

Literature.

MARRYING A MILLIONAIRE.

Maimie Wrottesley dreaded the interview, yet she would not have foregone it. Even to hear from Ralph's lips what she knew she was going to hear was—well, a pleasure. But it was dangerous.

Ralph, dismally. "We must thank Heaven for the inventions of telegraphy. You wish no expenses spared?" "Up to a few hundred, you know," replied Ralph.

and thanks quite as much to the man (who has a mighty fine gun) as to Ferguson as to your hundreds. "Rayton, everything's clear. The wife herself and her eldest boy are at Euston. She has the certificate, and the lad's face tells its own tale. Oh, it's just a beautiful bit of piecing throughout, and all we have to do is to fix up the rogue about supper time."

the man then got drinking and a quarrel ensued. One woman took an axe and cut the head off the other and put it in a trunk. We arrested her. We had no evidence against the man, except what she could give. Consequently he was acquitted. I believe if we had been able to obtain evidence against him, he would likewise have been sentenced to be hanged, and no doubt the two would have been hanged the next morning. That very morning, at the very time the woman would have been hanged, he was drowned at the Grand Trunk basin. The woman was sent to penitentiary for life.

Another case I may mention is that of a man, his wife and family. The parents were notorious drunkards and they had several children. They were so poor that the corporation cut off their water. It was very cold weather at this time of which I am speaking. They got drunk one day and began to quarrel, and scattered their clothes and other things over the floor. Two children, I believe their ages were three and five, were found in the

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