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ROBBED THE PARSONAGE

Rev. S. H. Greene's Brother-in-Law Met Them Face to Face.

REVOLVER HELD TO HIS HEAD

The Pastor of Calvary Baptist Church and His Family Were at Divine Services When the Attempt Was Made—Their Work Was Done Boldly and Expediently—Missed a Large Sum of Money.

Another Sunday evening robbery was committed last night. Two unknown white men entering the house of Rev. S. H. Greene, No. 1322 Q street northwest, while the family was at church, and although the plunder did not exceed \$5, the boldness of the attempt places it on a par with any recently made.

As in the case of Rev. Dr. Butler a few weeks ago, Dr. Greene and the entire family were at church and the servant away. The robbers, after trying vainly to get in through the front window, forced open the basement door, and proceeded to make a systematic search of the premises.

Mr. J. M. Buzell, Dr. Greene's brother-in-law, returned home before the rest of the party, and upon entering the house heard some one moving around on the second floor, but supposing that it was Dr. Greene's son and a friend, paid no attention to the noise.

SAW THEY WERE STRANGERS. He moved around down stairs for a few minutes, when he heard some one coming down the steps, and turning to look saw that they were strangers.

He started to reach them to ask them what they wanted, but the men had reached the first floor, and one of them drawing a revolver covered Mr. Buzell with it, backing slowly out of the front door, while the other one ran down the steps and out into the street.

As soon as the one with the revolver got outside both men took to their heels, running down Kingman place, which opens on Q street a few doors from Mr. Greene's residence.

Mr. Buzell's cries for the police soon drew a large crowd, and several started in pursuit, but the men had too much of a start, and soon disappeared. A couple of policemen from the Eleventh precinct came up a few minutes after the men got away, and upon investigating the affair, arrived at the conclusion that they were the same men who robbed Dr. Butler's residence several Sundays ago.

MISSED A LARGE SUM. Mr. Buzell said that the men were white and were rather young looking, both about medium height. He could give no better description of them and does not think he could identify them as the affair took place late at night.

Dr. Greene says that there happened to be a large sum of money and a quantity of valuables in the house, which, fortunately, the robbers did not get touch of. They had evidently been in the house only a short time when Mr. Buzell returned, as they had ransacked only the second floor.

One that floor they pulled open bureau drawers and trunks, scattering their contents on the floor, but so far as could be ascertained last night they only succeeded in finding about five dollars in money.

Distinguished Patient's Condition. The condition of Representative Hitt, of Illinois, was practically unchanged last night. His physician is in constant attendance, and last night a consultation was held over him by two city physicians and a prominent specialist from Baltimore. He is desperately ill, but there is still hope for his recovery, and a total remission is not thought imminent.

Representative Cogswell, of Massachusetts, is better and is expected to improve steadily.

A Possible Franco-English Intestigation. Paris, April 21.—The Temps, referring to a statement that an agreement has been arranged between Great Britain and New Foundland on the French shore question, insists that this matter must be settled to Franco's approval before New Foundland enters the Dominion of Canada.

St. John, N. F., April 21.—The delegates who went to Ottawa to treat for the entrance of New Foundland into the Dominion, arrived here today.

Federal Meeting of Temperance Folks. There will be a fraternal meeting between the Sons of Jonathan and Good Templars at Harris Hall, corner Seventh and D streets northwest, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. Hope Council No. 11 of the Sons of Jonathan and District Lodge, No. 13, I. O. G. T., will participate. The meeting will be public, and several temperance speakers from both organizations will deliver addresses.

Earthquakes in Asiatic Russia. London, April 21.—A dispatch to the Times from Odessa says that there were severe earthquakes Friday at Tushand, Asiatic Russia.

LIVES LOST IN THE RIVER

Irving Lysle and Katie Canter Drowned at the Navy Yard.

THE KOWBOAT WAS CAPSIZED

They Tried to Exchange Places in the Boat, but the Young Lady Lost Her Balance, and, Catching Hold of Her Escort, Both Fell Overboard—Drowned Before Help Could Reach Them—One Body Recovered.

Irving Lysle and Miss Katie Canter, both well-known and popular residents of Anacostia, fell out of a row boat and were drowned a few hundred yards from the garbage wharf at the foot of South Capitol street yesterday afternoon about three o'clock.

