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searchere stopped into square entrance fover and resumed square entraine fover and resument their scripting the door of the coat closet, took his back and displayed a nickel his back where Martinelli had hung them. Except for a coat or two which were obviously Miss Lane's, which was thrust thru the trigger

what's that in the farther cor-ner, Dan?" asked the lawyer. In-spector Flaherty turned his search-light in the indicated direction.

plied. Again the searchlights were brought into play, and a small, dark spot on the Oriental rug which cov-ered the floor of the foyer was dis-

"Were the rugs disarranged when you came in?"

Frazier joined Michaelis and top twenty feet away, without distorted a minute later "That was Doctor Carrel on the phone," he said "Miss Lane will pull through the hele? Throw it with gloves on said "Miss Lane will pull through the page to there are no fingerprints on the same of the page to the hele?" Throw it with gloves on the page to the hele are no fingerprints on the same of the page to be headed by the mould have to be headed by

SEVENTH INSTALLMENT

SYNOPSIS: A card game is increasing a store covers many areas, reply.

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the has recovered consciousness and relieve hours of control says. So far she is pretty positive proof of other in pretty positive proof of other in criminating circumstances," class that 'appeared."

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Lifting the dress from the chart in spector. Flaherty, disclosed Miss of Archie Doane. "Then this whole Lane's purse, as plainly dropped wherever it channed to fall A quick glance disclosed that it contained now," said Inspector Flaherty, enonly some keys, a his discretification on the carried one make up contract and a fee delivery. on his face was grace and otern.

"Here's something which tangles of a the whole histories," he said facing Max Michaelis and Archi- Doane of the "Did you ever see the before, somethed Doane?"

guard, and on the end of the barre was the sinister cylinder of a Max

wred the horr of the layer was use closed.

"That knocks the burglar theory," said Inspector Flaherty. "A burglar might have killed him here, but he wouldn't have dragged him into the the morning now. I think we'll all be able to think clearer if we get some sleep and come at this prob-lem fresh. Probably it will prove to

cumstantial evidence than has ac cumulated around Archie sc far."

"Let me look at that gur please Dar," said Michaelis. The Inspec and the implement on a table and the lawyer focused the rays of an electric floor lamp upon it while the solutioned it from every angle.

"Look it over, Dan." he said, at

"Not a scrotch," the Inspector ad "Then the feat which you attri-bute to Archie--"

"I'm not attributing anything to Archie, Max," objected Flaherty. "I'm only hoping we can find an out' for him. Circumstances are

"What's that in the farther corner, Dan?" asked the lawyer. Inspector Flaherty turned his searchight in the indicated direction.
"Looks like a bullet hole to me," he said. "That's what it is!" he exclaimed, after a closer scrutiny. A moment's digging in the plaster with his penknife disclosed the bullet. "Another thirty-two," said the Inspector as he dug the missle out. "Where was this fired from, now?" He backed out of the closet, his eye on the bullet hole, which was about four and one-half feet above the floor.
"Bullet went in almost horizontally," he said. "That would be just about the height of Fliz's heart. Now, if he was standing out here.

"Your tenswer, Archie," commanded Max Michaelis, as Doane was about to speak, "Where did you get that, Dan?" "Tony found it at the bottom of the chimney," Inspector Flaherty replied. "It's a thirty-two, and two shots have been fired from it respector as he dug them missle out cently."

"Where was this fired from, now?" Max Michaelis smiled as he turn, about the bullet hole, which was about four and one-half feet above the floor.
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"Yes, I've seen that, or one just like it, before," said Doane. "It's which would take it directly the help in the chimney."

