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A HOLE IN THE WALL

ENTRANCE TO YORK ASSIZES.

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After surrounding York Prison for a hundred or so years, these stone walls have been demolished. It is causing rather a bother just now, because His Majesty's judges are arriving for the Assizes.

And they are forced to enter by a hole in the wall, which doesn't seem quite proper for the dignity of British justice. The prison has held quite a galaxy of notorious scoundrels. Dick Turpin did a lot of thinking in one of its cells, and Eugene Aran, the school-teacher murderer was another who, behind these stone walls, was paid the wages of sin. I don't like prisons - - even the outside.