

man comes along, and because he finds a bottle or two he seizes them,—that's bad enough,—but he fines the man that has them. It ain't reason—and it ain't fair—and here's the worst of it, Bill—he has no respect for God or man—he even found liquor in the magistrate's house, and made trouble!"

"He didn't!"

"He did — sure. If any place should have been safe, it was the magistrate's house. What's our institutions comin' to when a magistrate's