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middle-aget widow, when unbody else shabby, yet had a certain smartness. was near, thrust her head a little way into their living by whatever Satan sent them, the rocess, and vowed that the young and now in the Interim of other business, tellow looked charming in his sleep; A had staked the joint profits of their next even on formal occasi ns. temperance lestu er saw him, and wrought piece of villaioy on a gama of cards, which p or David into the t-xture of his even was to have been decided here under the ing's discourse, as an awful instance to

dead-drunkenness by the road-ide. But trees, But, finding David asleep by the upring, sure, merr m al. praise, scora and inone of the rogues whispared to his tellow: d ffe ence were all use, or rather all nothhis head?" He had slept only a few moments when

The other villain nodded, winked and a brown carriage drawn by a hand-omeleerest. pair of horacs, bowled easily along, and

"I'll bet yon a horn, of bravely," said the was trought to a stand-still meaning in front d David's resting place. A linchpin hal book or else he has a snug little hoard of and "dy wile." allen out, and permitted one at the wheels to slide off. The damage was shirts. And if not there we shall find it slight, and occasioned morely a momenin his pantaleon pocket." tary slarm to an elderly gentleman and

wife, who were returning to Botcoa in other. the carr age, While the coachman and a His companion thrust aside his waist servant were replacing the wheel, the lady cost, pointed to the handle of a dirk and and gentleman sheltered thomselves be

podded. neath the maple tree, and there espied the So be it!" mottered the second will bunbling tountain and David Swan asleep

beside it. Impressed with the awe which lain. They approached the unconscious the hamblest sheper sheds around him, Day d, and while one pointed the dagger datkey an oper-tion requiring a high de the me count trod as lightly as the goat towards the heart, the other began to would allow; and his spause took good heed not to rustle her slik gown, lest search the bundle beneath his head-their David should start up all st a judden. "How sound y he s'cops!" whispered the guilt and fear, heat over their victim, la-king terrible enough to be mistaken for "From what a depth he finds should be suddenly awake. Nav. draws that easy breath ! Such sleep as had the villians glanced uside into the that, brought on without an opfste, spring, even they might not know them would be worth more to me than half my selves as reflected there. But David Swan inco ne; for it would argue health and an had never worn a more tranquil aspect,

untroubled mind." even when saleep on his mother's breast "And youth besides," said the lady. "I must take away the bundle," whis-Health and quiet age does not sleep thus. Our slumber is no more like his pered one. "But it he stirs, I'll strike," muttered than our wakerulness

the other. Thus did this elderly couple feel inter-But at this moment a dag scenting ested in the unknows youth, to whom the along the ground, came in beneath the wayside and the maple were as a secret maple trees and gazed alternately at each. chamber, with the rich gloom of damask curtains broading over him Perceiving sleeper. He then lapped out the tous that a stray sunbeam glimmered down upon his face, the baly contrived to twist this

a branch aside, so as to int reept it. And nothing now. The dog's mester must be having done this set of kindness, she beclose behind." " Let's take a drick and be off," said the

"Providence secons to mave laid him here," whispered she to her husband, "and other, The man with the dagger thrust the to have brought us bither to find him,

after our disappointment in our common's weapon into his pocket and drew forth a son. Methink-I can see a likeness to po k-t putol, but not of that kind which departed Heary. Shall we waken him?" ki is by a single discharge. It was flack "To what purpose?" said the merchant, of liquor, with a block the tumbler hesitating. "We know nothing of the youth's character." "That open countenance!" replied the so many jests, and such laughter at their wife, in the same hushed voice, carnestly, unaccomplished wickedness, that they

might be said to have gone on their way twins, This innocent sleep." While these whispers were passing the rejoing. In a few hours they had fordeeper's heart did not throb, nor his gotten the whole affair, nor imagined that breath become agitated, nor his features the recording angel had written down the

betray the teast token of interest. Yes, come of murder against their souls in fortune was bending over him, just ready letters as durable as eternity. to let full a burden of gold. The old As for David Swan he slept quietly, merchant had lost his only son, and had neither conscious of the shadow of death

no here to his wealth except a distant when it hung over him, nor of the glow relative, with whose conduct he was dis, of reserved life when that shadow was satisfiest. In such cases, people some withdrawn times do stranger things than to act the magician, and awaken a young man in first. An honr's repose had snatched from

his elastic frame the weariness with which splender who fell asleep in poverty. "Shall we not waken him?" repeated many hours of toll had burdened it. Now he stirred; now moved his lips, without a the lady, persuasively.

v int, behind,

hurricitaway, mutually wondering that slong the road until it dashed through the they should over dreamed of doing any- dispersion mist of David's slumber; and thing so ridiculous. The merchant threw there was the stage cosch. He started up himself back in his carriage and occupied with all his pleas about him.

