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GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS

than we were. Then Colly-thank God, he was so dazed that he could not see me-called my name three times as I sat fairly cringing in dread that his sight might clear, ALOFT and with a ghastly grin and chewing with his mouth he began working himself toward me.

I worked away from him as noise-lessly as I could, with every hair of ger loving turn, I ran away to sea before my time was out. After some my head standing on end. He folyears I tired of a maritime life, and, lowed me twice around that horrid coping, making most hideous noises, and then, having come a second time to the rod, he got an idea in his muddled head that I had fallen over, for he never lost a sense of having married and determined to stick to the shore, I got work with a builder whose peculiar line lay in erecting tall chimneys. I had al-ways a very cool head and could stand on elevations that made most where he was all through this trymen dizzy, and so I was soon a fa-vorite han with my master. ing time. Then he tried to get on his feet, but at the risk of my own life I could not let the poor fellow rush to certain death without one We had on one occasion to fasten a lightning conductor which had sprung near the top of a very high chimney, and Mr. Staming chose myself and one James Colly to do more effort, so I cried out for him to sit down. He cowered down like a whipped dog, all trembling. I suppose it had been put into his head that I was a dead man speakit as the most daring of his men. About half a dozen of us went that

morning with a handcart containing to him. ing the necessary ropes, blocks, the That morning my wife had got a letter from her sister in Canada, kite and a box or cradle. Having flown the kite and dropped its line across the top of the chimney, we and as there were parts we could not make out I had put it in my pocket, intending to get our timekeeper to read it for me. It had a scrap of soon drew up a rope, at the end of which was a block, through which uncovered paper at the bottom, and ran the line whereby we were to be by another good providence I hap-pened to have a bit of red lead pen-Colly had only been married a cil in my pocket. I wrote on the paper: "Get us down. Colly's gone mad." This I shut in my tobacco fortnight, and as we stepped into the cradle the men banteringly askmad." This I shut in my tobacco box and was fortunate enough to drop it just at the feet of two men who were standing by the engine ed him if he hadn't a last dying speech to leave for his wife, and house door.

speech to leave for his wife, and then, Mr. Staming having shaken hands with us and bid us be cool and steady, we were drawn slowly up. It was known all over the town that the conductor was to be fixed, Directly all was bustle to rescue us. They got the kite up again, and I watched it mounting slowly, and the streets were thronged with starers. Colly was very quiet, and when I waved my cap to the people he said snappishly that this was no time for such folly and that he thought I might think of better slowly, and when the slack twine fell between Colly and myself I took it in my hand and could have kissed it in my hand and could have kissed it. Poor Colly, with his teeth chat-tering, still fancied I was a spirit, and I did all I could to favor that idea until they got another cradle up to us. Then, having got him in, I scrambled in myself, and, clutch-ing him fast, I shouted for them to things than how to amuse these gaping fools, who, he dared say, desired no better fun than to see us I had come up in the best heart, thinking indeed nothing about the

meet with an accident.

ate situation.

sitting down."

steady you."

lower. And so we were got down, he wrestling and fighting with me danger we incurred, but as we drew mearer and nearer to the top and all the way. He was in a madhouse for some

had nothing, as it seemed, belongmonths and then went to scavenger-ing, for he never would face any height again. And I have never had the same clear head since that ing to this world near to us but this straining rope I began to see the peril of the undertaking. What Colly thought of it I don't know. adventure. He sat at the bottom of the cradle,

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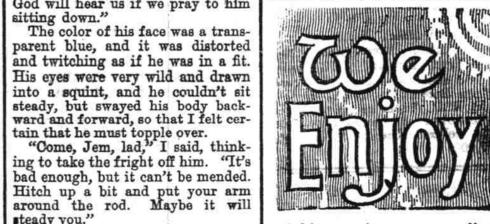
THE MOUNTAIN PARK HOTEL.

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ing speed in the least. I guessed in inquired Colonel Alexander a moment that they mistook our "No," said Lincoln, his eyes twinkling height and that with the great purmomentarily. "I feel sometimes like the Irishman who, after being ridden chase of that windlass the rope chase of that windlass the rope would be broken when the cradle came to the block. I sprang up and, catching the rope, climbed hand over hand to the coping. Col-ly, too, sprang up and followed me. He, too, got up safe. And still they went on winding up till the rope sung again with the strain. Then it snanned and cradle haulon a rail, said, 'Begorry, if it wasn't for the honor av the thing, I'd rather walk!" "

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favor. Of course I durst not get on my feet; but, working myself on by my hands, I got to him, and, put-ting my arm around his waist and telling him as cheerily as I could to keep cool, I got him with his arm around the rod. It had, however, sprung the stapling for five yards down and was so loose that it sway-ed with him, and I expected any minute to see him falling head and heels down and the rod tearing away with him. Kills Potato, Squash and Cucumber Bugs, Currant and Tomato Worms, and all bugs and worms that chew the leaves of plants. BUG DEATH is a tenacious pow-der, very fine, like dust, adheres to the vine, and is almost impossible to wash off.

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somebody on a board and carry him gently away toward the engine house. One of the men walked aft-The phenomenal sale BUG er with a hat in his hand. I knew DEATH has had during the com-paratively short time it has been on the American and Canadian markets, then that somebody had been hurt by the falling cradle and that it must be poor Mr. Staming, as none and the hearty endorsement given of our men wore hats. Not a face by truckers and merchants throughwas turned up to us. I learned aft- out both countries must convince

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