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Av Uncle Joskins had two hobbiesconecting curie les and making wills. wills wer numerous as his curiosities, and .uch more .emarkable. They teemed with eccentric conditions and imbecile instructions to his heir, for the time being. That favored mortal was either Jessica or myof with the conventional shilling, while the other was substituted as the future possessor of Uncle Joskins' thousands (there were 70 of them, and not to be despised).

The most trivial annoyance was enough to evoke from him the stern order, "Send for Verinder." Then Verinder, who was his counselo. would come, a new will would be drafted, and Uncle Joskins would call the disinherited one before him and announce the change which he proposed to make in his "testamentary dispositions." This queer propensity of his induced Jessica to keep him acquainted with all my delinquencies and deviations from the pathway of rigid virtue, while it was my frequent privilege by timely representations to the old man to damage my fair cousin's prospects even to dispossession ..

In the dark days of my disinherit-ance my soul sickened for Jessica; life seemed a blank without her, and I' yearned to call her mine. Yet when-ever I was restored to Uncle Joskins' favor and the pride of place in his will, the lost sense of manly independence returned to me, and I knew that I could fight the battle of life without her help. Jessica, however, at such times, treated me with exceptional tenderness, and made it clear that neither Verrinder, Junior, the embryo barrister, nor Meadows, the fledged tea broker, could deprive me of the first place in her affections. Now, at other times, each of them was more highly favored than I.

Uncle Joskins "collected" in Wardour street and the purlieus of St. Martin's Lane. His tastes were catholic and his faith invincible. Sharing Mr. Wemmick's views with reference to portable property, he would buy anything which was reputed to be more than 200 years old, and which he could carry away in a hansom. He would believe implicitly any fairy tale the seller might tell about the thing sold, and he imposed a like belief on every member of his household.

To hint a doubt as to the genuine-ness of any article in the "collection" was to make him your mortal enemy; and never shall, I forget that awful day in my boyhood, when in playful mood I put a mud-stained earthenware crock in his museum, and labeled it irreverently, "Potsherd with which Job scraped himself." I was incontinently struck out of the will, and for months the old man refused to see or speak to me. I greatly feared that I should never be forgiven, and doubtless my fears would have been realized if, happily for me, Jessica had not managed to break an "ancient Venetian bottle" (made in Germany three years ago). Then once again I was the heir, and Jessica was gracious and tender to me.

The gem of the collection, dear to Uncle Joskins as the apple of his eye, was an Amphora, which the old noodle seriously believed to have been part of the household goods of Diodorus Siculus. Grainer, dealer in old curiosities, and resident in Soho, had sold with the jug a full description of its life and adventures, written with a lively inventiveness and fertility of fancy rare even in a historian. Uncle Joskins believed every word of Gratner's story-even the most apparent-ly improbable part of it-and brought ly improbable part of it—and brought his treasure home in triumph. Next day a new catalogue of the col-

lection was put in order, in which were full-sized colored representations of the Amphora (now christened the 'Joskins Jar") from every conceivable point of view. It was Jessica who suggested the alliterative title of the jug, and the suggestion at once made £70,000 difference in my prospects. For Verinder was sent for once again, and Jessica was made chief beneficiand Jessica was made their benefit ary under the will. Having thus deprived me of my birthright, Uncle Joskins met with his deserts. He fell ill, very ill, too ill, indeed, for my liking. I didn't mind his having gout, and plenty of it; but gout in his stomach together with a will in Jessica's favor were more than any human being could bear with equanimity, and I confess it was too great a combina-

tion for me. My anxious longing for the old man's recovery was fast becoming an illness to me, when, in calling to inquire after him one evening, I heard the glad tid-

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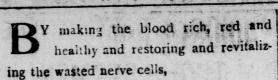
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summoned. This time Jessica, it seemed, had actually offered the invalid some burned porridge, an offense for which Uncle Joskins thought exclusion from the will was all too mild a punishment.But great as was the old man's wrath, it was but as a stiff breeze compared with the howling tornado of his fury next morning, when it was discovered that the Joskins Jar was missing.

