

JAWA... THE MAN WHO KILLED DUKES IN MORE TROUBLE.

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ATCHISON, Kan., Feb. 6.—Jim Nutt, made famous for killing Lawyer N. L. Dukes, in Uniontown, Pa., in 1883, is dying from wounds inflicted by Mrs. John Payton, who committed the fatal shot here.

After Nutt was acquitted on being tried for killing of Dukes, he moved to Kansas, to near where his present farm is situated, and managed his mother's farm. He was considered a good citizen and became prosperous.

Mr. Payton has been away from home most of the present winter cutting ice, during which Mrs. Nutt renewed her relations with the family. Nothing out of the way was discernible in his conduct, however, until the time of the tragedy, when he was seen entering the Payton household at a late hour under the influence of liquor.

At the same time Mrs. Payton, with a superhuman effort, had raised herself from the floor and secured the ax. No 1 had become weaker and more feeble, and sank in his tracks. Rushing to where he lay, the woman, her wounds bleeding profusely and herself weak from excitement and loss of blood, raised him after blow upon Nutt's head.

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PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE. New Bills Introduced in Both House and Senate.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 6.—In the senate Mr. Fruit introduced a bill to appropriate \$50,000 to survey the route of the proposed new Pittsburgh and Lake Erie ship canal.

The new bills presented included one for the appointment of a \$1,000 stenographer in the adjutant general's office by Mr. Becker (Philadelphia) applying to the adjutant general for a position of stenographer in the adjutant general's office.

There were two important bills relating to the bituminous coal industry introduced in the house by Mr. Massey (Armstrong). Both are endorsed by the miners' organizations.

Mr. Compton offered a bill to protect policy holders from fraudulent estimates and in the rightful distribution of surplus of various life insurance companies.

Mr. Moore presented a bill empowering women to vote for school directors, and another to establish a state board of veterinary medical examiners and to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery.

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MORE BLOWS AT MAGNATES. Two Resolutions to Take Franchise From Brooklyn Car Companies.

BROOKLYN, Feb. 6.—United States Commissioner Morris has handed down his decision in the matter of the application of the United States government against the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company to take the franchise from the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company.

When car No. 1928 of the Flushing Avenue and Leonard street on its way downtown, a crowd of about 150 strikers suddenly appeared and, in a few moments, the car was surrounded by a mob.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 6.—The Holman leaf, which is a large tree, grows on West Front street, near the northern end of the Suspension bridge, is now a beautiful sight to behold.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—In the queen's speech, read on the reassembling of parliament, her majesty mentions that the treaty between the United States and Great Britain, which was signed at Washington, D. C., in 1793, is now being celebrated.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The debate in the House shows wide differences of opinion among the administration's bill to authorize the issue of \$500,000,000 gold bonds for the purpose of retiring the legal tender notes.

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Table with financial data: THIRTY EIGHTH ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE PROTECTION MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA.

Table with financial data: CASH ACCOUNT. Amount on hand at last report, \$1,566,718.00.

Table with financial data: EXPENDITURES. Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1902. Total, \$1,170,174.50.

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