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One by one the links are broken, Links that bind life's precious years; One by one the partings spoken. Partings hushed in silent tears; But the silence hears the greeting From the far-off sunny shore, Where the links each other meeting, Are a broken chain no more.

One by one each soul ascending, Lifts us to a higher life, Each with other, closer blending, Stills the murmur and the strife. And their voices aweetly calling Touch us like a household realm. And their blessings softly falling Soothe us like a Sabbath's caim.

One by one the leved are leaving, But return as angels fair, Heavenly splendors round them weaving With the human looks they wear ; All the past those looks restoring Childhood, youth and riper years, How can grief, their loss deploring, Longer ask the heart for tears.

One by one, above us bending, Closer draw as days decrease; Watch and wait with love's dear tending Watch and wait our gind release ; Hands are near their final grasping. Reaching through the parting vale; Hearts are near their final clasping-Throbbing, panting : Hait! hail !

It is not generally known perhaps that there stands away among the Buck Island hills, and within almost a stone's throw of the beautiful Dan, a double-cabin that is known to a few in that immediate section as the hannted house, where once a yearon Christmas Eve night, at any hour sweetest notes of the violin and the regular step of the merry dancers keeping time to the music.

It was in 186-. There had been winding sheet, and the storm howling their funeral dirge, were buried side by side in the same grave on the point of a ridge not far from the cabin, "Encourage the farmer. It is a common re-

what is known as a conscript meeting in Danbury. The day was cold and dreary; the lowering clouds that hung around the lofty peaks of the mountain life. The band separated, going to the coming snew storm. Amid the group that huddled around the courthouse stove, where the conscripting, was a tall, dark-complexioned female, with eyes as black as a coal and pier cing as the fish-hawk's. She stood around, looked and listened, yet said but little. On more than one occasion she was seen to leave the conscript room and walk leisurely toward the grove at the west end of the village, the music. where she was joined by a beardless youth whose very appearance showed nim to be accustomed to hardships, and almost as fleet of foot as the red fox. After a few moments spent in low conversation they would separate, he had told Daplane McCarthy of his intended when the youth would bound away toward the mountain, and the young woman would return to where the conscripting was going on. All day long the hoo, hoo, hoot of the big owl could be heard reverberating along the sides of the mountain from a point within half of a mile of the courthouse to the summit of Moore's Knob. That love that could never die. "hoot, hoot" was the signal used by the deserters to notify their comrades that no danger threatened them. The dark-eyed young woman was the spy and sweetheart of the leader of the band of deserters. The beardless youth

Greensboro, and the people and Home Guard returned to their respective

This was Christmas Eve night: argathering and jollification to the double-cabin, which was at that time the home of an old man near seventy-five years of age, an old woman probably ten years younger, the dark-eyed spy and the beardless youth. A tremen dous log fire was roaring and popping in the wide stick and fire-place. Dark ness had shut out almost the last ray of daylight, when from the deep ra-Guard they placed pickets on all the roads and by-paths leading to the

## ENCOURAGE EVERYBODY.

"I'is 11 o'clock, and while without

where the beautiful Dan murmurs its

everlasting requiem in hearing of their

unmarked grave. The falling snow

LOVE'S THOUGHTFULNESS.

"Shall I miss you?" she cried, despairingly,

hate the slow-creeping wakeful nights and the

reach of her longing hands and loving lips."

"You have done this ?" asks the girl, put-

ting her dimpled srms around his neck.
"Yes," was the reply.
"Then," said Daphne, the wistful look gone from her face, "you cannot start too soon."

A MEAN MAN'S THOUGHT.

Burdette of the Burlington Hawkeye gives his

Sometimes 1 wonder what a mean man

thinks about when he goes to bed, when he

turns out the light and lies down. When dark-

The body is a tool of the spirit, and if we

on my necount."

notion about a mean man :

poses to split up these burdens into fragments, from the cabin like bees from a hive. a cold day without his overcoat. How much more beautiful the care of others than this The Home Guard, finding that they are out-numbered, fly in every direction, while the shots from the deserthelpfulness. ers' guns, without aim, are fired in the

