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THE MUSIC MISTRESS. CHAPTER I. I was about sixteen when I was invited by my aunt, Mrs. Morton, to stay with her for a few months at her house, in that pleasant region of London, the neighborhood of Regent's Park.

REV. JOHN W. MARTIN, D. D. has been chosen President of the National Institute for the Deaf and Dumb of Ireland, Canada, and the United States.

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TO BRIDGE CONTRACTORS. SAID PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, in the City of Beaver, Pa., on Wednesday, November 13, 1868, at 12 M.

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CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE. There was a trial and execution in Dublin, more than a century since, which excited great interest. It was that of a surgeon, well known in society, and esteemed for his amiable character, and remarkable for his humanity to the poor; he lived in a retired place. It happened one evening that the milk-woman found the street door ajar, and not being answered when she knocked at it, she made her way to the kitchen. She had no sooner entered it, than uttering a piercing scream, she called loudly for help.

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JOSH BILLINGS ON CROWS. Next to the monkey the crow has the most devilish nature. They are born very wild, but can be tamed as easily as a goat can; and a tame crow is actually worse than a sore thumb.

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BLITZ AND THEE. Blitz! The very name is a synonym with lightning and roguery. What a living of jugglery, there is in its pronunciation—precisely change—magical words in themselves, are no more identified with unscrupulous deeds than that of Blitz. He is the prince of conjuring, and adds to his wonderful dexterity as a juggler, the most remarkable power of the human voice; known as ventriloquism. Blitz is an ardent fiver and lover to carry out a practical joke of fun. For some weeks past he has been lightning the market in New York by causing their dead poultry and dressed pigs to talk all sorts of stuff, and to make formal complaints of the unkindness and to which they had been brought. One butcher after throwing a half dozen turkeys into the street because they would gobble; though they were as dead as a door nail, was saluted by a terrible 'grunt' from a young pig that he was offering for sale; all this addressed for the table. 'Frightened' half out of his wits the butcher ran fairly 'out duck', and would he come back again until piggy had been reared.

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