Both the young people were members of the choir of Emmanuel Episcopal Church in Anacostia. Lysle, who was nineteen years old, having been a cross bearer there for about three years. They sang at the church service yesterday morning, and early in the afternoon hired a small row boat at French's wharf, at the foot of Eleventh street southeast, and started out for a row. They passed beneath the Anacostia bridge, and out toward the Eastern Branch by the Navy Yard, and were rowing toward the channel, off the foot of South Capitol street.

According to the story of James Martin, an Anacostia fisherman, who was the accident, Lysle was sitting in the bow of the boat and Miss Canter in the stern. Both got up and started to exchange places, but while they were in the process of changing places, when the young lady lost her balance, and, catching hold of Lysle, both plunged overboard.

THEY WENT DOWN TOGETHER, but while under the water, became separated, and on reaching the surface Miss Canter again seized Lysle around the waist. Lysle caught hold of the side of the boat and called for assistance, but probably becoming smothered with cold, and unable to support the weight of both, his hold on the boat broke and both went down.

When they came up the second time they were still together, but the third time they held on to each other, and were separated, and disappeared separately and were seen no more.

The police boat Joe Blackbird was telephoned for, but was in Georgetown, and when it came before it reached the scene of the disaster. Preparations were immediately made for dragging the river for the bodies, however, about 6:30 the small boat in command of Pilot Russell Dean, found the body of the young lady about 100 yards out in the stream off One-half street.

HER BODY RECOVERED. It was carried to the lumber-merchant's wharf, and the police ambulance from the Second precinct was sent for. The body was then removed to Miss Canter's late home in Anacostia.

All efforts to locate Lysle's body last night were unsuccessful. Harbor-master Sisson, however, will resume work early this morning.

Lysle had no regular occupation in Anacostia, but worked with his mother, Mrs. Perkins, on Monroe street. Miss Canter was eighteen years old, and kept house for her father, Mr. George T. Canter, at No. 215 F street northwest, and had been recovered from a protracted sick spell. Although not engaged, the two young people have been on friendly terms for several years.

Chief of Police Heston, for Mr. Canter's funeral last night, and the cemetery will probably take place tomorrow afternoon. Rev. W. G. Havensport, pastor of Emmanuel Episcopal Church, will officiate.

CARELESS WITH THE PISTOL

Marshall Tippet Shot in the Shoulder While Having Some Fun.

A serious accident occurred above the Chain bridge on the Virginia side of the river about noon yesterday, to Marshall T. Tippet, while he with two friends were practicing marksmanship with a revolver.

A young man, named Leary, had the pistol, which is a 32-caliber affair of old date, and was firing at a tin can on a tree stump. After the first shot Leary, it is said, missed, and, in a hurry to reload, he accidentally exploded while preparing for the second shot.

The latest shot in Tippet's left shoulder, below the bone, having some fun. The bullet, which was carried to his home on Louisiana road and secured. He is reported in a serious condition.

Tippet lives on his estate on the old Field farm and he lately returned from a Pennsylvania law school. He has a large number of friends in Georgetown and Philadelphia.

Numerous Small Hobbies. Richard N. Brooks, of No. 1700 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, reported at police headquarters yesterday that some time during the past week a suit of clothes and a pair of shoes were stolen from his house.

Miss Virginia S. Benjamin, of No. 2319 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, reported that a small gold watch was stolen from a bureau in her room about the 16th of the month.

Miss Mary Reed and Mary Johnson, of No. 2319 Pennsylvania avenue, reported stolen from their residence two pocket-books, one containing five dollars and the other ten dollars.

Mad Dog Killed at the Wharves. A mad dog started in on a terrifying career in the neighborhood of the oyster wharf at Twelfth and Water streets southwest about 5:30 o'clock Saturday evening, and during the few minutes he was permitted to run at large he succeeded in biting two other dogs and frightening several people. He was finally run down by Policeman Coffin, of the Fourth precinct, and Mr. James Birch, of the wharf, and killed by the latter.

Meeting of the Anti-Saloon League. There was a very large attendance at the meeting of the Anti-Saloon League, which was held at Zion Church, No. 335 F street southwest, yesterday afternoon.

Rev. L. B. Wilson presided, and addresses were made by H. H. Smith, Judge Asson S. Taylor, and Rev. W. J. Brooks. The subject of temperance in the District was fully discussed by the speakers. There were no resolutions passed.



Uncle Sam's Own Peculiar Game.

ASSAULTED BY A BRUTE

Mrs. Butts, of Fredericks, Barely Escapes a Negro's Clutches.

