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WORK OF PROFESSIONALS.

The True Story of the Williams
Murder.

THE PRINCIPALS STILL AT LARGE.

How the Crime Was Planned
and Carried Out.

Only Henry Borden, Murderer Followed
Resistance—The Men Believed to Have
Obtained a Considerable Sum of Money
—Cory's Acquaintance in York-street
Not One of the Assassins—Facts Which
Disprove Many of the Theories Which
Have Been Advanced From All
Quarters.

James Williams and his putative wife
Eliza Williams, who were murdered in
their dwelling on the Middle Road, Tor-
onto Township, on Thursday or Friday
night of last week were killed by burglars,
who went to the place with the intention
of robbing it.

All other theories, including the one that
the hired man had a hand in the affair and
the idiotic supposition which has been
labeled and reiterated by some of the
papers that the crime was committed or
facilitated by relatives, will be expected
to profit by the old couple's
death, may be dismissed at once.

The latter, in fact, was so highly im-
probable from the outset that no person who
examined the situation on the scene of the
crime gave it any consideration.

Not only has it been established that the
murder was committed by professional
burglars, but Detective Greer is satisfied
that he knows the men, for there were two
of them who committed the deed.

Three men are in custody, but the
authorities are satisfied that none of the
trio had anything to do with the perpetra-
tion of the crime, although Butcher, the
Little York milkman, may know the guilty
parties.

The Only Acceptable Theory.
The developments during the five and a
half days which have elapsed since the dis-
covery of the bodies of the victims lead
the authorities to the following conclusions:

Two professional burglars, who reside
in this city, located the Williams habitation
some weeks ago. In making a tour of
the country they became aware of the
impression which was prevalent at Port
Toronto, and from all appearances it was
the heaviest day of the season at Dineen's.

At any rate, the firm has decided that
prices will not prevent the clearing out of
their stock of Christmas presents. Their
prices have been cut down to the lowest
possible figure, as will be seen by a glance
at the list of presents printed below.

The goods were all manufactured for the
Christmas trade and are in the very latest
style.

For-lined cloaks, \$10, \$12, \$15; sateen
muffs, \$4, \$5, \$7; sable muffs, \$8, \$10,
\$12; cashmere and building, including
fur jackets, \$25 to \$75; Greenland seal
cap, \$20, \$25, \$30; ladies' gaiters, \$5,
\$6, \$7, \$8; men's gaiters, \$4, \$5, \$6;
tweed gaiters, \$3, \$4, \$5, \$6, \$7, \$8;
fur-lined coats, \$18 to \$100; seal muffs,
\$15, \$18, \$20, \$22, \$24, \$26, \$28, \$30,
\$32; black soon muffs, \$5, \$6, \$7, \$8;
black muffs, \$6, \$8, \$10, \$12; black
fox muffs, \$8, \$10, \$12; black fox muffs,
\$10, \$12; Persian lamb muffs, \$8, \$10, \$12;
grey lamb muffs, \$6, \$8, \$10; seal
muffs, \$8, \$10, \$12; nat. com. muffs, \$5,
\$6, \$7, \$8; nat. ivy muffs, \$6, \$8, \$10; nat.
ivy muffs, \$4, \$5, \$6; other muffs,
\$7, \$10, \$12, \$15; Arctic lamb muffs,
with bow or collar, \$20, \$25, \$30; black
Arctic muffs, \$15, \$20, \$25, \$30.

To-night the store will be open until
eleven, and bargains will be the order
of the day.

Died in a Fit of Coughing.
Cathryn, N.Y. Dec. 22.—John J. English,
English named Hunter, who had been
working for Mr. Underwood for some time,
was last night seized with a fit of coughing,
in his boarding house in Osterman street,
which he burst a blood vessel and died in
a few minutes before medical assistance
could be obtained. He had been at work
and was about to go north to put
in his residence.

Christmas is Coming.
The day that has done more for civilization
than any another in the world, is at hand,
pursuing the strange alchemy pro-
cess of obtaining. He is a homestead at
salutary mellow and joy-bringing.
You verify believe that more real goodwill is
engendered among men by the bestowal of
quinty fifty cents Christmas neckties than by
any other present.

A Little Girl Named Tom.
Violent Mary Louise, the three-year-old
daughter of Dr. Norman Allen, 108 Carleton
street, was seriously burned Wednesday
afternoon and died from the injuries last
night. Dr. and Mrs. Allen were out driving
and the nurse was temporarily absent from
the open fire grate. The domestic came
into the room and found the little one
clothes ablaze. She extinguished the fire,
but burning her hands in doing so. The
child had received such serious injuries,
however, that it died from the effects last
evening.

