'Please, sir,' said old Zeruiah, the 'Up in the plum tree ! repeated Mr. Brown. 'And what's he doing up in

the plum tree? It ain't the time o'year for ripe plums.' 'No,' said Zerniah, giving the fryingpan that she was cleaning an extra scrape with the knife, 'tain't time o' year for plums to be ripe. But it's always time o' year for young men to

'As true as Fyou live, sir,' [said

Zerniah. 'But that was precisely why my brother sent me down here for,' said Mr. Brown, contracting his bald forehead into innumerable wrinkles. 'To keep her out of Hubert Wynton's way!'

world is wide, but ain't wide enough to keep two fools apart.' Brown with a sardonic smile. 'What sort of a looking fellow is he, Zeruiah?' 'Wall,' answered the old woman, still holding the frying-pan as Minerva of old might have held her shield, 'the leaves is thick, and my sight ain't what it once was; but he's got light-colored clothes on, as was never cut in Bean

'Good!' nodded Mr. Brown, 'You ought to have been a detective, Ruey. They would give you good wages, I'll bet a big apple. Where is the hat?' 'I brung it in and put it on the hall

table 'amwered Zerniah. 'Very well. Go out and chain Casar under the plum tree. Give him a good length of chain, Ruey. Then come back and move all Arabella's things into the west bedroom. I'll take the end room myself. If there's any serenading or poetry reciting, or anything of that sort, I'll have the benefit of it

A slow smile broke out over Zeruiah's wooden face. 'But what'll you tell her?' said she.

Tell her? Why, that the end room is a better aspect for my rheumatism, said Mr. Brown, chuckling. 'And make haste, or she'll be back from Widow Peet's. Everything must be moved before she returns. And pull pons that were under my pillow the shade down, so the city chap won't

suspicion what we're up to.' Off trudged Zeruiah, who, in spite of her having first seen the light on the rugged coasts of Maine, was at heart a delight in frustrating the intents of

Bella Arden was young and pretty. Bella had dared to ridicule her oldfashioned ideas. Bella had nick-named ain't you?' her 'Medusa' and though Zeruiah had 'I don't deny it, sir,' said Wynton not the least idea who 'Medusa' was, she dimly suspected that it was no

when she came in, with her fair hair blown about her face, and her cheeks reddened by her brisk walk across hill and hollow-'why have you changed my room?

Well, you see my dear,' said Mr. Brown, craftily, 'I've an idea that the east room will suit my rheumatism better. You don't mind?'

'Oh, not in the least!' said Bella, letter for me, I suppose?' as she glanced at the weekly paper lying unfolded on the table, 'for I see they've brought

letters.'

And the cows came, with tinkling the two masked burglars. boughs, waited in vain for some pros- 'I don't know how I can ever thank pect of his release.

he to himself. 'What on earth have force could have done that with a blow they chained that savage beast here for on the dog's head—but for the manner there, reading the paper, all the after- 'Oh, don't mention it, old fellow!' noon, and I haven't dared to stir, for said Weir. fear of being shot for a burglar. I've 'How did you like me as a first-class seen the darling once or twice picking | ruflian?' flowers in the garden, and bringing traying my hiding-place. Shades of into trouble.' Epicurus/ how good that frying chick smells-Coffee, too! I'd give a king's ransom for a cup of it!'

Poor Hubert! He could not stir for fear of rousing Casar's deep low-pitch- Belton. ed bark and compromising himself and Bella, but he grew stiffer and more cramped with every second of his en-

forced vigil. 'They must take the dog to his kennel before long,' he thought, as the dew suffused the air with moisture and the DR. FOWLER'S night-birds began to wheel about the luxuriant branches of the old tree.

But presently Zeruiah came out with a tiu pan of water and a platter of bones to break Casar's fast. 'Is it all right, Ruey?' said Mr. Brown, in a sort of a stage whisper,

from the kitchen door. 'All right, sir.' Zeruiah answered. And then, in a lightning flash, as i were, Hubert comprehended it all.

He was entrapped. That weazenfaced old woman and the malicious elderly uncle of his beloved were in league to be his jailors. He whistled softly to himself.

AND ALL SUMMER COMPLAINTS Cæsar, from below, left off crunching his bones, and uttered a deep thunderous growl at the sound. From the distance the echo of voices reached him -careless laughter and stray sentences

here and there. 'It's Belton and Ralph Weir, coming

Children Cry for

ing, he thought. He tore a leaf from his pocket-book, suribbled a line or two on it as well as ne could in the uncertain dusk, and wrapping it around his watch, flung it as far as his arm could reach toward the swamp.

