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'THE LODGE' MURDER

Not a Clue to the Assassins of Its Residents.

THOUGHT TO HAVE BEEN TRAMPS

Miss Bruce Was a Former Resident of New York and Well Known.

She, Mrs. Hatch and Her Son, and Little Frank Packwood All Hoistored in a Horrible Manner—No Trace of Frank Packwood, the Owner of the Resort—Robbery the Motive for the Crime—Story of Packwood's Nephew.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 14.—The brutal murders of Miss A. E. Bruce of New York, Mrs. L. D. Hatch and her son, and little Frank Packwood at their winter home, six miles south of New Smyrna, have thoroughly aroused the people of Volusia county. A posse is now scouring the country, and if the murderers are captured they may be lynched. There is as yet no clue to them, but they are supposed to be tramps who were seen near the place.

Fuller details of the tragedy show that the murders were committed at "The Lodge," an Frank Packwood, sr., called the place. Mr. Packwood is missing. The murderers entered the house through a window, the sash and glass being smashed in.

The first person to visit the premises found the body of Mrs. L. D. Hatch in a corner on the floor of the main room. She had been shot through the left eye. In the same room, lying on the bed, was the body of her six-year-old son, shot under the left eye, with his throat cut from ear to ear.

On the floor of the adjoining room lay the body of Frank Packwood, four years old, shot through the head and with his throat cut. The body of Miss A. E. Bruce lay on a bed in the same room. She had been assaulted, and her skull and face had been smashed by some heavy weapon. She had also been shot through the head, and her throat had been cut.

Near the broken window a large revolver was found with two empty chambers. On the bed beside the body of Miss Bruce lay a double-barreled shotgun with the stock broken into splinters. Near the body of the Hatch boy a long-bladed butcher-knife was found.

Frank Packwood, sr., opened "The Lodge" every winter and it was a popular resort for hunters and fishermen. Packwood has an extensive acquaintance all over the country. Some years ago he married one of Miss Bruce's sisters in New York. When she died Miss Bruce volunteered to live at Packwood's house and bring up his infant child.

A few days ago a party of Western people started southward from Jacksonville, among whom were the Packwoods, father and son, Miss Bruce and Mrs. Hatch and son, they having just returned from a trip North.

Robbery was undoubtedly the purpose of the murderers, but the extent of their plunder is as yet unknown. So far in the dispatches from New Smyrna no mention is made of F. J. Packwood as having been in the house at the time of the tragedy or as appearing on the scene.

There is a rumor that he was killed also, and his body concealed so as to throw suspicion on him as the murderer of the others. He has a nephew in this city (Jacksonville) who gives the following information:

"All the Packwood family came originally from New Orleans. There are several brothers in this State. Frank's wife was a Miss Bruce, of New York city, and she died when her boy Frank was a year old.

"Immediately after his mother's death, his aunt, Miss A. H. Bruce, of New York city, came to Florida to take charge of him, and has since made her home with the child and his father at the orange grove on the Hillsboro River.

"Who Mrs. L. D. Hatch is, I have no idea. I never heard the name before. Probably relatives or friends of Miss Bruce and visitors in the Packwood home.

"The brother of Miss Bruce was at one time a prominent broker in Wall street, New York, and it is said that not long before the marriage of Mr. Packwood with his other sister he failed, the property of his sister being all lost in the smash up. Miss A. Bruce, the murdered woman, was about 35 years of age."

More "Hold Your Whet" Circulars. St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 14.—The Minnesota Farmer's Alliance, through its leaders, has issued another "hold your whet" circular. It is very urgent in its demand that all farmers keep their grain in their bins. It says Russia has reached its limit in supplying its own people with grain, and that India can export almost no more.

It gives the exporting capacity of the United States at 140,000,000 bushels more than last year, which falls 43,000,000 short of supplying the world's demand, and this 140,000,000 bushels, it says, would supply Europe with bread only for 19 1/2 days.

The Baltimore on Her Way Home. WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—The Secretary of the Navy has received a cable message from Capt. Schuyler, commanding the Baltimore, saying that, as there appeared to be no further necessity for the presence of that vessel at Valparaiso, she has sailed for San Francisco for the purpose of being docked and scraped. The Yorktown is now the only American warship at Valparaiso, but she will be joined there in about ten days by the cruiser Boston, which sailed from Montevideo a few days ago.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889

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Overstudy Mad—Him Take His Life. THACIA, N. Y., Dec. 14.—It is believed that overwork and overstudy caused J. L. Williams, of Hagerstown, N. Y., a post-graduate student at Cornell University, to commit suicide Saturday by hanging. He made a rope out of a bed-sheet, and attaching one end to an attic rafter, stood on a trunk while tightening the noose around his neck. When found he had been dead ten or twelve hours. Williams was a "working" student, paying his way with what he earned by doing chores.

Attempted Murder and Suicide. FOGHIERMIE, N. Y., Dec. 14.—Frank Tona, a carman of this place, suddenly became insane yesterday afternoon and attacked his wife with a razor. Her screams brought assistance and Tona was prevented from murdering her, although, in the meantime, she had been badly cut about the face, arms and hands. Tona, however, cut his own throat before he could be disarmed and died to death.

Funeral of Miss Ames. BOSTON, Dec. 14.—Funeral services over the remains of Miss Julia A. Ames, associate editor of the "Union Signal," of Chicago, the V. C. T. U. organ, who died in this city Saturday, were held yesterday. The religious services were conducted by Rev. A. J. Gordon, while eulogistic remarks were made by Miss Helen Hood, of Chicago; Dr. Hastings, of this city, and others.

