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After Four Years of Discouraging Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave Up in Despair. Husband Came to Rescue.

Catron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good.

I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.

At last, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I commenced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I can now walk two miles without its tiring me, and am doing all my work."

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PRIEST CONFESSED TO MURDERING GIRL

With Arrest of Rev. Hans Schmidt, Assistant Rector St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church, Mystery Surrounding Finding of Dismembered Body of Girl in Hudson River is Solved.

New York, Sept. 14.—With the arrest early today of the Rev. Hans Schmidt, assistant rector of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church, charged with the murder of Alina Aumuller, a domestic, the mystery surrounding the finding of parts of the dismembered body of a girl in the Hudson river was solved. Schmidt according to the police reports, confessed, and at the time of his arrest attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat with a safety razor blade.

"I killed her because I loved her so much," Schmidt is alleged to have told his captors, but the police version of the motive for the crime is that the young woman was about to become a mother. He had married her through a ceremony of his own performance without witnesses.

According to the police and attaches of the district attorneys office Schmidt's confession was full and absolute. In it he is quoted as saying that he killed his companion with a butcher's knife and cut up the body with the knife and a saw. The deed was committed, the police say, shortly after midnight on Sept. 2 in an apartment in Bradhurst avenue.

Gory Task in Bathroom.

When her heart had ceased beating, according to the alleged confession, Schmidt carried the body from the bed to the bathroom, placing it in the tub, began immediately his gory task of cutting it up. With the keen knife and the saw he cut off the head, arms and legs. Still fearful of detection, he then cut the body in two.

Five bundles, draped in bed-clothes and papers, were made of the six parts. Five times Schmidt left the apartment house with a bundle to cross the Hudson river to the Jersey shore. Five times he leaned over the stern of the ferryboat and gave the river his burden. Then he returned to his church. The stains of the girl's blood still discolored the bath tub when detectives today searched the apartment. Schmidt told the police he had taken the mattress to a vacant lot nearby and burned it.

Found Marriage License.

In the apartment the police found a marriage license issued in New York last February and bearing the names of the priest and the murdered woman. According to Schmidt's confession he went through a marriage ceremony with the girl. In this ceremony Schmidt was both priest and bridegroom; there were no witnesses.

A gayly colored pillow slip of unusual pattern led to Schmidt's apprehension. This pillow slip stained with blood and soiled with the filth of the river, was wrapped around a portion of the torso. The detectives traced it to its manufacturer; the manufacturer to the dealer; the dealer traced it to Schmidt. And the police, tracing Schmidt and the girl, knew all about both of them hours before they arrested him. The priest was dressed in full clerical garb when Inspector Faurot entered his rooms in the parish house of his church. The inspector produced a photograph of Miss Aumuller and asked Schmidt if he knew the girl.

Confessed to Rector.

The priest, after a moment of hesitation, inquired whether his visitors were police officers. He then asked permission to change his clothes, and it was when he left the room Inspector Faurot declared that he attempted to cut his throat.

Early today Schmidt said to the Rev. Father Huntman, rector of St. Joseph's Church, that he would hear no more confessions and when asked for his reason said:

"I have something of importance to tell you." With his superior, Schmidt then retired to the study where the latter told all that had transpired in the Bradhurst avenue flat, where according to his alleged confession, he murdered the girl. Father Huntman conferred with his other assistants, and it was agreed that the authorities should be notified. The police, however, were even then on Schmidt's trail, and his arrest followed shortly.

Schmidt was taken to the Tombs. The confession which the police say Schmidt signed follows:

"I met Anna Aumuller two years ago at the parish house of St. Boniface church. She was employed as a servant there. I became infatuated with her. I loved her.

"I killed her because I loved her so much. She was so beautiful, so good, I could not let her live without me.

"Could not let her go away." "I had made up my mind that she and I could not live together. I was a priest and must remain with my church. I could not let her go away from me. So I opened the door of the flat. I awakened her. I told her I

had come to fulfill my threat. Then I drew the knife across her throat.

"I cut the body into six pieces. I made trips to the Fort Lee ferry, each time with a part of her precious body in a bundle. When the ferry boat reached the middle of the stream I would throw a piece into the water and when the boat reached the other side of the river I would return and go back to the flat.

"After I had disposed of the body I wanted to destroy all evidence of the crime. I took the mattress on which I had slain her and carried it to a vacant lot and there I burned it.

"I am guilty; that is all I can say. I must pay the penalty. There is nothing else for me to do. But I loved Anna Aumuller.

Performed His Own.

"She wanted me to marry her and I procured a marriage license. She trusted me.

"I am a priest and ordained to perform the marriage ceremony, so when she insisted upon a ceremony I married myself to her. There was no need of any other priest doing it. It was just as absolute as if I had called in another person with authority to perform a marriage ceremony. She was my wife."

Schmidt, after being assigned to a cell in the Tombs, went to sleep. The priest, according to his story, was born in Aschaffenburg, Germany, in 1881. He attended a college and at the age of 18 enrolled in St. Augustine's seminary, in Mainz, and on Dec. 23, 1904 he was ordained. He held several charges in Germany and then came to America because of poor health.

SHILOH LETTER.

Shiloh, Sept. 8.—The weather was O. K. for saving the fodder crop. Both quantity and quality are excellent. The late crop remains to be harvested. Picking cotton and marketing the crop and sowing of small grain will demand the time of the farmers the remainder of autumn. Some have already sowed oats. After reading the government report we see no chasms wherein that can be hedged to pull down the price of the staple. The cry of overproduction and scarcity of money will be a small ebb, but the demand will be exuberant. Watch!

Messrs. J. B. Hellams, John Armstrong and J. C. Hellams took advantage of the low excursion last week and off to Johnson City by the great smoky mountains. They were gone three days. They say the nights seen was double to that of the purse. Grand! Mr. Carl Owings, who has been on a sojourn of nearly two weeks to the city by the mountain (Greenville) and Jelzer, has returned home.

The ordinance of baptism was administered at Rabun yesterday. After the ordinance of immersion, the applicants were received in full membership of the church.

Two of the little ones at our house have pains, little Marie is suffering with toothache and little Master B. Odies has sore eyes. May a gracious Providence watch over them and calm their pains.

Mr. J. H. Abercrombie is off this week to Laurens where he goes as one of the eighteen in number, as Grand Jurors.

Mr. Maxey Wilson's better half and the little one, from the glorious Land of the Sky, N. C., are down on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Wilson, and other kinsmen and kinswomen. It has been about three years since Maxey visited his old home. This is Mrs. Wilson's first visit, as she was a native of Salisbury, where Maxey holds a lucrative position as a book-keeper, with a lumber company.

Mrs. W. M. Armstrong is under the treatment of Dr. J. W. Beason.

Mrs. Ellie Chestine, who has been confined to her bed for a short time is better.

Mr. Joe Hendrix and family visited in Pelzer Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. L. T. Hellams and family visited Mr. J. R. Hellams and family Sunday. It is an old proverb "Put the big pot in the little one."

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