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MYSTERIOUS FATE STALKS WEALTHY FAMILY OF TOLEDO

Latest Member, a Woman, in Mad Boaze After Sister Disappears

Toledo, O., Feb. 6.—Pursued by a mysterious nemesis, the Warren family of Toledo is nearing extinction. A quarter of a century ago the Warrens were considered among the wealthiest and most influential residents of this city.

The finding of the body of Mary Warren, which had been lifeless for at least three weeks, and of her sister Nanette, guarding it, in a Los Angeles apartment, is the last chapter in the misfortunes of the Warrens. Nanette was hopelessly insane and apparently had not eaten since she began her endless vigil over the corpse of the last of her relatives.

The sisters who left less than two years ago for Los Angeles, afford the police of the California city one of its greatest puzzles. The officials there first worked on the theory that the women had lost their fortune in bad speculations and were too proud to let their plight be known to the world, preferring to starve to death in their room rather than flaunt their poverty before their friends.

However, local authorities set the westerners working on another theory for an inquiry here revealed that Nanette, the lone survivor, is heiress to an estate of more than \$500,000, including the Warren place of Toledo, farm in the valley of the Maumee river in northwestern Ohio, plantations and beet sugar interests in California and plantations in the south.

Father Mysteriously Disappears

The first mystery affecting the Warrens occurred in 1878 when Samuel Warren, founder of the fortune and father of the two girls, disappeared. Detectives searched the city, the home, the ponds, wells, and cisterns of the community, and a nation-wide inquiry was made but the retired manufacturer apparently had dropped from the world. At least he was never heard from. Five years later Mrs. Warren died suddenly, physicians asserting death was due to apoplexy.

Samuel Warren had been one of the pioneer business men and manufacturers of Toledo. He was born in Tecumseh, Mich., in 1818, but came here an orphan in a lively stable. He was thrifty and frugal and became owner of the barn. Later he became prominent as a breeder of fine horses. He accumulated a competence after organizing a buggy and wagon factory here.

He married Miss Mary von Gorton of Berne, Switzerland. The disappearance of her father affected the reason of his youngest daughter, Mary, and this mind blight was augmented by the mother's death. Mary losing the power of speech. For twenty-five years the two sisters lived here at the family home. Miss Nanette conducting all the business of the estate. She was known as a man later and it is said you'd never consider matrimony, as she thought all men were after her money. According to dispatches from Los Angeles, it was not known there that Mary was insane. Apparently Nanette, the elder, who is about 50 years old, took advantage of the fact that her sister resembled her, and at times posed as herself and then again as her sister.

When Warren disappeared his only relatives were his wife and two children. The wife also was without relatives other than her two daughters. According to friends of the girls in Los Angeles, Nanette, after living with her insane sister for more than twenty-five years, completely lost her reason, with the death of Mary. Nanette probably would have died before being found, had not the suspicions of their landlady become aroused. The landlady tried to enter the room for several days before the police broke in, but each time a voice which grew weaker at each visit said: "You can do nothing. Please go away."

However, during the last three days no answer came to repeated knocks on the door, and finally the police were called. When they burst into the room they found Nanette sitting on the foot of the bed on which the body of her sister lay. Her eyes were staring with the unobscured stare of a maniac and she kept pulling with her left hand at the thumb of the right. She made no outcry.

In the room were silk dresses, diamonds and other valuables, but no food. Wealth, culture and refinement was evidenced in the decorations and the clothing. There also was a half filled bottle of chloroform on a table. The cracks in the windows and doors were stuffed with rags leading the police to believe that Mary may have committed suicide and that Nanette lost her reason before she followed her sister's action. It is believed that all the "meat at Mary's death, whether it was natural or not, Nanette had watched by bedside with nothing to eat save the few scraps which remained in the room. Physicians say Mary must have been dead at least three weeks before her body was found.

Nanette would not eat when food was brought her, and she was fed by force by the matrons. Later she was taken to the detention hospital.

TWO LITTAUERS ESCAPE PRISON FOR SMUGGLING

New York, Feb. 6.—Lucius N. Littauer, a former congressman, and his brother, William, were fined \$1,000 each and sentenced to six months in jail today for smuggling. The jail sentences, however, were suspended. The brothers had admitted bringing into this country without duty valuable jewels intended for gifts to William Littauer's wife.

United States District Attorney Marshall had urged that the full penalty of the law be imposed and pointed out that the Littauers, as glove

manufacturers, had benefited by the protective tariff.