For once in my life I really pitied Jessica. She kept house for Uncle Joskins, and thus was directly responsible for the safety of the collection, which, indeed, was placed in her immediate charge. If she came in for a five-pound note now, she might consider herself lucky-under the circum-

"Now, mind this, Humphrey," said the old man to me that morning, as I handed him his porridge (cooked to perfection, by the by), "my money will go to the person. I don't care who it is, who recovers that priceless relic. So, if you want to succeed to my estate, young man, the best thing you can do is to set about finding the

jar without any further delay."
"Certainly, my dear uncle," said I;
"but don't you think it might be better to leave your fortune to some one who, like myself, for instance, would spend it to the uttermost farthing in the search of the oldest Amphora in the world—and so perpetuate your name?"
"Perhaps it might, my boy; perhaps it might, but I think," he added, with a cunning little wink, "I'll try my

plan. However, you shan't be entirely forgotten. Now, go, that's Verinder's knock; and tell that abominably neglectful girl to come up with him."

Before I left the house I gleaned from the servants and Jessica all available particulars which might throw light on the origin of the robbery. They were woefully scanty. The jar was in its place, on its accustomed stand when the maid went in to draw down the blinds in the museum on the previous evening, and was missing when she went to draw them up twelve hours later. The museum window, which opened on to some leads, whence there was an easy drop into the garden, was open, and the maid was prepared to swear that it was shut on the previous evening. And that was

the information to be got.

Had there been a burglary? The detectives, who were on the spot, said "No." wherefore I. who had no respect for detectives, said "Yes." This opinion was shared by Mr. Traceham, the private inquiry agent, whom Jessica had called in.

"Looks to me uncommon like Crafty Choggie's work, sir," he said; "uncommon. It's just his style."

"Who is Crafty Choggie?" I ask-

"You don't know, sir?" this with a

pitying smile. "And this is fame?
"Why, sir, Crafty Choggie is the artfullest, cleverest burglar that ever
cracked a crib." Then a brilliant idea flashed on me. If there was one man in London more likely than another to be acquainted with this celebrated character it was Jimmy Howe, whose ostensible calling of bird fancier covered a multi-

tude of offenses against the law. All the rif-raff of the sporting world knew Jimmy, and were known to him. Wherefore I repaired to Jimmy at

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cepted. The management believe that both Ziegler and Nordyke are superior to Lowney, but he will be ordered to report here at once, when his case will be dealt with.

Big Jack Clements, the Cleveland catcher, has been released by Manager Cross. Clements was drawing the limit. Clements is in excellent condition. His fielding record is clear, and he is 272 in batting. Sokalexis will probably go to Detroit, and Bristow to Kansas City.

THE AMATEURS.

An interesting game of ball was played on the old cricket grounds, be-tween the Waterloos and the London South Juniors, resulting in favor of the Waterloos by a score of 9 to 4. Batteries—L. S. J., Wast and Underhill; Waterloos, Power and MacLen-

The Dominion Baseball Club of St. Thomas was defeated in a game of ball by the Rodney Baseball Club, at Rodney, on Thursday, May 18, by the score of 6 to 12. Batteries—For Do-

minions, J. Moore and Killingworth;
for Rodney, Marcus and Latimer.

An interesting game of ball was
played on the Adelaide street common, between the Forest Citles and the Superiors, resulting in favor of the former with a score of 9 to 13. Batteries—Sanborne and Martin for the Forest Cities; Wonnacott, Laut and McIntosh for Superiors.

FOR THE FANS. In the grand stand at Youngstown a sign reads as follows: "No Betting Aloud."

Nearly half of the St. Louis victories up to date have been by the narrow

margin of one run.