SCOTLAND NECK, HALIPAX COUNTY N. C his mind with the plan of a magnificant

These were a couple of rascals who got | Insensibly the trick of their invariable use | have two sides, like that of certain quad-

Married people as well as others should "His ! Do you see the blundle under preserve in public a certain polished may be,

to and among intimate frien is rigidly confire mutual alta-ions to the formal Mr. highest luster from the number of the first, "that the chip has either a pocket- and Mrs., or the dignified "My husband" As for papa and small change stowed away among his mamma, let children keep them for their beautiful in the evening or like summerown, and so far as the persons themselves are implicated, let them be used at least rich with golden sheaves, where good deeds "But how if he wakes!" said the only in the nursery.

+ 122 Cost of the Knew How.

The e was much guapting evinced by that particular darky whose master was a surgeon, who had performed on another

gree of skill. This latter darkey was wellto do, and the surgeon charged him twen- thing from within, and until the heart is two more grim, winkled and ghastly with ty-five dollars for the operation. Meeting right all efforts after it must be in vain. the doctor's servant alterward, this dia logue occured :

"Dat was a mighty steep charge of the doctor's for cutting on me tudder day."

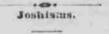
'How much uid de bauschurge?' Well, Julius, he charged me twentyfive dollars "

"Go 'tong niggah, dat ain't much charge "

"Well, he wasn't more dan three or four minutes doin' it and I think five dollars Mr. Randolph rushed out of the house in was all he oughter took."

"Look-ahear, Sam; you don't unstan 'bout dat ting. You see de boss have to spend a great many year larsin' how to use of those wicked men and then at the quiet dat knile, an' cost him heaps o' money. rode away in a thurdering gallop. The Now de tact am dat he only charge you five dallars for de operation; de tudder The lady b came Mrs. Poyton Rand dph.

"Sphaw!" said one villian, "We can do I wenty he charge for do know how." That's it-the time and money to learn the know bow;



hav knows a second wife to harry it was a strange, heart-breaking romance,

comfortable dram and left the spot, with best thing I hav ever seen on it iz kream. Thare '2 2 things in this world for which

we are never fully prepared, and that iz D m't hurry things mi sweet friends, the

best time to set a hen- z when the hen iz.

man forget all his other sorrows The musketo iz norm ov poor but indus- boys and others what creatures not to kill, trious parents, but haz in hiz veins sum or as follows ;

the best blood in the country. Man wag kreated a little lower than the He slept, but no longer quietly as at angels, and he has been a gitting a fille lawer ever since.

Employment is the great boon ov life, a man with nothing to do iz not haft so in tere-ting as a tipening turatp.

The coace is ready, sir," said the ser-rot, behind. The old couple started, reddened, and But a noise of wheels came rattling loader

is this world who are alke, when you kill the mole. kanteven find one who iz alike haff the

Insensibly the trick of their invariable use became confirmed, and last the habit great too inveterate to be noticed or dropped ereo on formal occasi ns. Pet names of all sorts should be kept and confined to the privacy of the home Married people as well as others should preserve is public s certain polished manner consistent with using the christian preserve is public s certain polished manner consistent with using the christian preserve is public s certain polished manner consistent with using the christian preserve is public s textion consistent with using the christian preserve is public s textion consistent with using the christian manner to assign a difference. The corres and the other reserves the consistent with using the christian manner to assign a difference. The corres and the other reserves the consistent with using the christian manner to assign a difference. The corres and the other reserves the consistent with using the christian manner to assign a difference. The corres and the other reserves the consistent with using the christian manner to assign a difference. The corres difference corres difference and the other reserves the consistent with using the christian manner to assign a difference. The corres difference corres differences and find \$740 I did not care much, because I prove a lative particles of a differences. The meximum differences are differences and find \$740 I did not care much, because I prove a lative particles of all victories, deriving there

bloodless of all victories, deriving their gave a false name, and I knew my wife couldn't find it out; but the next ing, I'll be eternally confused if that very saved, not of the slain.

paper didn't have it all in, and my name Mon's lives should be like day-more 10 Did your wife see it ?" a glow with promis-; and like automnhave sipened in the field

Tenderness is the genius of simple minds, If passing knows no obstacles, ten terness knows no bounds. Passion is the attribute of a soul which no longer controls itsel? tenderness, that of a heart which no longer belongs to itself.

