

SOME DAY.

I have ships that went to sea
More than fifty years ago;
None have yet come home to me,

THE CLOSE OF THE WAR.

How June Found Massa Linkum.

June laid down her knives upon the scrubbing-board, and stole softly out in the yard.

Somebody asked June once how old she was. "Spect I's hundred—dunno," she said, gravely.

Hungry was the kitten, June had named it so because it was black. She had an idea that everything black was hungry, in the nature of things.

face, sad-eyed, and kindly and quiet, and he was bowing and smiling to the people on either side.
"God bress yer, Massa Linkum, God bress yer!" shouted the happy voices;

of the house, where she was soon soundly asleep.
About eleven o'clock, when all the house was still, the window of June's closet softly opened.

that it was like an old camp-meeting hymn that she had heard Creline sing sometimes. She never understood the words, but the music came back like a dream.

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SIGNIFICANT SPRING.

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The green leaf of the new-come Spring. "It is once upon us, but many persons are not familiar with the exact date of its appearance."

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Spring Cleaning.

It is nearly the time for lifting carpets, and although once more the north wind sighs and the mud puddles freeze over, every housekeeper knows that winter can't last very long.

A PHYSICIAN'S EXPERIENCE.

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Mrs. Mary A. Watson, wife of James Watson, a retired merchant of Tarrytown, was arrested on St. Valentine's Day on the charge of "catching the said James Watson by the hair of his head and scratching his face."

Eighty thousand buffaloes were killed last winter; this winter, owing to the rapid extinction of the animal, the number killed is comparatively small.