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The Mutilated Remains of a Young Girl Found in a Church. SHE WAS STRANGLED TO DEATH

When Last Seen Was in Company With a Young Medical Student - Rev. George Gibson will be held until the Mystery is Cleared up.

San Francisco, April 15.—Another horrible discovery was made yesterday morning in a small room in the steeple of Emmanuel Baptist Church where the mutilated remains of young Minnie Williams were found yesterday. The church had been desecrated by a second murder, the victim being another young girl, Blanche Lamont, who had been missing since the first murder. She had been strangled to death, her clothes had been removed from her person and the body was almost entirely decomposed. Her shoes and stockings were missing. The imprints of the assassin's finger nails are plainly visible on the murdered girl's throat, but there was no indication of further violence. Shortly after the discovery was made Dr. George Gibson, pastor of the church, was taken into custody by the police. No charge was made against him, but he will be held until the mystery is fully cleared.

Miss Lamont was last seen alive in the company of Theodore Durnan, Chinese student of the St. Andrew's church connected with the defiled place of worship. Durnan, who is said to have been engaged to be married to Miss Lamont, is suspected of having taken the life of the Williams girl, who is known to have been a warm friend of Miss Lamont. They were seen together on the night of the murder, and were also in the same Sunday school class. Since the disappearance of Blanche, Miss Lamont often said that she knew that her companion had met with foul play. This statement reached the pastor of the church, and he was asked for an explanation, but she declined to reveal the nature of her information and the matter was dropped.

The police are now inclined to think that Durnan, knowing that Miss Williams is in possession of sufficient evidence to prove his guilt in connection with the disappearance of Miss Lamont, conspired to decoy her into the church and allow her to be murdered. One of the most damaging witnesses against the young medical student is Charles Hill, who resides across the street from Emmanuel Baptist Church. Shortly after eight o'clock Friday night he saw a man and woman standing near the street corner. They chatted together for some time and finally started up the street toward the church. When the church was reached the man caught the girl by the arm and half dragged her to the gate leading to the cemetery. After a few minutes conversation the couple passed through the garden and finally entered the church through a side door. Hill is positive that the man opened the door with a key and was apparently thoroughly familiar with the premises. Suspecting that something was wrong he waited outside for a few minutes, but hearing no outcry concluded that the couple were members of the church and went to his home. The description given of the man who accompanied the girl tallies exactly with that of Durnan. A thorough search is being made for him.

OTTAWA NOTES.

Mr. Search Disappointed—Savings Bank Deposits.

Ottawa, April 15.—W. B. Search, of Winnipeg, who has been here for the past few weeks looking after the position of Lieut. Governor of Manitoba, left for home last evening. The position is to go to Mr. Patterson.

The International Radial Railway Company, of Hamilton, gave notice of application for incorporation. The company propose building electric lines in all directions from Hamilton extending as far as London and St. Mary's in the west, Toronto in the east and Suspension Bridge in the south.

A statement issued in the official Gazette shows balance at credit of depositors in the Government Savings Bank to have been \$17,125,730 on the 31st of March. The Massey-Harris Co. have been granted supplementary letters patent of incorporation.

Inquest on Michael Potter Ended.

Chatham, April 15.—The inquest into the cause of the death of the late Michael Potter, which was postponed from the evening of the 8th inst., was resumed and the jury brought in the following verdict: That Michael Potter came to his death from wounds on his head received on the morning of April 1, 1895, but how the wounds were produced the jury are unable to say. Before the jury were discharged the coroner intimated that a Government detective had been sent to the city to enquire into the case and would return at once and resume enquiry, the circumstances being, he considered, such as to justify this procedure.

Four Men Implicated.

Toronto, April 15.—The jury are unanimously of opinion that the Stinson fire was of incendiary origin, and that William Joseph Spratt, William Farley, David Livingstone and Alexander McKee are not without knowledge of the cause thereof; and the jury are also unanimously of opinion that their conduct should be further investigated by the police magistrate. Such was the verdict reached at 1:15 o'clock yesterday morning by the jury of fifteen prominent citizens, who for several nights during the past month have patiently listened to the great amount of evidence offered by the Crown in the case.

Was Mentally Depressed.

Toronto, April 15.—The inquest into the cause of the shooting of Charles Spencer Millican in the Bank of Toronto last Saturday was concluded. The brother and father of the deceased were present. The jury brought in a verdict to the effect that the deceased came to his death by his own act, during an interval of mental depression.

Prevented From Cutting His Throat.

Quebec, April 15.—A young druggist attempted to commit suicide yesterday by cutting his throat with a razor, but was caught in time to prevent him from fatally injuring himself.

