

THE STANWIX HALL TRAGEDY.

A SUPPRESSED LETTER FROM MRS. COLE TO HER HUSBAND—THE PRISONER FULLY COMMITTED FOR MURDER IN THE FIRST DEGREE—RUMORS ABOUT THE PARTIES.

ALBANY, N. Y., June 8.—The examination of General Cole for the killing of Mr. Hiseock was resumed before Justice Parsons at 10 o'clock this morning.

Mr. Sheppard, Police Commissioner of Albany, the first witness called, was examined by Henry Smith, District Attorney—I have in my possession a paper taken from the prisoner, it is here.

Mr. Hiseock—This letter, if there is no objection, I offer in evidence.

Mr. Sheppard—There is an objection. This paper may form a material piece of evidence in the prosecution, and cannot be offered here.

Mr. Hiseock—I have no objection to Mr. Sheppard retaining the letter, provided we may have access to it.

Mr. Smith—You can have free access to it at all times.

Mr. Hiseock—We should like to take a copy of it.

Mr. Smith—Certainly, you can be permitted to have a copy.

Examination of Police Commissioner Sheppard continued.—In addition to this letter a couple of knives were found upon the person of the prisoner; they were produced.

District Attorney Smith—How wide is the blade of this knife?

Mr. Sheppard—It is three and one-eighth inches in length.

District Attorney Smith—How wide is the blade in the broadest part?

Mr. Sheppard—It is three-eighths of an inch in the broadest part, and tapers down to one-sixteenth of an inch at the point.

Mr. Hiseock—It has the appearance of having been recently ground, and is quite sharp at the point; it has a spring on the back, and shuns into the handle like a pocket knife; the spring is so adjusted that it remains open like a knife until the spring is raised by the finger, so as to allow it to shut.

Mr. Hiseock—It is an ordinary four-bladed pocket-knife, with a pearl handle, and marked with the name G. W. Cole; the paper I have produced was delivered to me by Acting Police Captain McDuffie, who took it from the prisoner's person; the knives were delivered to the Property Clerk by Captain McDuffie, in my presence, together with the pistols, all of which were taken from the person of the prisoner.

The witness was not examined by the prisoner's counsel.

Mr. Hiseock's counsel for the prisoner—I have received a letter from Mr. Frank Hiseock (the brother of the deceased), and had a conversation with a friend of that gentleman this morning, and I am quite satisfied that he should be relieved from custody, and the examination at this time, I advise General Cole to offer no evidence, and to say nothing further at this time.

District Attorney Smith—Do you desire that the case should be now closed?

Mr. Hiseock—I consider the examination now closed.

District Attorney Smith—We ask, then, that the prisoner be fully committed for the crime of willful murder in the first degree.

At this point the prisoner appeared much overcome. He covered his face with his hand, and seemed to weep, while his under lip quivered and his whole frame shook.

The prisoner's counsel said nothing, and the warrant of commitment was made out by the examining police justice.

THE SUPPRESSED LETTER.

The letter of Mrs. Cole to her husband is said to be, in portions of it, unfit for publication. It was refused to the press, the prosecution declining to furnish a copy, and the prisoner's counsel refusing absolutely to make it public.

The letter bears no date, and is quite sharp gathered from those who saw it at an early stage of the proceedings is nearly as follows:—

MRS. COLE'S LETTER TO HER HUSBAND.

In compliance with your request, my dear husband, I write the particulars of what has happened between Mr. Hiseock and myself. The improper conduct commenced in 1864, and has continued ever since to a recent date. The first time when I was sick in bed, when he came to my bedside and endeavored to seduce me.

There are several rumors floating around in relation to the parties connected with this lamentable event, which are colored according to the sympathies of those who put them forth. By some it is declared that Mr. Hiseock's gain was the binding of the hands of the deceased.

There is not a word in the copy of the letter, but is about the substance.

THE TRIAL OF SURRATT TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—Mr. Bradley said that this motion had taken the defense by surprise, and he asked that Mr. Douglass be brought in and examined in open Court.

Mr. Douglass was sent for and brought into Court. Mr. Bradley requested that Mr. Douglass be sworn. Judge Pitkin assented to the proposition if they objected to Mr. Douglass being sworn and examined.

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