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This fact was brought out at the And the best part of it all is that annual meeting of the society, which there is not a purse in all the land so was held at the rooms of the Commeager that it cannot furnish some mercial Club on Monday, Dec. 4. of the sinews of war; no hand too This, the officers and members of the society believe, is due as much to the moral influence of the organization Each penny is a bullet. The trajectory lies through a noble and splen- have been prosecuted by the society. as to the cases of cruelty which

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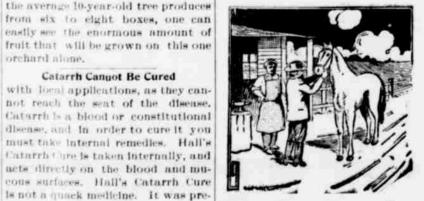
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