

The Deposition of Thomas Burnam junr. aged 48
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 sine one sumer one of my Cowes was very
 often milked & som times tow of them in
 my yard by my house: & thinking to catch
 y^e milker: I took paines & watched none with
 me & thos nights yt I watched my Cowes ware
 not milked & I arose one night a litle
 before Day & stood in my indien Corn near
 whare my Cowes lay & sone I saw a
 female stand in y^e midele of y^e yeard. whar
 y^e Cowes ware, which by hear after I thought
 was Rachell ~~Clinton~~ ^{Haskell} which as I thought was
 a way: & a nother night I arose before Day &
 walked in y^e street & just on y^e breaking of
 Day came sudingly to my yeard whare my
 Cowes lay & that cow that was most comonly
 milked stood & a parson a milking which
 presenly glanced from y^e cow in y^e likenesse
 of a gray cat & run up y^e back side of my
 house scraching upon y^e shingells a bought
 forty foot & so over y^e top of my house & further
 I saw all — Except y^e Spring following
 the same cow was found dead on y^e Comon not mired nor cast.
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 milking his cows at night and turning into a gray cat