Death of a Female Veteran of 1813.
Salem, Mass., Dec. 22.—Mrs. E. Stanley,
widow of John Stanley, the oldest woman
in Salem, died last night in her 97th
year. When the British fleet approached
Salem in 1812 she was on Baker's Island and
gave the alarm which resulted in the with-
drawal of the hostile fleet.

The Williamson Book Co. have Tenney-
son's works complete in one volume.
"Mystic Investments."
The 30-year endowment policies of the
Ontario Mutual Life are the most desirable
investments now offered to the public.
While the rates of the "Ontario" are from
five to twenty per cent. lower than those of
rival companies, its results, as well as policy-
holders, are of the highest order. Write for
Circulars, 322 Bloor-st. E.

The "Warrior" are coming to buy
Christmas presents at Steele Bros., 97-10
King West.

For comfortable bright rooms and com-
modious and reasonable rates and excellent
dining the Arlington Hotel has not its equal
in Toronto and those who desire permanent
winter quarters should hasten to make
arrangements before the best rooms are
taken.

When buying Christmas presents don't
forget a Adams' Tutti Frutti.
Adams' and Adams' Tutti Frutti,
Adams' and Adams' Tutti Frutti.

Choice Leather and Canvas Photograph
Cases, hand painted, beautiful designs.
The Williamson Book Co.

Four Killed by a Boiler Exploding.
KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 22.—The boiler
at the Alexandria Lumber Mills, across the
river from Knoxville, exploded today.
Four men are known to have been killed
and many others injured.

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son's works complete in one volume.
"Oak Mansions."
In Colonial and other latest designs. The
Lodge and House Goods, W. Millington, 308
& Co., 224 Yonge-street.

HON. ED. STANHOPE DEAD.
The Secretary of the War Office
Expired suddenly—Victim
of a disease Passed in the House.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—The Right Hon. Ed-
ward Stanhope, Secretary of State for War
from 1887 to 1892 in the Cabinet of Lord
Salisbury, died suddenly this morning at
Seven Oaks, Kent, the residence of his
brother, Lord Stanhope.

He was the second son of the fifth Earl of
Stanhope and was born in 1840. He had
been Parliamentary Secretary of the Board
of Trade, Under Secretary of State for
India, vice-president of the Committee of
the Council of Education and a member of
the Committee of the Council of Trade.

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MONSON FOUND NOT GUILTY.
The English Commons Will Continue
410,000 Yearly to Prince Alfred
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LONDON, Dec. 22.—In the Commons
yesterday Mr. Gladstone stated that Duke
Alfred of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha (the
Duke of Edinburgh), being anxious to an-
ticipate the wish of Parliament, had ar-
ranged to renounce the £10,000 yearly re-
venue from England, but would continue
to enjoy the £10,000 granted to him under
the Royal Marriages Act.

Henry Labouchere (Radical) said all the
members of the House of Commons did not
agree that the Duke of Saxe-Coburg and
Gotha should continue to receive any al-
lowance from the British Government. He
demanded that an opportunity be given the
members to express their views and register
their votes on the subject. Mr. Gladstone
said he did not suppose the Commons
wished the Duke to cease his character as
an Englishman. He refused to debate the
question at the moment.

Mr. Labouchere then moved the adjourn-
ment of the House to allow of the debate.
But his motion was rejected—177 to 99.

WILSON, M. P., PAYS UP.
LONDON, Dec. 22.—The case of Joseph
Havlock Wilson, Member of the House of
Commons for Middleborough, came up in
the Bankruptcy Court today. Mr. Thom-
son, solicitor for the creditors, said that
Mr. Wilson, saying his client's debts had
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ROUSING MEETING IN WARD 5

OPATION TO WARRING KENNEDY AT RUCCLAVEN HALL.

The Hall Crowded With an Enthusiastic Audience and the Candidate is Cheered to the Echo—Mayor Fleming's Policy Arraigned by Many Prominent Local Men.

An enthusiastic crowd filled every seat and blocked the doorways in the Euclid-avenue Hall last night to cheer Warring Kennedy. The soaking rain did not in the least dampen the ardor of Mr. Kennedy's supporters and he was cheered to the echo.

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HAS PEIXOTO RESIGNED?

