

THA MANGLE

Kit Strouter wur aelwys bodderin Smilin Jack ta get her a Mangle, as she wur agwain ta teak in waishen an irenin. A promised her a hood; bit a know'd a trick wuth two on it, cos a wur well sure if a bought her one she hood never pay un varn. Zoo a kep putten on her off time atter time, be zayin as how a adden come across nar, not heet.

Houzemever, she kep plagen and bodderin on un zoo every time she lighteed we un that a mead up he's mind ta stop her be playen a noce leetle trick on her.

Zoo one night a brought whoam in he's trap a couple a girt *Mangle Wuzzles* an tells he's wife if Kit Strouter come up about ar a Mangle, there wur two out in the cart house an she cood av her pick on em, a coose tha poor ooman diden know nuthen about tha trick her husben intended playen on Missus Strouter. Zoo as Jack wur gwain past Strouter's cottage tha seam evenin out rushes Kit an axed un as usual, wur a wur gwain ta get ar a Mangle or not. O ah a zaays Kit, I brought wom two this atternoon in my trap, thay be up in my cart house, thee's better goo up at wonce an av thee pick on em, "bouath seam price as one anodder." Zoo she bawls out ta Ned ta goo down to tha Pig an Whissel, borry tha Lanlards trucks, bring along a rope we'n up ta Smilin Jacks cart house, var ta vetch tha Mangle.

When Kit gets up to tha cart house dooer, a wur locked zoo she gooes across to he's cottage ta get tha kay, which Jack's wife let her have, an twould her she wur ta av tha pick a tha two Mangles; directly she undone tha dooer her eyes lighteed on tha two girt

Mangle Wuzzels an on a bouard near wur chaaked up, *Here's tha Mangles Kit, av thee choice on em.* A coose she zeed droo that trick at wonce an mad we rage, an spite at bein took in zo, she teaks one a tha Mangles in her yarms, pushes open tha cart house dooer, knocks down woold Ned, who wur stannen behine we tha trucks, an deliberetly gooes across an daishes tha Mangle right droo Smilin Jack's cottage winder, his poor wife rushed out vrighteed ta death purty nigh, an Kit bawls out, there, that's how I zars thy good var nuthen usbin var playen zich a nasty dirty mean trick on I.

When Smilin Jack got whoam, and zeed tha broken winder, an he's wife in sterricks, a went an took out a zummons at once ageanst Kit, var assault an battery to he's cottage winder. Tha Magistrates who tried tha kease wur ael highly amused, an teakein a lanient view on it vined Missus Strouter ony dree an zix we expenses which she zomehow manidged ta screap together. Bit Smilin Jack an she wur like daiggers draad var ever atterwirds, an as you med gace, she never troubled un about buyen her a *Mangle* no mwore.