced new risks, such as data security and system failures, which must be carefully managed.

5. The fifth part of the document concludes by summarizing the key points discussed and emphasizing the need for ongoing vigilance and improvement in the accounting process. It states that the financial system is a dynamic and evolving environment, and that the accounting process must be able to adapt to these changes in order to remain effective and reliable.

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BULLOCK	Star
FIRST STEER	Leading Man
FIRST COW	Leading Woman
SECOND STEER	Villain
FOURTH STEER	Flambouyant
THIRD HEIFER	Sentimental



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BULLOCK, *Head of the Herd.*

STEERS, *First, Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth.*

HEIFERS, *First, Second, Third and Fourth.*

CALVES, *First, Second, and Third.*

ACT I.

SCENE I.—*Squire Brown's green pasture field near a cotton-wood grove on the Arkansas river bottom in eastern Colorado.*

TIME—*Spring.*

Enter all but Fifth Steer, Fourth Heifer, Third and Fourth Cows, and Third Calf. Enter high spirited with much frolicking, chasing and butting one another for a few moments, then quiet down.

BULLOCK—So ho! at last we're given our liberty
To chase and gambol on the meadow field
And give our bubbling spirits full wide swing
In this our joyous Spring-time festival.

FIRST STEER—No more corrals and living on
Alfalfa hay, and with no change of diet.
Now for green grass, then more green grass!

REST OF HERD—Just so!