STARTLING DISCOVERIES IN A CHURCH!

Three Young Ladies Lured to Ruin and Murdered—The Coroner's Jury say the Medical Student Committed the Murders—The Popular Excitement Against the Church Building.

A startling story comes from San Francisco. The Caroline county tragedy in this State is exceeded in horror, the number of victims being trippled. The scene of the awful crimes is the Emanuel Baptist Church, San Francisco. On Saturday last the mutilated body of Miss Minnie Williams was found in the library of the edifice, and on Sunday the nude body of Miss Blanche Lamont was found in the tower of the church. The police authorities believe that both girls were murdered by the same person, and W. H. T. Durant, the young man suspected of both crimes, is now in custody. The murdered girls were members of the Emanuel Church and members of the Sunday-school class. Miss Lamont was a student at the Normal School on Powell street, in that city. Miss Williams was a companion in a family in Alemeda, near that city. They were each twenty-one years old. They were brunettes, pretty and modest. Both had been the recipients of attentions from W. H. T. Durant, a medical student, who is also the librarian of the Sunday-school connected with the church and the secretary of the Young People's Society of the congregation.

On Monday the police found the remains of another young lady in the basement of the same church. Great excitement prevails and the lynching of Durant is threatened. Extra precautions were taken and a large guard posted at the entrance of the prison, but no attack was made. The relatives of the Misses Lamont and Williams believe Durant killed them.

From all appearances Miss Lamont was not murdered in the room where her body was found. The body had been dragged to the belfry stairs and into the lower room. Her clothing was found stuffed into various corners of the room. About the time Sunday morning that Miss Lamont's body was found the congregation of Emanuel Church were on their way to attend Easter service. When they arrived and learned of the frightful crime they fled horror stricken from the place. The church was locked and guarded all day.

The police think Durant is another "Jack the Ripper" with a mania for murder. They state that it is highly probable that Durant is responsible for the killing of Eugene Ward, a young drug clerk, who was found stabbed to death several months ago in the store where he worked.

Popular sentiment of the mission favors the razing of the edifice. This feeling extends even to those who are not financially interested in the property but have an interest in the moral atmosphere of the neighborhood. The church has always been under a cloud. A stain of human blood marks its history from one pastor, who killed a newspaper proprietor and who blew out his brains, and thence to the awful tragedy that is now before the people. Everywhere is heard the expression, "Burn the place down." The feeling is that the church should never again be opened as a place of worship. As a result of these threatening expressions the insurance companies have cancelled their policies, and the police have been on guard since the tragedy.

MR. CLEVELAND'S FORTUNE.

His Income Return and His Lucky Real Estate Investment.

The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore *Sun* of Monday says:

"President Cleveland has made his income return. Outside of his salary as President, it is thought by his friends that Mr. Cleveland may have an income ranging from ten to twenty thousand per annum, but in his, as in all other cases, the internal revenue officials are debarred by law from giving any information. He has a residence in New York city and two other country homes, one near Washington and one on Buzzard's bay; but if anything was derived from this source it would be exempt under the Supreme Court's decision. The President, however, it is said, has a good deal of money invested in stocks and securities aside from that in his three homes. His fortune has been variously estimated at anywhere from $250,000 to a $1,000,000, but the former sum is probably nearer the exact amount.

The President, when first coming to the White house, was probably not worth over twenty to thirty thousand dollars, which he had accumulated through his law practice and from his salary as Governor of New York. His purchase of Red Top, situated just a mile beyond the city limits on the Woodley Lane road, was a ten-strike, and when he finally disposed of it he had cleared nearly $100,000 on the venture. Secretary Whitney, who owned property near by, cleared a like sum, and these sales gave the locality a boom which extended to the neighboring lands. During the interim from the close of his first administration to the beginning of the present the President added to his wealth through large fees secured from big suits. Only once during this time did he appear before the Supreme Court, but this single argument is said to have brought him in ten thousand dollars.

Army Worms in Kentucky.—The much dreaded army worm has made its appearance in Russelville, Ky., and many of the surrounding counties. There are millions of them, and they are making a clean sweep of everything green that lies in their way. They have devastated fields of young corn, and hundreds of plant beds have been literally eaten up, not a sprig of the tobacco plants being left. Some of the farmers have resowed their beds, and it will throw their crops late. Farmers are ditching against the worms and bushels of them have been killed.

It has been fourteen years since the army worms were as numerous in this section as they now are, and they have arrived six weeks earlier than on their former visits.

A Worthy Colored Man. — Thomas Barnum, colored, a resident of Williamsport, Md., who died Saturday at the age of eighty years, possessed a well-kept farm of 120 acres, which he superintended himself. His estate is valued at between $10,000 and $12,000. He was the slave of a family near Bakersville, Washington county, and when he was twenty-eight years of age commenced buying himself. In eleven years he paid for himself, his wife and two children the sum of $1,100.

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EMILY F. EDWARDS,

late of Kent county, Maryland, deceased.

All persons having claimst against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 15th day of October, 1895, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. All indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the subscribers.

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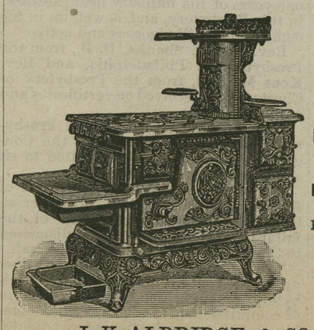

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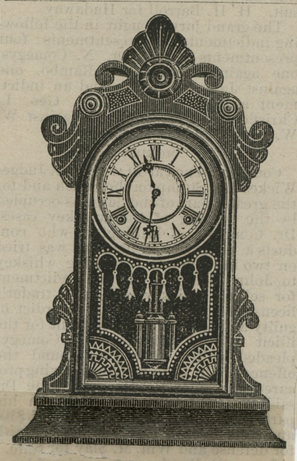

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