

BACK FOR MORE? MORE MYSTERY... CHILLS... AND THRILLS? I WON'T DISAPPOINT YOU! OUT OF MY FILES IN THE SUBCELLAR DUNGEON OF HOUSE OF MYSTERY COMES THIS NERVE-JANGLING TALE OF FANTASTIC BUT TRUE PARADOX, CALLED...

**Cain's**  
**TRUE**  
**CASE FILES**

The man who  
**MURDERED**  
**HIMSELF!**

IT GOES BACK TO 1882 WHEN VICTOR WARFIELD AND HIS WIFE MOVED INTO AN OLD MANSION IN THE COUNTRY... A MANSION WITH A MYSTERY HANGING OVER IT!

ACCORDING TO OLD RECORDS, THIS HOUSE WAS BUILT BY ANDREW DARWOOD! BUT AFTER THE PLACE WAS TAKEN OVER BY ANTON DICKERSON, DARWOOD SIMPLY VANISHED!



THERE NEVER WAS A BURIAL FOR ANDREW DARWOOD AND HE WAS LISTED AS MISSING! HIS HOUSE WENT TO ANTON DICKERSON CHEAPLY, FOR TAX MONEY! I WONDER... DID DICKERSON MURDER DARWOOD?



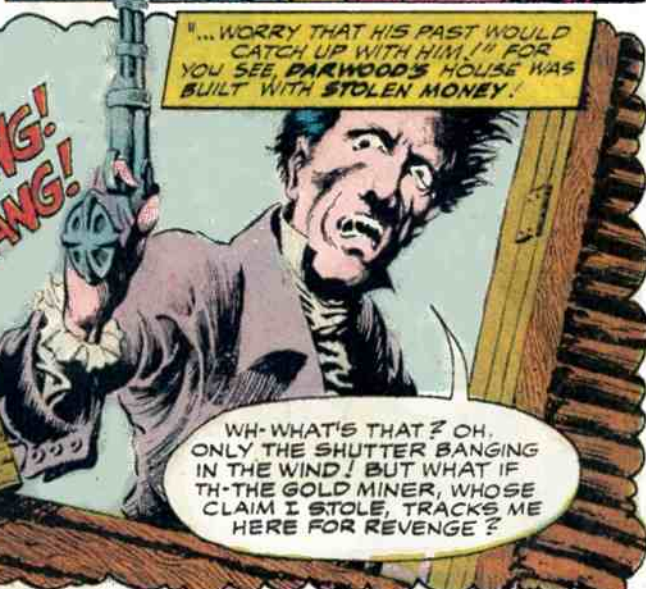
NONSENSE, MY DEAR, PURE IMAGINATION!

BUT THE SAME INITIALS FOR THE TWO MEN! SOMETHING SINISTER WENT ON, I'M SURE!



PHSAW, SIR! AS YOU CAN SEE I'M SOLID! IT'S A CHILLY NIGHT! NOW, WOULD YOU LIKE TO HEAR THE STORY OF THIS HOUSE?

EH?...UH... WHO ARE YOU? HOW DID YOU GET IN? ARE YOU A GH-GHOST?



"...WORRY THAT HIS PAST WOULD CATCH UP WITH HIM!" FOR YOU SEE, DARWOOD'S HOUSE WAS BUILT WITH STOLEN MONEY!

**BANG!  
BANG!**

WH-WHAT'S THAT? OH, ONLY THE SHUTTER BANGING IN THE WIND! BUT WHAT IF TH-THE GOLD MINER, WHOSE CLAIM I STOLE, TRACKS ME HERE FOR REVENGE?



YES! YES! PLEASE GO ON!

AFTER ANDREW DARWOOD BUILT THIS HOUSE, HE BEGAN TO WORRY...



AND ONE NIGHT, HIS PREMONITION CAME TRUE!

THAT'S THE END OF ANDREW DARWOOD!



SHUDDERINGLY, WARFIELD INTERRUPTED THE STRANGER'S STORY...

THEN HE WAS TRAILED AND MURDERED BY THE VENGEFUL GOLD MINER?

NO, **NOT** BY HIM! WHAT HAPPENED THAT NIGHT WAS THIS...



I GREW A WHITE MUSTACHE AND BLEACHED MY HAIR WHITE!

THAT'S THE END OF ANDREW DARWOOD... BECAUSE FROM NOW ON I'M ANTON DICKERSON!



WARFIELD WAS STUNNED BY THIS AMAZING REVELATION...

I SEE! DARWOOD MERELY CHANGED HIS APPEARANCE AND NAME, TO AVOID BEING HUNTED DOWN BY THE GOLD MINER HE BETRAYED! BUT HOW DO YOU KNOW ALL THIS?

WELL, YOU SEE...

... I AM ANTON DICKERSON...

GASP!



THE MAN WHO MURDERED HIMSELF!

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OR YOU MIGHT CALL HIM THE GHOST WHO FINGERED HIMSELF! AND SO... OOPS!... I CLOSED MY CASE BOOK TOO HASTILY... HEH! HEH!

WELL, SEE YOU NEXT TIME WITH ANOTHER SOUL-SHAKING, MIND-NUMBING STORY OF MYSTERY, BUT ALL THE MORE EERIE BECAUSE IT'S TRUE!

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