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"Hold Your Breath"

Two-reel Century Comedy

***Featuring* CHARLES DORETY**

CHARLEY and Bert have a hard time holding their individual breaths, twenty-two stories above the street, but the morgue is spared two victims when they reach their homes.

Bert, however, needs some money, and he persuades his wife to try the badger game with Charley. He urges her to get Charley in a compromising position, and then tries to get a photograph of them.

After many unsuccessful attempts he does get a photo, and presents it to Charley, demanding some money in return for withholding the photo. But Charley will not pay it, and chases Bert over the roof tops, through halls —and finally into a lion's den. There he leaves Bert to his fate, unless he will tear up the discriminating photo. Then when the lion jumps at Bert, they all think they have seen the last of Bert. But no, it is not to be—for as they look again, Bert is brushing his clothes and sprinkling salt upon the tail of the now deceased lion. And Charley knows that now his frivolity will be known, for not even a lion will rid him of the photo bandit.

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