

The Second Bullet—By Robert Orr Chipperfield

Copyright, 1919, by Robert M. McBride & Co. THIS STARTS THE STORY A dinner party is being held at the home of Colonel and Mrs. Led-

AND HERE IT CONTINUES

WHEN she greeted her at the door. Perhaps in an unguarded instant of relief at her coming, Matilde had

investigator, and he's given us a lot of help; rounded up the usual counterfeiting gang, and got Van Vreken, the diamond thief.

"I haven't put him on a murder case before; wasn't one bit even for him. That's why you haven't run into him until now."

running out to me and told me there was trouble here. Her story was straight enough, but I couldn't get much out of that Frenchwoman, Mrs. Hartshorne's maid."

"He told of the finding of the body and, when he had concluded, the coroner prepared to depart."

not to disturb her until she rings, but that is ordinarily about 10, unless Madame is ill. Matilde's volubility had slackened and she spoke now almost haltingly.

"I'll have the body removed in an hour," the latter observed. "Let me see, today is Friday and I have the autopsy to perform; I'll call the in-

DAILY NOVELETTE NED'S IMAGINATION

By Alice Knight NED BARNES and his classmates were holding an indignation meeting, at which Ned seemed to have by far the greatest grievance.

THE BUSINESS DOCTOR

By HAROLD WHITEHEAD Author of "The Business Career of Peter Funt" and "Bruno Duke—Solver of Business Problems"

DREAMLAND ADVENTURES—By Daddy "FLYING FEATHERS"

(In previous adventures Peggy and Billy have befriended the King of the Wild Geese and his bride, the Beautiful Blue Goose. The King has promised to prepare a feast in the Northland and invite the children to it.)



THE wild geese were flying south. From the windward hilltop where Peggy lay looking out over the sparkling lake she could see three "V's" speeding past.

Settling down in the shallow water. Straight to the base of the hill flew the strangers, settling down in the shallow water at the edge of the lake with a great fluttering and honking.

the Beautiful Blue Goose have spent the summer seeking their lost children. "Children? Have they children?" asked Peggy in surprise.

IT WAS within the allotted ten minutes that a modest green runabout drew up at the curb behind the owner's sedan and the chief's impressive

QUESTIONS "That's the boy's name, Paul," the chief called from the head of the stairs, when Jenny had opened the door.

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DOROTHY DARNIT—And Now That Cat's Out of the Bag!



War Upsets Royal Romances

The Rumanian king, Ferdinand, is reported from Vienna, is seeking a wife for Crown Prince Charles from among the European princesses.