

Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedro and the Detectives, Poisoner and the Detectives

Allan Pinkerton

Download now

Click here if your download doesn"t start automatically

Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedro and the **Detectives, Poisoner and the Detectives**

Allan Pinkerton

Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedro and the Detectives, Poisoner and the Detectives Allan Pinkerton

The southern and border states, since the close of the war of the rebellion, have been the frequent scenes of extensive and audacious robberies. This has been largely owing to the sparsely-settled condition of certain districts, to the disorder and lawlessness generated by the war, and to the temptations offered by the carelessness of many persons having large sums intrusted to their care in transit through lonely and desolate localities. The express companies have always been favorite objects of attack by thieves of every grade, from the embezzling cashier to the petty sneak-thief, and some of the operations connected with the detection of this class of criminals are among the most difficult and dangerous that have ever been intrusted to me. Probably a no more reckless and desperate body of men were ever banded together in a civilized community than those who were brought to my attention in 1871 by the Southern Express Company's officers in Memphis; and I consider the successful termination of my efforts in this case as of the greatest value to the people of the South and West. The whole affair was conducted with such a limited force, and under such adverse circumstances, that I take pride in here recording the history of the affair and my connection with it. Though I maintained a general supervision of the operation, my eldest son, William A. Pinkerton, was the person having immediate charge of the matter, and to his energy, perseverance, and sagacity is mainly attributable our success. Some time in the latter part of July, 1871, an express messenger on the Mobile and Ohio Railroad was overpowered by three men at Moscow, Kentucky, and his safe was robbed of about sixteen hundred dollars. The manner of effecting the robbery was a very bold one, showing the presence of men of experience in crime. The loss was not heavy, but the company made every effort to discover the robbers, in the hope of bringing them to a severe punishment as a warning to other criminals. In spite, however, of the efforts of two of my men, who were immediately sent to the scene of the robbery, the guilty parties escaped into the almost impenetrable swamps along the Mississippi River, and the chase was reluctantly abandoned, as it was impossible to tell where they would come out or cross the river. The amount stolen was not sufficiently large to warrant the expenditure of much time or money in the pursuit of the thieves, and my men were soon wholly withdrawn from the operation. In order, however, to guard against a repetition of such a raid, an extra man was placed in each express car to act as guard to the regular messenger. It was considered that two men, well armed, ought to be surely able to protect the company against further loss, and everything ran smoothly until October 21, 1871. At this time, the money shipments by express were very heavy, as a rule, and orders were given that special care should be exercised by all the employés having money packages in charge.



Download Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedro ...pdf



Read Online Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedr ...pdf

Download and Read Free Online Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedro and the Detectives, Poisoner and the Detectives Allan Pinkerton

From reader reviews:

Mary Johnson:

What do you think about book? It is just for students since they're still students or the item for all people in the world, exactly what the best subject for that? Merely you can be answered for that query above. Every person has different personality and hobby per other. Don't to be forced someone or something that they don't need do that. You must know how great along with important the book Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedro and the Detectives, Poisoner and the Detectives. All type of book is it possible to see on many methods. You can look for the internet methods or other social media.

Dominick Carter:

Information is provisions for people to get better life, information currently can get by anyone from everywhere. The information can be a information or any news even a problem. What people must be consider any time those information which is from the former life are challenging to be find than now's taking seriously which one works to believe or which one the actual resource are convinced. If you receive the unstable resource then you buy it as your main information you will see huge disadvantage for you. All those possibilities will not happen within you if you take Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedro and the Detectives, Poisoner and the Detectives as your daily resource information.

Tony Hill:

Playing with family inside a park, coming to see the ocean world or hanging out with friends is thing that usually you might have done when you have spare time, and then why you don't try point that really opposite from that. 1 activity that make you not experience tired but still relaxing, trilling like on roller coaster you already been ride on and with addition associated with. Even you love Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedro and the Detectives, Poisoner and the Detectives, you could enjoy both. It is good combination right, you still wish to miss it? What kind of hangout type is it? Oh can happen its mind hangout fellas. What? Still don't have it, oh come on its called reading friends.

Robert King:

The book untitled Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedro and the Detectives, Poisoner and the Detectives contain a lot of information on the idea. The writer explains your girlfriend idea with easy method. The language is very clear and understandable all the people, so do certainly not worry, you can easy to read the item. The book was compiled by famous author. The author gives you in the new age of literary works. You can actually read this book because you can keep reading your smart phone, or gadget, so you can read the book with anywhere and anytime. If you want to buy the e-book, you can start their official web-site in addition to order it. Have a nice read.

Download and Read Online Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedro and the Detectives, Poisoner and the Detectives Allan Pinkerton #8Y14Q0WEPHR

Read Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedro and the Detectives, Poisoner and the Detectives by Allan Pinkerton for online ebook

Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedro and the Detectives, Poisoner and the Detectives by Allan Pinkerton Free PDF d0wnl0ad, audio books, books to read, good books to read, cheap books, good books, online books, books online, book reviews epub, read books online, books to read online, online library, greatbooks to read, PDF best books to read, top books to read Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedro and the Detectives, Poisoner and the Detectives by Allan Pinkerton books to read online.

Online Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedro and the Detectives, Poisoner and the Detectives by Allan Pinkerton ebook PDF download

Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedro and the Detectives, Poisoner and the Detectives by Allan Pinkerton Doc

Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedro and the Detectives, Poisoner and the Detectives by Allan Pinkerton Mobipocket

Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives: Don Pedro and the Detectives, Poisoner and the Detectives by Allan Pinkerton EPub