

These Women Denied Their Sex for Years

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ORTY-FIVE or more instances of women who lived as men have come to light in the last ten years. There are also many accounts of men who lived as women. A scientist has estimated that one woman in every 3,000 is the victim of this strange mania.

Some of the best known cases are:

Murray Hamilton Hall, who lived as a man for fifty years, thirty of which were spent in New York, where she voted regularly. She died at the age of seventy-one, on Jan. 16, 1901. She had two wives, one of whom survived her.

George Green, who died early this year in Petersburg, Pa., had lived for sixty years as a woman and had been married

for thirty-five years. She worked in the mines and did other manual labor of the heaviest kind. She died at the age of seventy-four, leaving a widow.

William Howard, who was really Alice C. Howard, of Canandaigua, N. Y., died March 22 last. She had lived for forty years with a woman to whom she had been married.

Caroline C. Hall, a Boston woman, was on the way home to New York from abroad, where she had been touring for years as the husband of a woman with whom she traveled: She died suddenly on the voyage and then her sex was revealed.

Ellis Glenn of Hillsboro, Ill., was arraigned about a year ago for forgery and was also accused of wooing and winning Ella Duke of Butler. She claimed that this was the work of her twin brother, but she was positively identified. She was

released on a technicality and, no twin brother ever having been found, Ellis Glenn still remains of a mystery.

Burt Martin, a famous outlaw of Nebraska, was really Lena Martin. She was given a long term in state prison, and her sex was not discovered until after she had been incarcerated for eleven months. She had been living as a man for years.

Sergt. Frank Wayne, whose real name was Frances Wayne, was a soldier in the United States army and saw much actual service. She was killed in battle in 1862.

Dr. James Barry was an English woman who served as an army surgeon in Malta and at the Cape for years before her sex was discovered.

Christian Cavanaugh served with the English army in Malta, fought a duel, and when her sex was discovered remained with the regiment as a cook.