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thirty-nye pieces of that dogs can frying and I neither looked in the crites nor up on the loft. No, it was not awful long tail, and now when I come to think I remember quite well telling my wife that I surely heard thunder that night, and abe laughed at me, but I know now what I heard, 'twas the hea snapping at poor Cæsar's tail. Do you see that clothe's basket there, sir, a pretty big one an't it! Well, I had that heaped full of toes and joints and pieces of the poor dog, that is besides the tail pieces, and then neighbor Simpson plastered his up stairs, four good large rooms and a hall in the centre, with what hair we gathered and my wife thinks she has as much left as will stuff a pair of hussocks. That s one of my little fellows there and do you see what he is playing with? Well, sir, that is one of the poor dog's eyes. That is another mystery I can't account for. I owned HOTEL PROPERTY

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