

The fatal day came however, the sun got up at its scheduled time, the early trains come dashing in (the introduction of railways into C. is very recent) bringing in the mail bags messages from friends and creditors. One innocent envelope contained the fatal missive that drove him head first to a wet and untimely end.—It was from the publisher of the C. B. J. (China Bee Journal) and it read this way, "You must pay for your Journal for bylaw any man who accepts a paper or periodical must pay for it. Send the money at once or take the consequences."

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"Let us draw the mantle of charity over his memory and conclude that his tender conscience goaded him to the frenzied act," said the Editor, but I wish he had proved the genuineness of his remorse by sending the publisher the \$1 due before he went down. What say you? This is

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