The scene of confusion is over, when his show window. You need not fear that he cabin, where but an hour ago joy and plenty of trouble before the day is out. Some glee reigned. All is now wrapped in cranky woman will come in and pull down gloom and sadness. 'I'is far past mid- goods enough to fit out a family for a winter night; the storm is unabated, but and not buy a cent's worth. Don't be afraid something must be done. As it that your praise will make the merchant aposeemed to have been the policy of all plectic with plethora. Encourage the newswho opposed the Confederacy to con- paper man. Do you know how many annoyances he suffers? Have you understood how ceal as much as possible their losses in battles from 'bush whackers' or dung out; how he must report an indistinctly often his best and most elaborate article is Home Guards, with an old hoe and uttered speech which must of necessity be all shovel that happened to be in the the way through a stenographic guess? Think chimney corner, a shallow grave was what the nineteenth century would be without between 11 o'clock and day break soon dug, and the lovers, wrapped in the newspaper. Encourage mechanics; praise Christmas morning-may be heard the an old blanket, with the snow for a them if they do their work well. If he does

soon obliterated all signs of animated their respective haunts. The old cabin him ustil he shovels his way out? Indepenyet stands, but is long since deserted. dent of frozen cars and frozen feet?

The stick chimney has "tumbled down, the gables have caved in, and the roof lets in the sunshine and the rain," yet at any hour Christmas Doctor.' He ought to twrite another. 'Every eve night between 11 o'clock and day break Christmas morning, it is said that in that old cabin the notes of the violin and the regular step of merry families and the grave.

dancers may be heard keeping time to George W. Simpson was going far away to though we tried to keep it still! The doctor and hold a bottle for. This affair breaks me fourney the girl had spoken not a word, but and the doctor looked up and said, 'The crisis laid her head gently on his shoulder and wept has passed.' We propped her up with pillows as if her heart were breaking.

But when he asked her the question with blow rose leaves into her failed cheek, and the things. which this chapter opens, the little head, with children brought flowers, and when the doctor its coronal of fluffy brown hair, had risen slow-

"Ah! yes, surely enough. But you cannot cheated out of the lawyer. They are so often understand this. No man can feel the loss of prodegue responsibilities and have to mainkisses and love words as a woman can, nor gray dawns that come with no promise of strong arms and a loving heart and words of

courage; and the windy sunsets that die away on a day that has held no beauty or brightness. No man can feel the sleadly hunger in time of famine that a woman feels when love that always beckons and allures her is out of "But I shall not be gone so very long, dartaphysicians, mathematicians, and rhetoriling," whispered George, "and I have told the

candy man to let you have whatever you want eases that you have seen cured. Cheerful or bitters. Encourage young men starting in

member what you went through.

man, and what must be the feeling of a man in a mud puddle, so do I swim in a sea of deflops up and down like a churn dasher, and | And the boy went out and put up a paper my eyes stand open like cellar doors in a country sign in front of the store, "Laave your meastown; and if my love is not reciprocated, I will prine away and die like a poisoned bed-bug, and you can come and catch a cold on my grave.'

## HIS MA DECEIVED HIM.

"Give me ten cents' worth of saffren, quick," said the bad boy to the groceryman, as he came in the grocery on a gallop, early one morning, with no collar on, and no vest. He burg our troops were marching by night looked as though he had been routed out of through a village over whose gateways hang

tipped over a basket of white beans, and disappeared in the drug-store. The groccryman scooped up the beans, occasionally looking though there was no particular hurry. The Just like him at home, at least when I last saw groceryman looked after him, took up an axe handle, soit on his hands and shouted to the boy to come over pretty soon, as he wanted to everlasting taking care of ourselves! What talk with him. The boy did not come to the you and I most need to learn is the spirit of grocery till towards night, but the grocery man had seen him running down a dozen times a day, and once he rode up to the house with for style of goods, or if his clerks have adorned the doctor, and the grocer surmised what was bullet laid him, low the next day as we made the trouble. Along towards night the boy once more the deserters return to the will be puffed up and arrogant. He will have came in in a dejected sort of a tired way, sat down on a barrel of sugar, and never spoke.

"What is it, a boy or a girl ?" said the groceryman, winking at an old lady with a shawl over her head, who was trying to hold a paper over a pitcher of yeast with her thumb.

