am sure I am verry sorry that you were sovereign by sovereign to his enormous rept waiting, my dear air; but I was at accumulations. That had been his one ent engaged with an excellent joy for forty years, and it was still his joy.

Here he suddenly jumped and dried up nephew, the only son of his brother again, for Mr. Messon, without the slightest warning, ejaculated: "Curse your Christian testator! And, look here, Todd, just you see that it does not happen again. I'm a Christian testator, too; and Christians of my out aren't accoustomed to be kept standing about just life. happen again, Todd."

er for about three hundred pounds a heart to envy the steadfast honesty that year, and I pay that old Todd quite two had defied him at the cost of its own thousand pounds. There is a vacant place in the Hutches that I could turn No

Just then Mr. Todd returned with the money. will, and before he could begin to make any explanations his employer cut him short with a sharp order to read the gist

rent it into fragments with his strong fingers, and then completed its destruction by tearing it with his big white teeth. This done he mixed the little pieces up, threw them on the floor, and stamped upon them with an air of malignity that lmost frightened jerky little Mr. Todd.
"Now, then," he grimly said, "there's an end of the old love; so let's on with the new. Take your pen and receive my instructions for my will."

Mr. Todd did as he was bid. "I leave all my property, real and personal, to be divided in equal shares between my two partners, Alfred Tom Adlison and Cecil Spooner Roscoe. There, that's short and sweet, and, one way and another, it means a couple of millions. "Good heavens ! sir," jerked out Mr. Todd. "Why, do you mean to quite cut out your nephew-and the other legaes?" he added, by way of an after-

thought. Of course I do; that is, as regards my nephew. The legatees may stand as be-

"Well, all I have to say," went on the little man, astonished into honesty, "is that it is the most shameful thing I ever

heard of !" "Indeed, Mr. Todd, is it? Well, now, may I ask you-am I leaving this property or are you? Don't trouble yourself to answer that, however, but just attend. Either you draw up that will at once while I wait, or you say good-bye to about two thousand pounds a year, for that's what Meeson's business is worth, I reckon. Now you take your choice." Mr. Todd did take his choice. In un

der an hour the will, which was very short, was drawn and engrossed. "Now then," said Meeson, addressing himself to Mr. Todd and the managin clerk, as he took the quill between his fingers to sign, "do you two bear in mind that at the moment I execute this will I am of sound mind, memory, and anderstanding. There you are : now do

you two witness." * * * It was night, and King Capital, in the shape of Mr. Meeson, sat alone at dinner in his palatial dining-room at Pompadour. Dinner was over. The powdered footmen had departed with stately tread, and the head butler was just placing the decanters of richly colored wine before this solitary lord of all. The dinner had been a melancholy failure. Dish after dish, the cost of any one of which would have fed a poor child for a month, had been brought up and handed to the master only to be found afault with and sent away. On that night Mr. Meeson had no

"Johnson," he said to the butler when he was sure the footmen could not hear him, "has Mr. Eastace been here?"

"Yes, sir." "Has he gone?" seYes, air. He came to fetch his things and then went away in a cab."

"Where to ?" "I don't know, sir. He told the man to drive to Birmingham."

"Did he leave any message?" "Yes, sir; he bade me say that you should not be troubled with him again, but that he was sorry that you had part-

ed from him in anger." "Why did you not give me that message before ?" "Because Mr. Eustace said I was not to give it unless you asked after him."

"Very good. Johnson!"
"Yes, air." "You will give orders that Mr. Eus tace's name is not to be mentioned in this house again. Any servant mention

ing Mr. Eustace's name will be dismiss "Very good, sir;" and Johnson went Mr. Meeson gazed round him. He looked at the long array of glass and silver, at the spotless napery and costly flowers. He looked at the walls hung with works of art, which, whatever else they might be, were at least expensive; at the mirrors and the soft wax lights; at days.

CHATHAM: — Tuesdays and Friwarm fires (for it was November); at the rich wall-paper and the soft, deep-hued carpet, and reflected that they were all his. And then he sighed, and his coarse, heavy face sunk in and grew sad. Of what use was this last extremity of luxury to him! He had nobody to leave it to, and, to speak the truth, it gave him but little pleasure. Such pleasure as he had in life was derived from making money, not from spending it. The only times (Chatham, N. B.

when he was really happy were when he m on the great man's brow. "I was in his counting-house, and adding

And then he fell to thinking of his ed to be kept standing about just like him, and—what was worse—he had told office-boys or authors. See that it don's him the truth, which he, of all men, could not bear. He had said that his

an sure I am exceedingly grieved. system of trade was dishonest, that he took more than his due, and it was so. "Oh, never mind all that-I want my He knew it, but he could not tolerate that it should be told him, and that his "Will-will- Forgive me-a little whole life should thereby be discredited, infused, that's all. Your manner is so and even his accumulated gold tarnished full of hearty old middle age's kind of he bear it from his dependent. He was Here he stopped, more suddenly even not altogether a bad man; nobody is. He than usual, for Mr. Messon fixed him was only a coarse, vulgar tradesman, with his savage eye, and then jerked him-hardened and defiled by a long career of salf out of the room to look for the docu-sharp dealing. At the bottom he had his feelings like other men, but he could not "Little idiot!" muttered Meeson; "I'll tolerate exposure or even contradiction give him the sack, too, if he isn't more therefore he had revenged himself. And careful. By Jove! why should I not yet, as he sat there in solitary glory, he have my own resident solicitor? I could realized that to revenge does not bring ret a sharp hand with a damaged charac- happiness, and could even find it in his

into an office. Hang me if I don't do it. determination. Mr. Meeson never re-I will make that little chirping grasshop lented and never changed his mind; had Union and other Couplings,

per jump to some purpose, I'il warrant," he done so, he would not at that moment have been the master of two millions of

[To be Continued.]

Consumption Curad. of it.

This the lawyer proceeded to do. It was very short, and, with the exception of a few legacies, amounting in all to about twenty thousand pounds, bequeathed all the testator's vast fortune and estates, including his (by far the largest) interest in the great publishing house, and his palace, with the paintings and other valuable contents, known as Pompadour Hall, to his nephew, Eustace H.

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Mr. Todd obeyed, and handed the document to his patron, who deliberately reat it into fragments with his strong fin-



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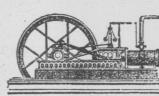
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