

False mustache no help in keeping secret

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ble which resulted in an arrangement that protected them, but it was reported at the time that this arrangement had to be forced from him and that a pistol figured in the argument prior to the granting of satisfactory concessions."

Perhaps frightened by the vehemence of his neighbors demands, Hadden decided to take himself a

long way out of firing range — so far, in fact, as to be in "whereabouts unknown."

Headings bizarre appearance in Martinsville was the first time he had surfaced since his hasty departure from Honey Creek. Perhaps he thought the neighboring county seat was the closest he dared go to the scene of his financial difficulties.

Retracing Hadden's steps on the day before he had been seen stand-

ing on the square in Martinsville, the police discovered that the man had tried unsuccessfully to find a place to stay.

In the end, Hadden discovered he was in no trouble in Martinsville. Concluded the *Reporter*, "The officers had no information of any charge against him in Monroe County, and they did not arrest him. A boy reported that Hadden left the train shortly after the officers left him. Hadden had plenty of money at the hotel."