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BY HOWARD FIELDING

at the close of which the coroner came forward and said:

Suddenly he half arose from his chair, and then fell back. He did not cry out, but only uttered a faint sound like a sigh, but rather of contemporal than one.

"Yes; I was just passing the door."

letter. It isn't stamped, I perceive."

You were watching him?"

Holman Brand. "Yes," responded Harold.

'Look!" he cried.

that letter is the murderess.

"Do you know its contents?"

'Perhaps we would better read it."

He put his arm about the neck of the

letter or his deak."

That's strange; I saw the stamp in his

"I was waiting until he finished with his ster. I had something to say to him."

the stamp from?" said Preble, taking one

It was addressed in a feminine hand to

"Why? What bearing can it have on the

"I will show you. If my theory is correct plays a considerable part in this tragedy."

care nothing for myself, but my mother

have believed at the time of that marriage, surely you will not let her die in this way, when so small a part of your vast wealth

"I know nothing about it," said Harold.

suggest that you open it."

such a case it is necessary, I suppose

to the detective. "The writing at the changes. It is harried and nervous."

with his hands, very gently forced the

And this was the letter which he took

hand. I remember that he took it out of

rather of contentment than pa

"Did you hear anyone?"

office for a moment.

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bie. I had not seen his face before and had not recognized his figure in the single glance which I had cost upon it. He had a wonderful gift of making himself inconspictous, as I had previously remarked. CHAPTER I. THE JOY OF DEATH. By the accident of my-presence in the New Holland hotel at the indirect when Holman Brand, the broker, met his strange fate, and door, and there was a whispered conference, by my sequaintance with the detective in the case. I obtained a knowledge of it which should enable me to add something of incase. I obtained a knowledge of it which terest to the accounts already published.

Mr. Brand it will be remembered, was of the firm of Brand & Avery, with offices on Pine street, near Broadway. When the New Holland was opened, a little more than a year ago, the firm established a branch office there with an entrance from avenue and another from the main hall of the hotel. I was passing through the hall when the outery consequent upon the sudden death of

Mr. Brand rose discordant above the blending voices of the great house and the busy street. There were some hundreds of people within sound of that cry, and all of them, I venture to say, stood still, as I did, arrested in their various pursuits by the transcending interest of death. For there was that in the slarm which meant death, and no one could Immediately a boy with a seared face

rushed out of the broker's office into the hall. Catching sight of an elderly gentleman who chanced to be directly before the door, the boy cried out: "You're Dr. Bell, ain't you? They sent me to find a doctor."

"I am Dr. Bell," was the reply. "What's "Mr. Brand's dropped dead," replied the

oy. "I saw him do it." Horror at the occurrence and pride in his share of it seemed to be contending in the outh's mind. I have observed the same phemenon in many persons of mature years, acluding myself. We think better of our



"They sent me to find a doctor."

selves when calamity takes us into her con fidence. Indeed, I have seen a man saved from suicide by the new interest in himself

distressing catastrophe.
Dr. Bell ran into the broker's office, and I, being conveniently near him, followed close upon his heels. Otherwise I should not have got in, for a policeman who had en-tered from the avenue immediately closed the door communicating with the hotel and de-nied admittance to all save those who could give a better reason for desiring it than idle ity-as I could not. A tall young man had just locked the

street door, and was then engaged in pulling up the shades. Almost the whole of the front of the office was glass, and already here were a hundred people looking in. There were not more than half a dezen persons in the office besides those who have en mentioned. Two of them were evidently employes Another I recognized as Harold Brand, nephew of the broker, and his assistant in the management of the office. The

ant in the management of the office. The others seemed to be players of the stock be continued reading. "I enclose stamp for game. stood hauide a chair in which sat Holman Brand in an attitude so natural that I could not believe him to be dead. His You dare not, for shame's sake, refuse to handsome face, framed in abundant gray answer me, though it be that we can expect hair, showed not a trace of pain. On the con-trary, its expression was eloquent of happi-He was as one transfigured. the moment when his soul put off its earthly

vesture thus and not otherwise should the mortal part have echoed the rapture of the Dr. Bell had hurried to the dead man's side, but after a few seconds spent in the ordinary tests he had stepped back. When I turned to him I found him gazing upon the crose with an interest equal to my own

a different nature. It was a scientific exeriment to him. The impressive silence was broken at last follows by Harold Brand, who asked if there was

The impressive silence was broken at last of Harold Brand, who asked if there was by hope.

"None whatever," replied the physician: He is quite beyond recall."

