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The Black Calf smiled a funny little smile. “They are fighting,” said she, “to see which one shall stand in the cubby with me and chew his cud.”

The Jersey Calf was a shrewd young fellow of very good family. “Perhaps,” said he, “I ought to stay and guard the place until it is decided who shall have it.”

“I wish you would,” said she.

And that was how it happened that the two Calves who lost their tempers had a cross, tiresome, and uncomfortable day, while another had the very corner which they wanted. When night came, they grumbled because the Jersey Calf had come out ahead of them, and they thought it very strange. But it was not strange, for the people who are quiet and good-natured always come out ahead in the end. And the people who are so very sure that it is easy to be good when they really want to, are just the very ones who sometimes do not want to when they should.

The Black Calf was right. The only way to be sensible and happy is to try and try and try, and it does pay.

THE END

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