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STORY OF AN OLD FRONTIER FEUD.
 A Gang of Rustlers Wiped Out to Avenge a Range Rider's Murder.
 E. F. Beckwith, of Uta, Colo., has sought entertainment in the Northern States. As he stalked through the lobby to the desk the attention of every man in the place was centered upon him. There was that rolling, athletic, muscular physique that at once proclaimed the sailor or the man who has spent his life in the saddle. Mr. Beckwith, who is a superbly proportioned man of 6 feet 2 inches, wore a natty gray frock suit, dim colored soulero and a pair of patent leather shoes with high heels—heels such as cowboys wear. It might be incidentally stated that E. F. Beckwith, as he is known throughout the west, is a partner in the firm of Beckwith Bros., cattlemen, and among the wealthiest in that line in the world.
 About three miles from Uta is his ranch house, a bungalow painted white, with sixteen foot verandas on all sides. The bungalow is set on a high bluff, and the view, once, the only thing American being a range and a bathroom. For the last decade Mr. Beckwith has employed his winters traveling in the north, and he has picked up curios and articles of vertu. These have been shipped home, and as a result his house looks more like a museum than a residence. Although he has a larder, and his house is a sylvan, and the incognitry of an Egyptian mummy loomed under an electric light rather amuses him. He it is known that no woman save his sister-in-law has ever set foot in the charming place he calls "the ranch."
 Several years ago there was a gang of rustlers known as the McCoy gang, the trail Colorado that robbed the cattlemen right and left. So bold did they become that tenderloin steaks were sold in Colorado in the name of McCoy. The McCoy gang, one of the worst desperadoes ever untraced, is now "doing life" at Canon City.
 But for Beckwith's story, "It was in October of 1888," began he, "that I found Fred Arnold dead on Texas creek. Arnold was one of our riders, you know. There was a big hole in his breast, and his legs were riddled with Winchester bullets. Both of his legs were in his belt. I knew that Arnold was a quick man with a gun and that he must have been ambushed. As a matter of fact he rode the western range because we knew him to be a fighter and able to take care of himself in any trouble he might have with the McCoy gang."
 "A quick search showed tracks of a couple of men and horses behind the willows on the other side of the creek. The trail of one of the men revealed that he had dragged his left leg a trifle. That meant Dick McCoy sure. After following the trail of the horse for five miles, and seeing that it pointed to the McCoy ranch, I turned back and picked poor Arnold up and took him to the ranch. The verdict of the coroner's jury was 'Murdered by persons unknown.' It's the regulation form, but it didn't suit us. So we called a meeting of the cattlemen and talked it over. "In the early morning two days later sixteen men rode through the gulch that ended at McCoy's place. There wasn't any shelter, and we had to ride for it. In the crowd we saw several men killing rustled cattle. On the fence were half a dozen lubes with the brands cut out. The sight made us crazy, and with a yell we dashed forward. The rustlers got into a line and two of our men dropped out of their saddles. One was killed, the other shot through the shoulder. We got six of the seven. The rustler who was left was whom I winged as he was trying to hide behind a cow. The rustlers in the ranch skipped out when they saw how it was going. Reg. Leg Smith and a couple of his boys who got away are now doing time at Can you City for robbing a Denver and Rio Grande express train.
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He Had Already Registered.
 Mr. Smith, an English traveler, arrived one evening at a hotel in Austria. On the way he had picked up a smart German and hired him as his servant. In Austria every one staying at a hotel is obliged to register his name and occupation in a book which is kept for police examination, so Mr. Smith told his servant Fritz to bring this book for him to write his name.
 "I have already registered, m'lord," said Fritz, "as an English gentleman of independent means."
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 "I copied it from m'lord's portmanteau," answered Fritz.
 "Why, it isn't on my portmanteau," cried Mr. Smith, "bring the book and let me see what you have put down."
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