

URNS UP ALIVE.

A Man Supposed to be Murdered is Discovered By an Old Acquaintance.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 7.—For some years past a bitter feud has existed between the Hatfield and McCoy families, who live in the vicinity of the junction of Peter creek and Tug river in the eastern part of Kentucky. A year or more ago on election day one of the Hatfields was brutally butchered and three of the McCoy's was charged with the crime. They were arrested and while in jail were taken from the hands of the officers by an organized band of men and transferred to Virginia. After being kept there a few days they were secretly carried across the border back into Kentucky, and their bodies riddled with shots were found tied to trees a day later. This cold blooded triple murder caused much excitement at the time, and five of the Hatfield family are now under indictment charged with its commission. A short time after the last murder occurred a German appeared in that part of the country, who professed to be interested in the undeveloped silver mines of that section. He gave out the report that he was about to start down the river for the purpose of securing some necessary machinery, and getting all ready to start, suddenly disappeared. His very sudden disappearance caused much comment, especially since on the river bank below were found some of his clothing and a scattered deck of cards he was known to have in his possession. This had the appearance of foul play, and the river was dragged, but no trace of him could be found. No one knew who the man was, and all sorts of theories were current. It was generally believed that the man was a detective, and that he had been put out of the way for reasons known to those who did it. The Hatfield family were charged with the murder also in addition to those of the McCoy, although they were particularly eager in the search for some trace of him. All hope of finding the man was given up and he was almost forgotten, until a few weeks ago, when W. H. C. White, a traveling salesman of this city was passing through Gates' station on the Elizabethtown, Lexington & Big Sandy railroad, and this same German, whose name is not known, and whom Mr White had been acquainted with on Tug river, boarded the train and entered into conversation with him for a few seconds. The man left the train as it pulled out of the station, and Mr. White had no time to question him closely, but he was willing to make an affidavit to the man's identity. So the Hatfields are credited with one murder too many.

Accidents and Suicides.

From the Toronto Mail.

ST. JOHNS, Nfld., Nov. 7.—The coal-sheds on the south side of the harbor fell this morning, crushing several laborers. Walsh and Guess were taken out dead. Four were dragged out seriously wounded. It is feared that others were buried in the coal heap.

BELLEVILLE, Nov. 7.—Alphens Brickman fell from a wagon in Ameliasburg Friday evening and broke three of his ribs.

PETERBORO, Nov. 7.—Saturday night Arthur Tomlinson was accidentally shot by Dildine Phillips, in Chandos township, this county. While the two were walking together Phillips drew and fired his revolver to test the weapon. He was about to fire a second shot, but the revolver went off prematurely, the ball entering the right side of Tomlinson's chest. There was no doctor in the district, and a man had to be dispatched thirty miles in order to procure medical aid. Tomlinson died yesterday, having previously declared that the shooting was accidental. Phillips is in gaol.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Nov. 7.—Peter Brockwit, freight agent of the West Shore railroad, suicided this morning. His son was recently killed by Indians in Texas, and since then his mind has been affected.

READING, Pa., Nov. 7.—Calvin Haines, his wife, and three children were poisoned last night by eating bologna sausage. They were all seized with spasms and vomiting. The youngest child died, the others are still ill.

MIDLAND, Ont., Nov. 5.—Thomas Harkley, a resident of this place, was drowned off his yacht, near Bousley island, on Friday night or Saturday morning. An Indian living on the island, whom he was in company with, reports that he left him to watch the boat while he went on the shore for the night. On returning in the morning, no trace of Harkley could be found. The report reaching here, a party went out and searched the vicinity, and after a long search found his body near the shore in about two feet of water. It is supposed as he is well advanced in years, that he missed his footing and fell overboard.

ST. JEAN PORT JOLI, Quebec, Nov. 5.—On Saturday three men from St. Aubert started on a spree, and when on their way home one of them named Henri Chouinard fell from the vehicle intoxicated and was left on the public road by his companions. Yesterday fears were entertained as to his whereabouts, and a gang of men went in search of him. He was only found this morning, lying dead, and was taken to his residence at St. Aubert. An inquest will be held.

Alarming Mortality

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 7.—The great mortality in connection with the Home of Bethlehem, conducted by the Gray Nuns, has given rise to considerable comment. The government inspector's report shows that 171 out of the 193 children admitted to the Home the past year died there. Since 1880 the institution has started the community and led the city council to instruct the medical health officer to investigate the operations of the above charity. The Home of Bethlehem is a lying in hospital where unfortunate women seek shelter during their illness, and their illegitimate offspring are farmed out at so much per capita.

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