Silver King, the veteran of the old
Browns, and former Senator, is coaching a younger brother in the secrets
of twirling shoots.

ings that Verinder had been again that an offer had been made by certain parties for the Orioles. Hanlon says that \$26,000 is too low an estimate for the property, which, he declares, is increasing in value daily. "McGraw alone is worth \$10,000 to any club in the league," said the Brooklyn manager.
Al Orth is suffering with malaria,
and his physician has ordered that he

quit playing for a week or two. Phila-delphia will seriously feel the absence of their star twirler just now. The Chicago players still wear those long bath robes which were first introduced by Uncle Anson. The team also travels to and from the grounds in open carriages, a feature also intro-

duced by Anson.

Frank Shiebeck is playing wonderful ball for the Montreal team, and it is accepted. The meeting will be a great a regular thing to see in the brief ac- attraction at the close of the London counts of the games that appear in eastern papers, "The feature of the game was Shiebeck's work."

"Base-running is not confined to speed," says Dick Padden. "Tommy Dowd, for example, could have given Buck Ewing 15 yards in a 100-yards race, and still beat him out. But Buck as a base-runner was away above Tommy. The art and knack of base-running consist of getting a start and knowing the pitcher you are working against.

TURF.

BUTTER SCOTCH WON THE QUEEN'S PLATE.

Toronto, May 22.—The Queen's plate, the feature of the initial day's racing of the Ontario Jockey Club, was won by Butter Scotch, the entry of Hendrie, of Hamilton, thus breaking Seagram's long list of seven successive victories. Outside of the fraternity, who played Dalmoor heavily in the winter books, the win was popular. The track was a trifle heavy, but drying rapidly. All the events were well filled, the selling race having to be divided. The attendance was large and the betting heavy. Prominent among those who ocupied boxes were Lord Minto, the governorgeneral, and party, and suite, and Premier Hardy and party. Although the field was a large one there were only three false starts ere the flag fell. Passing the stand Nick White held the lead, others following like a regiment of cavalry. Nick White ran gamely until the back stretch was reached, and then he fell away and the Hendrie and Seagram colors flashed in the van. Side by side they raced. It was a fast pace, but neither horse nor rider flinched. Approaching the run-in, the usual closing up occurred. Rounding the turn, Mr. Seagram's big horse was in the lead, and it was thought the popular distiller was sure of victory, but the Hendrie representatives were on his flanks, Butter Scotch on the inside. Ter-ralta for a moment showed prominently, but she died away, and Butter Scotch, responding gamely to every call of her rider, came up next to the rails. But the Scotch lassie was full of native spunk, and every stride she gained on Dalmoor, until towards the end in a hard drive she began to draw away, winning by a clear length amid applause that will echo down in history. Toddy Ladle, as game as her stable companion, made an effort passing the stand, and was beaten only three-quarters of a length for second money. Curfew Bell was fourth, two lengths farther back: Terralta fifth, Dalliance sixth, Play Fun seventh, Sardonyx eighth, Cocoanut ninth, Nick White pulled up tenth, and the others tailed off. Belcourt, the one time fancied, was never in the hunt. The time, considering the track, was remarkable and undoubtedly equal to the best, Ferdinand's 2:13 in 1897. Summary:

First race, trial purse, \$400, for 3lear-olds and up, 6 furlongs-Tragedian 1.Duke of Middleburg 2, Satirist 3.Time, 1:18. Harvey, Flying Bess, V. R. Customs, Sir Christopher also ran.