"It was terribly sudden," said the young to Mr. Edward Morton of Cornwall, one of the best of my friends. You will have seen "I have a very distinct idea," said Dr. Bell:
"but it will be hard to get legal proof of plained—so far as any one of plained—so far as any one of the best of my friends. You will have seen him before you get this, and will have found out for yourself that I could have sent no better man to you. He has doubtless explained—so far as any one of the plained—so far as any one of the plained pla man, with a shudder. "Have you any idea what was the cause?"

'Great heavens! Do you suspect-"Poison," said the doctor, gravely. "There every indication of it."
"Impossible!" exclaimed Harold Brand. must be mistaken." 'Did you see your uncle eat or drink anything just before he was stricken?"

"I remember that he drank a glass of There was the ordinary water-cooler in orner of the office. Dr. Ball walked up to it and smelled the glass which stood beside it. "I can detect nothing here," he said. "However, the glass should be saved for examination."

"Leave it there," said the policeman. "I'll see that it isn't disturbed. I think Coroner Robertson will be here in a few minutes. He has been notified, and he lives near."

There was a pause, and then at Dr. Bell's

request Harold Brand related the circum He had been in the office about an hour, and had dictated some letters. Then he had written one. It lay scaled before him on his desk. I glapced at it, and read the address:

MARGARET BRAND Dr. Bell also glanced at it.
"A relative, of course," he said.
"I never heard of hig.", replied Harold.
At this moment the gorener arrived. The
tall young man whom I have mentioned as having locked the street door and pulled up the curtain admitted Dr. Rob-ertson. Then he turned and to my great

surprise I saw that he was Horace Pre-Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. Picher's Castoria. Children Cry for

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BACKSMITH SOUTH OMAHA NEWS

McCarty went down to Lincoln to see the governor, and the result was that Sheriff John Drexel was ordered here to investigate the alleged assault. In all the talk and correspondence Vic McCarty's side of the case Two of the gentiemen present protested against detention, but on being assured that the time would be very brief they yielded and walked toward the room designated by the coroner. Meanwhile I had made my way to Preble's side, and had hurriedly begged him to save me from the time to a Bee man yesterday: "There were four of us coming into South Omaha in a rig when we run against the Dawson gang camped street.

The blacksmith called at the police station the other day and exhibited a choice collection of cuts and bruises about his face. to a Bee man yesterday: "There were four knock himself down and pound his head into hurriedly begged him to save me from the loss of so interesting a spectacle as the preliminary investigation of this remarkable case was sure to be.

"Certainly" he seed to be a few control of the seed of the control of the c ase was sure to be.

"Certainly," he said, in a voice audible of the coroner; "there is no objection to our remaining."

Turning to Howard Brand, he asked for urther details of the broker's death.

"He had just called to Walter" said four hours we ware turned leave as no comfurther details of the broker's death.
"He had just called to Walter," said four hours we were turned loose, as no com Brand, referring to the boy who had run plaint had been filed, the authorities having out in the hall of the hotel, as I have described. "He told him to mail a letter," I went down and made up with the Dawsons and they moved their camp down to my place, where they stopped for five or six weeks. It was while at my place that Dawson's daughter and Burke were married. When the outfit wanted to go to Alliance I procured \$19.50 worth of transportation, believe within them.

"No, it was some one else. Was it you?"
"Perhaps I did. You see, I ran to his McCarly's statement, as was the report made by Sheriff Drexel to Governor Holcomb, When the prisoners were discharged from police side and lifted his hand. It fell back life-less. Then I think I crief out in terror, But I had forgotten. This terrible affair ourt the complainants were directed to go to Papillion and swear out warrants, as the drunken fight had occurred in Sarpy county. has negriy driven me out of my senses. For instance, I have not even asked who you Instead of doing this the Dawsons went to the McCarty homestead to live for awhile. are, and by what right you question me?"
"I am a detective, at present in charge of the case," replied Preble. "Now about that

Chief Smith Declares Himself. Fire Chief Fred Smith wants an ordinance passed through the city council providing for the monthly inspection by the fire department of all cellars and area ways in the business part of town. There are any num-ber of business blocks, grocery stores, drug stores, etc., where all of the old boxes and other rubbish is either dumped into the cellar or into the area way. A spark from a eigar stump, eigarette or a lighted match thrown through a grating would start a big fire. Chief Smith has several times otified some of the offending parties to clean up, but no attention has been paid to the

Magie City Gossip. Tonight the South Omaha Cycling club will make a run to Forence.

