

REVEREND WILLIAMS, recalled.

Q. Did you have a talk with Mary Perkins shortly after the discovery of the dead body of Mrs. Brandon on Second street near the home of Mrs. Brandon on August 8th? A. I did.

Q. In whose presence? A. As I said before in the presence of Mrs. Catherine Brown, Mrs. Edith Credit and one other person that I am not positive about at this time.

(Mr. Green): Now, may it please the Court, does that not rule it out under his form of question?

(The Court): I don't think so.

(Objection overruled.)

Q. What did she say at that time?

(Objected to.)

(The Court): Put the question that you put to her. Did she say to you, at that time mentioned, that she thought it strange that she had not seen Mrs. Brandon all that day, that she had noticed that the house had been closed and saw no one there the entire day.

A. She positively said so.

#### CROSS-EXAMINATION.

Q. How long have you known Mary Perkins and Edith Credit? A. I have known Mrs. Credit for more than four years; I have known Mary Perkins for the past perhaps eight months or more.

Q. Members of your church? A. No, sir.

Q. Where do they attend, do you know?

(Objected to.)

(Mr. Green): We expect to show some motive to affect the credibility of this witness on this point.