"How in blazes did you know anything astouishment and with some indignation. "Well, it's a girl, if you must know, and that's enough," and he looked down at the cat play ing on the floor with a potato, his face a picture of dejection

"Oh, don't feel bad about it," said the grolady "Such things are bound to occur. But going to have a hard life unless you mend your ways. You will be using it for a cork to a jug, or to wad a gun with the first thing your ma knows."

tongs," said the boy, as he railled enough to if he lives, then he can think about whipping a eat some crackers and cheese, "Gosh, this cheese tastes good. I hain't had nothing to eat since morning. I have been all over this town trolling for nurses. They think a boy hasn't got any feelings. But I wouldn't care a gol darn if ma hadn't been sending me for he has been buried by the authorities, for an neuralgia medicine, and hay fever stuff all old liquor bill. In addition to announcing that winter, when she wanted to get rid of me. I our office hours for being whipped at sight for have come in the room lots of times when ma articles that appear in the paper, are from 8 A and the sewing girl were at work on some flat. M. to 6 P M., we we will state that the advice to many hardships and annoyances that they need nel things, and ma would hide them in a basket girls who are engaged to drunkards is still in and send me off after medicine. I was de- force, and if they will all take it to themselves, ceived up to four o'clock this morning, when and ship the drunkards before it is everlasting-"One day there was a dreadful foreboding in pa come to my toom and pulled me out of bed ly too late, and thus make themselves and their our house. All hope was gone. The doctor to go over on the West Side after some old mothers happy, we will take the chances on came four times. The children put away their woman that knew me, and they have kept me whipping from the drunkard in every case, and their toys. We all walked on tiptoe, and at the least sound said 'Hush!' How loudly the clock tirked! How the banister creaked, all wan't no sister that I've got to hold, and rock, for fear he will whip us." the trackless sollindes of St. Louis, and when came four times and stayed all night. At last all up," and the boy picked the cheese out of

> and easy chairs, and the south wind tried to cheese, and saffron, and a number of such Kate, and they did set up too close for "Oh, pa will pull through. He wanted to boss the whole concern until ma's chum, an old woman who take's snuff, fired him out into the hall. Pa sat there on my hand-sled, Dear Kate, how good the Lord is to a perfect picture of des air, and I thought "Encourage the lawyer. They are so often would be a kindness to play it on him. found the cat asleep in the bath room, and I ponderous responsibilities, and have to main- rolled the cat up in a shawl and brought it out sharks of the profession. The only man at- hold the baby. It seemed to do pa good to lowed to stand on Sinat beside the Lord was feel that he was indispensable around the ed right out, 'Let us pray,' and you house, and he took the cat on his lap as tentheir salaries when you begin to retrench. Well, I got in the back hall, where he couldn't Don't expect them to work the great stuffing seeme, and pretty such the cat began to wake machine of the modern school successfully up and stretch himself, and pa said, 's-h hwithout encouragement. They are expected to tootsy, go to sleep now, and let its pa hold it, and pa he rocked back and forth on the hand-

and the howling storm outside falsely very difficult attainment and of very unreliable with a new one clinging to his coat can't make that he was struck with one of Mr. Hall's serquelity.

# MAY I KISS THAT BABY?

To a soldier, far away from home, there is no more touching sight than that of a baby in its mother's arms. While on their way to Gettysmarching on to possible death. A scene of the march is thus described by the author of "Bullet and Shell." Stopping for a moment at the gate of a dwelling, I noticed a young mother leaning over it with a chabby child in her arms. Above the woman's head swung a couple of stable lanterns with their light upon her face. The child was crowing with delight at the strange pageant, as it watched the armed host pass on. "I beg your pardon, Ma'am," said Jim Manners, one of my men, as he dropped the butt of his musket on the ground and peered wistfully into the faces of the mother and her child. "I beg pardon, but may I kiss that baby of yours? I've got one him, two years ago." The mother a sympathetic tear rolling down her blooming cheek, silently held out the child. Jim pressed his unshaven face to its incocent, smiling lips for a moment, and then walked on, saying : 'God bless you, Ma'am, for that!" Poor Jim Manners! He never saw his boy again in life. A

#### WAITING TO BE WHIPPED The humorist of Prek's Sun has been threat-

ened with a whipping by a young man whose sweetheart broke ber engagement after reading one of Peck's articles advising girls to let young men to whom they are engaged severely about it?" said the boy as he looked around in alone if they take to drinking. To the young man's threat Peck replies: "What would we be doing while such a youth, with his skin full of benzine, was whipping us on sight? This young man has never whipped any editors, evdently. He has never had to be carried out on a window shutter to a hospital, and lay in a ecryman, as he opened the door for the old stuper while the doctors set his bones, and has never land in a delirium for months, and seen you take my word for it, that young one is the air full of sorrel-topped editors walking over him with hunting boots on. He should commence down low and work up gradually to editors. Let him attend a few ward cancuses with their rows, and take in a few summer "I wouldn't touch the darn thing with the garden pienies, and balls, and prize fights, and newspaper man. But he wants to learn to prav, and it is best to bid an affectionate adieu to friends, and pay up whisky bills, for there is nothing that lujures a young man's reputation so much as to have his trunk attached, after