The Car's Coronation.

St. Petersburg, April 15.—The czar was crowned in a magnificent ceremony in Moscow next August.

Two Convicts Captured.

Poughkeepsie, N.Y., April 15.—The capture of Michael O'Donnell and Patrick McGuire yesterday morning has caused much excitement in this vicinity. Oliver Perry and Frank Davis are still at large, but according to good authority it is a possibility that they will be safely confined within the walls of the Matineau asylum inside of a week.

TOPICS OF A WEEK.

The Important Events in a Few Words For Busy Readers.

Mr. B. Ross McConeky, manager of the Bank of Commerce at Guelph, died on Friday.

The body of a girl was found floating in the Red River at West Selkirk on Friday.

Attorney-General Sifton of Manitoba spoke on the school question at Ingersoll on Thursday.

Rev. James Henderson, D.D., of Toronto, has accepted a call to Grace Methodist church, Windsor.

The body of the man who was killed on the track between Guelph and Elora has not been identified.

A young Liberal club for Teeswater and Cullross has been organized with Dr. Gordon as president.

Mr. Wm. Calder, for 30 years caretaker of the Hamilton city reservoir, died Friday after a lingering illness.

A social gathering was held in Knox church on Thursday last to commemorate the jubilee anniversary of the church.

Dr. Wm. Cowie, a graduate of Toronto University and a member of the Ontario House Staff of Montreal General hospital.

The weather throughout Manitoba continues to be very favorable for seedling, and the majority of the farmers now have their crops in.

The congregation of the Calvary Baptist church, Victoria, B.C., have called the Rev. Ralph Trotter, of Toronto, formerly of Barrie, Ont., to the pastorate.

Three Canadians, of Fort Erie, Ont., are hard at work digging up the ruins of the fort searching for a chest of gold said to have been hidden by Major Brock during the war of 1812.

The annual meeting of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association on Friday in Toronto, Dr. Doolittle, of Toronto, was elected president, and Waterloo was selected for the next C. W. A. race meet.

The Good Friday was observed in the usual manner throughout the Dominion, the weather varying from fine to showery.

The local papers in Kingston, Ont., are calling attention to the fact that for some months the city has been deluged with books, pamphlets, and prints of a most immoral nature, which are sold by the newslayers.

The Rev. Robert Johnson was inducted into his charge at St. Andrew's church, Windsor, Friday. The Rev. J. G. Stuart preached the sermon. The pastor was addressed by Rev. H. Seward of Westminster, and Rev. W. McDonald of St. Thomas addressed the congregation. The ceremony of induction was performed by Rev. Mr. Substantiel.

In the Wisconsin Assembly Friday night the O'Neil woman suffrage bill was passed.

The Greenoreland Cotton Company, Connecticut, announce an advance of wages. The number of operatives affected is 1,500.

The Delaware Canal at Easton, Pa., has been badly damaged by high water and will probably be closed to traffic for two months.

Seventy years ago Manuel Garcia sang in open New York. London papers note the fact that he is still teaching music there.

The Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Maryland will inherit between \$30,000 and \$300,000 from the late Mr. Eversfield Frasier if his will is sustained by the courts.

Mr. Charles Baxter has arrived in San Francisco from Panama on his way to England, having with him for publication the manuscripts of Robert Louis Stevenson's last work.

The suggestion that the United States acquire a protectorate over Venezuela by consent of the Venezuelan people, has been to reject English aggression there, is not approved in Mexico or Central America.

Paul Schulte, the personal representative at Tacoma of Henry Villard, the Northern Pacific railroad magnate, committed suicide on Friday by shooting himself in the chest.

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THE WAR IN THE EAST.

London Newspapers Approve of Japan's Terms of Peace.

Germany Will Act With Russia in Re-jecting the Demand—China Accuses Japan of Attempting to Gain Time by a Policy of Delay.

London, April 15.—Japan's terms of peace are approved with practical unanimity so far by the London newspapers. Both the Conservative and the Liberal organs express the opinion that the conditions are not asking too much. It is even reported that the demand for an amendment of the Leontog (Shingling) peninsula has evoked no vigorous English protest anywhere. But the demand for the Berlin official press indicates a disposition on the part of the German government to act with Russia in rejecting the demand.

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ONTARIO LEGISLATURE.

The Doings of our Representatives During the Past Week.

