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**BUT BROTHER HAD ALREADY PUNCHED MR. NEWLYWED.**

**Not Knowing of Couple's Marriage, Bride's Brother Finds Pair in Home of Another Sister and Trouble Begins.**

Salem, Ark.—Torn from his bride's arms by her brother, who did not know they had been secretly married, and severely beaten before he could explain, Frederick Bingham, a young business man of this place, had to resort to heroic measures to save his life. Late at night he was compelled to walk partly undressed to the home of the clergyman who had said the marriage ceremony.

While he made his rather unpleasant journey to get confirmation of his story of the wedding, the brother, Del Hall, trudged along at his heels with a revolver ready for instant use.

For some time Miss May Hall and young Bingham had been sweethearts. Objections of the girl's parents prevented a wedding until the pair decided they would be married secretly. Miss Hall took a married sister into her confidence and the minister who officiated was bound to secrecy.

Several days ago the married sister went away from her home. Before starting she suggested that Mrs. Bingham might keep house for her. The girl was packing some clothing to go when her mother entered the room and asked her what she was doing.

"Oh, Fred and I are going out to sister's until she comes back," the girl said, absent-mindedly.

She realized the slip of the tongue at the look of horror upon her mother's face. But it was too late then, so there was nothing for her to do but 'fess up. There were tears and reproofs and finally forgiveness, and then the bride and her husband start away for a little while.

In the meantime the sister's husband had met Del Hall and had told him that he and his wife were going away for a little while.

"If you don't mind, Del," he said, "you might run up to the house and sleep there so you can look after things."

"Why, certainly, I'll be glad to," the editor's son replied.

Del was detained downtown later than he expected. By the time he reached the sister's home Mr. and Mrs. Bingham were preparing to retire. The young man noticed a light and he slipped quietly into the house to find out what was going on in the absence of the owners.

When Del saw his sister and Bingham he did not wait to ask for explanations. He seized the girl and threw her into another room. Then he picked up a chair, started for Bingham and, knocked him down several times.

Leaving the bride behind them, the two men went to the preacher's home, Bingham but scantily attired and Hall carrying his revolver. The preacher readily confirmed the story of the secret wedding.

### MAN STUNG TO HIS DEATH

**Mosquitoes Attacked His Nude Body as It Lay in an Island Swamp.**

New Orleans.—The wreaking of terrible vengeance upon a foe is believed to have been the cause of the death of a white man whose body was found in the swamps of White Grass Island, in the Gulf of Mexico. The hands and feet were bound by cords to a stake driven into the earth. The man had been dead for over a week. Hunters say that in his nude condition he must have been stung to death within a few hours.

The police believe that the man was the victim of revenge. That part of the swamp where the body was found is alive with unusually large mosquitoes, and hunters who go there for ducks must muffle their faces and encase their hands in heavy mittens to protect themselves.

The authorities, convinced that the man was a victim of revenge, have set about trying to solve the mystery, and that, because of the exquisite torture and extreme cruelty to which the victim must have been subjected, there must have been a woman concerned in the mysterious death.

**Woman Mother of 12 at 27.**  
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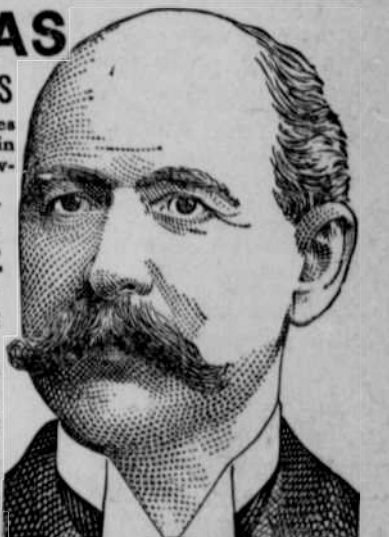
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