THE APPEAL.

A Modern Borgia.

WHOLESALE MURDER BY POISON—CONFESSION AND DEATH OF THE MURDERESS.

Correspondence of the New York Daily News.]

GOSHEN ULSTER CO., N. Y., May 8, 1858.

I send you a detailed statement of a strange tragedy which has taken place near us, and which I perceive you have noticed briefly in your paper to-day.

I knew and know well all the parties I have mentioned. The facts in the case, not stated upon hearsay, I have learned from the District Attorney. The confession was made to Mr. Wood, the pastor of the church to which Mrs. W. belonged, and by the District Attorney to me, with a request that I should write them out for the press.

Mrs. Phebe Westlake, formerly of Ulster county, whose maiden name was Irwin, aged about 45 years, died at Chester, Orange county, N. Y., on the 7th inst., no doubt from the effect of poison taken for the purpose of self-destruction.

Phebe had lived in Chester ten or twelve years. She was industrious, and knew how to do all manner of women's work, and was able and was willing to do it well. Withal she was professedly pious. She gained friends in the best families in Chester, and when any of them needed help, they thought it a loss if they could not get Phebe.

About twenty years ago, we hear, her husband died suddenly. A paper of arsenic was found in his pocket, and upon a post mortem examination arsenic was found in his stomach. It was supposed he had committed suicide, and no further action or inquiry was had.

Four or five years ago, Mr. Pelser, who kept a hotel in Chester, died of erysipelas. He was a widower, and had but one daughter at home, a noble young woman, who believed that time had been affianced to Mr. Hiram Colwell, a wealthy and respectable drover, well known in Orange county. She and her father's assistant, Mr. Heard, thought it best to secure Phebe, as cook in the hotel, and they did so. Shortly after Phebe came there, Miss Pelser was taken sick with some strange disease, that her physician could not understand. Her only sister, and her husband, Mr. Clark, were sent for, and came from the South, and took the management of Mr. Pelser's business and property at Chester. From that time, Phebe was left mainly to nurse and care for the sick and dying Miss Pelser. She lingered and died under circumstances to induce strange suspicions, but no one suspected her faithful nurse, Phebe. About the time of her death, Mr. Colwell received an affectionate letter, while he was at the West bringing cattle, purporting to come from Miss Pelser, but at a time when it was known she could not write, requesting him, among other things, to remember Phebe for her kindness to Miss Pelser.

Last fall Phebe was employed as a domestic in the house of John B. Tuthill, a respectable merchant of Chester, in view of the prospective confinement of his wife, who was the only daughter of the late Francis Tuthill, Esq.—little Martha, as all who knew her, and many knew and loved her—called her. She was confined—her babe never knew life. Some unknown disease attended her death. Dr. Smith, her physician, said they indicated poison; but yet they might be convulsions which sometimes attended parturition. Phebe was her nurse, and she could not be suspected. Martha died, and was buried.

"Blossom and bough are withered in one blight."

Mr. John B. Tuthill's family being thus broken up—for little Martha was all he had—he went to board with his brother and partner in business, Mr. Charles S. Tuthill, and Phebe was duly transferred to that establishment as cook and maid of all work.

On the 1st of April last, Mr. Fuller, a clerk in the Tuthill's store, took possession of Mr. John B. Tuthill's house, under an arrangement that Mr. John B. Tuthill was to board with him. Mr. Faller had no family but his wife. Phebe was thus thrown out of employment, but still she was retained temporarily between Mr. Tuthill's and Mr. Fuller's. Phebe did many acts of kindness for both Mrs. Tuthill and Mrs. Fuller, and carried delicacies to and from them.

On the 6th of April last Mr. Fuller had provided for dinner a can of preserved corn and beans. They were not all eaten at dinner. Phebe was at Mrs. Fuller's after tea, and after Mr. Fuller had gone to his business, she suggested to Mrs. Fuller that the corn and beans might spoil, and they might as well eat the little there was left. Mrs. Fuller consented, and Phebe brought up two small plates of corn and beans, one of which she ate herself, and handed other Mrs. Fuller ate. That evening Mrs. Fuller was taken sick, with symptoms indicating poison. She died shortly after. No one could be suspected. Her husband loved her. He had no one else to love. Phebe was kind, obliging, assiduous and affectionate, and remained by Mrs. Fuller to the end. Who could suspect her?

After the death of Mrs. Faller, Phebe remained temporarily at Mr. Charles C. Tuthill's, where both the brothers were perforce brought into the family.

Some ten or twelve days ago both the Tuthills and the wife of Mr. Charles S., also a Mrs. Derrick—an Irish woman—with whose husband Phebe had had some difficulty about beverage, were taken sick, with symptoms clearly akin to those of Miss Pelser, little Martha, and Mrs. Fuller. They have been all treated on the hypothesis of poison. The brothers Tuthill are out about their business. Mrs. Charles S. Tuthill is doing well, and Mrs. Derrick is still dangerously ill.

