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d Cardui," says Mrs. Lillie

long time, before

"St., Anderson, S. C.

nerves went to

dly run-down

so bad off, I could not

have anybody walk

f: or of my room.

litte hing upset me.

s I became hysterical. bad pains in my back and

and my head and limbs

take spells of aching,

day I saw where a wowho had a trouble like my

ad been relieved by Cardui. ided at once to try it. It be-

o help me from the very I took Cardui regularly, for

al months, and my improve-

was so remarkable my fami-

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nd friends were delighted."

y Cardui for your troubles.

OVER 50 YEARS

almost set me wild.

and I had to go to bed.

THE ELKIN TRIBUNE, EIKIN,N. C.

you



stupid question to day?" "Yes, yes." You were a friend of usually Rex's?" Luke's had a private phone from Margaret would manager it is alright." Danty inclined his head sorrowfully.

through to him direct. matter of fact." Mr. Stiles was confidence, he said. I take ' were no flaws in fter Lefere's addit you the day following his essay in that dangerous game. on that he knew him even." ... ity in his offer. which was hateful to the other. In desperation Luke reverted Luke cut short the recollec- with this check?" asked Luke. off his guard, as he saw by the put all their property in their "You a

ad business, sir. I have which was hateful to the other. unfortunateto you about it be-realize how badly you to the question of the Gulanga tion. Oil Concession, and for once "W

have been on the Mr. Stiles father interest in the confidence that you accompanied knew the check was forged?", him to the Northern and South-he asked

away from the fact that we have Danty opened his eyes wide in been making rather heavy losses well-stimulated suprise. during the past six months, and "Why of course," he said. an afraid I shall have to call "Rex had made very heavy loss-upon your reserves. Personally," es in the City and I advised him Mr. Bird of Scotland Yard?"

ne went on, obivious of Luke's to see you. I understand ways believed we made a mis- amount--" take in not selling out to a

joint stock concern. In private blue eyes did not leave the man's that morning. banking business the personal face. "Certainly. Why. what's wrong ent. security plays too big a part for

my likingsaw the check myself." There was an uncomfortable Mercicilly the house phone rang at that moment. Luke snat- pause, and then: "Did you see him sign it?" ceed up the receiver and listenasked Luke deliberately.

with a frown. Danty's gaze did not falter. "Yes, show him in please. "I am afraid I do not under-And as he replaced the receiver: stand you," he said evenly. "I "I am seeing Mr. Morell and I saw him endorse it-" do not wish to be interrupted,'

do not wish to be interrupted," saw min endorse it. I he said. Mr. Stiles made a little grim-ance. He had been all his life in ing inquiries. I find that he was firm of Maddisons & Sons, he did not feel called upon West African gold-mining synthesis at the closed the door on his vis- ty busness. Luke, did Rex owe itor as the Sparrow was shown your duy monoy?"

the firm of Maddisons & Sons, and he did not feel called upon to disquise his dislike of the caller. "There is something about that fellow I dislike very much Mr. Maddison I hope we are not going to carry his account?" Luke shook his head and nod-ded toward the door. five hundred pounds there came in the street outside." led toward the door. Mr. Morell came into an at-mosphere which he, sensitive in amount."

such matters, realized was Danty's heart sank though he charged with hostility. Neverthe gave no visible evidence of his less he was his smiling self, and pertubation. This man knew "As one knows the Lord Mayaid his carefully brushed silk more than he had dreamed could or-from a distance. I'm humble, and grew panic-stricken. hat upon the table. Luke did not be known. Here was a crisis in You never find me bargin' in fail to notice that he wore a Mr. Morell's affairs which might on society. I've had one dress there was no use of worrying mourning tie, and that for some easily lead him to ruin and undo suit seventeen years an' wear it about his affairs. He owes jangled nerves.