"Your for him. Circumstances are uttributing things to him, not me." with attributing things to him, not me." with attributing things to him, not me." with the smilled Michaelis. "It would be a wonderful feat of skill for anybody wor throw this gun into the chimney if the way it must have been thrown if the way it must have been thrown it striking that hole by accident, if it was Archie Doane who threw it; that's admitted. The chance of its triking that hole by accident, if it were merely thrown blindly, is about one in a million, for a rough it was Archie Doane who threw his gun into the chimney if it was Archie Doane who threw his gun into the chimney if it was Archie Doane who threw

row it this pistol nad been thrown from any distance, even a few feet, and had accidently tra-versed the only possible course thru the air which would take it directly into that hole in the chimney, what "Bullet went in aimus months tally," he said. "That would be just about the height of Fitz's heart. Now, if he was standing out here, right beside the telephone, facing it—

"Max, do you know what I think? I think Fitz was shot just as he was starting for the telephone. Someone who wanted to keep him from calling up. Shot out here, and carried into the other room."

"Looks reasonable," Michaelis admitted. "In that case, Dan, he would have fallen prone right here. Might look on the rug for blood."

"Are Inspector rewhat he said. "That would be just he the pistol I've been using the the mistol I've been using the the mistol or its twin the Highhart Studio, or its twin the Air which would take it directly into that hole in the chimney, what would have happened? Would it suddenly have altered its trajectory in the center of the flue, and from travelling horizontally, or nearly so, have changed to a vertical course downward? Is it possible, under the known laws of gravitation for a missile to take a sudden right angle downward? Is it possible, under the known laws of gravitation for a missile to take a sudden right angle downward? Is it possible, under the height and there aren't any fingerprints on it at all."

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had searched the courtyard only to find nothing, and then, acting on what he called a "hunch," had had the man show him the location of the clean-out door at the bottom of the chimney flue, and there, half the chimney flue, and there, half buried in soot and ashes, had distorted the pistol.

soot and ashes at the bottom.

"Now, let's see what that means.

Max Michaelis answered him. "I
this is the gun from which the bul lets were fired which killed Fitz and wounded Miss Lane," he said. "It

means that the murderer either dropped the pistol down the chimney early in the evening before there was any snow on the roof to mark his footsteps, or that he slipped down to the basement and planted the pistol at the bottom of the chimney after doing the shooting. murderer either sudden rage?"

chimney, after doing the shooting "Now, either of these assumptions lets Archie out. We know where h was until nearly eleven o'clock. Be-sides, we have the medical examin-er's word for it that Fitz had beer shot not more than an hour before

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"She could have get posses

of this revolver, would you say?"

"Yes, there is no doubt that she could. She is on friendly terms with leveryhedy at the studie and has the run of the place."

"Has the been at the studie time that the could be the place."

yon last saw this revolver Thursday, you said it was?" "Yes, Miss Lane plays opposite me in the film we are now making, and we were working until Friday

am sure."
"Was there any suggestion

time, of any animosity between Miss Lane and Adele?"
"No more than between Miss Lane and myself, so far as I know. The maid seemed devoted to her mis-

"Is she temperamental-Adele, Quick offended? The type that might do violent things under the stress of

"You were asking for an opinion, Max," Inspector Flaherty interrupted. "Lot him tell any facts that might have a bearing on your question."

tion."
"I yield to the police on a point of law," replied Michaelis, smiling.
"What about it, Archie?".

"She threatened to shoot Fitz, once, if he didn't stop pestering her" replied Doane. "You know how he was—with women. "He laughed it

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CLAIR'S PHARMACY

THE HOUSE OF HAZARDS By Mac Arthur









Voorhees H (Mrs. Raymond Church,

Aug. 2.—Mr. and M

Adams attended the Adams at Hornell, Thursday.

Mrs. Lytle Church and and Mrs. Raymond Chur Friday at the former's h Elkland, Pa., and also call and Mrs. Riley Miller Mr. and Mrs. Clair

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his birthday.

A barn belonging to was struck by lightning storm Thursday night also some hay and mac

Floyd Clarke met w conservation supervisors Friday, getting instruct begin checking farms August. Miss Lucille Clarke o

has been spending a fe Mrs. Charles Clarke. Miss Marion Mattiso ville visited her aunt an and Mrs. Cleon Clarke

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C. M. Crandall and Buffalo, Sunday.

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evening.
Mrs. R. A. Clarke meeting for the Hor Wellsville, Tuesday.