THE LOVE SICK PARSON .- "Oh," said Daisy to her mamma, "I was in the parlor last night, behind the sofawhen the preacher came to see sister anything; an' the preacher said, 'Katie dear, I luv you', an' Kate said, 'Oc oo,' an' then the preacher kissed her right smack in the mouth, an' said, us poor sinners; and Kate said, 'Oo oo; an, then-an, then-"

"Well," said her mamma, "you wicked child, you wicked child, what did you do?" "W'y mamma, I felt so good, I blurt-

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PARTING AND MEETING.

THE DOUBLE CABIN.

[From the Danbury Reporter.]

It was in 186-, There had been

was her brother, and the courier of the band. The conscripting was over, the officers left town in the direction of

rangements had been made for a grand vines among the Buck Island hills and one carried in his hand or strapped

building. rived; the supper of hog and hominy, but the only victory he can think of is some pumpkin pie, etc., is over; the old victory in which he has wronged a fellow victory in which he has wronged a fellow two handled demijohn, filled with pure | neighbor. No wonder he always sneers when he Buck Island applejack, has had due tries to smile. How pure and fair and good attention, and the dance is about to all the rest of the world must look to him, and commence. Out of doors the darkness cheerless and and dusty and dreary must his is intense, the wind is piereing, and the snow just beginning to fall. The leader of the hand, who had seen some leader of the band, who had seen some him a few of his companions, who, after a short consultation, conclude that no Home Guard would venture should you add one pound of wickedness or out on such a night, and sent round sadness to the general burden. Don't be mean lightfulness when you are near me. My heart made up." and the pickets in, and they soon join their companions around the blazing rather than commit it once. fire. Ben Johnnet ne er made sweeter music on his old time-worn violin, and keep it in imperfect condition, how shall either never did an assembly apparently en- soni or intellect do good work with it? Hapjoy themselves more, as the feet of

the storm and hail rattled among the dead leaves, and the wind howled around the corners of the cabin, all

around the corners of the cabin, all within was joy, comfort and glee. But hush! A 'chicken' is discovered to ger in the life-boat, get in yourself. If there be torn from between the cabin logs, be a burden to lift, you supervise while others bed in a hurry and had jumped into his pants lighted lanterns, while young girls shed tears and the muzzles of several muskets shoulder it. You be the digit, while others are and boots and out on his cost and hat on the and the muzzles of several muskets shoulder it. You be the digit, while others are and boots and put on his coat and hat on the simultaneously appear through the opening. In a flash, in a twinkling, all is confusion. Each deserter rushes for his gun, when above the screams morning, "Is in opposition to that theory of boy had tipped over in his hurry. You want the Gospel advanced by Paul, 'Bear ye one an-other's burdens.' Everybody has burdens, you want saffron. But what on earth is the of women and the howling of the storm, the report of fire-arms is heard; the cabin is filled with smoke and the shoulders, or the head, or the heart. Looking the shoulders, or the head, or the heart. fumes of burnt powder; the leader of over this assemblage, you all seem well lookthe band, with a bullet through his ing, but each of you has a burden, and some of head, lies a lifeless corpse upon the you have more than you can lift. Paul pre- got down on his knees on the sidewalk and floor, while across his breast the darkeyed spy, his sweetheart and affianced, you to take part of my burden and I part of over to the drug-store, and just as he got them is gasping for breath, an, accidental yours. When Mrs. Appleton, daughter of picked up the boy came out of the drug-store shot having pierced her heart. It was Daniel Webster, was dying, she affected the but the work of a moment. The des great lawyer to tears by her thoughtfulness for serters, grabbing their arms, swarm his health, as she remarked that he was out on

> mark that the farmer is independent. Independent of what? Independent of the rot in his wheat? Independent of the grasshopper the locust, the army-worm, and the potato bug? Independent of the storm that blows down his crop, of the snowbank that burie-

