AN AFFECTING SCENE

In Justice Gillespy's Office at the Blakemore Hearing.

THE YOUNG MAN WAS DISCHARGED

From Custody—The Boy's Mother Fainted Away, and With Difficulty was Revived—The Evidence Given by the Eye Witnesses to the Tragedy—Mrs. Blakemore the Most Important Witness.

One of the most affecting scenes ever enacted in a court of justice took place last night when Justice R. H. Gillespy announced that young George Blakemore, who on Sunday morning shot his father in defense of himself and his mother, was guilty only of justifiable homicide, and dismissed him. The young man appeared greatly affected, but the mother, who had given her testimony so clearly and in so uncolored a manner that the county prosecutor had been compelled to comment on it, on hearing the decision of the squire, gave a sigh and fell back, utterly insensible. The court room was at once cleared, but it was fully half an hour before Mrs. Blakemore recovered sensibility.

The examination had been set for 2 o'clock in the afternoon, but for several reasons was postponed until 7 o'clock last evening, at the office of the justice on Chapline street. After a wait of some time on account of the absence of Mr. Howard, the proceedings were started at 7:45. Mrs. Blakemore, the mother of George and widow of the dead man, was first examined, the other witnesses being kept in another apartment.

MRS. BLAKEMORE'S TESTIMONY.

In substance her testimony was as follows: George, her son, was in his sixteenth year; her husband was forty-three years old last March. She recounted his coming home Saturday evening, when he wanted her to go to the Elm Grove political meeting; when she declined he wanted her to give him money to pay his car fare, but this she would not do, as she could not spare it. Afterwards he got a pitcher of beer, and went to bed early. George, the boy, came in about 12:20 o'clock.

Sunday morning they got up between 7 and 8 o'clock. Mr. Blakemore got his breakfast and went down street. George was not up at this time. Her husband was down street about three-quarters of an hour. The relations between the father and son were ordinarily friendly, but sometimes he would be "hateful to both of us." His hateful moods were of frequent occurrence. He had not before struck either, but she was almost always expecting he would do something awful. About two years ago there had been a "terrible fuss," when he broke a lamp and some furniture with a poker.

Before her husband came back from down town Sunday morning, her niece, Maggie Colter, who lives next door, had come in to see her about a new dress, and the young people were talking about a coming party. While she was talking about the dress Marion Colter, her brother-in-law, and the father of Maggie came in. She told him that he should get a white dress for the girl, but he wanted a gingham one because it would be more serviceable. While he was talking Maggie went out and they were alone. She told Mr. Colter that if he would get the white dress she would see to getting it washed every two weeks. When she said this she laid her hand on his right shoulder, and as he answered "All right," her husband, Frank Blakemore, came in at the door and said:

"WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?"

and repeated his question two or three times. Mrs. Blakemore inquired what he meant, and he then accused her of kissing Colter. Blackmore got in a terrible fit of rage. Mr. Colter after trying to quiet him, left and went to his own house, which adjoins the Blakemore house. This all occurred in the front room, where the door and the windows were open. Frank, her husband, continued his cursing and was wild with rage. George, who had been sleeping up stairs, was knocking and pounding at the door from the stairway, which was fastened by a latch on the outside. Finally George got in, and wanted his mother to leave the house, but she refused to do so. Frank, who was getting more violent than before, gave her a push very hard, and then George said, "Don't you strike mother." The father gave him a push and said, "You stand back." At this time they were in the kitchen at the rear. Blakemore threw off his coat and vest, and yelled, "I am a ——————, I'll kill you all, the whole business of you." He then stooped down and tried to get the hatchet from the cupboard by the stove. Mrs. Blakemore said there was murder in his eyes and she clung to him to prevent him from doing bodily harm to herself or son. "I was holding him, and he fell back, throwing me under him." She didn't know what she said exactly after that, but she took the revolver from George.

ABOUT THE HATCHET.

To Mr. Howard she said they all knew that the hatchet was kept in that cupboard. It was while he was kneeling down that he was shot. She did not know whether or not the hatchet was in his hands then. His hands were in the closet when the shots were fired. As she was holding on to her husband when the shots were fired, she couldn't see George. When asked if he was drunk, she said that he was not drunk enough to stagger, but he must have been drinking. Frank had not earned any money for a long time, having had only three weeks' employment since Christmas.

To Captain Dovener Mrs. Blakemore said, this was not the first time Frank Blakemore had attacked his family. He had struck at her once before with a chair. On another occasion he had *gone at her with a knife, after locking* the door of the room, and then threatened to cut her heart out. George had broken the door in and thrown a hatchet at him, but others had come to the rescue and the quarrel stopped. This took place about six years ago. The family affairs have been going much the same for years, in fact ever since the marriage seventeen years ago.

After the shots had been fired, George was standing by his father. In answer to a question she said she knew that her life was in danger.

