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They leave behind three sons and one daughter, all at home; constituting a united and happy family, with a common interest, devoted to each other, and especially to their parents, whose decease is to them a sore affliction.

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