The business of the first session of the Eighth Parliament of the Province practically ended Thursday evening. The formal closing will take place on Friday next at 2 o'clock, when Lieut.-Governor Kirkpatrick will be called upon to sign the bills that have passed and to name the members of Parliament. The dying hours of the session were spent animated. It was a case of the country members against the city representatives who stuck manfully together in an attempt to kill Mr. Avery's bill to have all vacant lands in cities, towns or villages assessed only as farm lands. When the bill came up for its final reading Mr. Crawford seized the opportunity and moved in amendment that the clause which was objected to by the cities should be struck out. The amendment was not adopted, but the amendment was not the vote being taken. Then Mr. Middleton of Hamilton, moved an amendment providing that no vacant land in cities should be assessed as farm lands unless it was the fair market value in excess of the value assessed as farm lands. This amendment was proposed a large section of the country members cried out in protest as though Mr. Middleton's proposition would meet the same fate as that of his Toronto friend, Hon. Mr. Gibson came to his rescue and pleaded for the justice of his contention. He appealed to the country members to be fair and not to be carried away and vote for something they did not fully understand.

Mr. German made a hot speech in reply and was followed by several other members along the same line. Mr. Gibson's influence had made an impression, however, and the vote of the amendment was carried by a majority of one.

Then Mr. Avery took up the fight. He gathered his forces and made an onslaught upon the bill as it then stood. He said that the Toronto city council had always refused to reduce vacant lands to their cash value and had persisted in robbing the owners of such lands. He wished the country members to understand that if they were not prepared to do justice to any citizen there was a power in the land to compel them to do so. He moved in amendment that all vacant lands of two or more acres in extent should be assessed as farm lands. The cry of "No, no," greeted this proposition which had the effect of causing a counter demonstration on the part of those in favor of this move. The city members fearing that Mr. Avery would defeat them offered to compromise and the now thoroughly aroused champion of the farmers would not agree and several hot speeches followed. When the vote was taken Mr. Avery triumphed by 19 votes and the bill became law providing that cities, towns and villages may not tax vacant lands within their borders of two or more acres at a higher rate than as farm lands.

The bill to permit women to practice law in all the courts was read a third time and finally awaits the royal assent. Mr. Avery made a strenuous effort to keep women out of this privilege, but he failed in an unending harangue within the discretion of the Law Society whether or not ladies might practice as lawyers, but the members voted, this down and within a month any lady in the land will be eligible to practice the same as men.

The balance of the afternoon was spent with routine work after which the members indulged in half an hour's preschmacking chit-chat to say each other's compliments.

A MONTREAL MURDER.

Ernest Martin shot His Father-in-Law From the Effects of which He Died.

Montreal, April 15.—The first murder that has taken place close to the city for some time, except that of Edwards at Black River, culminated at Notre Dame de Grace, a western suburb, when a young man named Ernest Martin, of this city, went to visit his father-in-law, who was employed at Ville Marie Convent.

After a short interview the two fell out and commenced quarrelling. Suddenly young Martin drew a revolver and shot his relative twice in the lower part of the body. Then he fled. The police were notified and a search was commenced for Martin, and in the meantime a doctor was called and the wounded man attended to.

It was thought that his injuries were not serious, but at 9 o'clock yesterday morning he died. The search for Martin became more energetic. As yet, however, he has not been arrested. The body of the murdered man has been removed to the station for an inquest.

WAS IT WITH AN AXE?

The Crown Said to Have a Theory as to How Wells Got Killed.

Toronto, April 15.—The skull of Wm. C. Wells, who was killed in the Colborne street warehouse of Harry and Dallas Hyams, on January 16th, 1894, has been examined by a coroner's jury of local surgeons. As a result the Crown, which rested at the preliminary examination, after proving that the victim could not have been killed by the weight, will bring evidence at the trial at the assizes to prove that at least two of the blows which were inflicted with an axe. The injuries led to the conclusion that Wells was first struck on the head with the back of the axe and that subsequently, probably while he was prostrate, he received a blow from the back of the axe. The latter blow explains the wound above the eye.

The Crown claims to have stronger evidence to connect Harry Hyams with the murder of Wells than it has against his brother Dallas, but quite properly declines to divulge the nature of it.

Will be Reexamined.

Winnipeg, Man. April 15.—Archbishop Langvin, the Roman Catholic head in Manitoba, during a sermon yesterday made the declaration that all adherents of the church who did not obey the teachings of the hierarchy regarding schools could not be regarded as Catholics. This is known to mean the re-examination of John O'Donohue and other Catholics who have recently sided against the church in the fight for separate schools.

Willing to Save Others.

Dorchester, N.B., April 15.—The prisoners in the Maritime Provinces have requested Warden Foster that they be put on short allowance, in order that what is saved may be sent to the sufferers in Newfoundland. Foster laid the matter before the Minister of Justice at Ottawa for approval.

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