Second race, \$500, for 2-year-olds, half-mile—Sarmatian 1, Owensboro 2, Clipcetta 3. Time, :52. Mr. Jersey, Mecklenburg, Sir Vere de Vere, Will Scarlet, Lord Kitchener, French Polish, Alienna, Fraconi, Happy Hermit, Basle, King Joshua, White Clover and Highway also ran. Third race, hunters' flat race, handi-

cap, \$300, for qualified hunters, 11/2 miles-Romancer 1, Annetburn 2, Dutch Henry 3. Time, 2:52. Dr. Grimes, Mario, Jodan, Philace, The Squire also

ran. Fourth race, Queen's plate, 14 miles -Butter Scotch, 101 (Mason), 3 to 1, 1; Dalmoor, 126 (Williams), 1 to 5, 2; Toddy Ladle, 101 (Tames), 3 to 1, 3. Time, 2:151/2. Curfew Bell, Terralta.Sardonyx, Play Fun, Nick Whit, Dalliance. Cocoanut, Belcourt, Spring Blosson. Tartan and Dr. Jack also ran. Fifth race, Royal Canadian steeple chase, \$400, about 2 miles—High Tide 1, Burnap 2, Exitus 3. Time, 5:09. Bird, Jim Lysle, Shorty Kelly, St. Ives also

Sixth race, Rideau purse, selling, \$300 for 3-year-olds and up, 7 furlongs -De Blaize 1, Guilder 2, Simcoe 3. Time, 1:321/2. Falella, Simcoe, Jack Carey, Nearest Floridian also ran.

Seventh race, selling, for 3-year-olds and up, 7 furlongs—Tobe Payne, 1, South Africa 2, Kinney 3. Time, 1:33. Nicholas, Home Like, Dr. Stewart, Disturbance, Sallie Lamr, Rosa Duke also

JOCKEY FATALLY HURT. New York, May 22.-Jockey Horton, who was injured at Morris Park while riding in the Grand National steeplechase, died last night. When the accident happened he was on Tentore, who fell at one of the jumps, rolling

Rush on Saturday, over a muddy track. Other winners were: Tommy O'Brien, Approval, Syria, Duke of Baden and Beekman.

AT MORRIS PARK.

New York, May 22.—Saturday was a gala day at Morris Park, fully 15,000 people being present. The great event was the National Stallion stakes of \$20,000 (third race, 2½ miles), in which all the best youngsters in training were engaged, with the exception of Doubiet, the winner of the Juvenile stakes. Summary: National Stallion, \$20,000, 5 furlongs—Pupil won by a head; His Royal Highness second by three lengths; Vulcan third. Time, :58%. Other winners: Gaze, Trumpet, Presidigitatrice, Trillion and Box

ATHLETICS. ENGLISH AND AMERICANS TO MEET.

The American Line steamer Paris, which sailed for New York on Saturday from Southampton, takes a challenge from Oxford and Cambridge universities to the universities of Yale and Harvard for an athletic contest, to take place on the ground of the Queen's Club, London, during the last week in July. The programme includes: One hundred yards dash, 100 yards hurdle race, quarter of a mile run, half a mile run, mile run, three miles run, hammer-throwing, high jump, long jump. This is the regular Oxford and Cambridge programme, with a halfmile run substituted for putting the weight, to the new rules of which event the English university men are not yet accustomed. The challenge rigidly insists that every American opponent must, like themselves, be absolutely a student and absolutely an amateur athlete. From the communications already exchanged between the representatives of Oxford and Cambridge and parties in America, there is little doubt that the challenge will be

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WON THE KENTUCKY OAKS.

Louisville, May 22.—The Kentucky Oaks was won by Tom McDowell's Wordsworth-Reine d'Or 8-year-old filly

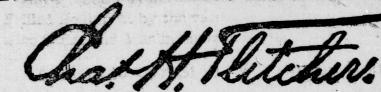
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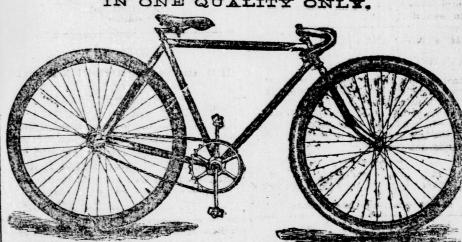
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