HELP ARRIVED NONE TOO SOON

Two Men Heard Her Cries, Rushed To the Rescue and Caught the Fellow After a Hot Chase in the Mountains—Captors Defend Their Prisoner From a Mob That Would Have Lynched Him.

Fredericks, Md., April 21.—Mrs. Thomas Butts, a highly respected farmer's wife living at Broad Run, fifteen miles from Fredericks, was brutally assaulted this morning by Frank Waterchief, a burly eighteen-year-old negro, who works on the farm of Col. J. Columbus Odonnell, near Petersville. Although he failed to accomplish his purpose, Mrs. Butts was financially distressed.

Mrs. Butts attended early mass at St. Mary's Catholic Church, four miles from her home, and was returning when the negro, who had been seen following her, overtook her on the road, and armed with a club, seized her, threw her to the ground and dragged her toward the bushes.

BEAVELY DEFENDED HIMSELF. He strenuously defended himself, and superhuman efforts were made to get away and sprang to her feet. Three times he threw her to the ground.

In the struggle he jammed his finger up her nostrils, tearing open her clothes, scratching and bruising her flesh and throwing her skirts over her head.

Frightened before accomplishing his purpose, he sprang up and fled. Notwithstanding the fierce struggle between the brute and his victim, Mrs. Butts still retained possession of her prayer book and her beads in her hands.

CHASED TO THE MOUNTAINS. Peter Hemp and David Majaha, who heard the screams, saw the negro running and started in hot pursuit. The route lay towards the mountains. After a chase of four miles, and after firing two shots at him, the negro halted and surrendered. In the meantime Mrs. Butts had been taken to her home.

On their return from the mountains with the negro, his captors were escorted by a mob, who demanded the surrender of the man, that they might take him to the woods and hang him.

Hemp and Majaha refused to give him up at the point of their drawn revolvers, escaped from the mob and brought Winterfield safely to Fredericks.

BUCHANAN'S LAST HOPE.

Gov. Morton Refrains to Interfere—Arrangements for the Election.

Sing Sing, N. Y., April 21.—Warden Sage, at noon today, sent to the twenty-seven invitations to the witnesses who are to be present at the execution of Dr. Buchanan.

This morning the warden received official notification from Gov. Morton that he had refused to interfere in the case and he went at once to the cell of the condemned man and said: "Buchanan, I am sorry to tell you that Gov. Morton has refused to interfere in your case."

Buchanan flushed, but without displaying emotion, replied simply: "Well, warden, you will telegraph to my wife and lawyer Gibbons that I want to see them at once."

BLOOD WAS ON HIS SHOE

Grotesque Find of the Police Relating to the Durant Murder.

THOUGH FOUND IN DR. GIBSON'S STUDY, THEY DO NOT SEEM TO REGARD IT AS IMPLICATING HIM.

San Francisco, Cal., April 21.—The police are still busy in picking up the threads and weaving their network of circumstances and evidence in the Emanuel Baptist Church case, so as to leave no weak mesh through which the accused can escape, for they believe they have the murderer in the person of W. H. E. Durant.

It is now thought they will make an endeavor to try Durant at on the charge of murdering Miss Lannon, as the evidence in that case is said to be much stronger against the prisoner than in the case of the killing of Miss Williams.

Referring to the rumor that Dr. Gibson, pastor of the church, and it was promised to perform a criminal operation on her to save her from disgrace and that when she shrieked in agony he caught her by the throat to still her cries and choked her to death, Dr. Barrett, the city attorney, stated the rumor was without foundation.

He also stated that both young women died at a restaurant near the church, and in Miss Williams' body were not the cause of death.

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MAIMED AND LEFT TO DIE

Murder of a Woman That Recalls Jack the Ripper.

BLEEDING IN A HALLWAY

Post-mortem Examination Disclosed the Shocking Fact that the Poor Creature Had Been Inhumanly Beaten and Stamped Upon and Internally Mutilated—Hemorrhage Was the Cause of Her Death.

New York, April 21.—A murder was brought to light in Bellevue Hospital this afternoon, which is suggestive in some of its details of the White Chapel crimes in London, that made "Jack the Ripper" notorious. The victim is a woman of the lowest class. Her name was Alice Walsh and she was well known in the resorts in the neighborhood of Bleecker and Thompson streets.

