

THEY HAVE NEW GLEW

CHICAGO POLICE NOW HOPEFUL OF SOLVING MYSTERY.

Hold a Man Who Was a Close Friend to Bartholin—Edward Counselman Charged With Being an Accessory After Fact in Minnie Mitchell's Murder.

Chicago, Aug. 18.—Developments today in the Bartholin-Mitchell murder mystery have led the police to believe they are nearer the solution of the problem than at any time in the past month. Edward Counselman, the intimate friend of William J. Bartholin, who was held for possible knowledge of the crimes was taken before Justice Quinn today and held for ten days in bonds of \$10,000, charged with being accessory after the fact in the murders of Minnie Mitchell and Mrs. Anne Bartholin. Counselman admitted he had met Bartholin and that Bartholin said he was in trouble over Minnie Mitchell.

The most damaging testimony as to Counselman's possible guilty knowledge of the murders of the two women came from a new witness, whom the police found today, W. M. Allen, a fellow-workman of Counselman. Allen said that Counselman had told him repeatedly that he knew a great deal about the trouble Bartholin was in. When Allen suggested that Counselman tell the police what he knew, the latter said he would do no such thing; that Bartholin was his friend, and that he was too shrewd for the police. Allen said that Counselman even expressed the opinion that Bartholin had easily had time to reach the seaboard. Allen said that Counselman expressed the greatest anxiety over the case as it developed in the newspapers. For three days Counselman did not do any work because of nervousness.

The police have the testimony of another witness, who is positive he saw Counselman and Bartholin together on August 7, the day the body of Minnie Mitchell was found. It is the purpose of the police to put Counselman through the sweating ordeal today, and they say they expect important results. Counselman's wife begged him repeatedly to tell the police all he knew, but so far Counselman has been obdurate. A note from Bartholin to Counselman asking for money and saying that the writer was in trouble is held by the police. It was this note which Counselman had tried to secure from his wife by choking her that led to his arrest.

Milton E. Edwards, one of the former roomers of Mrs. Anne Bartholin and a witness who the police think will prove valuable in clearing up the mystery in the murders of Mrs. Bartholin and Miss Minnie Mitchell, arrived in this city early today from Denver and at once placed himself in the hands of the police. Edwards was frank in his statements and showed no signs of nervousness.

To a reporter of the Associated Press he made the following statement: "I barely know Thompson and have spoken to him only three or four times. I never was a doctor or a hypnotist, and I could not have possibly put Thompson under any influence, as he irrationally stated. I have already said that I thought things were queer at the Bartholin home, and that is the reason I left there.

"I have a few things more to tell the chief of police, but the public must wait until the chief speaks. I saw Bartholin kissing a woman in the house, but what bearing that may have on the case I do not know."

Edwards was cross-examined both by Chief of Police O'Neil and Inspector Hunt, but practically nothing new was elicited. Edwards told in a straight forward manner what he remembered of suspicious actions about the Bartholin house, of his fear that Mrs. Bartholin had been murdered, and his fear for his own safety if he remained longer in the house. The story was repeated of how he had been awakened by the howling of a cat, of how he had seen Thompson leaning over his bed one night, and how Thompson had explained his presence in Edwards' room by saying he thought William Bartholin was sleeping there.

Edwards met Thompson today. The men nodded, but said nothing.

With a jagged wound in the left temple and physical evidence that she had been strangled or smothered, the body of Mrs. Anne Bartholin was found buried beneath the cellar floor of the house in which she had lived, at No. 4310 Calumet avenue.

Coinciding with the finding of the body the police redoubled their efforts to find the missing son, William Bartholin, who is also suspected of the murder of Miss Minnie Mitchell, whose body was found in a vacant lot at Seventy-fourth and State streets.

The body of Mrs. Bartholin was found by a party of newspaper men, after police searched the house and had concluded that if the woman had been murdered her body was concealed somewhere away

from the residence. All the rooms of the house had been ransacked, partitions torn down, walls sounded, and the basement and the premises searched.

Earlier in the day persons searching in the basement found a place where the cement floor seemed to have been disturbed. Digging there they found what at first was supposed to be fragments of a human body. Later they became satisfied that a dog had been buried there.

A crowbar, apparently stained with blood, and a hatchet, which bore dark marks, were found in the basement, and the searchers were unwilling to abandon their task. Finally tonight some one found a small crevice in the cement floor indicating that the cement had been disturbed and then skillfully patched.