around town for a couple of days, and quite a number of people are looking rather un-We all pressed forward; and we saw, upon the tip of the dead man's tongue, one of the large postage stamps of the Celumbian pateasy. The Royal Neighbors of America will give

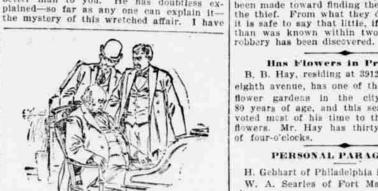
pedigreed St. Bernard pup from the Shillen-berger kennels at Alma, Neb. The pup is "Holman Brand: Why do you not answer a fine one and will be entered at the com my letters? I have written three and you have not answered them. We are destitute. line of poles on Twenty-fourth street shom your brother married in affluence and from Q to A streets, a distance of two miles has left in beggary—is dying for want of proper nourishment and the medicines which her Uness demands. Whatever you may

company to go to this expense.

to Search for the Missing Package. The money package, containing \$6,000 in currency, which was supposed to have been stolen from the Pacific Express company of the office on July 10, still remains a missing quantity despite the fact that ever since the quantity despite the fact that ever since the His friend, J. W. Eller, has been retained to stolen from the Pacific Express company's Union Pacific officials of Renshaw's attempt discovered which tends to cast suspicion or two or three different men in the employ of the company, but nothing positive has been found to implicate any one of them. More over, not a trace of the lost money, the prin

"Can it be possible," the coroner con-tinued, "that so good a man as I know your uncle to have been allowed his brother's widow and her child to suffer like this?" One of the suspected persons is the driver who is supposed to have brought the package to the express office. His name is Bescley and he lives at Twenty-ninth and Dodge "He never mentioned them to me."
"That letter," said Preble, pointing to the one which the broker had written, "will be with the broker had written. "will be with the broker had written." streets. Yesterday morning Detective Byrn of Buffalo, a detective of the United States probably enlighten us on that point. I would Express company, the company on which the "I hesitate to do that," responded the oung man. "It is addressed to her. Yet in loss will fall, and who has been working on the case ever since the money was missed, caused a search warrant for Beseley's prem-He tore open the envelope, and read as ises to be issued out of Justice Bartlett's court. The detective was accompanied by a number of officers to Bessley's house. The occupants walved service and the premises were at once searched. The house was thor-oughly ransacked, the outbuildings were ex-amined and a quantity of ground was dug

The express officials refuse to make a state ment about the robbery, the progress that has been made toward finding the lost package or the thief. From what they do say, however, t is safe to say that little, if anything, more han was known within two days after the



"He is quite beyond recall." never received your letters. I did not know where you were. My last information was that you and your mother were in England and comfortably provided for. I have tried to find you, but vainly. If I could have done so you both would have had a home with me. I am childless and alone, and you would have been a thousand times welcome. So far from cherishing the old resentment, I have long repeated of my behavior in record. have long repented of my behavior in regard to my brother's marriage. If there is to be forgiveness it must come from your mother,

not from me. "The money which I think you grip tightly will be yours and hers some day. For years, while I have prosecuted my fruitess search for you, my will has named you or the bulk of my fortune. But all these matters may be left until we meet. You will wonder why I have not come to you myself. There are excellent reasons, which wisses Becton and Jenuings of Water Valley.T. Children Cry for you shall soon know. My friend will bring you to me—you and your mother—as soon as she can be moved. I walt with impatience Ruston and M. Z. Webb of Clinton. They are to hear when that will be. It is not that I enroute home from Denver.
will make a home for you, but that you will make my desolate house a home for me, by H. C. Russell, Lincoln; H. C. Enos, Philadel-

> ner. "Can it be that this unhappy girl had learned about the will, and had sent poison to the man who would have done so much for her? What do you find the world." What do you find the world. The world have done in the world have or her? What do you find there, doctor?" This last question was addressed to Dr. Bell, who, during the reading of the letter, had not been idle. Assisted by Preble, he had removed the stamp from the mouth of the murdored man, and had placed it upon a sheet of paper. Then he had made a second and much more carried examination of the Ulcorn, Grant, In. and much more careful examination of the

'There is but one point so far," he replied Edwards, Lincoln. to the coroner's question. "The stamp ex-hales a faint perfume—a most unusual odor. about the lips of the dead man."