When the autopsy was performed upon her body, it was discovered that certain mutilations had been made which distinguished the White Chapel murders, although not so serious a character. Up to a late hour the murder had not been arrested, but one man who is thought to have some knowledge of the matter was held on suspicion.

The circumstances of the killing of Alice Walsh are peculiar in almost every aspect. About 5 o'clock this morning a woman was found in the hallway of No. 143 Thompson street half unconscious and bleeding.

The woman was conveyed to St. Vincent's Hospital and inquiries instituted at the tenement. No one who was there knew the name of the woman, but the night clerk of a restaurant readily identified her as Alice Walsh.

NEVER REAINED CONSCIOUSNESS. Every effort of the physicians to stop the blood poured futile, and the patient expired at 11:15 o'clock, having been in the institution less than four hours. During that period she showed no signs of returning consciousness, and died without indicating in any way how she met with the circumstances which resulted in her death.

In the course of the afternoon Dr. Philip O. Hahon, coroner's physician, made a post-mortem examination of the body and discovered the real cause of death. He found that the woman was bruised and black and blue in almost every part of her body.

He found also that she had been brutally mutilated with a knife or dagger, and that the wounds thus resulting had started the hemorrhage which had terminated fatally.

After much searching about the neighborhood the police found that the woman, in company with a tall, broad-shouldered man, who looked like an Italian, a woman known as "Gimp" Amanda, a girl called "Teenie," and another man, had spent a portion of the early morning hours in the saloon of E. N. Garland, at 108 West Houston street. While there the became greatly intoxicated, and she and her tall companion quarreled.

They left there, so far as could be ascertained, at about 4 o'clock, a. m. Where they went during the intervening two hours cannot now be told.

It is surmised that the man who killed her is the Italian stranger in whose company she was in Garland's saloon.

A woman in Bellevue Hospital, who had met her while serving a term on the island, said that she had been living with a man named Terence Collins, who, a short time ago, was sent to the Elmira Reformatory. After her lover had been sent away, Alice took up with an Italian, or a Spaniard, so the woman said.

Pete Mervin, the night clerk, is being held until further investigation is made. 1

Mystery of the Suicide Unsolved. Nothing has yet been heard of by the authorities in regard to the identity of the mysterious American House suicide. The number of visitors at Lee's undertaking establishment, on Pennsylvania avenue, between Third and Fourth-and-a-half streets, yesterday was much smaller than on Saturday, and none of them was able to furnish any information about him.

FIVE NEGROES LYNCHED

Taken From the Guards By a Mob and Hanged on Trees.

One of Them Confessed that They Had Murdered Watts Murphy and Burned His Body.

Louisville, Ky., April 21.—A special to Ala., says: A gentleman who arrived at 8 o'clock to-night from Greenville, Ala., forty miles south of here, reports that five negroes were lynched near their last night.

Just before his train left Greenville to-night the sheriff of the county came into town and reported that in passing Buck-alow plantation, three miles from town, he had found five negroes, three women, hanging by their necks to some trees, their bodies cold, and they evidently had been dead some hours.

Last night news reached Greenville of the brutal murder near Butler, in that county, of Watts Murphy, a popular young white man, by negroes. Murphy was prominent young farmer, being a nephew of the late Gov. Watts, of this State.

After murdering him the negroes placed his body on a brush heap and burned the heap. The debris was examined and the teeth, liver and heart of the victim were found, the balance of the body having been consumed.

An investigation was instituted. Three negroes were arrested. Finally to-day one of the negroes gave way and confessed the crime, implicating two other negro men and two women.

The officers secured them and were exceedingly guarding the prisoners when last heard from last night.

The report to-night does not give any of the details of how the mob secured the murderers, except that they were taken by force. A telegram from Greenville confirms the story.

GEN. MCCOOK RETIRES.

For Forty-three Years He Served His Country as a Soldier.

Denver, Col., April 21.—After serving continuously in the service of the United States for a period of forty-three years Major General Alexander McDowell McCook retires from the army to-morrow, a step made necessary by the law, the limit of age, sixty-four years, having been reached.

Gen. McCook will leave Denver this week for Dayton, O., where he will remain until May. He will then go to Washington and New York, reaching the latter city June 1, to be present at the graduation of his daughter.

Later in the summer, the General will sail, with his family, for Europe, where he will spend several months. He has made no plans concerning himself after returning to the United States.