The cement was quickly broken away and then the diggers came on a bed of white sand. Digging through this, they came upon a dress skirt. This was dragged out, and other articles of woman's wear were found. When these had been removed the body of the woman was found. It was wrapped in a blanket and practically without clothing, there being only a stocking on the left foot and a corset cover around the chest.

It is believed that Mrs. Bartholin was struck down either while disrobing for the night or while dressing in the morning.

A motive which may have led to the murder was revealed this morning when Peter Van Vlissingen, the real estate man, who is the agent for the owner of the mortgage on the Bartholin home, reported that he had written Mrs. Bartholin to appear at his office in regard to some matters relating to the title of her property. Mr. Van Vlissingen's principal has a first mortgage on the property for \$4,500, while there is a second mortgage of \$350. That letter may have been received by the son. Possibly, it has been conjectured, the son had handled financial matters for his mother in an unsatisfactory manner and fearing that the summons of Mr. Van Vlissingen meant investigation, had decided upon desperate measures.

New York World: Roland B. Molineux finished Saturday his sixth play. Those who have been permitted to look over the drama say it is a strong one. Molineux was overjoyed yesterday when Lawyer George Gordon Battle called on him in the Tombs. Mr. Battle had just returned from Europe. His first visit was to Molineux.

"I have just finished my sixth play," said Molineux to Battle, when he inquired how the prisoner had been spending the summer days.

Battle found Molineux very cheerful and in excellent health and spirits. He looks forward eagerly to the time when he will be called upon again to stand trial upon the charge of having killed by poison Mrs. Katherine J. Adams.

Molineux has had several offers from theatrical managers who wish to produce one of his plays. He has positively refused to part with any of his plays while he is still in the Tombs. Molineux feels he would be accused of notoriety if he now sold any of this dramas. He is confident the second trial will result in his acquittal.

The trial has been set for the first Monday in October, in the criminal branch of the supreme court. Justice Barrett has been assigned to that court, but the Justice's health has been poor of late and another Justice of the supreme court will probably be assigned. Justice Scott may be selected.

Counsel for the defense have not yet decided whether or not they will in time put in a defense.

"It may not be necessary," said Mr. Battle yesterday. "This trial will be entirely different from that before Recorder Goff in general sessions.

Assistant District Attorney Osborn, who has charge of the prosecution of Molineux, is in Europe. He is expected back before the end of this month. Deputy Assistant District Attorney Keyran, J. O' Connor and probably Mr. Garvan will assist Mr. Osborn in the preparation of the prosecution's side of the case. Weeks & Battle will again represent Molineux. They will be assisted by ex-Gov. Black and ex-District Attorney Olcott.

Muscataine, Ia., Aug. 17.—The dead body of Mrs. Jessie Tuman was found tonight 100 yards from her home near here. Her husband, unconscious and mortally wounded, was found on the floor in the house, which showed signs of a desperate struggle. Considerable money which the couple are known to have had cannot be found, and Dan Williams, who had lived with the Tumans for the past two weeks, has disappeared. Williams is said to have come from Texas.

Mrs. Tuman evidently had been killed while fleeing from the house. She had been brained with an axe, which lay close to the body.

Orensboro, Ky., Aug. 16.—The agent of the American Express Co. at Fordsville was robbed of \$28,000 last night under peculiar circumstances. J. W. Boatner, who shipped the money to Fordsville, is under arrest at Irvington, and J. C. Schlitzbaum, the agent of the company, is being held at Falls of Rough.

Several days ago a man giving his name as J. W. Boatner, of Memphis Tenn., appeared at the office

of the American Express Company at Deaneville, five miles from Fordsville, and wanted to express \$28,000 to the latter point. Boatner took a receipt for it, and then the agent remembered that he was allowed to ship only \$5000 at one time, and made him take the cash back. Boatner kept the money until last night when it was sent to Fordsville by express, where it arrived late last night. The express agent it is said, informed a number of people that the money had arrived. It was not put in the bank, as Mr. Boatner sent word that he would be there early this morning.

This morning Schlitzbaum turned up at Falls of Rough. He stated that he was held up, robbed and kidnaped during the night. He first decided to stay at the depot all night, but says he, finally got nervous and started to the hotel, only one square away. Between the two places he was set upon and robbed of the money by three men.

The express people and the officers believe the whole affair was a conspiracy to defraud the American Express Company out of \$28,000.

