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dreams, that strange machine you call your head is full of weird and wonthey'll fill your treasury with dough; but morning shows

them flat and stale—I often wonder why 'tis so. At eve MLLUSIONS bet; you gaily quaff the flowing bowl, or dance the stately minuet; your joy's obtrusive and intense; but morning finds you full of woe; you'd sell yourself for twenty cents-I often wonder why 'tis so. At batter down opposing bars, and fight your way, and win the goal; but morninig passses you the ice, your visions fade, your spirit's low; you spend the long day shaking dice-I often wonder why 'tis so. At night you think of things sublime, and inspiration fills your heart; you think you'll write a

deathless rhyme, or cut a swath in realms of art; but morning finds you looking sick; you feel you haven't any show; you dig some bait and seek the creek-I often wonder why 'tis so. Walx Mason

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SACKVILLE, N. B., Aug. 11 — A meeting of the executive of the board of regents of Mt. Allison University was held this afternoon to consider the erection of Fawcett Memorial Hall. It was decided to build the hall on the site formerly occupied by the residence of the late Charles F. Allison, founder of Mt. Allison Institutions.

Some discussion arose as to the ad
SACKVILLE, N. B., Aug. 11 — A visability of utilizing Lingley hall, but it was decided not to do so. Lingley hall will probably be moved to a site near Science hall and be fitted up for class rooms for the university. Several tenders for erection of the new hall were received, but the contract was not awarded today, the whole matter being left in the hands of a committee with power to act.

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# 'WHY I POISONED DR. WILSON' TOLD BY HIS MURDERER

Strange Confession Sent to New York Newspaper by Man Who Tells Details of Plot in Famous Ale Poisoning Case.

On the night of June 26, 1908, Dr. William H. Wilson, a.Philadelphia physician, was 'mysteriously murdered. Somebody had sent Dr. Wilson a bottle of poisoned ale. He drank it and died.

For months the police of Philadelphia and other cities have been endeavoring to trace the bottle and lay their hands upon the person who sent it. More than a year has passed, and there is, apparently, no clue to the murderer. A few days ago the Philadelphia, "Memerican" came into possession of what purports to be the confession of the man who murdered Dr. Wilson. To one of the staff was sent a letter by a man who makers that he is the "executioner" of Dr. Wilson. Following the letter came an express package containing the confession and certain bits of evidence which the "executioner" of Dr. Wilson. Following the letter came an express package containing the confession and certain bits of evidence which the evidence included the type from which the blank in the decoy envelope was printed; the die with which the letter was stamped, and a duplicate of the decoy letter sent and aduplicate of the decoy letter sent and aduption of the safety of the bottle was sealed; the initial with which the letter was stamped, and aduplicate of the decoy letter sent and the possible to some rejected manuscript of the bottle. Not having suitable to some rejected manuscript of the bottle. Not having suitable to some rejected manuscript of the bottle. Not having suitable to some rejected manuscript of the bottle. Not having suitable to some rejected manuscript of the bottle. Not having suitable to some rejected manuscript of the bottle. Not having suitable t

top of the bottle was sealed; the initial with which the letter was stamped, and a duplicate of the decoy letter sent to the physician. All of these compare perfectly with the partial evidence now in the hands of the Philadelphia police. This remarkable confession is reprinted, in part, below.