Suspicions began to thicken about Phebe. Last Monday she was taken violently ill with the same symptoms. On Friday morning she died. In her last agonies she said, she had sprinkled a little arsenic on John B. Tuthill's toast; that she knew there was poison on the window sill near where his soup sat, and it might have been thrown in; and that she sprinkled a little arsenic on Mrs. Fuller's corn and beans, and further said not. The grave has closed over Phebe and her victims. No more of the facts will probably ever be known. Her motives must be left to conjecture, and imagination must fill up this tale of horrors.

HORRIBLE AFFAIR AT JOLIET.—An intense excitement was created at Joliet, Illinois, last Thursday, by the discovery of the nude body of a dead female in a rock quarry near the place. It was covered with dirt and stones, and was much decayed. There was a bullet hole through the head, antrotpus in the right breast, and the hands and feet had been both cut off and carried away. The Joliet Signal, after stating the facts, and the result of the corner's inquest on the body, says:

The matter rested until Saturday, when a lady residing in the north part of the city, hearing of the finding of the body and the inquest, waited upon Marshal Van Auken, and informed him of her previous disappearance of her daughter, aged about sixteen years, some three weeks previous. The marshal and coroner had the body taken up again, and it was identified by the mother and other persons as that of the young lady in question. The name of the unfortunate girl was Mary Moore. Circumstances are detailed by the mother which leave but little doubt that our city has been the scene of one of the most shocking and diabolical murders on record. She says that her daughter was seduced by David Richardson, a man who has borne a good reputation since his residence in the city, and that she was enciente at the time of her disappearance. Under this state of facts, Richardson was arrested on Sunday morning by Marshal Van Auken, but as his examination has not been completed yet, we forbear giving a statement of the evidence against him.

The Chicago Democrat says of the affair:

This man, Richardson, is about forty years of age, and is a house carpenter by trade, well known in Joliet. He has been employed by some of the railroad companies also as a sort of engineer. The last time the girl was seen alive, she left her mother's house with him. He told her mother previous to the murder, that he had sent the girl off, for the purpose of having an abortion produced, and that she need give herself no uneasiness about her, as she would soon be home. Consequently no alarm was created at her absence. This was some three weeks ago.

On Thursday last, the men who were at work in one of the quarries at Joliet, were much annoyed at a smell which became more and more offensive. In searching for it, they found buried beneath some rubbish, the body of a female, entirely naked; not a particle of clothing could be found anywhere in the vicinity. She had been shot through the head. Both feet and both hands had been cut off and taken away. The body was not much mutilated, in order to prevent identification; but the mother has identified it by a description, which has proved correct in every particular. A post mortem examination, also, showed that the body was that of woman far gone in pregnancy. So much for the identification of the body. Now for the identification of the murderer. Providence in his own wise ways always provides that murder will out. In addition to the fact that the man Richardson was last seen with her, a lock of hair differing from her's was found near the girl's body. This hair not only corresponds exactly with the hair of the prisoner, but a bald place has been discovered upon his head, showing conclusively that hair was torn from it. If Richardson was not lynched last night, he will probably be examined today.

Real Estate.

For Rent.

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Lots on Beal street, for dwellings.

One lot on Shelby, near Gayoso.

Three lots on Pigeon Roost road, Court and Orleans streets, for dwellings.

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One or both Cotton Sheds at the Charleston Depot.

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R. P. GANT.

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6 107 Acres of Land for Sale.

I offer for sale the following Tracts of Land in Tipton county, Tenn., to-wit: One tract of 560 acres, on one mile of the Memphis and Ohio Railroad, and three from Mason's Depot; 320 acres cleared, and balance in timber. There is a good dwelling house, gin house, cabins, stables, young orchards, &c., on said premises; all new, and splendid farm. Also, one tract of 2,280 acres, 300 acres cleared, and large deadenings; social improvements for a negro quarter, and a very large ground gin house. Also, one tract of 1,267 acres, 300 acres cleared, and large deadenings; social improvements for a negro quarter, and a very large ground gin house. It is within four miles of Covington and ten of Mason's Depot, two and a half from Hatchie river at the foot of the hills. One tract of 2,000 acres, known as Locust Bluff, about five miles from Covington, on Hatchie river. It would make a good site for a town, contiguous to the proposed road from Memphis to Nashville, across the Mississippi and Tennessee rivers. One tract of 1,000 acres, adjoining the above, on Hatchie river, and six miles from Covington; known as the Big Stone Mountain. I have also a Steam Saw and Grist Mill I wish to sell. The machinery is in the Mill and ready to set up. Terms to suit purchasers, and a fair offer will be accepted. Mr. THOS. T. SOMERVELL or Maj. THOMAS F. HUNT will take pleasure in showing these lands. Address me at Memphis.