The money was placed in a package and sealed in the express office in this city and addressed to J. W. Boatner, Fordsville. Boatner was present at the time, paying agent Burch \$14 charges. After he left the express office, he called up the agent at Fordsville over the telephone, stating that the money would be out on the next Illinois Central train, and that he would call for it that night, and to be sure not to put it in any bank, but to place it in a safe. Burch, the agent here, knew nothing about the latter transaction. Boatner did not call for the money, giving an excuse that he was drunk. Boatner has the American Express Company's receipt for \$28,000. As soon as the robbery was known to Agent Burch, he at once called up Mr. Hogins, the president, at St. Louis, who notified him to have Boatner arrested. When arrested the money was not found in his possession. Boatner refuses to give any history of his family record, other than he came from South America, and that his father gave him the \$28,000 which he had won on horse races. While here Boatner drank freely. He is about 28 years old, and wore glasses, a red neck-tie and low-cut shoes. His hair was brown and his moustache of a darker hue. His general manner indicated that he was well educated and refined.

DISTRIBUTION OF SEED.

Delayed by the Failure to Work of the Filling and Sealing Machinery.

Considerable delay is being occasioned in the congressional seed distribution by the failure of the filling and sealing machinery to work as it was expected to do. The invention is a new one, and not yet in a state of perfection, but it is thought that the inventor, who spends his time in the plant, will be able to have it in good working order in the next few days.

Just now the work of filling, sealing and franking the bags is being done by hand as rapidly as possible, and some orders are being gotten out for the localities in which planting first occurs.

It is thought by the contractors that the plant, which is conveniently located near the post office, will be in full working order in the next few days, and that, even with the present delay and the extra appropriation, the work will be completed much more rapidly than ever before.

Some fear is entertained by some congressmen lest Secretary Wilson's test for germination is too high, and that he is paying too much attention to the scientific character of the supply, and thus materially retarding the distribution. The congressmen frankly confess that it is the quantity and speed of the distribution for which they care more than for the quality, and already they are making uneasy calls at the plant where the seeds are being handled and to the seed division of the agricultural department.

When two furtive, lightly-garbed figures stole back to their respective beds, the sky was shivering towards dawn. As Amberst crept into his bed, the next man to him moved, and muttered in his sleep. "We beseech Thee to hear us, Good Lord." He was the second tenor in the choir, and had been practicing some new music the day before at the squeaking harmonium.

"Amen," said Davy, fervently, as he drew the blanket over his head.

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CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* Guardians' Sale of Real Estate.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as guardian of the persons and estates of Sybil G. Walker and Aldwin R. Walker, minors will on Wednesday, the 27th day of August, 1902, at the court house door, in the city of Corvallis, in Benton county, Oregon, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, offer for sale and in public auction to the highest bidder for cash, free of incumbrance all the right, title and interest of said Sybil G. Walker and Aldwin R. Walker, in and to that certain real property bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at a point 12 1/2 chains east of the south east corner of the northwest quarter of southeast quarter of section 20 township 11 south of range 5 west of the Willamette meridian in the county of Benton, an. state of Oregon; thence east 25 chains, thence north 60 chains, thence west 25 chains, thence south 60 chains to place of beginning, containing 100 acres more or less.

Said sale is made under and in pursuance of a license and order of sale granted by the county court of the state of Oregon for Multnomah county on the 22nd day of July, 1902, in the matter of the guardianship of said Sybil G. Walker and Aldwin R. Walker, said minors. Dated this July 26, 1902. COLE E. FORD, Guardian of the persons and estates of Sybil G. Walker and Aldwin R. Walker, minors.

Notice to Creditors. Notice is hereby given to all persons concerned that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of James Marvin Applewhite, deceased, by the county court of the state of Oregon for Benton county. All persons having claims against said estate of James Marvin Applewhite, deceased, are hereby required to present the same, with the proper vouchers, duly verified as by law required, within six months from the date hereof, to the undersigned at his law office in Corvallis, Benton county, Oregon. Dated this July 23rd, 1902. E. E. WILSON, Administrator of the estate of James Marvin Applewhite, deceased.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon. In the matter of John M. Osburn, bankrupt in bankruptcy. To the creditors of the above named bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that J. O. Wilson, trustee in the above entitled matter has filed his final account as such trustee and the said account will be examined and passed upon at the office of the referee in Albany, Oregon, on Monday the 4th day of August A. D. 1902.

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