A Report That He Has Captured Rio Janeiro.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—A report was in circulation today that Admiral Peixoto had captured Rio Janeiro and that President Peixoto had resigned.

No advice to that effect has been received at the Brazilian legation in this city, and the report is discredited.

REBEL DESERTERS CAPTURED. The Government Gains Considerable Information of Rebel Forces.

RIO JANEIRO, Dec. 22.—While part of the insurgent fleet was proceeding along the coast to the State of Rio de Janeiro a few days ago three officers deserted their ships.

The Government forces now hold Bom Jesus, Governor's and Macaque north Macaque Island, which is directly north of Armasao, was taken from the insurgents.

At a despatch from Liverpool says: "A telegram from Rio Janeiro dated Dec. 20 reported the capture of the ship 'Natchez' by the government forces."

AN ARABIAN ACTIVITY. Threats That the Ports Town Hall Will Be Dynamited This Month.

PARIS, Dec. 22.—The Municipal Council has been warned by Anarchists that the Town Hall will be dynamited on Dec. 30.

ARRESTS CAUSE MUCH SUFFERING. BARCELONA, Dec. 22.—The confusion of the streets here is relieved by the workmen of the wholesale search of the houses conducted by the police.

COLOMBA'S CHAMBERLAIN. PARIS, Dec. 22.—When Prince Colonna was in the city he was accompanied by his chamberlain, M. Brossard.

QUINT OF ABERCROMBY CRUELTY. Thrust a Hot Steel Lifter into a Child's Mouth.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Mrs. Lizzie Emerson, a colored woman, living at No. 290 East Ninety-seventh street, pleaded guilty before Recorder Smyth yesterday of inhuman treatment of her adopted daughter, Lydia Savage, 8 years old.

STOLEN GOALS TO-NIGHT WITHOUT THE TORONTO SUNDAY WORLD. DUNDON AND CROMBIE BY WHITE CAPS.

SENATOR MILLS IN DANGER

A Crank Wants His Life Because of His Opinions on Silver.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—As the result of an investigation by the police authorities of a report that an attempt was likely to be made to kill Senator Roger O. Mills, the senator's son, and Secretary Charles N. Mills have been licensed to carry a pistol for 30 days.

When that question was under discussion a man living somewhere in New Jersey, dressed the senator threatening letters, and the language was such as to induce an examination.

CHOLERA STILL SPREADING. LONDON, Dec. 22.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Standard says that cholera still spreads in the capital, owing to the consumption of bad fish among the poor and to the infection of the drinking water.

THE LABIALIST AND HER ART. To Find Out a Girl's Nature, Take Her to San Francisco.

San Francisco has a "professional labialist," who talked as follows to a woman reporter of the Examiner.

NOISE TO THREE TON LAUGH. Little girl I know. This month means affection.

AN UNUSUAL GILL. The old Italian noblewoman, with her fierce Italian and her invincible will.

PROUD AS LUCIFER. bright at her books at school, and foreign languages come easy to her now.

THIS MEANS AFFECTION. She is very fond of music and she dances like a nymph.

WOMAN AT A HOTEL. In ordering a dinner on the European plan at a hotel, you are asked to sign a card.

PRICE OUR SETS SURE. We close out White metal goods to-day from 50c up to 150c.

DOLLS. Bright and early this morning we mark dolls down. Don't pay too much.

YESTERDAY WE BEAT OUR BEST RECORD BY A THOUSAND DOLLARS. Today—well it'll be tremendous.

THE LAST HAS COME

WE'VE worked like bees till an early hour this Saturday Morning

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So that while those who have left off shopping till to-day may have the disadvantage of greater crowding, they will be able to buy needed goods at much less than regular prices.

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THE SCHEME OF COLORS.

SOME WHOLESOME ADVICE FOR WOMEN LEAN AND FAT.

When to Use Bright Hues—White is Recommended for the Very Stout Female and the Thin Dame Should Carefully Avoid All Black.

One sees so many women presenting an unattractive appearance, which is a mistake, that it is well to advise them to be more judicious in their choice of colors.

THE UTILITY OF WHITE. Yet, strange contradictions few things are so becoming to a large woman as a white cambric, or muslin, or an India silk; it acknowledges at once that she is stout, but it gives her stoutness an air of wholesomeness and sweetness.

FOR THE THIN WOMAN. But, again, the woman who has no avoidpuffs at all, whose contours best represent the shortest distance between her neck and ankles, should put far away from her black and all the deeper shades.

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