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Excerpt: . All were highly delighted with the verses on the Wind in a Frolic; the old quite as much as the young; and even Cousin John would have them repeated a second time. That having been done, my father was called upon for a story, and proceeded to relate to us the adventures of a dog. seeking A fortune. Before the fire of an old-fashioned kitchen, in which nothing was heard but the drowsy ticking of an ancient yellow-faced clock and the merry songs of a dozen crickets, sate, wide awake and exceedingly restless, a fine, large, shaggy dog, although it was midnight. One would have wondered what could ail him; for he sate erect, fixing his eyes on the glimmering flame with a most wo-begone look; and, every now and then, giving a low whine, he rose and walked to and fro uneasily,...



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