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Career of a Murderess.

The Paris correspondent of the New York *Times*, in his latest letter, furnishes the following history of one of the most fiendish wretches of the age. We copy:

The wretch Probst, no doubt, seems to you, in America, the most ferocious incarnation of the sanguinary villain; but the Frenchman, Philippe, far outstrips in flagitious cruelty the German assassin of Philadelphia, and even Philippe himself is but a plagiary, so far as the number of his unfortunate victims is concerned, of a woman who signalized herself in Paris during the rule of the Directory.

One day, at the period mentioned, the proprietor of a furnished hotel in the Rue de l'Universite, appeared before the Minister of Police, and informed that functionary that a murder had been committed in his (hotel keeper's) house. On the previous evening, he said, a stranger had taken a room, stating his residence to be Melun, and his purpose to spend two or three days in Paris. After ordering his baggage to be carried to his apartment, the newcomer went out, giving notice that he was going to the Odeon Theatre, and should not return to the hotel until the termination of the performance. Near midnight he reappeared, accompanied by a young and very pretty woman, dressed in male attire, who, he said, was his wife.

The next morning, at an early hour, the pretended *spouse* left the house, requesting that her husband might not be disturbed until her return, which would be in about an hour. At noon she was still absent, and hearing nothing stirring in her room occupied by the gentleman from Melun, the landlord began to feel uneasy, and rapped at the stranger's door. Receiving no answer from within, the hotel keeper sent for a duplicate key to the apartment, upon entering which the unfortunate man was found lifeless in his bed. A doctor was hastily summoned, who, after a brief examination of the body, declared that death had been produced by a blow on the left temple, inflicted by means of a blunt instrument.

It was evident that the assassination had been committed by the woman in male attire, and every effort was made by the police to discover her whereabouts, but ineffectually. A month subsequently another murder was committed under similar circumstances, except that on this occasion the victim, also a traveler, had gone to his room quite alone. At a later hour, however, an effeminate-looking young man came down stairs, and was let out by the porter of the hotel, who remembered the fact on the following morning, when the crime was discovered.

This affair created great excitement in Paris, and redoubled exertions were made by the police to ferret out the mysterious assassin, but still without result. Eleven days afterwards, a third victim perished in precisely the same manner as the preceeding two, and in the course of a few months, no less than twenty men lost their lives by means so exactly identical that no doubt was entertained that the murderous blows were all inflicted by the same hand.

Stung to the quick, Fouche, the Minister of Police, set all his spies at work, and offered a large reward for the discovery of the author of these unparalleled crimes.

One evening a certain B——, a member of the secret police who had the appearance of a provincial gentleman, was passing through a narrow street of the *Cite*, when he encountered a handsome, equivocal looking youth. B—— stopped, turned, and said to himself, "That's a woman in male garb. If it should be, *she!*"

At the same time the handsome stranger also turned, and smiled an encouraging smile.

"That settles the question," murmured the delighted spy. "Now, if I manage things cautiously, my fortune is made."

And, retracing his steps, he accosted the unknown.

"I have something very particular to say to you," whispered B——, with a knowing leer; "but it is not possible for us to talk freely in the open street. Might I not invite you to accompany me to my hotel?"

"I suppose you take me to be a woman?" was the reply, in a soft voice. "You are quite mistaken, my good sir! I don't mind having a chat with you, however; where are you staying?"

"In the Rue de l'Universite!"

"Indeed! I am too well known to go there."

"I am on the right track," thought the spy. "Well, then," he said aloud, "we will go wherever you like."

"Done," replied the other.

And, crossing the river, the pair presently entered a small hotel on the Place du Chatelet, engaged an apartment, and ordered supper to be served in their room.

"If I am to remain with you during your stay in Paris," said the young woman, who no longer attempted to conceal her sex, "you had better have your baggage brought here."

B——, overjoyed at the opportunity thus offered to lodge the necessary information at the Central Police Station near by, at once assented to this suggestion, and declared that he would go himself, pay his bill, and bring a box of silks he had at the other hotel. After an hour's absence he returned, accompanied by two porters, carrying on their shoulders a large and apparently heavy box, which they deposited in the corner of the room. The supper previously ordered was now served.

"Your walk must have made you thirsty," said the young woman, pouring out a glass of wine for her companion. "But, before you sit down, have the kindness to give me my handkerchief, which I left over there on the sofa."

Suspecting some trick, B——, while crossing the room, watched his new acquaintance closely, and saw her throw a powder into the glass of wine, which, instead of swallowing, he dexterously managed to spill on the carpet. In a few moments he showed signs of drowsiness and began to murmur incoherent words. Drawing the syren near him, he felt something in her pocket which excited his curiosity. Upon asking what it was, she produced the object—a beautiful little hammer.

"This," said she, "is an opiate of the most powerful description. I'll show you presently how it puts people to sleep."

B—— had fallen to the floor, in an apparent state of complete unconciousness. Stooping over him, the murderess raised her anticipated victim's head, placed it in the most favorable position to render the blow effective, and had already raised the pretty little hammer, when suddenly the box in the corner flew open with a loud noise, and a grip of iron seized her uplifted arm.

On the trial, which took place shortly afterward, the female assassin alleged, in her defense, that she had been ruined by a villain, and had sworn to be avenged upon the entire male sex. This romantic story, however, did not prevent her conviction and subsequent death on the scaffold.

