The IRON CLAW

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Hunted from THE PATHS OF THE SAME NAME

SYNOPSIS.

On Westward Island Pelham Jarrigan sees Gordon Gordon in compromising situation with Jessie Gordon, and Gordon, to escape the law, kills Jarrigan. Gordon and Morgan Gordon bribe daughter Jessie to marry Jarrigan's brother Ralph, who is Jarrigan's heir, and Jessie forges her father's name and takes bail for her father's benefit. Ralph Jarrigan is killed in a hunting accident. Jessie and Ralph had a quarrel between Ralph and one of Jessie's admirers, Lorne Kirkwood, the Laughing Mask. Morgan Gordon tries to make Jessie his mistress. Jessie shows Morgan Gordon a letter from Lorne Kirkwood, in which Lorne asks for the Laughing Mask's help in connection with the forged bail bond. Morgan Gordon tells Jessie that Lorne Kirkwood is the Laughing Mask. Jessie tells Morgan Gordon that Lorne Kirkwood is the Laughing Mask only to his accomplices. Jessie tells Lorne Kirkwood that Morgan Gordon knows that Lorne is the Laughing Mask. Lorne Kirkwood and Jessie Gordon go to Westward Island to see Jarrigan's brother Ralph, who is a Secret Service operative, Morgan's father-in-law, Judge Gordon, and Jessie's father, Gordon Gordon, to persuade Jarrigan into a promise of confession to the murder of Jarrigan. Jessie's father and Morgan Gordon are killed by an explosion in Jarrigan's cottage. Lorne and Jessie are married. Lorne and Jessie are found by Jarrigan's brother, Ralph, who is the Laughing Mask. Ralph and Jessie Gordon Jarrigan go to Westward Island to see Jarrigan. Ralph says a trap for the Laughing Mask will be set that night. Jarrigan says he will meet Ralph at the Yacht Club. The police attempt to kill the Laughing Mask, but he escapes. Jessie and Lorne Kirkwood, Morgan and her friends from Lorne's yacht, go to the Yacht Club to see what happens to Jarrigan. Jarrigan's brother, Ralph, is found murdered. Jarrigan's brother, Ralph, is found murdered. Jarrigan's brother, Ralph, is found murdered