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them - and they have nover before to our knowledge, been made publio pro perty-cannot be quastionied, the down to na from our great grandfather Henry Seybert, who was perfonilly
cognizant of, and iu many cases attaognizant of, and in many cases attaand frequenty thrilling episodes.
We tell the stories as we hear
them, to the heet of ouir abilty, and we hinnestly believe, that in the main, w are entirely correct, thoughisome litel of the matter, rather ancertain, w e been compelled tr make up tron kending cir
With this slight explanation we will
The British ocenpied New York, and the Amerieat army was quartered
in olose proximity - quite near enough to maintain a pretty strict watch_over the royalists.
Scouting parties were continually patrolling the country, and as mightwell be expected, collisions were of no un -sometimes the other, suffered most in these encounters, and not a few
really thrilling adventures, from time to time marked the inextable meet
One dy Creaner, who was just th man for unch a service, wan ordered to head a detachment detailed for patro duty, and our reapected prandparent hen quite a young man, formed on the party.
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uhust ar I say, terponded Ornishy, "Wie were pretty well worn ont when wéteached here hiaving encounterei
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Tientionempum repponated Creamer, dotubingly,
jou sure he fin't cheating you ?


Creamer briefly returned thanks, ment afterward the farmer left them. "The fellow talks smooth enough, but I'don't like him !" said Creamer o the Virginian, as soon as they were alone. "I have a deep impression
that his hard face does not belie his heart. I wouldn't trast him out ot my ght, certain !"
"You're too suspieions, Creamer!" esponded Ormbyy; "and to prove that ou are so, III stay here and give him ery chane to do his worst; if be's o molined, which I don't believe,
Iou aná your squad will also remain and bivouac here. I believe I am the sentor officer, and in virtue of that such circumstances."
"Jast so," responded Creamer: thengh i's hardiy fair to run un into anger, because you are so unbeliey ing as to expose ycurself. Por my
part, if I had my way, I' give that ellow and his house $g$ wide birth?" "Well, we shall see who's right! companion.
"We chath, I think" quietly respon-
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At that moment the farmer was a gain seen approaching the Treutenants.
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my finest cows!" said he, as he came
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or the animal. Nearwhile, make ourselves properly th home. All
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"Thank yon, ny friend, responded Ormsby. Wo fllly appreciate your
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With very few exceptions all the est of the patriots were made prisoners, Ormaby and our respected grand father being among the namber. The captives were at once carried into New Yofk, and for six weeks, duning which ime they were fed almost wholly on he poorest kind of horse meat, were conflied in the old Sugar House. Fially, they were exchangen, and with yful heate ónce more rejoined their friends and countrymen.
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