

WON IN A CANTER.

...the tightened links... the boat like a duck on the water... "Tell me, Charlie," he cried, "they are... Captain, when all is snug, give them a double allowance of grog, and tell them to give them twenty pounds each as a present."

...he found the wind had shifted, and the white sails of the Firefly just visible in the horizon; the vessel was hull down and carrying a splendid breeze towards Plymouth.

...horses are sold except those he uses in the carriage. I do hope everything is forgotten."

...her, and it was as much as she could do to conceal her agitation from the keen eye of her father.

...boat, and had, moreover, three days' start of them, and arrived six days before that of the Liverpool one.

CHAPTER XXXVI.

MISSING AND FOUND.

It was with no small degree of satisfaction all found themselves at home again. Mary was especially rejoiced; her flowers, her birds, her favorite "Sultan" had all to be visited.

MARY. "You will not be surprised that after what I have seen; that I have left the place for ever."

"C. T."

The whole of the house was in the utmost consternation. Mr. Thornhill was called, and was bending over his insensible daughter. He could make nothing out of the note, and till his daughter came to, he was obliged to remain in ignorance.

It is no easy work to travel about in free America, and always on a stern chase. One day, however, the Englishman came back with positive intelligence that Charlie had a small hacienda on the banks of the river.