

How a Merchant was Fleeced.

In Detroit on Wednesday morning last a stranger entered a dry goods store on Woodward avenue and inquired for the proprietor, whose feelings are herewith respected and his name suppressed. The stranger introduced himself as Fluke, and said that a man who lay dying at a certain boarding house on Larned street west had something to say to the merchant before he passed away.

Thinking it very singular, the merchant put on his overcoat and went down to the house in company with the stranger. On a bed up stairs he found the dying man. The merchant expected to find a pale, emaciated patient, but instead he found a pretty healthy looking fellow, who was, however, snugly covered up in bed, and whose voice was way down his throat.

"You wished to see me, did you?" asked the merchant, as he sat down.

"I did," answered the patient. "The doctor says that I will not live twenty-four hours, and I want to confess a crime and ask forgiveness. You don't know me, but I know you. You were keeping store in St. Joseph in 1857."

"Yes," answered the merchant. "Well," continued the man, "I happened to be in St. Joseph that year, and one day while you were at dinner, and your clerk busy, I stole a pair of boots and a cap, amounting in value to perhaps \$6. It is the only theft I ever committed, and it has caused me endless anxiety. Now, before I die, I wish to ask your forgiveness and to restore the value of the goods."

The merchant could not remember anything about the affair nor of the man, who said his name was Jefferson, and he replied that it was all right, and that he didn't care for compensation. But both men pressed him to take at least \$15 for the amount stolen so long ago, and he reluctantly consented. The man pulled out a roll of bills, all of the denomination of \$100, and the merchant handed him back \$54, all the money he had, and told the well man to come to the store after the rest.

He shook hands with the patient, hoped that death might be arrested, and returned to the store alone, having a \$100 bill in his vest pocket. The stranger had not called up to 2 P. M., and the merchant finally took a closer look at the bill. His hair began to rise up, and he started for a bank.

"Best counterfeit I've seen for a year," remarked the cashier as he handed the bill back.

The merchant then secured the services of a detective and they hastened to the boarding house, to find that the man had departed before noon.

Story of a Family's Massacre.

Leavenworth, Kans., December 1.—The Sergeant of the Fifth Infantry just arrived gives the particulars in regard to the two Gorham girls, rescued from the Indians and the massacre of their family two months ago. The massacre occurred at Smoky Hill, thirteen miles from Sheridan Station, on the Kansas Pacific Railroad. The family consisted of the father, mother, son, five daughters and an infant. All were butchered and scalped, except four daughters. The girls were carried South. Ada and Lucy, aged sixteen and nineteen, were compelled to submit to the embraces of the savages. They are still prisoners with Gray Eagle's band of Cheyennes, numbering one hundred and seventy. Troops are now in pursuit, and it is thought they will be recaptured. The girls rescued are emaciated and almost naked, having endured great suffering. The family lived at Ringgold, Georgia, and were bound for Colorado when murdered.

Murdered with a Saw.

Recently a carpenter named Elias Williams began the erection of a wooden frame house in the midst of a forest in a wild and unfrequented district, about sixteen miles north of Wellstown, Hamilton county.—He hired George Smith to assist him. One day, after they had drank many times from a jug of liquor, the two men quarrelled, and were soon engaged in a deadly fight. Williams threw Smith over a sawhorse, and with a hand saw, which he all the time held in his hand, sawed off his head. His rage cooling, remorse came, and he cut his own throat with the saw, falling a corpse beside the remains of Smith. A lad named Grant witnessed the awful tragedy, and carried the news two miles to the people who reside nearest the scene of the crime. Williams was a married man and Smith a bachelor. Both were buried on Sunday last.

Breaking Through a Bridge.

Baltimore, Nov. 30.—The accommodation train on the Northern Central Railroad which left this city at 3:35 o'clock this afternoon, and the Cockeysville accommodation train for Baltimore met on the iron bridge over Lake Roland, seven miles from this city, and while passing the bridge gave way. The engines of both trains crossed safely, but the tenders and baggage cars of each plunged into the water, followed by the smoking cars, the ends of which were partially submerged. One passenger, Mr. Young, of Woodberry, Baltimore county, was killed. Engineer Purdy of the Cockeysville train and Conductor Harris of the York trains are reported injured.

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