

TEXAS COURTSHIP.

He sat one side of the room in a big white-oak rocking chair. She on the other side in a little white-oak rocking chair.

"This is mighty good weather to pick cotton." "Tis that, if we only had any to pick."

"The rocking continues. 'What's your dog's name?' 'Coony.' Another sigh-broken stillness.

"Your dog, Coony." "Fur ketching possums." "Silence of half an hour."

"He is—but he is kinder bellowed an' gettin' old an' slow now. An' he ain't no 'count on a cold trail."

"By this time the minutes that ensued she took two stitches in her quilt; it was a gorgeous affair, that quilt was, made by the pattern called 'Rose of Sharon.'"

"How many has your ma got?" "How many what?" "Chickings."

"Nigh on to a hundred." "By this time the chairs are so close together that rocking is impossible."

"The minks has eat all ours." "Then a long silence reigns. At last he observes: 'Makin quilts?'"

"Yes," she replies, brightening up. "I've just finished a 'Roarin' Eagul of Brazeel,' a 'Sittin' Sun' and a 'Nation's Pride.' Have you ever saw the 'Yellow Rose of the Parary?'"

"No." "More silence; then he says: 'Do you love cabbage?'" "I do that."

Presently his hand is accidentally placed on hers. She does not know it—at least does not seem to be aware of it. Then after a half hour spent in sighs, coughing and clearing of throats, he says: 'I see a great a-mind to bite you.' 'What you great a-mind to bite me fur?'"

"Kase you won't have me." "Kase you ain't axed me." "Well, now, I ax you." "Then, now, I has you."

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