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CRIME IN NEW YORK.

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A Musio Teacher Ends His Life with Landanum-Pecuniary Difficulties the Supposed Cause,

Supposed Cause. For a year past a young man twenty-five years of age, named Thomas Staple Switt, a native of Ireland, has been boarding at the house No. 2 Carroll place, Bleecker street. He was a music teacher by profession, but did not seem to have much budiness, as he was largely in arrears for board, and kad but few publis. Two or three months ago he began to drink in excess, and invariably staid out late at night. On Friday morning he left the house and did not return until about 1 o'clock yesterday, when he awakened his room-mate by com-ing in and going to bed. In the morn-ing his room-mate arose and went out about 7 o'clock, and left him lying on the bed apparently asleep. Shortly after, another immate of the house passed through the room, and seeing him lying on the bed endeavored to roor alim, but finding he could not, Dis. Owe and boor were called in, and it was found that he was suffering from the effects of or drum, and an examination of his trunk, which was unlocked, with the key in the lock discovered a four-onnce bottle which bad contained laudanum, and in which was a small remnant of the poison. All efforts 'oo rouse the patient proved fruit-left, and the did contained laudanum, and in which was a small remnant of the poison. For a year past a young man twenty-five years All efforts to rouse the patient proved fruit-Scternoon.

During yesterday afternoon Coroner Shirmer held an inquest over the remains, and, the above facts being developed by the testimony, a ver-dict was rendered that the deceased had come to his death by an overdose of laudanum, supposed to have been administered by himself. Mysterious Murder at West New York.

A man named James Darling, a linen blencher, residing at West New York, in the northern part of Hudson county, was murdered early on Sunday morning by some unknown man, and as yet the case is involved in mystery. It appears that about 1 o'clock on Sunday morning Mr. Darling, who was sleeping in a front room inj the second story with his two children, was awakened by an unusual noise in front of his house. He stepped out on to the plazza, when Mrs. D., who occupied a rear room on the second floor, rear room on the second floor, heard him ask some man outside what he wanted. At the same instant a pistol was ured, when she heard her busband fall, and then there were four other shots fired in rapid succession. Mrs. D. gave an alarm, when several citizene, who were getting out of a horse-car, came to her assistance, at which time Mr. Darling was lying insensible from a bullet wound in the left side of the abdomen, the ball taking an upward course, causing death about 10 o'clock in the morning. Immediately after the shots were fred, two men were seen going from the vicinity of Darling's house around the south side of Schaider's Hotel, but before it became known that a murder had been committed, they had made good their escape. Justice Dwyer subse quently commenced an investigation, when the above were all the facts elicited, and the investigation was adjourned with the hopes of obtaining further information. The supposition is that the murder was prompted by motives of revenge. Decensed was forty-five years of age, and leaves a wife and two children. -N, Y.

The Desperate Affray at Albany-One Man Killed and Another Dangerously Wounded-Particulars of the Affray.

ALBANY, Sept. 22. - The quiet of this city was again disturbed last night by the occurrence of a shocking tragedy on Jefferson street, between Hawk and swan. Between 11 and 12 o'clock, as Patrolman Wells, of the Capitol Police, was making his usual beat, he came upon three young men, named Fitzsummons, McAllister, and Lawless, all of whom, it is said, had been drinking during the evening and acting in a very disorderly manner.

Policemen Wells desired them to discontinue their disorderly conduct and proceed to their homes. After some parleying they attacked the officer, who at length drew a pist of and fired three or four times, when all three fied, leaving Weils lying bleeding on the sidewalk. Officer Buchanan, hearing shots, hastened to the scene and on liling Wells found him badly beaten about the head, but yet well enough to proceed, with a little aid, in search of his assailants. On going over towards a retired spot, called the Buttermilk Falls, they met a party of young men, one of whom (McAllister) was immediately

Black, and was insured in the Germania In-surance Company for \$6600. At half-past 9 this morning Souchimer was taken before Fire Marshal Baker for examina-tion. The evidence was strongly against him, and he was remanded to await a further investi-gation. Shortiy after his return to the station-house he committed suicide by shooting him-self through the heart. Mr. Soucheimer was German, thirty-five years of age, and was n man of much respectability.-N. Y. Evening Post of yesterday. yesterday.

