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CHAPTER I.

THE CLAN.

“WELL, I never! What will them impusses be up to next?”

It was Miss Letitia, the village storekeeper, who spoke, peering from between the gingerbread men who were poised on the sashes of her little shop-window. The “imps” or “impusses,” as Miss Letitia called them, were five of the six boys who were nearly always together, and whose performances were the amusement and occasionally the dismay of the village.

The “Six Boys” they were always called, though one of the number was a girl; and every one knew just who were meant, though there were many other boys in Little Wisdom. They were, —

- PERCY COFFIN,
 - “BRICKTOP” HEYWOOD,
 - “RIGGERS” DA SILVA,
 - “HUNX”
 - “TRIX”
 - LITTLE JACK
- } HUNTINGTON.