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Interest in the McCarty-Dawson incident, which was noted in the papers some weeks ago, has been revived by the British minister at Washington writing to the governor of this state, asking for further details of the

cago complained to Governor Helcomb, Vic-

Sides giving them \$20 in cash. I think they want to bleed us out of a little money, but they will not get any more out of me." The report of Chief Brennan was similar to

"I think you must have heard the boy. He was frightened, of course."

notice, and now Smith wants an ordinance passed providing for a penalty in case the notice of the fire chief is disregarded.

A Pinkerton detective has been loafing

an ice cream social Fridsy evening at the residence of Mrs. Frank Hobbeck, Twenty-"Poisoned!" exclaimed the coroner. "That should make the case clear. The writer of first and K streets. C. C. Stanley has just purchased a fine He took the letter from the envelope, and read aloud, as follows:

> The electric light company has completed the large number of people wanting incon-descent lights in their houses caused the

THEY CAN'T LOCATE THE MONEY

would save her."

At this point the coroner paused.

"The remainder of the letter was evidently added at a later period," said he, showing it to the detective. "The writing at this point a reply. Can you believe me that this stamp what such poverty as that means? nothing from you.' It is signed 'Margaret

over, but not a trace of the package was dis

Has Flowers in Profusion. B. B. Hay, residing at 3912 North Twenty eighth avenue, has one of the most beautiful flower gardens in the city. Mr. Hay is 80 years of age, and this season he has de-voted most of his time to the cultivation of flowers. Mr. Hay has thirty-seven varieties PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

at the Merchants.

latest eastern arrivals.

a few days in Omaha.

H. Gebhart of Philadelphia is in town. W. A. Searles of Fort Madison is in the Mr. Ed Perry is registered at the Barker

from Chicago. Mr. Ry Henney of Fremont is registered it the Barker. Dr. J. Munson of Maquoketa is among the George W. Aiken of New York is registered

 A. J. Bates is registered at the Barker from Wymore, Neb. B. H. Stinson is registered at the Barker from Cheyenne, Wyo. W. H. Rush of Pittsburg is among the

William R. Cabill is registered at the Bar-ker from Kearney, Neb. C. E. Cust and John Brennan are tered from Arlington, Neb., at the Barker A party of school teachers from Mississippi

Joseph Murphy of San Francisco is spending

your presence. Till then, good-by. My love phia; H. P. Colegrove, Chicago; J. D. Niter, to both of you." "This is most extraordinary," said the coro- Fremont; J. Mendelson, Albany, Louis; L. B. Kelbowne, O. M. Clement, Chicago; L. M. Fitzhugh, Cincinnati; J. M. Buck, Holdrege; C. D. Rogers, Kansas City; R.

Nebraskans at the Hotels At the Midland: J. Mutray, E. T. Wright,

At the Paxton: F. L. Harris, Lincoln; Alred Hazlett and wife, Beatrice; Miss Emma

At the Merchants: W. R. Akers, Lincoln; F. J. Snyder, Wahoo; J. R. Hesley, Ogalalla; C. E. Casey, Pawase City; William Henry, Mead.

Slagle Discovers How Easy it is to Be Mistaken.

THOUGHT THAT HE HAD BEEN ASSAULTED

At the time when the vice consul at Chi- Evidence Showed that He Pounded His Own Pace and Then Pitched liimself Into the Street-Fire-

men's Funds Missing.

Matt Slagle, a Thirteenth street blackhas not been printed. Here it is, as given smith, is wondering what induced him to

> collection of cuts and bruises about his face and head which he claimed to have received at the hands of Tank Beyrot and Lou Beyers-He told how Beyrot had visited his shop and had refused to go when asked to do so. Slagle said he was afraid of Beyrot, who had threatened to whip him on former occasions. When Beyrot refused to leave the shop Slagle started after him. Beyrot refused to go and assaulted Slagle, knocked him down, choked him and tried to bite off an ear or two. Then, to make matters worse, Beyersdorf came in and held Slagle while Tank plugged him in the face until he got

> That was the story which Slagle told when he went after his warrant, and he repeated it yesterday when on the witness stand in the trial of Tank and Beyersdorf. But the story was not corroborated to any alarming extent. Slagle had three witnesses, and they all had a different version of the affair. The evidence offered was to the effect that Beyrot had started to leave the shop when Slagle told him to do so. Slagle tried to hurry him out, knocked him down and was doing him up brown when Beyersdorf rushed in, pulled Slagle from his victim and was himself chased from the place by Slagle, who had armed himself with a pair of red hot tongs and was anxious to clean out the neigh-

Judge Berka decided that the wrong man had been arrested and that Slagle was the fellow who had done all of the fighting worth taking into account.