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THE MERCHANTS' UNION B TRESS COMPANY DE-FRAU', ED. We learn that the Merchants' Union Express Company has sust , Merchants' Union Express at between S6°, and a heavy loss, estimated at between S6°, 600 and \$70,000, by the dishon-esty of one of its messengers. It appears that ou Sator day night the messengers. Where many on Sator day night the messengers. It appears that is E. C. Gillette, left Albany at 10.25 o'clock by "...e Montreal train, in charge of a car of the Merchants' Union Express Company, having on board money and freight entrusted to the com-pany for delivery in this city. It is said that the money placed in the sale amounted to nearly

the money placed in the sale amounted to nearly seventy thousand dollars. When the train left Albany, Gillette was under the influence of liquor. He asked the messenger of the American Express Company if the train stopped at Peekskill, and was told that it did. When the train reached Thirtleth street early yesterday morning, Gillette did not open the door of his cur, and it was sup-posed he was sizeping off the effects of the liquor he had drank. The car was subsequently brought down to the treight house, at the corbrought down to the treight house, at the cor-ner of Leonard and Hudson streets. As the messenger would not respond to the repeated calls made for him, the door through which the freight was usually taken was broken open. It was then found that the opposite door and the end door were unlocked, and the messenger

missing. The keyhole of the safe was filled up with The keynole of the sale was infer up of scaling wax, and the key was tied to the top of the safe. Attached to the key was a note writ-ten by Gillette, and saying that the company need not be troubled about the matter; that he would return in two or three days, and it would be all right.

All of the money had been taken from the sates, but the way bills had not been destroyed. One envelope, which contained nineteen thou-sand dollars, had been cut open and the money abstracted. No trace has been obtained of Gillette. It is supposed that he asked the messenget of the American Express Company if the train stopped at Peckskill for the purpose of directing the search to that place, and that he got off at some other point.—N. Y. Evening Post of user and the search of of yesterday.

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recognized by Wells as one of the party who had beaten him. Officer Buchanan took the young man into custody, when he frankly admitted he was one of the party of three, and suid-"I am shot; take me to a doctor." He was taken to a grocery store near by, and on opening his gar-ments it was found he was shot through the back. Nothing more was heard of the other two until Sunday morning, when Fitzsimmons' body was found on a vacant lot near the scene of the attack on Wells. The third one (Lawless) is still at large. A jury was empanelled at the Taird District Station House on Sunday morning, when the following evidence was adduced:-David W. Shanks testified that he had found a

dead body, which he identified as being that of Fitzs mmons, lying in a vacant lot adjoining his premises, and that he had heard a few shots fired the preceding night.

James H. Mallyan testified as to the body found having been that of Fitzsimmons, and that the parents of deceased resided in New York city

Richard M. Byrne testified that about 8 o'clock on Saturday night deceased had been to his store to pay a small debt he owed; he said that he was going to the Academy of Music; he was rober at the time, and had only drank one glass of ale at his place; he was alone at the time; witness did not see anything of the disturbance, but saw Policeman Wells and a crowd about his torse again with a second about his store; after that Wells had asked him if he had seen the man who had been shot, and he had said that he did not know that a man had been shot; next saw McAllister taken out of his store by his friends; in a little while Wells returned, "eming very weak, and he had given him some

Dr. J. K. Bouleware gave medical testimony as to the cause of death in the case of Fitzsim mons.

Professor J. S. Mosher gave medical testimony as to the injuries received by McAllister. Sergeant Buchanan testified to arresting

McAllister.

Mary McDouald and Margaret Connors testified to hearing a scuffle and cries for help, and after that some pistol shots. The case was then adjourned until 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Verdict of the Coroner's Jury Exonera-ting the Officer-One Juryman Dissents. ALBANY, Sept. 22.—The Coroner's jury em-pagelied to investigate the shooting affray, sub-mitted the following verdict:—"That John Fitz-simmons came to his death by a pistol shot at the hands of police officer Alexander H. Wells, in self-defense, while in the discharge of his duty."

This verdict was signed by all the jurors except one, John J. Riley, who says that "the said John Fitzeimmeos came to his death by a pistol shot at the hands of Alexander H. Wells, while acting as police officer."-N. Y. Herald.

A Merchant Sets Fire to His Own Store.

HE COMMITS SUICIDE AFTER EXAMINATION.

HE COMMITS SUICIDE AFTER EXAMINATION. At half-past 4 o'clock this morning one of the officers of the Seventeenth Precinct discovered soucheimer, No. 156 Avenue A. The fire was under a back counter, and ignut. The fire was to show the officer that if when the fire was neendiary. It was evidently the work of an intention of the incendiary to have the fire. The officer made inquiries of the several persons on the pre-mises, and of Mr. Samuel Soucheimer, the pro-prietor of the store, whom he suspected of hav-ing caused the fire, as he was on the pre-mises and of Mr. Samuel Soucheimer, the pro-prietor of the store, whom he suspected of hav-ing caused the fire, as he was on the pre-mises and of Mr. Samuel Soucheimer, the pro-prietor of the store, whom he suspected of hav-ing caused the fire, as he was on the premises but a few moments before it secured. Mr. Youcheimer was taken to the Seventeenth Pre-ci wit Station House, and confined to await the era mination this morning before Fire Marshal Bake, w, on the charge of having set fire to his pace to heave the fire, as he was not heave the fire of the store, when he suspect to a back the era mination the morning before fire Marshal Bake, w. on the charge of having set fire to his premis.98.

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