

A HAIRBREADTH.

"Hear ye! Hear ye! Hear ye! All persons having further business with this court and court of over and terminer will now draw near and give their attention to be heard!"

intense, active disposition, under circumstances so likely to inspire vengeance and hasty action, is not possible—may, probably—that a controversial remark, a satirical taunt, a smile, might have aroused the emotion of this man to his height, till engaged beyond control in the climax of his mental agitation he gave way to wrath and exhausted the force of his passion upon its object? It is true in this case. Exacted by the criticism which his fanatical opinions had elicited from the lips of De Land, the defendant fell upon him and succeeded either by the aid of a weapon or by brute force in overcoming his victim, and having rendered him incapable he calmly carried his inanimate body and deposited it in the water, where the swift current bore it away. In the name of right and humanity, the people of this state call upon you to punish this atrocious and terrible crime, the blood of an attorney, a man may be avenged. Their voice is the voice of a multitude, which arises like a mighty tumult and clamors that justice shall fit the crime, and that Lawrence Canell be made to suffer the full extent of the law for the murder of James de Land on the 29th day of June, 18—.

Several witnesses were called to testify to the previous good reputation of the accused. The defense closed. The address of the defendant's counsel was a magnificent effort. He employed the few resources available with the science of a master hand and aroused the admiration of his hearers, but it was his compassing the force of one who struggles for a lost cause arouses in the hearts of sympathizers, rather than the approbation which observers express to one who prosecutes a meritorious mission. And so while the defendant's counsel pleased the ears of the listeners the district attorney appealed to their judgment. The eloquence of the one was entertaining; the argument of the other was effective. The charge of the court was neutral and brief. The jury filed out amid oppressive silence. During the proceedings the prisoner had maintained the stolid indifference which characterized his demeanor at the first. He displayed now no evidence of anxiety, and when after 20 minutes had elapsed the 12 men came slowly back and took their places he showed no signs of even passing interest. The clerk of the court arose. "Gentlemen of the jury, have you agreed upon your verdict?" "We have," replied the foreman. "What say you, gentlemen, is the prisoner at the bar guilty or not guilty?" "Guilty." A murmur of applause came from the spectators. The prisoner smiled. Two men sat in the "smoker" of a train conversing over their cigars. "Speaking of adventures of that kind," remarked one, "reminds me of an experience I once had. I was once in an expert professional business to Kingston, and in order to reach that city from my home in the western part of the state I was obliged to change cars at a small town upon the line called Plymouth. Owing to delays I was compelled to remain overnight at the latter place. Having retired to my room I went immediately to the hotel, where I occupied a room jointly with a young fellow who smoked my cigars and talked anarchy. After going to bed I suddenly remembered that having made my toilet hastily before leaving home I had forgotten my pocket-knife. I had used all the change in my pocket in purchasing a ticket. This worried me. Finally, however, I fell asleep. Early the following morning I had a severe attack of nosebleed. I arose and after dressing left my room and went to the rear of the building, where was a stream of water. Here I washed my face, stopping the hemorrhage, although I lost my hat in doing so. It occurred to me that I would save myself considerable embarrassment by not returning to the hotel, as I had no money with which to settle my bill. So going directly to the station I awaited my train. I had used all the change in my pocket. Subsequently I inquired the amount of my bill at the hotel and forwarded it to the proprietor without explanation. I've often wondered how he regarded the maneuver. The speaker paused, attracted by the peculiar expression on his companion's face. "What is the matter with the man with you? You're paler than a ghost." The other's lips trembled a little. "Oh, nothing. You see, I am the district attorney for — county. A year ago I prosecuted and convicted a man for murdering my son. I'm on my way to his execution here. He was arrested on the 29th of June, and I looked at his watch—2 hours and 20 minutes. I—I am glad I met you, sir." —Jean La Rue Burnett in Romance.

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