Wholesale Arrests in Russia. ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 14.—Numerous arrests are being made at Warsaw and in other places on the charge of conspiracy. The police there have important information, or are striking blindly to get some. The ruin that is overtaking all classes of business is considered responsible for the political discontent everywhere prevailing.

A Fatal Mistake. Physicians make no more fatal mistakes than when they inform patients that nervous heart troubles come from the stomach and are cured by the stomach. Dr. Frank M. Miles, the noted Indiana specialist, has proven the contrary in his new book on "Heart Disease," which may be had free at C. H. Hagenbuch's drug store, who guarantees and recommends Dr. Miles' equal Heart Cure, which has the largest sale of any heart cure in the world. It cures nervous and organic heart disease, short breath, fluttering, pain or tenderness in the side, arm or shoulder, irregular pulse, sweating, smothering, dropsy, indigestion, nervousness, dizziness, headache, fits, etc.

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Divorce Suit in High Life. NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 14.—Mrs. Elizabeth Keenly, formerly of St. Louis, but who has resided in this city for the past three years, will on Tuesday next, begin a suit for divorce from her husband, Robert S. Keenly of St. Louis. Mrs. Keenly will allege cruelty as the grounds for a divorce. The lady is very wealthy and prominent in society, and the case, therefore, attracts more than usual attention. Mr. Keenly is in town to contest the case.

Mrs. Modjeska Has the Grip. PITTSBURG, Dec. 14.—Mrs. Modjeska will not be able to fill her engagement at the Duquesne Theatre to-night. She may be well enough to appear here the middle of the week. Mrs. Modjeska caught cold while playing in Easton, Pa., last Wednesday night. Her dressing-room was next to the street, and every time the door was opened a gust of wind blew on her, from which resulted a bad cold and afterward turned into the grip.

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NO WORK TILL '92

Congress Will Adjourn Friday for the Holidays.

NO BUSINESS IN THE HOUSE.

Committees to Which Bills Must be Referred Have Not Been Appointed.

Saturday's Session Merely a Formal One—Committees on Accounts and Mileage Announced—Congressman Culberson Will Probably be Made Interim Commerce Commissioner—Formation of Some Senate Committees—Other Congressional Affairs.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 14.—It is probable that both Houses of Congress will adjourn over the Christmas season from Friday next. There is practically no business on hand, and if there were, the House is in no condition to proceed with it.

Very little will be done in the Senate during the current week. The Republicans may hold a caucus to receive the report of the caucus committees in charge of assignments to vacancies and transfers of Senators to the various committees, but this may be done without caucus action. At any rate it is probable that the committee list will be submitted to the Senate by Wednesday.

Other than this and some remarks by Senator Turpin on his joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment providing for the election of Senators by a direct vote of the people, and brief speeches by other members, the Senate will not transact any business. The House will meet on Wednesday, at noon, and, on motion of Mr. Holman, will probably adjourn until either Friday or Saturday, when an adjournment, with the consent of the Senate, will be taken until after the holidays. No business of any kind will be transacted by the House on either date, as the committees will not have been formed to which bills must be referred for action.

Saturday's session of the House was merely a formal one. The Speaker announced the appointment of the following committees: On Accounts—Messrs. Rusk, of Maryland; Cooper, of Indiana; Dickerson, of Kentucky; Moses, of South Carolina; Seelye, of Iowa; Pearson, of Ohio; Quaker, of New York; Griswold, of Pennsylvania; and Cutting, of California.

On Mileage—Messrs. Castle, of Minnesota; Clegg, of South Carolina; Kaula, of Kentucky; Caldwell, of Ohio, and Clark, of Iowa. On the House of Representatives—Messrs. Rusk, of Maryland; Cooper, of Indiana; Dickerson, of Kentucky; Moses, of South Carolina; Seelye, of Iowa; Pearson, of Ohio; Quaker, of New York; Griswold, of Pennsylvania; and Cutting, of California.

Culberson Will Probably be Appointed. WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Congressman David R. Culberson, of Texas, it is said, is going to resign his seat in the House to accept the important position of Interstate Commerce Commissioner. It is a clear case of the office seeking the man, for Mr. Culberson, it is stated on high authority, has twice declined the President's complimentary offer. It was only through the earnest advice of his colleagues that he decided to accept. He takes the place of Commissioner Bragg, deceased, and has four years to serve.

Senate Committee Chairmanships. WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Some of the Senate Committees already decided on are Judiciary, Privileges and Elections, Railroads, and Claims. The committee placed Senator Hoar at the head of the Judiciary, the position held by ex-Senator Edmunds; Privileges and Elections was given to Mr. Teller, succeeding Mr. Hoar, while the Northwest was recognized by the selection of Mr. Casey, of North Dakota, as Chairman of the Committee on Railroads, succeeding Mr. Mitchell, who was given the Committee on Claims.

Another of the Tippecanoe Band Gone. RUFUS, Wis., Dec. 14.—Sanford Hazen, aged 70 years, is dead at his home in this city. Mr. Hazen was one of the eight brothers comprising the Hazen Band who accompanied the Log Cabin on its journey 56 years ago in the campaign for William Henry Harrison, and 31 years ago played for Abraham Lincoln, and three years ago played for Benjamin Harrison their famous Tippecanoe strains. The brothers held a reunion in July, 1888, since which time one or other has died, leaving six of the noted band now living.

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