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(B1) Punctuate the following text, where necessary.

A quaker was, one day, walking on country road. He was walking suddenly met by a highway man pointing a pistol. The man exclaimed, "your money or your life!"

"My friend," said the quaker, "I cannot deliver my money?" for I should be helping ~~thee~~ in ~~stealing~~. ^Hhowever, exchange is lawful, and I will give thee my purse for the pistol." The robber agreed. On receiving the purse, the quaker ~~did~~ once held the pistol at the robber's head and said, "Now, friend, my purpose back at the weapon may go off. ^{"fire"}" Said the quaker, "There is no powder in the pistol."

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