

AN ESCAPED MURDERER FROM THE STATES.

He breaks Auburn (N. Y.) Jail, flies to Canada and is arrested in Toronto.

The following facts concerning the arrest of George Peet, an escaped criminal, were reported yesterday by the reporter, as it was expected another arrest would have been made.

On the 1st of February, 1866, a man named George Peet, keeper of the Lake House, near Auburn, New York State, took ill very suddenly, and medical men being sent for, the recovery of the medical men were totally unable to ascertain the cause of illness.

Shortly after the wife was again taken ill, and notwithstanding every effort on the part of the medical men, and the careful attention of her husband, she died within twenty-four hours after this second illness.

She made over her property amounting to about \$5,000, her husband, Mr. Peet, looked suspicious, and so strong did the finger of suspicion point to the husband as the cause of death, that the wife's friends, who are wealthy, ordered a post mortem examination to be made, when it was found that the stomach was full of arsenic.

Without further delay the husband was arrested, examined, and on the evidence committed for trial by the Auburn authorities. He was lodged in Auburn jail. While incarcerated, Peet, in conjunction with half a dozen other convicts, plotted together, and on the night of the 1st of February the six convicts broke jail by digging through a thick stone wall, and there by effecting escape.

Peet's escape was effected in the following manner: He was in the morning, the door was found locked as usual, and nothing disturbed in the cell, save that the bird, which had been kept in the cell, had fled. The authorities of Auburn then tracked Deputy Sheriff O. B. Van Eken to the depot, where he was arrested. Peet then fled to the city, where he was again taken.

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