Contentment is blessing, and it is within the reach of all, but it will not be found by him who goes out to seek it. It is some

John Bandolph's Romauce.

In his strange and passionate gouth John Randolph was betrothed to a Mis-Mins Maria Ward, the daughter of his mother's intimate friend. For some cause the engagement was broken off. The lovers ap pear to have had a desperate quarrel, and a hish he had been visiting the lady 10 such a rage that he did not even stop untie his horse's brudle reins, but slas them through with his kulle, mounted and lovers searcely ever saw eace other again. John Raudalph never married. To day of his death he sp ke of her as "My mother. angel," and her marriage is said to have heen the heaviest blow this grievously suffering man ever endured. He was sick all his life, and sometimes in a feverish leep he used to mutter her name in the Thate is no sure kure for lezyness, but I hearing of the watchers ab ut his bed. It that of this quivering bundle of nerves Much haz been sed about milk, but the who was the linest descendant of Pocahontas.

What Not to Kill.

their eyes. It tells farmers, sportsmen,

Hedge-hog-Lives mostly on mice, small ridents, slugs and grubs-snimals hurtful to agriculture. Don't kill" the

Tood-Farm sostant; he destroys twenty to thirty insec's per hour. Don't kill the toad,

Birts-Each department loses several millions annually through insects. Birds

"I should say she did." "Did she make a fuss ?" "Puss ! Gudfrey Elina ! Are you married ?" Mindness of Heart. Goodaces; or, in other words, kindness of heart, is the result of early training, see ended by books, companions, judicious counsel. How its influence brightens the

journey of life, and makes smooth its rugged path. How the heart gladdens when receiving some little act of kindness from some real and true friend; so does one leel the glow of pleasure thrill through his veine as an act of kindness is done hin from the promptings of unaffected goodness of heart.

Then as it costs nothing to bestow kind words, or tiarbor kind teelings, let all cultivate goodness of beart and mind-re membering that a kind word is as easily spoken as one that will cause pain and bitterness.

### The Echo-Boy.

A little boy o ce went home to his mother, and sail, 'Mother, sister and I went out into the garden, and we were calling aloud and there was some boy mocking us

'Il w do you mean, Johnnyl' said his

Way, said the child, I was calling out Hol and this boy said Hol So I said him. Who are your and he answered, Who are you? I said, Want is your name! He adid, What is your name? And I said to him, Why don't you show yourself He said, Show yourself? And I jumped over the ditch, and I went into the woods, and I could not find him, and I came back, and sud, It you don't come out I will punch your head; and he said, I will punch

June 5 ly your head. had said, I love you, he would have said JNO. T. FORD, The French Minister of Agriculture has I love. It you had said, Your voice is ione a good deed in causing a placard to sweet, he would have said Your voice is There is only only one thing that kan be posted which it would be wise for sweet. Whatever you said to him, he be sed in here over ov tite boots - they make a cit z as of all countries to have before would have said back to you. Now Johnny, when you grow and get to be a man whatever you will say to others, they will

FIRST STREET, by and by, say back to you, and his mother took him to that eld text in the Scripture Where he has on hand a full line of the Finest

WINES

#### A Spirited Duct.

"Sog me, mine own," he whispered, lovingly, as they both sat down on the one piano stool, "sing me, 'Oh, whisper what thou to lest." "I will, young man, I will," said the tremal us tones of her papa, from trade of that. How kan you expeck to find two people tion is ever found in its stomach. Don't it as a duet, you and L. I will feel, and you can whisper what it is " And then he left for the boy with his foot, and went

on, with unfeeling indifference. Practices in the county of Halifax and alloin-ing counties, and in the Suprome court of the jan 161y. In the suprome court of the map. "And y u needu't confine yourself to a