"Sit down, will you?" His you are sugesting," he said. "My moths a cold." conservations manner and voice were brusque. interest in the company is a



ery slight one, and I was horri- wonder I don't knock him down He was regarding her in open- ful idea. when I learned that Rex in the street and take them!" fied when I learned that Rex in the street and take them!" had been gambling in the shares I give you the fullest permission gave no sign until the detective how awful! I thought you had

wish." Luke opened the drawer of he said. "The check was drawn his desk and took out a check, by ine and signed by me." From where he sat Danty thought the signature was a tol-"You're too kind to the crime the true of the said." "A set of the set o thought the signature was a tol- "You're too kind to the crim it will, I'll—why I'd give you erably good forgery. He had inal classes, Mr. Maddison." he control of every cent I have in thought so when Rex brought said "No wonder Gunner Haynes the world—" "Yes Hilton—it is Luke Mad-dison speaking . . . you had the draft of the antenuntial con-

You were a friend of poor thought so when Rex brought said "No wonder Gunner Haynes the world...." He saw her incredulous smile the check to him. It is the sime think's you're a good feller...six He saw her incredulous smile and was angry with himself, as forge a name and so far as he in' a suspected person. What a though in that gesture of un the list of my securities? ... Yes, all. And the cash were no flaws in Rex Leferre's about your friend he wouldn't let hrough to him direct. hrough to him direct. hanager shock his head matter of fact." Mr. Stiles was confidence," he said. "I think I hanager shock his head matter of fact." Mr. Stiles was confidence," he said. "I think I hanager shock his head matter of fact." Mr. Stiles was confidence, he said. "I think I hanager shock his head matter of fact." Mr. Stiles was confidence, he said. "I think I hanager shock his head matter of fact." Mr. Stiles was confidence, he said. "I think I had been able to judge there man! When I tried to pump him were no flaws in Rex Leferre's about your friend he wouldn't let the had been able to judge there man! When I tried to pump him were no flaws in Rex Leferre's about your friend he wouldn't let the bank were no flaws in Rex Leferre's about your friend he wouldn't let the the detected some reserva-in the bank were no flaws in Rex Leferre's about your friend he wouldn't let the the detected some reserva-terest in Maddison's . . . no, I'm

The other shook his head.

could sense its insincerity.

Luke nodded curtly.

'Do you know him?'

"I am sorry to interrupt you, The Sparrow sighed again Mr. Maddison, but will you see gathered up the papers on which the unfortunate Rex had prac-In spite of his self-possession tised the signature and stuffed growing resentment, "I have al- gave him a check for that Danty half rose from his seat them back into his pocket-book. The Sparrow was the last man "Nobody helps the police

"Did he tell you that?" Lukes in the world he wanted to meet said dolefully. "All hands are against the natural guardians of Luke thought for a mom- the children of the poor. I'll be getting along now.

"Just a moment." He offered a limp hand and He rose and opened the door went heavily out of the room. leading to the corridor. The door had hardly closed be-"I shall want to see you again the telephone rang, and for the about this check, Mr. Morell," first time since the tragedy he said. Luke heard the voice of the wo-"Why not see me now?"

man he loved. It was a challenge, but Luke "Will you see me tomarrow, Luke?" Her voice was low.

"Now if I may-darling let But her level voice denied him. ""omorroy-after this ghas-

quickly for speech. "Yes-but it wasn't worth dis-

"Mr. Danton Morell." he said. cussing. He was heavily insured you know and I don't thing the policy is invadidated

He heard the quick breath "I was thinking of you-that

was a further strain upon his all those fine schemes of his. jangled nerves. "I do not exactly know what lice Dinner and once to give the Before he could reply he heard the click of the hook be

"Do you know anything about ing depressed. him?"

m?" The Sparrows wide smile grew "I see no reason in the why the wedding should be post-"I see no reason in the world vider. "His name an' address-an' poned, Luke." hat's as much as any policant business of cor-

vants to know about anybody. oner's inquisition was only a day Bad business, this young Leferre old, and an accountant's statecase, Mr. Maddison. You don't ment that the dead boy's affairs want to appear in it I suppose?" were involved was accepted and Luke looked at him startled no details were asked.

into it?" Mr. Bird coughed.