In suspending the jail sentence, Judge Thomas warned the offenders that this would not be his policy in the future.

"If any distinction is to be made," the judge said, "it appeals to me that it should be in favor of an uneducated person. For an ex-congressman so far to forget his oath taken five times and knowing so well the provisions of the laws he helped to frame, seems to me inexcusable. A money penalty is no punishment at all for those well able to pay and a travesty on justice."

Judge Thomas added that the fact that the defendants had pleaded guilty and made restitution by paying the government \$14,000, and also the ill-health of Lucius Littauer, had been taken into consideration in dealing with them.

Champion Willis Ritchie says he will get out of the game if he has to postpone another fight.

ROBBED BY THUGS AND BURIED ALIVE

Cleveland, O., Feb. 6.—Beaten, robbed and buried alive was the fate of Robert Mercer, timekeeper at the new city hall building, who had been missing since Dec. 21, and whose body was dug up from the sub-basement today by Detective Shibley. Police declare an arrest will be made soon.

The young man's mother, Mrs. Jennie Mercer of Pittsburgh, was responsible for finding the body. She has been in Cleveland the last two months, searching for her son. Guided by intuition, she prevailed upon the detectives to search the basement for the body. It was found, buried three feet deep. The arms were folded across the breast and the knees were drawn up.

Buried While Still Alive. Coroner Byrne, after an autopsy, asserted Mercer was beaten on the head with a club, knocked senseless, and then buried alive by his assailants, who thought they had killed him.

When Mercer was last seen near the new city hall on Dec. 21 he had with him \$100, given him by his mother, and diamonds and jewelry valued at \$1,000. When the body was found the money was missing, but the jewelry and diamonds were intact.

It is believed that after the robbers had struck their victim they became frightened and overlooked the jewelry. Mercer had boarded at the Middleberger hotel, and his roommate, Harry Cooper, said the last he saw of him was at the city hall, where he had spoken about going to Pittsburgh for the holidays. The night watchman says he saw him at the new building and that in reply to a question he had said he was going home.

Was to Meet Fiancee. The young man had, in fact, made arrangements to attend a Christmas dinner at the home of his fiancee, Miss Alma McMillan, at Pittsburgh. When he failed to keep his appointment, Mrs. Mercer and Miss McMillan came here to search for him, but diligent efforts on the part of the police failed to uncover any clue.

After the police gave up the search Mrs. Mercer remained here and yesterday declared she had a premonition that the young man's body was buried under the city hall. Detective Shibley thought there might be something in her intuition and, with a gang of workmen, began the search. In the sub-basement the detective found a place where the dirt had recently been removed. The body soon was disclosed.

The American association will go back to the four-trip schedule, because several of the A. A. magnate are opposed to having their teams away from home too long on a single stretch.

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WEBB BROTHERS

The Weather

Table with columns for location (Bismarck, North Dakota, Friday, February 6, 1914) and weather conditions (clear, snow, etc.)

WEATHER FORECAST

THU P. M. Saturday. For North Dakota—Generally fair tonight and Saturday; somewhat higher temperature north and west portions tonight; light to moderate variable winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

The high pressure area is slowly moving eastward but is central yet over the upper Missouri valley, the eastern Rocky mountain slope and the Canadian northwest, and over this region the temperatures are extremely low. This combination is followed by lower pressure and will result in generally fair weather tonight and Saturday, somewhat higher temperature in the north and west portions of the state tonight, with light to moderate variable winds.

ORRIS W. ROB-RTS. Official in Charge.

Four ex-Giants, Broomfield, Powerman, Dahlen and Tenney, having failed as managers, it is up to Robinson, Herzog and McCormick to show that the McGraw school can turn out successful pilots.

COXEY TO LEAD ARMY TO CHICAGO CITY HALL

Chicago, Feb. 5.—Jacob S. ("General") Coxe, leader of the famous "Coxey's Army" march to Washington in 1894, arrived in Chicago yesterday. He said he had been invited to lead a march of Chicago's unemployed men and women through the streets to the city hall.

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A Farmer's Logic

Two farmers were discussing the advantages of a bank account from a farmer's standpoint. "But," said the first, "I am so far from town it is inconvenient for me to come in to do my banking." "All the more reason," his companion replied, "why you should have an account. When you have a check to deposit simply endorse it over to the bank and mail it to them. They will credit and receipt you. Then when you buy anything, pay by check. That's the way others pay you. That's up-to-date business. Is the argument not logical?"

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