"Encourage the doctor. There is a great deal of cheap, wit about the doctors. A man recently wrote a book, 'Every Man His Own Man His Own Undertaker.' Doctors have so our encouragement. They stand between our

the restless patient sank into a sweet siumber, his teath with a sliver he cut off the counter.

ly, and the pansy brown eyes of the girl had out, oh, how life came back to our house, and, looked into his and gleamed with the light of a as we helped the old doctor into his gig, we notice! not that his step was broken, tain the dignity of their profession against the to pa and told him the nurse wanted him to

> Moses, the lawyer.
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> "Eucourage the teachers. Don't cut down derly as you ever saw a mother hold an infant take children of fifteen and make them me-

"If you have nothing to say that is encour-

"Well, how does your pa take it?" said the groceryman, as he charged the boy's pa with

sled, and began to sing 'by, low baby.' That settled it with the cat. Well, some cats can't "Encourage all sick people. Don't teil them stand music, anyway, and the cat wanted to how bad they look, 'ut remind them of similar get out of the shawl, the louder pa sung, and bimeby I heard something rip, and pa yelled, words are more stimulating than cognae, tonie, 'scat, you brute,' and when I looked around the corner of the hall the cat was bracing hisbusiness by reminiscences of your own exper- self against pa's vest with his toenails, and ience. You who are established in business re- yowing, and pa fell over the sled and began to talk about the bereafter like the minister does when he gets excited in church, and then pa aging put your teeth tight together, cover picked up the sled and seemed to be looking them with the curtain of your lips, press your for me or the cat, and both of us was offul lips tight, and hold your hand over your mouth and keep still! A man once bought some boys and cats are kind of few around their mountain gorges, the deserters began ness closes about him and he is alone, and caged birds, and immediately opened the doors accustomed haunts? Pa don't look as though to assemble, not a few accompanied by compelled to be honest with bimself. And not of the cage and set the birds at liberty. 'What he was very smart, but he can hold a cat about their sweethearts while each and every a bright thought, not a generous impulse not a did you do that for ? asked a bystander. 'Be- as well as the next man. But I am sorry for manly set, nor a word of blessing not a grace. cause I was a captive once myself and I know to a. She was just getting ready to go to across his shoulder an army gun or his trusty squarrel rifle. As was their custom, the first thing done after assembling and before depositing their arms at a convenient place to come at how good it is to be free.' Get. Alexander Florida for her neuralgia, and this will put a oils, ointments, thaiments, and soothing totion arms at a convenient place to come at struggling life; the somewhere, between business and struggling life; the strong right hand of fellowship reached out to him case of an attack by the Home lielp some fallen man to his feet—when none to-day; you had better wait until to-morrow. It is now exchanging life; the strong right hand of fellowship reached out to him, developing the somewhere, between business and dividing line somewhere, between business and chievely used by all colebrated physicians of the lielp some fallen man to his feet—when none of these things come to him as the "God bless But Gor. Stephens said, I know what I am baby. I had rather catch a string of perch than oads and by-paths leading to the you' of the ceparted day, how he must hate himself. How he must try to roll away from himself and sleep on the other side of the bed.

It is 9 o'clock; the fiddler has arlived; the supper of how and hominy.

A Love Letter -"Dearest Amelia: My love in their business. Our folks don't need a is stronger than the smell of coffee, patent baby any more than you need a safe, and there butter, or the kick of a young cow. Sensations are people just suffering for babies. Say, how of exquisite joy joy go through me like co- would it be to take the baby some night and horts of auts through an army cracker and leave it on some old batchelor's door step? If caper over my heart like young goats on a lit had been a bleyele, or a breechloading shotstable roof. I feel as if I could lift myself by gun, I wouldn't have cared, but a baby ! Bah ! my boot straps, to the height of a church It makes me tired. I'd druther had a prize steeple, or like an old stage-horse in a green package. Well, I am sorry pa allowed me come pasture. As, the imean pup hankers after home, after he drove me away last week. I sweet milk, so do I banker after guess all he wanted me to come back for was sche and misery in the world anyhow, why your presence. And as the gosling swimmeth to humiliate me, and send me on erranda. Well, I must go and see if he and the cat have

mon, when a boy was stealing apples from Mr. Over two tons of hair pins are turning out Hail's orchard. When the boy's father subse joy themselves more, as the fect of piness and usefulness are not linderd impossi-merry dancers kept time to the music, ble without physical health; but they are of daily by the factories, and yet a man found quently asked him why he limped he replied