

EX-HUSBAND HAS TO PAY

Trouble with Verdict Given Wife Is That It Is Too Small.

SHE CARED FOR HIM WHEN ILL

Had Obtained a Divorce before Her Tender Ministrations and So Regarded It As Purely Business Proposition—Appeals Case to County Court.

Battleboro, July 22.—The case of Helen M. Moore against her former husband, J. M. Moore, both of Newfane, was tried this morning at South Newfane before Justice John Morse and a verdict was rendered in favor of the plaintiff to recover \$24.76 and costs. Mrs. Moore had secured a divorce but later when Mr. Moore fell sick she was engaged as a nurse for her former husband but refused to pay her wages and she sued for \$125. When the verdict was given the defendant appealed to the county court and the case will be tried at the September term.

HINT AT FOUL PLAY

Negro's Death at Winhall May Not Be Due to Stenobolism.

Manchester, July 22.—Deputy Sheriff M. J. Carey and J. H. Hix have been investigating the death of David Bradshaw of Winhall, the negro, who was found dead July 10, at the house in Farmville owned by the late John Parish, for many years an omnibus on the Rutland railroad. At the time of his discovery, Dr. Rogers S. Clowson examined the body and declared that death was due to stenobolism. A bottle of whiskey was found near the dead man, and residents claim he had been drinking for some days. Health Officer George Smith issued the necessary burial certificate, and the body was buried at Manchester Center by the authorities. A plan, which is being closely followed, may, it is hinted, lead to some interesting and astonishing revelations.

CHAMPLAIN TRICENTENARY

The New York and Vermont Commissions to Hold Joint Meeting in August.

Albany, N. Y., July 22.—The New York-Lake Champlain tricentenary commission, consisting of Governor Hughes, Lieutenant Governor Woodworth and Assemblymen Downing and Foley, Frank S. Witherspoon of Port Henry and Judge John H. Booth of Plattsburgh, organized here today. Walter H. Crockett of St. Albans, representing the Vermont State commission of which Governor Fletcher D. Proctor is chairman met with the commission. Plans were taken to arrange a meeting of the two State commissions in August. The celebration will be held early in July 1899, and will include that of the centennial of first steam navigation on Lake Champlain. It is hoped that the government of the Dominion of Canada and of the French republic as well as the United States government, will join in the celebration.

COWBOY AS A MAYOR.

Jim Dahlman, of Omaha, Made No Attempt to Conceal His Record.

(From the Denver Field and Farm.

Tall oaks from little acorns grow, and James G. Dahlman is one of them. He went into the live stock commission business in Omaha a few years ago. He looked the ground over and decided it was time the city had a Democratic mayor. They had had none for seventeen years, and Dahlman started out to break the spell. He announced himself as a candidate. The old-timers said: "Well, he's got nerve. Only lived here a few years and wants to be mayor? Nothing in it, gentlemen; positively nothing in it." But there was something in it, for he was nominated by the Democrats. The opposition put up a most respectable and high-minded person who used a glove when shaking hands with the voters. "Cowboy" retorted the opposition, "cowboy? Ya-ah, nothing but a cowboy!" "Fine," said Dahlman, "cowboy is good enough for me. I'll put my chips on that."

A night or two after the cowboy reproach began to circulate Dahlman went to a meeting and made a speech. "They've been out West looking up my record," he said, "and they find I have been a cowboy. You bet I was a cowboy, and I want to say here that I was a good cowboy. No steer ever came down the pike that was too big or too swift or too ugly for me to rope and tie. No horse ever came out of the corral that I couldn't ride until he was tame to a frazzle. No bronco could buck me off, and no broncho can yet. And I want to say to you people of Omaha that I am still a cowboy, and if any of your grafters and crooks come to me when I'm mayor—for I am going to be mayor—I'll rope and hog the 'em and brand 'em quicker than I ever roped and tied a steer, and that's going soon."

Whereupon there were loud cries, and the opposition took a new tack. "He played poker," they said. "You bet I played poker," answered Dahlman. "And I play poker now, and if there is any man in this audience who ever got in with me and didn't know he had

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CHILD ALMOST A SOLID SORE

From Skin Disease from Blrth Until Six Years Old—Father Spent Fortune on Her Without Benefit—Old Doctor Suggested Cuticura, which Cured Her in Two Months, Leaving

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"I have a cousin in Rockingham Co. who once had a skin disease from her birth until she was six years of age. Her father had spent a fortune on her to get her cured and none of the treatments did her good. Old Dr. G. suggested that he try the Cuticura Remedies which he did. When he commenced to use it the child was almost a solid sore. He had used it about two months and the child was well. I was there when they commenced to use your Cuticura Remedies. I stayed that week and then returned home and stayed two weeks and then went back and stayed with them two weeks longer and when I went home I could hardly believe she was the same child. Her skin was as soft as a baby's without a scar on it. I have not seen her in seventeen years but I have heard from her and the last time I heard from her she was well. That is where I became acquainted with Cuticura. I hope this may be of some service to you in the future. Mrs. W. F. Ugle, Burlington, N. C., June 16, 1905."