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J. N. DAVIS.

Como Depot, March 26, 1858. mr27-w1f

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LEWIS A. MOBLE.

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LIST OF PREMIUMS.

FIRST DIVISION.

FIELD CROPS.

Best acre clover hay,	$10
Best acre of timothy hay,	10
Best 5 acres wheat, largest yield,	20
Best 2 acres " "	5
Best 5 acres rye, "	5
Best 2 acres " "	5
Best 1 acre hemp, "	5
Best ¼ acres S. Potatoes, "	5
Best 1 acre corn, largest yield,	20
Best 5 acres cotton, largest yield,	20
Best 5 acres corn, "	20
Best 1 acre sweet potatoes, "	5
Best 1 acre tobacco, "	20
Largest yield sorghum 1 acre Chinese sugar cane,	5

THOS. H. SHAPPARD, of Haywood co., Chairman.

Competitors for premiums awarded to largest yields per acre, are required to deposit one bushel of the crop entered, at the disposal of the committee, and affidavit of himself, or his overseer, as to quantity produced on it.

Process of making sugar and molasses to be reported by competitors.

GRAIN AND SEEDS

Best half bushel winter wheat,	5
Best half bushel red wheat,	5
Best half bushel oats,	5
Best half bushel rye,	5
Best half bushel Indian corn in ear,	5
Best half bushel of corn in ear,	5
Best half bushel Cuban cotton seed,	5
Best bushel clover seed cleaned,	5
Best bushel timothy cleaned,	5
Best half bushel red top cleaned,	5
Best quarter bushel orchard grass,	5
Best half bushel field peas for table use,	5

A. B. MCNAIR, of Decatur co., Chairman.

TOBACCO, SUGAR AND MOLASSES.

Best specimen leaf tobacco, not less than 10 pounds,	10
Best 10 lbs. twist tobacco,	5
Best same in smoking tobacco, 3 pounds,	5
Best sample crystallized sugar Chinese cane 10 lbs.,	10
Best sample syrup from Chinese cane,	5

R. WALKER, of Carroll co., Chairman.

COTTON BALES.

Best bale cotton, by sample,	10
Best 5 bales cotton, by sample,	25

Samples of cotton to be drawn from bales by a disinterested party, and sealed up with his name written across the seals accompanied with his certificate that the samples presented were drawn from the bales of competitor.

Col. JOHN POPE, of Shelby co., Chairman.

SECOND DIVISION.

JACKS AND JENNETTS.

Best aged jack,	$15
Best 2 year old do,	10
Best 3 year old,	10
Best 1 year old,	5
Best colt,	5
Sweepstakes for jacks, with no regard to age,	20
Best aged jennett,	10
Best 3 year old,	10
Best 2 year old,	10
Best 1 year old,	5
Best colt,	5
Sweepstakes for jennetts without regard to age,	20

MULES.

Best 4 year old and upwards,	$10
Best 3 year old,	10
Best 2 year old,	10
Best 1 year old,	5
Best colt,	5

AUGUSTUS SOWELL, of Gibson co., Chairman.

BLOOD HORSES.

Best aged stallion,	20
Best 3 year old,	10
Best 2 year old,	10
Best 1 year old,	10
Best colt,	10
Sweepstakes without regard to age,	20
Best aged mare,	10
Best 3 year old,	10
Best 2 year old,	10
Best 1 year old,	10
Best colt,	10
Sweepstakes without regard to age,	20

J. J. WILLIAMS, of Fayette co., Chairman.

This improved breed is a new cause, and animals exhibited in it must have a thoroughbred sire or dam.

HARNESS STOCK.

Best aged stallion,	15
Best 3 year old,	10
Best 2 year old,	10
Best 1 year old,	10
Best colt,	10
Sweepstakes without regard to age,	15
Best aged mare,	10
Best 3 year old,	10
Best 2 year old,	10
Best 1 year old,	10
Best colt,	10
Sweepstakes without regard to age,	15

DR. N. BRIGHT, of Madison co., Chairman.

SADDLE HORSES.

Best saddle gelding,	10
Best saddle mare,	10

MARK RICHARDSON, of Lauderdale co., Chairman.

HARNESS HORSES.

Best pair harness horses,	15
Best pair of matched horses,	15
Best single harness horse,	10
Best single harness mare,	10

The ring will be opened around the lot, outside the inclosure, to subject the speed of trotters and pacers, to be started simply to prevent accidents, and move against time. For the

Fastest trotter, a premium of 15
Fastest pacer, a premium of 15

Two or more entries required to make up each of the above rings.

Residents of West Tennessee are advised to put themselves in good trim for a foot race of one-quarter of a mile, over the speed ring. Four or more entries to be entered, and sealed up with his name written across the seals accompanied with his certificate that the samples presented were drawn from the bales of competitor.

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