MORE TROUBLE FOR RENSHAW. His Many Creditors Call Upon Him

nt the City Jail. Trouble is piling up for W. P. Renshaw, who was arrested Tuesday charged with having attempted to beat his board bill at the Victoria hotel. The proprietor of that hotel has a bill for \$12, and a grievance against Renshaw, who not only refused to pay the bill, but acted very insolent about the mat-

Another charge was made against Ren-shaw by a man who had loaned him a few dollars on the representation that Renshaw was a traveling sales-man, and was authorized to offer the complaining dealer a healthy discount on a bill f goods which he wanted. Yesterday William Butts, a Sixteenth

street saloon keeper, called at the station and ranted to know how he could get \$12 that a had given to Renshaw on a check which had been thrown out by the bank as worth-less. Mr. But's was allowed to have an interview with Renshaw and the prisoner have any money, but he would give Butts two Union Pacific passes, one from Omaha to Beatrice and the other from Omaha to Julesburg, in place of the check which the bank had so strangely refused to honor. passes were better than Renshaw's check to Butts and he agreed to settle his claim ac-cording to the offer. Renshaw asked the officers to give him the passes and he would scratch his name from them and substitute the name of Mr. Butts. Sergeant Ormsby and Jalier Marshall had overheard the propo-sition and called Renshaw down. Sergeant Ormsby refused to allow the passes to be changed in that manner and notified the

defend him. FUNDS NOT IN THE TREASURY.

Paid Firemen Looking for the Man Who Had the Cash. There is a shortage in the accounts of the Omaha Paid Firemen's Benevolent association, and Ed Hamsher, secretary of the association, is the only man who can make

good the shortage, and he won't.

There are eighty-eight members of the association, the object of which is to provide a sick and death benefit fund for members of the paid fire department. The dues are \$4 a year, and the association pays a death benefit of \$400 and a sick benefit of \$5 weekly. Hamsher, who has been a member of the fire department for about six years, has been secretary for the past year, and has been charged with the duty of collecting the dues from members of the association. Under the rules of the organization, the accounts of the secretary and treasurer shall be checked up by a committee the first of each year. At the beginning of the present year there was a row in the association over another matter, and the committee to do the checking was not appointed. Some time ago a call was made for a report from the secre-tary. Hamsher asked for further time in which to get his report ready. The request was granted, but before the time came for the report Hamsher had been dismissed from the service. The officers of the association then sought a report, and secured a partial one, which showed that Hamsher had collected more money than had been reported to the treasurer, Charley The shortage is now about \$175, and sher's books are in such shape that experts will be required to untangle them, sher is reported to have left the city.

association will meet this evening to decide upon further action in the case.

CAUGHT THE CURBSTONE.

Young Bicycle Rider Thrown and Seriously Injured. Last evening John Bell, an A. D. T. messenger boy, was severely hurt by being thrown from his wheel on the Tenth street viaduct. He was riding north on the incline between the atreet car tracks. Just before he arrived in front of Paxton & Gallagher's building a car approached from the south. In order to get out of the way he turned off the tracks, and just as he cleared them his wheel slipped and he was thrown. He struck the pavement and the curbstone with

the left side of his head and body and was rendered unconscious. A number of cierks who were on their way home and passing over the viaduct at the time noticed the accident and went to him into Paxton & Gallagher's office and ndered such assistance as they were able to give, and a dector was summoned. The njury sustained by the boy was a bad bruise on the left hip. He also had a bruise on the left side of his head and his right wrist was sprained. Bell was removed in the patrol wagon to his home at 2902 Decatur street.

Tomorrow evening the Young Men's Chris ian associations in the vicinity, consisting of he Omaha, the northwest branch, South Omaha and the Council Bluffs branches, will hold an informal conference on the lawn at the residence of A. P. Tukey, Tweaty-sixth and Chleago atreets. The general theme of the conference will be, "How to Win Men?" Rev. Dr. Byles of England will open the conference with a brief address of twelve minutes. He will be followed by many men who are prominent in the Young Men's Christian association, who will speak briefly and to the theme. The boards of directors and executive com-mittee of all these associations and branches

are expected to be present. Any member of the association who would like to at

tond will be very heartly welcomed. The invitation is extended generally. This con-ference is the first of a series which will

held in the open air and will come off in the next three months. The delicious fragrance, refreshing coolness and soft besaty imparted to the skin by Pozzoni's Powder, commends it to all ladies.