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Spent with him & the scoundrels would fight
them nearly to death & they refused to see them in their highest
pitch of horror - he continued on in this way until arrived
at Manhood & obtained a situation as foot man in a nobleman
family & then he soon lost his situation for slandering the character
of his fellow servants & for creating a commotion & disturbance
in the house - & then he wandered about without employ no
person would take him in or employ in any kind of office whatever
every one was disgusted with he became a fugitive a starved &
ragged vagabond & no man gave unto him & at ^{last he was} under the
necessity of enlisting for a soldier to save himself from starvation
& when in the army himself for a little time & got promoted to
be a corporal & at soon as he found the officers to place
any confidence in him & place any government funds in his
hands. ~~He~~ then turned traitor they say stole ^{the} money & every
thing belonging to government that he could take & turn
into money he did so & send for his wife for ~~his wife~~ for
~~he~~ was married while in the army & set out for
america & then in a few weeks he obtained employ
as a rough carpenter & even after he was married & settled
down in america he still carried on his old practices & would
get up in the night & be 2 hours from his bed in a cold
night killing cats when he came with us he had his wife
& child his wife appeared to be a fine woman on first
acquaintance with her, but as you had an opportunity of
further acquaintance with her ^{the} religion which she professed ~~to be~~ ^{enjoy}