

THE LONGUE POINTE TRAGEDY.

**A HIRED MAN FATALLY WOUNDS HIS EMPLOYER—
A SECOND EDITION OF MANKY—ARREST OF THE
CULPRIT.**

An imitator of Mann has turned up in Longue Pointe village, in the person of one Timothy Donley *aka* Malloy. A former, latterly an employee of Nesbitt, a farmer, Nesbitt discharged and paid him on a few days ago, and this morning (Jan. 20), between six and seven, while Nesbitt was milking his cows he found Malloy around the stable. Nesbitt ordered him away and then proceeded with his work. While emptying the milk cans Malloy came upon him unawares and presented a pistol at his head and fired, the bullet taking effect in the muscles of the neck. Finding his man not dead, he (Malloy) took up

to finish his work, but fortunately for Nesbitt, the shovel was a wooden one and broke at the first blow. Nesbitt then made his escape to the house, followed by Malloy, who was met by Mrs. Nesbitt, who stood in his way, armed with a heavy poker, and who ordered him back at his peril. Malloy cowered and seeing that he had failed in his attempt, jumped on a horse and fled, but turned the horse loose on the public highway and proceeded on foot for Montreal. Nesbitt's other hired man gave the alarm, and Malloy was arrested on the highway in Hochelaga. He is now confined in the Hochelaga Police Station. Nesbitt is dangerously ill, is supposed mortally wounded. So close was the shot fired that Nesbitt's neck was all burned by powder. The intention was supposed to be the murder of the whole family and robbery. Malloy was pluckily arrested by Messrs Kydd and Greene. He pretends ignorance and denies all knowledge of the affair. Mrs. Nesbitt being afraid to remain at home harassed the horses and herself drove Mr. Nesbitt to her neighbor's Mrs. Greene, where they are now.

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The terrible affair at Longue Point, at which Mr. Nesbitt, a farmer, was shot, probably fatally, yesterday, morning, was the charged servant named Michael Malloy, still the chief topic of interest in the locality. When the prisoner was arrested he was placed in the Hochelaga police station, but was subsequently removed to this city, it appears before Mr. Dugas, Police Magistrate, but the latter hearing that the wounded man was likely to die from the effects of the shot, ordered the prisoner back to Hochelaga, and the Magistrate at once proceeded to take the prisoner to the hospital, where, it is known, the prisoner is now lying, the following of which are the particulars:—Mr. Nesbitt, who is a farmer, hired the prisoner some months ago to work for him, and he did so until the 17th instant, when, owing to the refusal of Malloy to shovel away some snow which he was asked to do, he was ordered to leave. Malloy said he would do so the next

morning. He slept at the house on the evening of the 17th, and the next morning, being

paid the wages that was due to him
started to leave, and Mr. Nesbitt

thought nothing more about him, but began milking his cows. He was in the s

of leaning over the milk pail when he heard an explosion, and all at once he found blood

flowing from his mouth, and saw Mallon standing near with a snow shovel in his

hand, with which he struck the wounded man twice, but the latter

grappled with Malloy, and finally getting out of the latter's grasp, fled to the home.

going to the kitchen where Mrs. Nesbitt was

Frank down, exclaiming, "I am a dead man; that fellow has killed me." Malloy forced

his way into the kitchen, intent upon finishing his murderous designs, but Mrs. Nesbit

caught up a poker and courageously confronted the would-be murderer, who hesitated

turned, ran back to the stable, saddled the best horse and galloped off." On reaching the

main road he turned the horse loose and started for Montreal on foot, but he was shortly after

arrested by Messrs. Kidd and Greco. A messenger was despatched for a doctor, and

shortly after Doctors Roddick, Mount and McShann were soon in attendance and

found that the bullet had entered the muscles of the left side of the neck.