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been in a poker game after he got through I want him to stand up so I can see the color of his hair." More loud cries and tumult and miscellaneous noise. Meantime, Dahlman, now organized his cowboy quartet, four young fellows who could sing, dressed them in cowboy rig, shirts and all, with big pistols and bronchos, and the cowboy quartet permeated Omaha, singing and firing pistols at every Dahlman meeting and bringing out great crowds. It looked like a trap for Dahlman. The opposition was nervous. "He couldn't write a veto message grammatically or make a grammatical speech if he was elected," they said. "Now, here," said Dahlman. "I was born out in a frontier town and there were seven of us in the family. There was a real school house a few miles away, and we didn't get much schooling, because we had to work pretty hard to help out our daddy and support the family. I'll admit I ain't very strong on grammar, but I've got horse sense. I suppose I can hire a man to write my veto message for me and my speeches, and fix them up nice and grammatical. I suppose I can do that and it won't cost me much—but I want to tell you folks I'm not going to do it. Whenever a crooked ordinance comes up to me I'll take the biggest bottle of red ink I can find and the sturdiest pen and I'll write across it: 'Nothing doing, Jim Dahlman' and that'll be grammatical enough for you to understand." The noise and cheering which followed this announcement were something sensational. The Omaha people liked Dahlman's talk, apparently, for they gave him 3,000 plurality, and the cowboy is in the mayor's office, roping and tying them, just as he said he would.

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Freight Running on Its Time Able to Stop and Remove Obstruction—The Miscreants Placed Ties Back on Rails but Again Failed.

Bent Run, July 22.—An attempt was made late this afternoon to wreck the northbound flyer on the Rutland railroad. Ties were placed across the track and the fact that the train, for which they were intended, was late, was the only thing that prevented a serious accident. A northbound freight train which leaves Bennington in the afternoon pulled out on the time of the flyer. When a few miles north, the engineer of the freight discovered the ties on the track and pulled up his train just in time to avert an accident. The ties were removed by the train crew and the freight proceeded to Manchester where the matter was reported. The southbound passenger from Manchester narrowly missed running into the ties at the same spot, the world-be wreckers having placed them back on the tracks again after the freight had passed. Previous attempts have been made to wreck the flyer under cover of night.

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C. W. Warner Shot Young Woman Who Had Formerly Worked for Him.

FIRE UPON HIS PURSUERS

Did Not Hit Any of Them—Later Appeared in Store of a Friend, Asked for a Loan of \$10 and Shot the Man When He Turned to Get the Money.

New York, July 22.—Miss Esther Norling, aged 23, was shot and almost instantly killed today. It is alleged by Charles W. Warner, her former employer, as she was entering a haberdashery in West 42nd street, where she was employed as bookkeeper. Warner, it is charged by the police, fired several shots at A. R. Spicer, manager of the store, while effecting his escape. Warner fled to the sporting goods store of A. G. Spaulding & Co. West 42nd street, and although 20 policemen surrounded the building and searched it no trace of Warner could be found. The police believe Warner is unbalanced by business reverses and other troubles. Miss Norling lived at Ridenfield Park, N. J. She reached her place of employment early today and had to wait until Spicer opened the door. Miss Norling entered first and started toward the cashier's desk. Spicer stopped to place a block under the door to keep it open. Miss Norling had reached the door of the store when a shot was fired. Spicer looked up and saw the man had walked past him while he was stooping over. Miss Norling half reeled and looked at the man who fired the shot. "It's Charlie Warner. He shot me!" she cried. Warner held a revolver in his hand and Spicer tried to intercept him. Spicer says, fired his revolver, missing him. Spicer seized a bracket to protect himself when Warner fired another shot. Warner then slipped out the door and started along 42nd street crowded with persons going to work. A messenger boy saw Warner running with a revolver and threw a brick at the fleeing man. The brick struck him in the back, angered Warner, turned and fired his revolver at the messenger boy. His arm was wild and he threw the weapon at the boy, though there was another bullet in it. Spicer, who was running after Warner, saw the gun and made a dash for it. Warner saw the move and ran for the gun, seizing it before Spicer could reach the weapon. He aimed and fired up the street to the Spaulding establishment, through which he ran, escaping by means of a rear fire escape after shooting at a policeman who chased him. Spicer said Warner, who is about 30, had been calling almost constantly for Miss Norling each evening and she had complained that his attentions had annoyed her. Spicer said Miss Norling often expressed the opinion that Warner was partly crazed from a business failure two years ago.

SHOT HIS FRIEND WILSON.

Several hours after the shooting of Miss Norling, Warner appeared at the hat store of John C. Wilson on Broadway and asked Wilson, whom he knew, for a loan of \$10. Wilson turned to get the money. Warner shot him in the back and right arm, inflicting serious wounds. Warner then fled from the store, brushing aside the employees who attempted to bar his way, but upon reaching the sidewalk was intercepted by a truckman, who struck him over the head with a cotton hook. Warner fell insensible on the sidewalk and was turned over to the police. Warner's scalp was laid open by the hook and he was hurried to a hospital where it was stated there was little hope of his recovery. Wilson was taken to a hospital, where it was found one of Warner's bullets had lodged in his kidneys and his condition is critical.

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