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THE RISING OF THE MOON

SCENE

Side of a quay in a seaport town. Some posts and chains. A large barrel. Enter three policemen. Moonlight.

Sergeant, who is older than the others, crosses the stage to R. and looks down steps. The others put down a passport and unroll a bundle of placards.

Policeman B. I think that would be a good place to put up a notice. *(He points to barrel.)*

Policeman X. Better ask him. *(calls to Sergeant.)*
Will this be a good place for a placard? *(No answer.)*

Policeman B. Will we put up a notice here on the barrel? *(No answer.)*

Sergeant. There's a flight of steps here that leads to the water. This is a place that should be minded well. If he got down here, his friends might have a boat to meet him: they might send it in here from outside.

Policeman B. Would the barrel be a good place to put a notice up?