Charles Colter, a son of Marion Colter was next examined. He was in the other house at the time of the tragedy. He heard

BLAKEMORE'S LOUD TALKING,

and went around to their door. In the room were Mr. and Mrs. Blakemore, and his father. He persuaded his father to leave. His father went in again and he followed. Mr. and Mrs. Blakemore were pushing each other around, and then Colter went home again. He stayed there and saw George come down stairs. George said, "Don't hurt mama," and Mr. Blakemore replied, "I'll chop both your heads off." The witness then left; George was standing at the middle door, looking toward the front room. He had not got five feet beyond the door when he heard two shots fired. He turned back and saw George handing a pistol to his mother. Blakemore was lying at length on the floor.

Mrs. Blakemore was recalled, and said that George was the sole support of the family, and had been so since he was ten years of age.

Marion Colter, the father of Charles, was next called to the stand. He was examined by Mr. Howard. When he went over to the Blakemores Sunday morning he did not see Frank Blakemore. His testimony about the conversation, regarding the dress, was substantially the same as related by Mrs. Blakemore. Frank came in and commenced to abuse his wife, accusing her of kissing Colter. He went back home and heard the shots fired. George, he said, is a quiet, peaceable and industrious boy.

Officer Devlin, who arrested George Blakemore Sunday morning, testified. The arrest was made on the porch of the Colter house about 10:15 a. m. George told him that he was just going to hunt him up to give himself up. He got his hat, went in the house and kissed his mother and left with him. The officer stated that he got the pistol from Miss Colter.

THE SHOOTING.

At this stage Captain Dovener, for the defense, admitted that Frank Blakemore had come to his death from a pistol ball fired from a pistol in the hands of George Blakemore.

"I rest," said Mr. Howard.

Miss Maggie Colter was called by the defense. She was in bed when the trouble started. When the shots were fired she went over, and got the hatchet on the floor in front of the closet. Mrs. Blakemore gave her the revolver.

George Blakemore, the defendant, was the next witness to testify. He was in bed upstairs when he heard his father swear at Colter and threaten to kill him. He then got up, put the revolver in his pocket and came down stairs, but for a time he could not get the door opened. To a question he said he had the revolver because he was

AFRAID OF HIS FATHER;

he did not intend to kill him until he saw him getting out the hatchet from the cupboard. His father was struggling with his mother, and was threatening to kill her. He knew his father had been drinking; he knew it by his face. He had often threatened both of them. Replying to a question he said he had worked for James Travis at the La Belle mill, and that he could not read or write, not having gone to school. He had been working ever since he was able to, and gave his money to his mother.

Charles Colter had given him the pistol. He had been afraid to go down stairs without it, as his father was in such a rage. When he got in the room his father had started out, but he turned back, tore off his coat and vest and yelled out, "I'll kill both of you; I'll cut your heads off." Then it was he started for the cupboard.

"I saw the hatchet in his hands, and knew that he was going to hurt some of us, and then I shot him." He thought it was necessary to save himself and mother.

To Mr. Howard he said: "I put the revolver in my pocket because I was afraid; he always picked on me. He struck at me but mother got between. I took the revolver out when he was after the hatchet at the cupboard. I pulled the trigger twice, and he fell over. I held it close against him; not more than an inch away from his left side."

At the conclusion of young Blakemore's testimony the case was rested, and Prosecutor Howard stated that he never liked to ask a committing magistrate to dismiss anybody charged with crime. It takes the discretion out of the hands of the court. He was particularly averse to such a proceeding where there is a life lost—a homicide. He knew that to acquit a person who has killed another, without trial, is dangerous, its effect on society not healthy. Yet it must be recognized that under certain circumstances it is

NOT A CRIME

to kill another. This boy could be justified, as the act was committed in defense both of himself and his mother. He didn't mean to say that in his estimation the act was justifiable; he thought it could have been avoided. The evidence leads to the belief that this man brought the death to himself, yet the act was not justifiable. The boy was rash. The mother, it can seen, thought it best to keep close to her husband. It was unfortunate that the boy possessed a revolver. He had observed that drunken men will in their madness break furniture, but seldom do bodily injury. He regretted to see a human life taken where there is no penalty; the effect on the community was dangerous, but he must concede that this was a case of justifiable homicide.

Justice Gillespy said he could see no reason in putting the state to expense where the verdict of the jury would be acquittal. He agreed with the prosecutor in the position he had taken, and felt sure that the law would acquit this man. His view of the case was that he ought to be dismissed. "He is discharged," said the squire.

Those in the justice's office crowded around young Blakemore and congratulated him with much feeling. It was at this stage when Mrs. Blakemore, the mother of the boy, who had stood up remarkably well throughout the trying scene, gave way completely, in a dead faint.

The decision of the prosecutor and the squire gave universal satisfaction all over the city, particularly on the South Side, where the parties are well known.

SUNDAY'S CUTTING SCRAPE.

A Partial Hearing of John Henry Yesterday Afternoon.

The hearing of John Henry, the colored roustabout on the steamer Keystone State, who cut Marshall Stanton Sunday morning, near Sistersville, was *set for yesterday at 2 p. m. before U. S.* Commissioner Campbell. At that hour Henry was brought before him, as was also William Leonard, who was the only eye witness to the stabbing. Henry is accused of assaulting Stanton with a dangerous weapon on a boat upon waters under the jurisdiction of the United States. The penalty is three years in the penitentiary.

