

THE BOTTLE



Scene 1st. — The bottle is brought out for the first time: The husband induces his wife
"Just to take a Drink"

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Scene 2d. — He is discharged from his employment for drunkenness: They pawn their Clothes to supply the bottle.

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Scene 3d. — An execution sweeps off the greater part of their furniture: They comfort
Themselves with the bottle.

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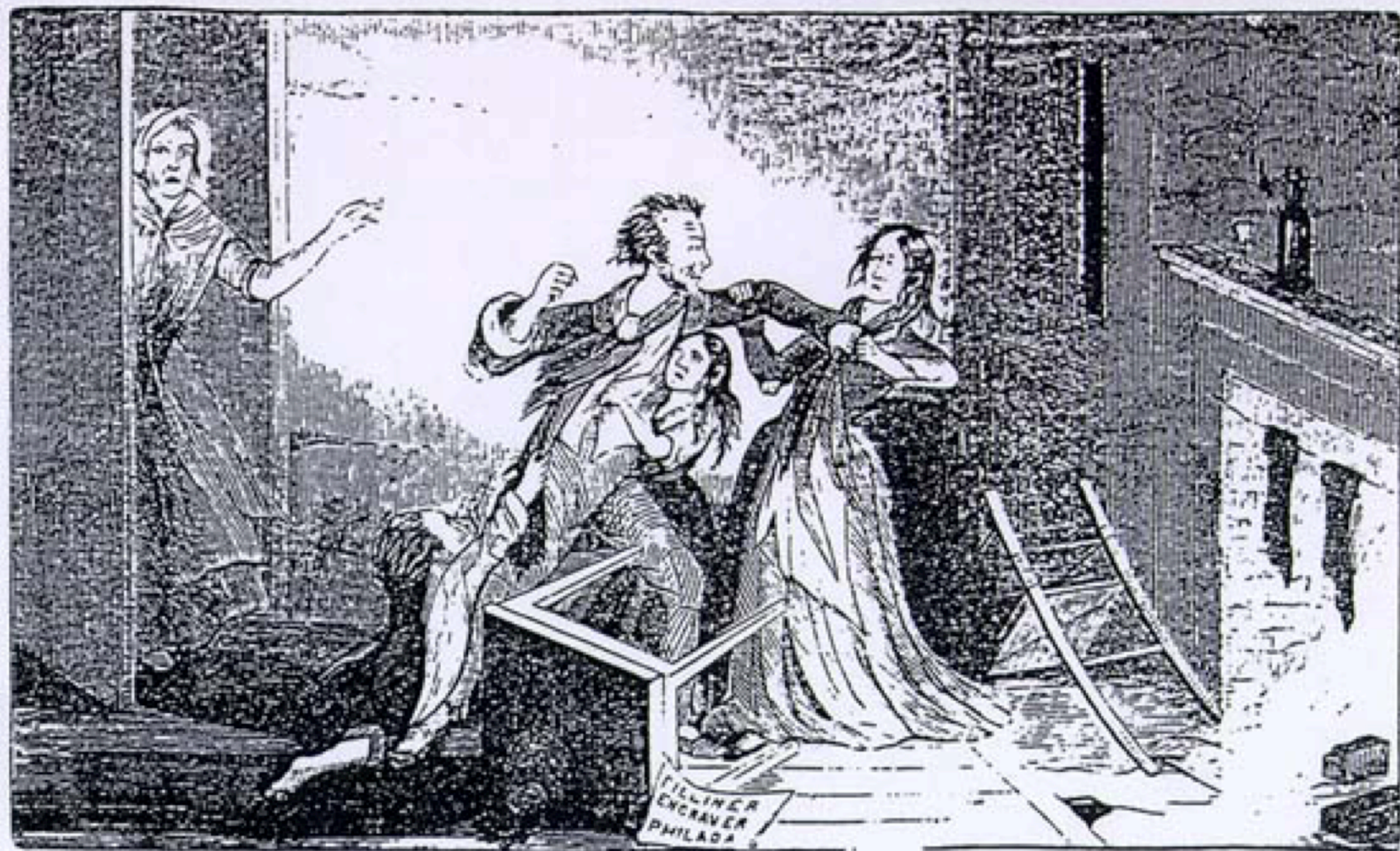
Scene 4th. — Unable to obtain employment they are driven by poverty into the streets to Beg, and by this means they still supply the bottle.

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Scene 5th. — Cold, Misery and Want destroy their youngest child: They console themselves with the bottle.

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Scene 6th. — Fearful quarrels and brutal violence are the natural consequences of the Frequent use of the bottle.

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Scene 7th. — The husband, in a state of furious drunkenness, kills his wife with the Instrument of all their misery.

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Scene 8th. — The bottle has done its work — It has destroyed the infant and the mother, It has brought the son and the daughter to vice and to the streets, and has left the Father a hopeless maniac.