

We wonder how many of THE BOOK-MAN readers who followed the work of the leading lawyer for the defence during the recent extraordinary Haywood trial associated him with *An*

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Eye for an Eye, which was reviewed in these columns a year and a half ago. *An Eye for an Eye* was a very unusual book. It was the crude, simple story of Jim Jackson, about to undergo the death penalty for the murder of his wife. To speak flippantly and yet quite literally, it may be said that his provocation to the crime was the fact that her method of cooking a beefsteak for dinner did not suit him; yet when we lay aside the simple, rambling narrative our sympathies are entirely with the unhappy man, and our indignation is roused against certain injustices and cruelties of the modern social system. There were chapters in *An Eye for an Eye* that strongly suggested the pages devoted to the wanderings of "Jurgis," which Upton Sinclair afterward incorporated in *The Jungle*.



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