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THE following "incidents" and "conversations" are not fictitious; they are literally true, although the names of the individuals mentioned have been changed, for obvious reasons, as they are all (so far as the narrator knows) still living on "this 'arth," with the exception of poor "Tim," who has "crossed the Bar"—not, however, the "bar" he was so familiar with at the time our narrative begins!

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P.S.—The narrator does not hold herself responsible for the opinions and conclusions of "Curly Kate," as herein set forth.