

in their very best meetin' gowns."

dozen "nut cakes," which would save was his father. John's buying dinner."

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ing her harvest apples, and letting her mother's heart.

moved rapidly away.

" Drive on," said John, rather angrily, or we shall lose the boat." ed it.

'twould have saved so much," said she, see him again, she thought; and then she Johnny darling, until he one day very softly wiping away a tear, which was oc-fell into a reverie concerning his home, cooly informed her that she was "a silly casioned partly by her son's manner, and his mother, his sisters, if he had any, and old soul," and that "he'd thank her not partly by the great loss she felt she sus- finally ended by wishing that she were to Johnny darling him any longer."

who was himself slightly avaricious, be-gan to regret that he ever knew the de-finition of the word save Lest our readers get a wrong impression of Mrs. of her "great trunk, little trunk, band-Nichols, we must say that she possessed box, and bag." Each of these articles crousness of the whole affair, he exclaimvery many sterling qualities, and her habits of extreme economy resulted more from the manner in which she had been blue waters of the Hudson, Mrs. Nichols himself with another cigar. compelled to live, than from natural declaring that "if she'd known it wasn't 'Lena began to tremble for her future

stinginess. For this John hardly made a bridge she was steppin' onto, she'd be happiness, if that boy was to live in the allowance enough, and his mother's re- bound they wouldn't have got her on in house with her. She did not know that marks, instead of restraining him, only one while.' she had already more than half won his made him more lavish of his money than he would otherwise have been. "Do sit down," said 'Lena; "the other people don't seem to be afraid, and I'm ed with her antagonistical demonstra-

"I've lost my purse. Somebody's stole

eningly at her.

Halifax, June 6th, 1881



When Mrs. Nichols and 'Lena entered | sure we needn't." the cars, they of course attracted univer- This Mrs. Nichols was more willing to cried or ran from him, as his sister Anna sal attention, which annoyed John exces- do, as directly at her side was another old generally did when he teased her. After sively. In Oakland, where his mother lady, travelling for the first time, fright-was known and appreciated, he could bear ened and anxious. To her Mrs. Nichols and walking up to Mrs. Nichols, comit, but among strangers, and with those addressed herself, announcing her firm menced talking very sociably with her, of his own cast, 'twas different; so mo- belief that "she should be blew sky high calling her "Granny," and winking slily tioning them into the first unoccupied before she reached Kentucky, where she sauntered on with an air which was going to live with her son John, who seemed to say, "they were nothing to she supposed was well off, worth twenty by and hear his mother ridiculed by his BOOK him," and finding a vacant seat at the negroes or more; but," she added, lower-other end of the car, he took possession ing her voice, "I don't b'lieve in no such the young gentleman "behave himself." of it. Scarcely, however, had he entered and I mean he shall set 'em free-poor "Law, now," said Mrs. Nichols, "let him, when some one grasped his arm, and without a cent of pay. He says they call him. He's the only grandson I've got." looking up, he saw his mother, her box in him 'master,' but I'll warrant he'll never This speech had the effect of silencing "John," said she, elevating her voice wouldn't, and I won't !"

just as lief ride in the second class cars as money, and that she hadn't once looked moving away from her, he took a seat not, and it only costs half as much!" after it since she started. Thinking this near 'Lena, telling her her dress was a Mr. Livingstone colored crimson, and as as favorable a time as she would have, heap too short," and occasionally pinchbade her go back, saying that if he paid she drew from her capacious pocket an ing her, just to vary the sport! This last,

the fare she needn't feel troubled about old knit purse, and commence counting however, 'Lena returned with so much the cost. Just as she was turning to out its contents, piece by piece. leave, the loud ring and whistle, as the "Beware of pick-pockets!" said some informing her that he was going to a train neared a crossing, startled her, and one in her ear, and with the exclamation circus which was in town that evening, he in great alarm she asked if "somethin' of "Oh the Lord!' the purse disappeared in her pocket, on which she kept her Mr. Livingstone, who partially over-

John made no answer, but the gentle- hand until the boat touched the opposite heard what he had said, stopped him and men near him very politely explained to shore. Then in the confusion and excite- asked "where he was going? her the cause of the disturbance, after ment it was withdrawn, the purse was "Feigning a yawn and rubbing his eyes, which she returned to her seat. When forgotten, and when on board the night John Jr. replied that "he was confoundthe conductor appeared, he fortunately express for Buffalo it was again looked ed sleepy and was goin to bed.' came in at the door nearest John, who for it was gone !" pointed out the two, for whom he had With a wild outcry the horror-stricken asked her uncle. tickets, and then turned again to converse matron sprang up, calling for John, who 'Lena trembled, for John Jr. had with the gentleman, who, though a in some alarm came to her side, asking clinched his fist, and was shaking it threatstranger, was from Louisville, Kentucky, what she wanted. and whose acquaintance was easily made. The sight of the conductor awoke in Mrs. it. Lock the door quick, and search peated her uncle. Nichols' brain a new idea, and after peer- every man, woman, and child in the car !' ing out upon the platform, she went The conductor, who chanced to be pre- life, and now, braving her cousin's anger, Co-operative Plans avoided. rushing up to her son, telling him that sent, now came up, demanding an ex- she said, "To the circus, sir. Oh, I wish "the trunks, box, feather bed, and all, planation, and trying to convince Mrs. you had not asked me." were every one on 'em left!" Nichols how improbable it was that any "You'll get your pay

were every one on 'em left !" "No, they are not," said John ; "I saw one present had her money. them aboard myself.'

"Wall, then, they're lost off, for as sure off." as you're born, there ain't one on 'em in here; and there as much as twenty weight conductor. of new feathers, besides all the crockery ! Holler to 'em to stop quick !"

nice man," she again returned to her dollar bill in her hand, he took a seat be- cousinly attensions, and so between an

STALL NOTED A

A rare specimen of the raw Yaukee, have quieted the old lady, had not a forth, they proceeded toward "Maple said the stranger to John, never dreaming happy idea that moment entered her Grove," a description of which will be mind, causing her to exclaim loudly, given in another chapter. in what relation she stood to him. "Yes," answered John, not thinking it "There, now, I've just this minute

at all necessary to make any further ex. thought. I hadn't but five dollars in my planations. purse; tother fifty I sewed up in an old

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