'Matters are getting serious,' he said to himself. But the missive had not been with

'A white bird!' exclaimed Belton, make fools of themselves, and the 'No it isn't either, its a watch with a checking. uis long, swinging stride third branch of that 'ar plum tree is on a line with the window of Arabella

And then, in the swampy fastnesses Eh? said Mr. Brown, dropping his by the light of a few matches, they de-Eh? said Mr. Brown, dropping his ciphered the cry for aid which had come from the plum tree. 'Whew w-w!' said Weir. Let's g

and shoot the dog.' 'Let's do nothing of the sort,' said

ron, either-gain by declaring direct war in that sort of way? Let's be polite or nothing. 'Humph!' said Zeruiah. 'The And he fired his rifle three times i

the air, a sort of signal recognition of the prisoner's friend. 'What's that?' said Mr. Brown, who was computing the interest on a prom-

missory note at the sitting room table by the light of a kerosene lamp. 'I dunno,' said Rue, 'unless it's Deacon Hall shootin' weasels in his hen-'Oh, Uncle Brown,' cried Bella, with

clasped hands: 'I hope there are no Hollow; and his hat, that lays on the grass, has got a city maker's name in Never heard of such a thing in all Bean Hollow, my dear,' said the old

In the dead of that same night, how ever, two masked men appeared in Mr. Brown's bedroom. 'Your money or your life,' said one.

shouted the other. Old Mr. Brown lay quaking there, quite helplessly, when in an instant a lithe form sprang through the open window, balancing itself a second of the sill, and then hastened to the

A brief struggle ensued, but at last the masked burglars fled precipitately, Caesar barking wildly at them, and straining his chain to the utmost, in his effort to wreak his vengence upon

'Young fellow,' cried the old man scrambling out of bed, 'you've saved my life, besides the Government cou What can I do to reward you? He was very pale and trembled

'I'd like something to eat, if you please, sir,' said Wynton. 'To tell true Spanish duenna, and Itook a grim you the truth, I've just came out of the plum tree.'

'Yes, I know,' said Mr. Brown, re covering himself a little. 'You're the fellow that is in love with our Bella

'Well, you deserve her,' said Mr complimentary term. And therefore Brown; 'and you shall have her. It Zeruiah was not sorry to see the pretty | was I that ordered the dog chained up Boston girl 'come up with,' as she to the plum tree. I meant to balk yo if I could, but I've changed my mind I should have been a dead man, young right downstairs this moment. Nothing in this house is too good for you!' Ahi he wruug Wynton's hand until it seemed as if it were grasped in ar

iron vice. A strange midnight collation it wasthe coffee and cold fowl, and biscuits and tongue, eaten with Bella nestling close to his side, and Mr. Brown heapcheerfully. 'And I'll go right to work ing all sorts of indiscriminate daintie and arrange the things that cross old upon his plate, while old Zeruiah's face Zeruiah has flung about so recklessly. glowered out of the darkness of the kit-Oh, by the way uncle, there was no chen, like a badly-lighted polyopticon But a happy one--yes, a very happy

The constabulary force of Bean Hollow were promptly notified the next 'No, my dear,' said Mr. Brown, 'no morning, and a search instituted, but to no avail? Nothing was ever heard of

bells, home from the fern-scented pas- But when Mr. Wynton came back to tures, and the sun sank behind the the Bean Hollow Inn, the following maple swamps, and the purple dimness day, to order his portmanteau removed of twilight began to brood over all to the Brown farmhouse, and bid his things, and still Hubert Wynton, pri-soned up among the tossing plum hand alternately with that of Weir.

you, boys,' said he. 'Not for the res-'Confound these good people!' said | cue from a rather sorry plight—brute just now? And I believe I must have of it. I'm a great man now in old made a mistake—that is not Bella's Brown's estimation, and Bella thinks I room at all. A stout old man had sat am a hero. And it's all owing to you.

'By the way,' added Belton, 'I've

water from the spring, but I haven't burnt the masks. Circumstantial eviventured to call to her, for fear of bedence, you know. They might get us 'You'll invite us to the wedding, o

course?' queried Weir. 'Oh, yes! said Wynton, beamingly. 'And I may kiss the bride?' asked

'Of course you may !' said Wynton And Belton observed, thoughtfully, for any man .- HELEN FORREST GRAVES.

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