A leap year episode.












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 said he to himslle, "but it will be beter
than 4 sute of siege-for I have been

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pated the visitor. How is my Unelo
Oriken? Thin crooked old man sheletered his can.
 You know?
Hity visitor. mithe whint can 1 do?" saiu Marryatt,
hillside.
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head, and


 "sabella?" repented Jolin Marryatt.
"She's the old wowan in clargasister, explained the ancient warder ot
the castio. "Ain't much to look at, but

think I caro alout slopping in the
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 his daughter of solitudes, seizing him
by theann. "This here's your baggage?"
rasping the ralise in in the ot grasping the ralise in the other hand.
This was leap yeaz with a vengeance, This was leap yeaz with a vengeauce,
With one hero.
With
 "You won't?" said tho red.cliecked
dansel.
No, 1 wou't., replied John Marryatt.
 come for You,"
"Oh. the train-I see, " cried Mr. Marrymeaning at first. Yus, FII come inme-
diately. The red-cheeked damsel, who proved
to be no despicable clarioter, rattled
down the trent down the frozen mountain road with con-
biderable skili and energy, reaching the
solitary station just as the fieight train came in si,hth around a curve.
So Mr. Marryatt arrived in the red brick clinemney tops beliud the Delavan House.
"Not married yet," he said to himsolf;
"but I willbe as soon as possible, if slie will have me. F'll run no more such risks That Very afternoon he called at Doo-
or Mere's house and proposed to A viceand Avice accepted him. Yes, she 50 .
tually accepted him! ually accepted him!
"But did you really Avice, feeling that it was her duty to to ad
monish her swain a little - "that-that
you didn't want to be married aginat "O Course I said it,", answered Mar--
ryatt, "and I meant it I don't intend to be minried agninst my will; I Intend to
be married with it. And did you really say that you wouldn't marry John Mar-
ryatt for $\$ 50,000$ ?" "And I wouldn't" cried Avice, look-
ing up with sparkling eyes. Not for
twieo that mone mone but-just because I love him!"
So they both wero happy and laughed
hearilly over the adventures at Unele When Penelope Paxton next saw the
bride-clect, slo cluckled and said: "Soster, after all?" Anow, what Miss Penny could possibly
mean.". A Proper Request.-"Now, Willie,"
enid mamma. "I want you to quiet. I don't want you to say a wor
nil tiroukh dinner." "Ve'y well. mam
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