

She said she knew some terrible

tough men, but that fellow was

woman's husband and then go to

"Now, the thing to do with

and then carry him over to the

knownst. Some women are mighty

touchy, and it's foolish to rile 'em

up. Just you leave Pike over

there, and after a little she'll come

down and want to know all about

it. Then you can tell her that he

was drowned, or that a mountain

From what I know of life and

death out here, I should be in-

clined to take the mountain story.

The old man's advice was fol-

lowed, and the widow was not

only convinced of Pike's death,

but she took a mournful satisfac-

tion in the reflection that he had

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nerves, and skin.

head, and he sank to the ground, where I am. But you may assist

Puck.

have, they must quit business.

not been drowned.

The importance of breaking the first one who would kill a

country, says an exchange, was her house and call her a liar. She

er went up to inform Mrs. Pike Pike, here, is to wait until dark

Pike had been up the creek with house and leave him there unbe-

thrown against a rock and injured. fell on him, just as you please.

well illustrated here a few days was acquitted, too."

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news gently in this section of the

ago when Dave Kelly, a new com-

Baldwin that she was a widow.

some of the boys, and the boat be-

coming unmanageable in the high

water, he and the others had been

thrown out. All got ashore ex-

cept Pike, but it was a hard job.

The current was very swift, and it

is thought that he prohably was

Dave Kelly came along just as the

boys were picking themselves out

of the water, and, as they were too

exhausted to do more than crawl

to their cabins, he got the job of

conveying the news to Mrs. Bald-

win, a frontier lady who has some-

thing of a record. On approach-

ing the house Dave thought long

and earnestly on the best way of

communicating the information,

and at length came to the conclu-

sion that the direct method was

preferable to any other. He there-

fore stepped up briskly, and see

ing Mrs. Baldwin at the door of

"I am sorry to say, Mrs. Bald-

"Drowned?" she said, with a curl

"Yes, ma'am," replied Dave,

"You're a liar!" she said, em-

phatically. "Pike can swim like a

fish, and you can't drown a fish,

nor Pike neither. So go Yong

"But nothing. You go now, or

I'll drown you in a shotgun. Pike

can't be drowned. Who sent you here with that lie?"

"The boys on Stoner's ranch.

They were all with Pike in a boat,

and the boat upset and they all

got ashore except Pike. He was

Just then a mop that was stand.

ng near the door fell on Dave's

"Didn't I tell you not to say

who aiready began to feel uncom-

win, that Pike was drowned this

the cabin said:

of her lip.

fortable.

norning up the creek."

now, or I'll hit you!"

drowned and-"

yelled:"

"But, Mrs. Baldwin-"

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