Curiosity of Memory.

A very singular defect of verbal memory, is the difficulty felt by nine persons out of ten, in remembering proper names, at the same time that the possession of such name is felt to be the key to the whole knowledge of the subject. A man's face, figure, voice, in fact the man himself, in bodily presence before us, frequently fails to recall to us who he is, and what have been our relations to him. For all we can remember, he may have been an old acquaintance, or a man who traveled with us yesterday in the railway, or a tradesman from whom we bought a pair of gloves. We know that we have seen him before, and that is all. The when—the where—and how, we cannot remember. At the same time we are quite aware that if we could only recall his name, we should instantly remember all we ever knew about him. His name is the hook to which we have hung every fact in our collection, and in our hurry we cannot find it. By-and-by memory supplies us with the missing name and then all is clear. Our vague stare is exchanged for the cordial recognition, and we exclaim: "How strange I should have forgotten your name for a moment! I remembered your face quite well, but could not tell where we had met." It is said that persons who have received injuries of the brain, and those who are failing in old age, suffer in a special degree from this difficulty of remembering proper names, which may therefore be considered the most weak point in this very weak faculty. A familiar yet unaccountable fact connected therewith, is the greater facility with which we recover the lost clue when we do not directly strive to recover it, but occupy ourselves in some other thoughts, leaving some unknown, unconcious faculty to work at the required search. As a star seems brighter when we are not looking directly at it, but a few degrees aside, so a word which we seek seems to come out of obscurity in our recollection when we have turned our direct mental vision a little away to other objects. Memory is a coy and wilful witness, who will not be interrogated with point-blank questions, nor brow-beaten by cross-examination. She remains silent and sulky when so treated, but as soon as she is humored by being left at peace, she comes forward of her own accord, and volunteers the information we desire. How, or why this should be so, it seems difficult to understand. The action of the unconscious mental powers is even more marvellous than the faculties, which work in the daylight of our cognizance.

Forced Marriage Among the Negroes—The Freedmen's Bureau.

That the negro race is doomed to ultimate extinction in consequence of their suddenly acquired freedom, is a fact too palpable to be denied. The mortality among them, in every locality, is frightful. It is impossible to teach them to observe the laws of health, and equally impossible to make them pay any regard to the laws of decency. On the plantations they were compelled to observe the marriage relation, and such a thing as promiscuous intercourse was unknown. But now these salutary restraints are all removed, and in every negro community they live like the brutes of the field. So glaring has this evil become among the negroes who have congregated around this city, that Gen. Howard has ordered that all the negroes shall be married by force. This order is now being carried out, and it gives rise to the most ludicrous and the most disgusting scenes. Every evening large squads of negroes of both sexes and all ages are made to stand up before the Bureau, the men (or rather the male beasts, for they are little better) are compelled to take hold of the hands of the females, and the marriage ceremony is then recited to them by the agent, and they are pronounced married. The negroes, in every instance, are opposed to the whole thing, grumbling at it loudly and openly, and declare that they are free, and free to live with any woman they please. The idea that they will pay any regard to these forced marriages, is absurd. Over four hundred couples were thus forcibly married last week. If white men and white women in Washington had committed the offenses for which these negroes were *married*, they would have been severely punished by the laws. But negroes are allowed to commit such crimes with impunity.—*Chicago Times.*

Drinking Greens with his Licker.

Col. Marcy, in his "Thirty Years Frontier Service," tells of a Virginian who, on testing the whiskey of an Arkansas host, found it rather raw and unpalatable, and mixed it in the shape of a "mint julep," which was a novel idea to the Arkansian. The latter, however, was delighted with the new style of drink, indulged in it quite liberally, and learned the method of concocting it.

The Virginian continued on his journey toward Texas, and in due course of time set out to return. On arriving at the house before mentioned, he concluded he would call and renew his acquaintance with his friendly old host. Accordingly, he rode up to the gate, and seeing one of the boys of the family standing near, asked him: "How is the old gentleman, your father, my son?"

The boy, with an air of the most perfect indifference, replied: "Why, the ole man's dead, stranger."

"Is it possible? How long since?"

"About two weeks, stranger."

"Ah, indeed! Pray, what was the matter with the poor old gentleman, my son?"

"Waal, now, stranger, I'll tell ye what it war. Thar war an old fellar from Virgine, he com'd along this way last summer, and he jist ups and larns the ole man to drink greens in his licker, and you can bet your life on t, it knocked him higher nor a kite!"

Upon the Virginian's suggesting to the boy that it might have been possible the bad quality of the whiskey exercised a more deleterious influence upon his father's health than the mint, he replied:

"No, stranger, it war not the whiskey, for we've allers used licker in our family, and though it made ole mom powerful weak, yet it never phazed ole pop arry time—no, it war the greens, as sure as yer born."

Snake Story.

A few days ago a boy in Appanoose county, Iowa, killed a snake that measured sixteen feet and two inches in length, and one foot and eight inches around the body. He came upon the snake about noon, and thinking, perhaps, that it would be wise to look for a more healthy locality, took a bee-line toward home. Snake pursued. Boy ran awhile, got mad, and determined to fight it out on that line. He seized a club and turned upon the enemy. The snake was not prepared for this show of courage—faced about and began to retreat. Boy now pursued, and hit the enemy a blow across the back. Snake turned upon the boy again, and was killed by a blow on the head.

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