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MURDER MYSTERY

Mrs. Alda Collins, Wife of a Sussex County Farmer, Found Dead Near Laurel—She had been Horribly Assaulted and Mangled--Robbery of Thirty Dollars the Supposed Motive.

A Special Despatch dated Laurel, Del., April 13th says: While the bells of the church steeples peeled to the faithful to flock to Sunday School, this afternoon, an unresponsive crowd assembled before Riggin's undertaking establishment, within which twelve men empaneled by Coroner Marsh, were trying to solve the mystery of the atrocious murder of Mrs. Alda Collins, a few miles from here yesterday. While in the midst of the narrative of the fearful tragedy, Elmer Collins, the bereaved husband, was overwhelmed with grief. "My darling, my darling," he cried between sobs as his slender form pulsated with emotion. After an inquest of four hours, the jurors were unable to tear no cloak of mystery from about the fiendish crime.

Resolved, that Mrs. Alda Collins came to her death from severe injuries inflicted by a person unknown,

was the verdict conveyed by the jurors to the throng that besieged the jury room at six o'clock this evening. With few additional details ferreted out today, Detective Francis and authorities have yet to discover any person outside of little Hazel and Catharine Collins, daughters, and Elmer Collins, husband of the murdered woman, who saw her yesterday-morning before the bruised, mutilated body was found by the husband in the stable. Detective Francis had blood stained overalls, worn by Elmer Collins yesterday, but the owner explains they were besmeared by him picking up his wife. The apparel of Mrs. Collins was placed in a tub of water, but who did this the authorities have been unable to learn.

While the crowd was about the house, Mrs. Annie Taylor, sister of the murdered woman arrived, and on alighting from the carriage caused great excitement by swooning.

Some of the jurors sat with legs dangling from benches on which caskets are furnished. The witnesses assembled in an adjoining room. Mr. Collins was ushered in by E. B. Riggin. Collins said he took his children, Hazel, aged four, and Catharine, aged two years, with him in the wagon to the field, half a mile distant, to plant tomato seed. His wife was to join him as soon as she attended the chickens.

The last he saw of her was at the barn yard gate. She, from the porch asked him where he had placed thirty dollars she intended to take. Collins said he told her it was in a box, the location of which he described. He says he went to a field, finished ploughing, and after waiting a half hour he and the children returned to the house to ascertain the cause of Mrs. Collins's failure to bring the seed. When I got back to the house I called for Alda, he said. "I got no answer. Then I went into the carriage house and called. I took two steps and saw her covered with blood in the stable. I picked her up, and called to her and kissed her, and my God, she was dead. I thought my colt had killed her, but when I saw the cut on her throat I knew he didn't. My little girls were with me when I found her." Collins here went into a paroxysm of grief, and after a few minutes told how he apprised George H. Henry, a farmer living 200 yards away, of the crime. Collins said the $30 was taken from the box. His wife usually carried money in a stocking, but the money was missing. He noticed her stocking torn near the top when he examined it. Collins said the last time he had used the iron bolt with which she was pattered, was about three weeks ago. He had used the hatchet on Tuesday to repair a hog pen. It was the custom to take the children to the fields.

Mrs. George Henry informed the jury that when Collins came to their house he exclaimed: "Somebody has murdered my wife." Mr. Henry said Collins conveyed the same message. Henry was the first to arrive at Collin's home, Collins cried: "I am ruined somebody has killed my wife." He, with several men, carried the body into the house.

He was working within 200 yards of Collins home. While he saw the latter's team coming from the field before the body was found, he saw no person about Collin's house during the morning.

Jacob T. Kenney and Sidney P. Goslee were among the first arrivals. They said they found tracks leading across the field from Collin's property into the woods where they were lost. They led in the direction of a field in which Collins worked, but a person making them could not be seen from the field.

Mr. Goslee found a bloody bolt and hatchet behind crates that were used for hen's nests. Mr. Kenney testified that four boys declared they saw a man running in the woods and George Henry's daughter told him she recalled seeing the stranger crossing Collin's field.

Detective Francis attaches little importance to these statements.

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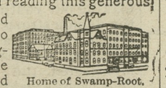
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For Centreville, 9.41 a. m. and 5.26 p. m. week days.

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INSURANCE STATEMENTS.

COMBINED statement showing the condition of the ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY of Hartford, Conn., to December 31, 1901:

Total income during the year	$11,909,651 60
Total disbursements	8,611,490 51
Total Assets	59,666,974 57
Total Liabilities	54,266,609 92
Suplus as regards policy holders	5,323,081 25
Insurance in force in the United States on Dec. 31, 1901	382,908,962 66
Insurance written in Maryland during the year 1901	7,951,625 00
Premiums received on Maryland business in 1901	276,737 71
Losses paid in Maryland during 1901	100,659 60
Losses incurred in Maryland during 1901	107,878 96
Insurance in force in Maryland	9,513,065 00

STATE OF MARYLAND,
INSURANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
BALTIMORE, MD., Feb. 3, 1902.

In compliance with the Code of Public General Laws, I hereby certify the above is a true abstract from the sworn statement of the ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY of Hartford, Conn., to December 31, 1901, now on file in this Department.

LLOYD WILKINSON,
Insurance Commissioner.

STATEMENT of the FIDELITY MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY of Philadelphia to December 31, 1901.

