

HIS MOTHER.

[The following story is swift and brief, but it contains the two supreme elements of human interest—love and death. It is an original story, and was written by Hal Reid.]

Dave'll be a mighty lonesome. But they's warned. She listens. Not a sound. Ten minutes, half an hour—two—and no sound. "Cuss 'em, they's fooled again."

Does Lightning Sour the Milk? It is a well known fact that milk is especially apt to sour during the prevalence of a thunderstorm, and from this it has been surmised that the electric discharge held some mysterious sway over the lactical fluid.

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