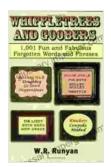
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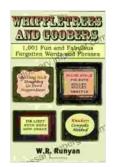
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- Whiffetree: A crossbar attached to a harness that equalizes the pull of a team of horses or oxen.
- Goober: A peanut.
- Flibbertigibbet: A silly or frivolous person.
- Shenanigans: Mischievous or playful behavior.
- Bamboozle: To deceive or trick someone.
- Awful: Originally meant "full of awe" or "inspiring reverence." Over time, it came to mean "very bad" or "terrible."
- Nice: Originally meant "foolish" or "stupid." In the 17th century, it began to take on its modern meaning of "pleasant" or "agreeable."

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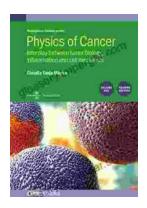


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