Total Admitted Assets	$3,920,788 44
Total Liabilities	3,273,544 06
Surplus	656,254 38

GEORGE S. SARTEN,
Manager Eastern Shore of Maryland,
1030 Fidelity Bldg, Philadelphia, Pa.

STATEMENT of the NORWICH UNION FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY of Norwich, Eng., to December 31, 1901:

Total Admitted Assets	$2,171,049 00
Total Liabilities	1,519,459 00
Surplus	730,957 00

STATEMENT of the UNITED STATES CASUALTY COMPANY of New York, to December 31, 1901:

Capital	$300,000 00
Total Admitted Assets	1,292,172 00
Total Liabilities	827,172 00
Surplus	465,583 00

STATEMENT of the INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA of Philadelphia, Pa., to December 31, 1901:

Capital	$3,000,000 00
Total Admitted Assets	10,020,210 00
Total Liabilities	8,347,537 00
Surplus	1,741,670 00

STATEMENT of the PHŒNIX INSURANCE COMPANY of London, Eng., to December 31, 1901:

Total Admitted Assets	$2,897,059 00
Total Liabilities	2,460,010 00
Surplus	472,290 00

STATEMENT of the ST. PAUL FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY of St. Paul, Minn., to December 31, 1901:

Capital	$ 500,000 00
Total Admitted Assets	3,003,314 00
Total Liabilities	2,167,770 00
Surplus	878,022 00

STATEMENT of the PENNSYLVANIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Philadelphia, Pa., to December 31, 1901:

Capital	$ 400,000 00
Total Admitted Assets	5 440,664 00
Total Liabilities	3,469,112 00
Surplus	2,050,520 00

STATEMENT of the PRUDENTIAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA of Newark, N. J., to December 31, 1901:

Capital	$2,000,000 00
Total Admitted Assets	48 630,571 00
Total Liabilities	41,765,966 00
Surplus	6,864,605 00

STATEMENT of the GERMAN AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY of New York to December 31, 1901:

Capital	$1,000,000 00
Total Admitted Assets	9,268,637 00
Total Liabilities	4,775,500 00
Surplus	4,517,055 00

STATEMENT of the AMERICAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Philadelphia, Pa., to December 31, 1901:

Capital	$ 500,000 00
Total Admitted Assets	2,380,887 00
Total Liabilities	2,224,173 00
Surplus	184,478 00

STATEMENT of the ORIENT INSURANCE COMPANY of Hartford, Conn., to December 31, 1901:

Capital	$ 500,000 00
Total Admitted Assets	2,159,321 00
Total Liabilities	1,460,733 00
Surplus	754,442 00

STATEMENT of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY of Liverp.ol, Eng., to December 31, 1901:

Total Admitted Assets	$7,393,216 00
Total Liabilities	4,781,893 00
Surplus	2,332,951 00

STATEMENT of the NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY of London, Eng., to December 31, 1901:

Total Admitted Assets	$5,286,170 00
Total Liabilities	2,679,956 00
Surplus	2,604,269 00

STATEMENT of the PHENIX INSURANCE COMPANY of Brooklyn, N. Y., to December 31, 1901:

Capital	$1,000,000 00
Total Admitted Assets	6,901,765 00
Total Liabilities	5,123,016 00
Surplus	1,828,199 00

STATEMENT of the PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Hartford, Conn. to December 31, 1901:

Capital	$2,000,000 00
Total Admitted Assets	5,953,444 00
Total Liabilities	4,837,194 00
Surplus	1 243,443 00

STATEMENT of the NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY of London, Eng., to December 31, 1901.

Total Admitted Assets	$2,806,910 00
Total Liabilities	1,463,949 00
Surplus	1,498,173 00

STATEMENT of the MICHIGAN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY of Detroit, Mich., to December 31, 1901:

Capital	$ 250,000 00
Total Admitted Assets	7,272,839 26
Total Liabilities	6,882,839 41
Surplus	389,857 85

STATEMENT of the HOME INSURANCE COMPANY of New York, N. Y., to December 31, 1901:

Capital	$3,000,000 00
Total Admitted Assets	15,194,193 00
Total Liabilities	9,287,850 00
Surplus	6,053,781 00

STATEMENT of the SPRINGFIELD FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY of Springfield, Mass., to December 31, 1901:

Capital	$2,000,000 00
Total Admitted Assets	5,790,220 00
Total Liabilities	4,503,625 00
Surplus	$1,708 336 00

SHERIFF'S NOTICE

—TO—

Delinquent Tax Payers

THIS is to give notice to all delinquent taxpayers, that the Tax Books for the county have been placed in my hand of the collection of taxes, which are now due and MUST BE PAID AT ONCE. Don't ask me to wait.

THE LAW ALLOWS NO DELAY

Extract from Chapter 211, Section 68, C. Public Local Laws of 1892, says:

All tax bills unpaid on the 1st of April in each year shall be placed in the hands of the Sheriff of the county, who shall forthwith proceed to seize, levy upon, advertise and sell the property of such delinquents, or so much thereof as is necessary to pay said taxes, interest, charges and cost of sale, and for this purpose the said Sheriff is hereby clothed with all the powers possessed by collectors of taxes under the Code of Public General Laws; and the Sheriff shall report and pay over to the Treasurer before the First Day of June in each year all the taxes collected by him.

☞Don't wait for me to levy on your property, and advertise it, but make prompt settlement and avoid extra costs.

THOMAS J. FLETCHER, Sheriff.

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