wrong and that probably only one swallow would be taken, I ascertained by practice that the smallest swallow wrong and that probably only one swallow would be taken, I ascertained by practice that the smallest swallow a person would be likely to take is one drachm. Then fixing up the cyanide so that every drachm of the liquid would contain four grains of cyanide, which I believe Leffman considers the minimum fatal dose, I proceeded to experiment on this basis. Knowing that the sample bottle might not be used at once, I thought it would be a good thing to see what action the chemical had on the appearance of the beverage, either at once or in a week's time. To my considerable disappointment I found that it darkened the color very much and made a thick, cloudy precipitate. It also took absolutely all "fixz" away, I found, however, that by first adding about one-half water the chemical darkened it to about the right shade. I then allowed it to settle for some time and poured off the clear portion, One point in my plan that never sems to have been caught by the students of the case was my direct sems to have been caught by the students of the case was my direct to the coroner, and mailed the bottle be kept in a vertical position, This was because I was afraid that more precipitation might form and if this were poured into the glass it would be a good cause for suspicion, Anotter point was the direction to keep the ale cold. Many ale drinkers do not keep the lake cold. Many ale drinkers do not keep the lake cold. Many ale drinkers do not keep the lake cold. Many ale drinkers do not keep the lake cold. Many ale drinkers do not keep the lake cold. Many ale drinkers do not keep the lake cold. Many ale drinkers do not keep the lake cold. Many ale drinkers do not keep the lake cold. Many ale drinkers do not keep the clear portion in the guarded has a cold drink any movements were uneventful, spending and the policy of the color of the c do not keep their beverage very cool but I figured that in a cold drink any peculiarity of flavor would not be as

with the murder. The affairs was fast being pigeon-holed as another unsolved mystery of crime, when another letter was received by the Associated Press of Philadelphia. It had been written on the same typewriter as had been those sent to the coroner, and contained an offer to sell the full confession for the benefit of the six-year-old daughter of Dr. Wilson, Vera. The letter purported to be from the murderer of the physician, and provided a code for communication.

The Associated Press put the matter before the Philadelphia police, who, counselling secrecy, laid plans to capture the writer. He was communicated with regularly through the medium—an afternoon paper—he had suggested.

Negotiations progressed and then the police thought it time to spring their trap. This was baited by a decoy letter, they thinking innocently that the murderer would walk into the post of-fice at Philadelphia, call for it, and be

THE DELIVERY OF THE PACK
AGE.

It happened that during the height of the interest in the case that Miss Ada Patterson, a member of the staff of the Philadelphia American newsting a suitable box to enclose my paper, wrote an article upon malpracagent of retribution, but without success, so that I had finally to knock attracted the "executioner's" atten-

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THE PRISONER'S CONFESSION.
"Dr." William H. Wilson, professional murderer of the innocent, was executed by me June 28th, 1908.
This is the first correct and full statement of the history of "Dr." Wilson's execution, and I write the following details as an explanation and vindication of my act. I destroyed the Milson, and I have no regrets. Read, and you will understand.
Wilson, and I have no regrets. Read, and you will understand.
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Owing principally to some unpleasant but not serious financial reverses I had sustained, she was unwilling to again become a mother. A woman neighbor in whom she had confied introduced Wilson to her. He persuade her, as I understand it, to become his patient.

My sorrow did not drive me to a frenzy, but to something deeper and more intense. It was like grief without the provided introduced Wilson to her. He persuade her, as I understand it, to become his patient.

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AN INNOCENT ACCOMPAGE.

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PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 10.—Roger O'Mara has returned to Pittsburg and readily noticed.

The reason I wrote that the ale would not be on the market until July was because he might chance to speak of the sample to some dealer, who would naturally tell him that there

will live in the future for his mother. Harry Thaw is a 'safe sane' man."

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be discovered in the rough reproductions made in the newspapers. I have reason tobelieve that the Philadelphia police would like to get hold of every bit of evidence and smother it.

"Now this event closes for me a year of extraordinary events. My grief has been more than words can wield the matter—a grief 'that makes breath poor and speech unable.'

"My actions do not cause me one moment's regret, but I shall feel relieved to have out of my house forever evidence which, in the case of my sudden death, might bring sorrow to those I love."

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Rev. Angus Graham of St. David's Presbyterian church was then called upon, and made a very warm address, in which he spoke of the people of all colors as being born of the same blood, consequently they were all brothers.

His lordship then briefly addressed the assmbly. He spoke highly of the



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