"I? How on earth do I come Margaret Leferee could not understand herself; her own calm astonished her. Had she

"Well you do and you don't," ever loved this suave man who he said. "I happened to search stood before her, apperently agthe body an' the room. I found reeing, as though Rex were his three loose checks on the North- dearest friend? Sometimes she ern and Southern Bank-that's was afraid that he-would read where you keep your private her loathing of him in her eyes account, ain't it? An' this—"—she was amazed to find her-Very leisurely he took out a fat self telling him now with the worn leather case from his greatest calmness and in a tone pocket, laid it flat on the desk that was sadly sweet, that she and rummaged in the inside. Af- saw no reason why the cere-

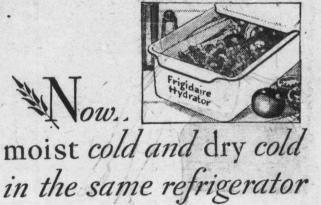
"Luke, is that your lawyer "But I never knew my dear you're calling?'

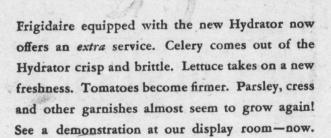
" You are!"

Sparrow's grin. I "That's the name. What's the ", use of talking at cross-purposes? wive's names. It's a same thing to the was standing by him now, di---it keeps a man steady and it will make us real partners. The words came tremulously.

"You're mad, Luke-I didu't

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Lord Birkenhead, Chairman of the Greater London and Counties Trust, Ltd., visiting America on business, said:

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have been on the buisnes irritated him. -you remember they signature yester-signature yester-way from the fact that we have buisnes irritated him. -you remember they signature yester--you remember they signature It was the apoligetic manager. him.'

tobacco

Mr. Brummit began farming ten years ago without capital-today he has 248 acres all paid for

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ter a while he found what he mony should be postponed. was looking for-two folded "My poor darling!" sheets of paper evidently torn He took her in his arms, and from a school execise book. He she did not resist. Rather, she smoothed thee flat and Luke raised her cold lips to his, and saw a succession of signatures, hated herself. But the Judas kiss one under the other: "Luke was his not hers—that was tat-Maddison—Luke Maddison" tered comfort.

Maddison—Luke Maddison" tered comfort. "Looks almost as though you "There is nothing in the had been scribblin' absent-mind- world I would not do to make edly." The detective's shrewd life a little more smooth for eyes were on the young banker. you." he saw saying. "If money 'But at the same time I couldn't could buy you happiness imagine a business man like you would beggar myself!" doin' anything so silly! If you'll She smiled faintly

at this. excuse the liberty. I called at Here was a man ready to betray the Northern and Southern his gods. Bank yesterday, bnt they were He had ruined Rex; he had

reticent—"reticent" is a good always hated him. She remem-word—an' referred me to you, bered half-forgotten phrases of But by an underhanded an' des- his little irritated comments uppicable trick I found that young on Rex's carelessness in finan-Mr. Leferre cashed a check the cial matters.

other day for eighteen thousand. He put her at arms length "Yes—I gave him a check for and scrutinized her a little sadthat amount." ly. The pallor and the soft shad-For a second Luke was taken ows beneath her eyes gave her

aback. "If there were any reason for doing so, I could;(" he said cold-ried sick. What a fool I was on ly, "but I see no reason."

She was always

voice was serious. "I've no right to ask—I'm not the sort of man who would at-tempt to pull a bluff on a gentle-man like you. I'll put my card on the table that check was met in notes and I want to know where these notes went. There's where those notes went. There's private fortune. I thought you

a bird in London I want to catch I've got one of the best little cages for him that was ever "I have never asked you. I'm cages for him that was ever built, an' while it's empty so's worried about—poverty. We have my heart. If that check was a forgery it might get the deceasd abad name but it would make it very easy for me to pull in a certain man for 'uttering.' "T'll tell you the truth. Mr. Maddison; I want that man's urge to go out and earn some-finger prints. so much that I thing."

"The superpower system has enormously extended the area in which energy is distributable and rendered possible the interchange of service with other power stations."

Is it an accident that the relative national wealth of the United States as against Great Britain, is almost the exact relationship of the relative per capita horsepower -three and one-half to one?

"Electricity-the Servant in the home."

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