A telephone message from the Wheeling hospital announced that the wounded man would be down at once. Soon a colored man walked in with his jaw bandaged. Commissioner Campbell said he thought he was unwise to walk so far while suffering from so grave a wound.

"I hain't got no wound," said the man. "I's got a bealed jaw."

"What is your name?"

"Malcolm Johnson. I was sent to de hospittle from de Scotia."

The wrong man had been sent down. Then it was learned that Stanton was still in a dangerous condition. Leonard's testimony was taken, however, and then Henry was remanded to jail and Leonard held as a witness.

Leonard said he and the other two men were working on the stage plank, when Henry and Stanton quarreled. Henry went away, but came back in a few seconds, and asked Stanton, "What was that you called me?" Then Stanton said, "I'll show you about cutting me with a knife." The witness parted them with difficulty, and then saw they had blood on them, while Stanton was cut and Henry still held the knife in his hand.

Acquitted of Burglary.

Burt Zapp and William McKnight were acquitted of burglary, at St. Clairsville yesterday, without the jury leaving the box. On April 12 John Williams was arrested for breaking into Bernard McCann's saloon, at Martin's Ferry, and stealing a keg of beer. He at first implicated a man named Monnehan, but afterwards swore it was Zapp and McKnight. The defense proved that Zapp and McKnight left Martin's Ferry two hours before the burglary could have taken place. After the state had put its case and the defense was nearly through, Prosecuting Attorney Weems asked that the jury might be instructed to find a verdict of not guilty. The verdict was made and signed by the foreman in the box.

Williams was a few days ago sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

Joe Taylor, one of the Parker robbers, plead guilty. The sentence will be pronounced next week. Ed Hoover will be tried on the same charge to-day.

A Malodorous Dive Again.

Yesterday May Warner swore out a warrant for Louis Bachelli, the Italian who kept the "Green Willow" saloon, on Market street, above Tenth, until lately refused a license. She charged him in Squire Gillespy's court with selling beer without a license. Out of this case grew a number of arrests of women who live in the dive back of the saloon. Louis gave bond, and the women were sent to jail to secure their appearance for a hearing.

Four Cases Yesterday.

In the police court yesterday William Hill, a plain drunk, was let go, and William Gore, a disorderly, was fined $1 and costs. The cases of Ike Woolf, for violating the new awning ordinance, and Peter Brasi, an Italian peanut vendor, for obstructing the sidewalk, were postponed until this morning.

Harry Temple Back in Jail.

By the condition of the bail bond of Harry Tempie, the bigamist, he was to appear in the criminal court on Monday, but he did not do so. Yesterday he appeared, and his bondsmen surrendered him, and he was again locked up in the county jail.

Two Disorderly Women.

Last evening Emma Brown and Emma Thompson, two well known prostitutes, were drunk and raising a disturbance around the hill, when Officer Wilkie pulled them in, and they spent the night behind the bars.

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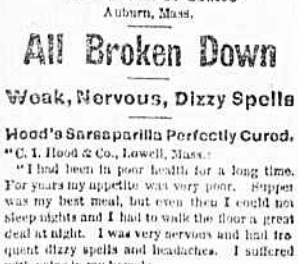

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House of three rooms, Market street, Centre Wheeling, $900.
House of ten rooms, brick, Market street, Fifth ward, easy terms, $7,000.
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No. 2509 Alley B	7 00
No. 2504 Market street, four rooms	10 00
No. 18 Twenty-fifth street	7 00
No. 1721 Eoff street, second floor	6 00
No. 120 Seventeenth street, second floor	7 00
No. 63 Alley D	7 00
No. 2506 Jacob street	13 00
No. 2510 Jacob street	13 00
Store rooms, Main and Twenty-first streets for	$9 00, $16 00, 20 00
No. 1012 Chapline street, four rooms	10 00
No. 2502 Main street	9 00
No. 2508 Main street	9 00
No. 16 Twenty-fifth street	6 00
No. 2502 Main street, three rooms	6 00
Five-roomed house on South Elm street	14 00
No. 2151 Main street, four rooms	10 00
No. 104 Nineteenth street	9 00
No. 1527 Chapline street, office room	9 00
No. 1721 Eoff street, second floor	7 00
No. 1229 McColloch street	10 50
Saloon and dwelling, Martin's Ferry, adjoining C. & P. depot	30 00
No. 23 Twentieth street	25 00
No. 2318 Market street	22 00
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No. 175 Seventeenth street, two rooms	5 00
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No. 905 Main street, twelve rooms and bath.
Office rooms in Hibbard Block, 1314 Market St.
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Six-roomed frame dwelling at Leatherwood.
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No. 22 Virginia street, ten rooms, frame.
No. 833 Market street, eight rooms, brick.
No. 1210 Jacob street, five rooms, frame, $1,050.
No. 2349 Chapline street, eight rooms, brick, $4,500.
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