

A BOSTON TRAGEDY.

A MAN SHOT BY THE REJECTED SUITOR OF HIS DAUGHTER—SAD END TO A MOONLIGHT WALK.

BOSTON, April 18.—Social circles in this city are agitated to day, by the shooting last night of a prominent Irish citizen by the lover of his daughter. Mr. John Lyons, the victim of the murderous assault, is a gentleman of means and a man of standing in the community. He has, for a number of years, carried on the business of a wholesale grocer and liquor dealer at the corner of Beach and South streets, and his name has been associated with every public movement for the benefit of the city or its residents. He has been Commander of the Knights of St. Patrick for over three years, besides holding a staff appointment in the Ninth battalion of the State Militia. H. Lanman, a young man who resided with his mother in Worcester street, has been for some time paying attention to Annie, the youngest daughter of Mr. Lyons, but his suit has not been favored by the young lady's parents, and they have repeatedly forbidden her to have anything to do with him. This prohibition she has disregarded, and on various occasions she has met him clandestinely, and has corresponded with him.

LOVE AND MURDER.

Last night she went out about seven o'clock, and, as it subsequently transpired, met her lover and had a moonlight walk with him. The pair reached Mr. Lyons' house about ten o'clock, and stood a few moments on the steps chatting. While thus engaged, the young lady's father reached home, and found his daughter in the act of disobeying his commands. He upbraided her for her conduct, and she fled into the house, leaving her father and lover alone. What passed between them is not known, but soon the report of a pistol was heard to disturb the quiet of the street, and Mr. Lyons was seen to fall heavily to the ground, as it was thought, mortally wounded. Two special officers happened to be passing on the other side of the street at the time, and they at once rushed to the scene of the quarrel. Mr. Lyons had succeeded in getting on his feet, and the enraged lover was arrested in the act of firing a second shot. One of the officers seized his pistol arm and prevented the discharge of the weapon. The wounded man was taken into his residence, when it was found that the ball had entered his stomach, about two inches above the navel. The surgeons probed the wound, but could not find the ball.

THE MURDERER ARRESTED.

Young Lanman was promptly arrested and taken to the station house. He was subsequently confronted with the dying man and fully identified. The frantic girl, distracted between filial love, and the affection she bore for her betrothed, rushed from the house and sought the cell where he was confined. She tore her hair and bemoaned the fate of young Lanman, but was refused access to his presence.

WHY LANMAN WAS NOT ACCEPTED.

The cause of Mr. Lyons' opposition to Lanman, was not his religious belief, as has been alleged; but the fact that he has no visible means of support, he living with his mother and not being employed in any business. Mr. Lyons would not have objected to him, no matter what his religion might have been, provided he was a fit companion for his daughter, and prepared to maintain her in a proper manner. The shooting affair has created a painful sensation throughout the city.

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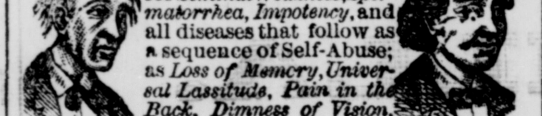
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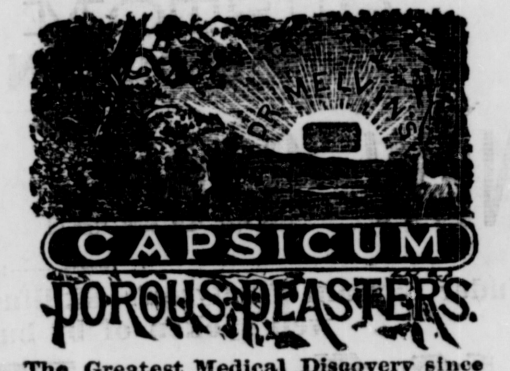
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