With the retirement of Gen. McCook, the last of the fighting McCooks goes into private life, and for the first time in nearly half a century the army will be without a McCook on its active rolls. It is a most noteworthy fact that Gen. McCook, father of Gen. McCook, who will be retiring to-morrow, was in the army all his life, fighting for his country at one time, and that four of them attained the rank of General.

LAID BY MGR. SATOLLI.

Ceremonies Over a New Catholic School in Pottsville.

Pottsville, Pa., April 21.—The Catholics of the Schuylkill coal region turned out in large numbers to-day to honor Mr. Satolli, who came here to lay the cornerstone of the new school of the St. John's German Catholic Church.

Pontifical mass was celebrated this morning by Mgr. Satolli and this afternoon he laid the cornerstone, in the presence of 5,000 people.

After the ceremonies Mgr. Schneider, of the university at Washington, D. C., delivered a sermon. This was followed by the benediction of the blessed sacrament by Mgr. Satolli.

GOV. MCKINLEY'S MOTHER.

The Family Clan Gather to Celebrate Her Eighty-six Years.

Canton, Ohio, April 21.—Gov. McKinley and wife are here to celebrate the eighty-sixth birthday of the Governor's mother, which occurs to-morrow.

The aged lady is hale and hearty for one of her age, and this morning she walked to church with her son, a distance of six blocks from her home.

About twenty members of the immediate family will attend the birthday party to-morrow and partake of the dinner which is served yearly upon Mrs. McKinley's birthday.

EX-CONSUL WALLER JAILED.

Brought to Marselles and Put Behind Bars.

HEAVEN'S ANSWER

Remarkable Results Followed Mr. Moody's Prayers.

RAIN CAME AT HIS CALL

But It Fell in Such Torrents That the Roof Caved In.

PANIC AMONG 10,000 PEOPLE

They Had Just Finished Singing a Joyous Hymn of Praise When Beams and Joists Crashed Down Upon the Immense Congregation—Party Persons Were Hurt, Some So Seriously That They Will Probably Die—List of Dead and Injured.

Fort Worth, Texas, April 21.—All of Texas has needed rain, so the great Evangelist, Dwight Moody, called upon his audience of 8,000 Christians to pray fervently that the floodgates might be opened. This was at 3 p. m.

To-night when the tabernacle was crowded by 10,000 people from Fort Worth and surrounding cities, Mr. Moody announced that rain had fallen. A few moments later the storm burst on Fort Worth and torrents of rain fell.

Then Mr. Moody gave thanks to God and called upon the congregation to join in singing "Conversion" and "All hail the power of Jesus' name; let angels prostrate fall."

THEN THE ROOF FELL. The song had surged forth from ten thousand throats when a cracking noise was heard and then the roof sank and the rafters gave way and the heavy timbers and boards covered with tar and gravel came down on a portion of the congregation.

There was a panic. Scores upon scores of women fainted; some men lost their heads and piled pell mell over those near them.

Mr. Moody grasped the situation and moving to the middle of the platform, lifted both hands to heaven moving his arms slowly to and fro. His attitude and coolness stopped the panic and men began to go to work to rescue those in danger.

A dressing room was falling, but they worked hard and the wounded were soon taken out and carried to their homes or to the houses near by.

THE CASUALTIES.

J. V. Ingraham, cut on head and chest, arm hurt, internal injuries; will die.

Will J. Parsley, left leg crushed, back injured; seriously hurt.

Mrs. Mary Murphy, cut on head and left arm.

Miss Scason, of Weatherford, cut on face and right arm.

Miss Lela Hawley, cut on head.

J. W. Manshor, of Dallas, A. R. man, cut on shoulder and left arm.

Mrs. Morton Logan, wife of city treasurer, cut on shoulder.

Some forty others were slightly hurt.

JOHN L. IS A LIFE-SAVER

Saves a Boston Woman From Burning to Death.

With Great Presence of Mind Sullivan Wrapped Her in a Mat, Scorching Himself in the Operation.

Boston, April 21.—Ex-Champion John L. Sullivan distinguished himself as a life-saver this afternoon. As John was leaving his building, house on Dover street just before 4 o'clock he heard a woman scream in the rear of the house.

He ran down the stairway and saw at once that there was a fire in the kitchen and that Mrs. Margaret Donnelly, the cook, was in danger of burning to death, her clothing having been ignited by blazing fat on the stove.

Continuation of news items from the right side of the page, including reports on various accidents, deaths, and local events.