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A Dunwich Young Lady Assaulted on the Public Highway.

The village of Dunwich has been considerably agitated for the past couple of days because of the doings of a local "Jack the Hanger." On Monday evening four young ladies were accosted and attacked on the streets of the village, but all managed to escape without serious difficulty. Two of the young ladies, however, who were together, had to fight off the man before they escaped. Later the same night a man was seen looking in a window at the residence of Mr. George Balkwell. Mr. Balkwell gave chase, but the fellow escaped. Excitement reached a climax Thursday night, when it was learned that a young lady had been assaulted in Dunwich, and that the culprit had been arrested, and that he was the man who had assailed the role of Jack the Hanger in the village.

Thursday afternoon Miss Annie McKennie, a young lady 15 years of age, who lives with her mother two miles north of Campbellton, went to the village for the mail. When returning, and about half a mile from her home, she saw a man approaching. The man, on meeting her, struck her a blow on the side of the head and attempted to assault her. The young lady fought desperately and succeeded in effecting her escape, but not until she was almost exhausted and her clothes almost torn from her body. Roderick McKennie, her brother, and her cousin, Daniel McKennie, started after her assailant, and after a chase of three or four miles, he was captured in the county of Middlesex. He was taken to before Mr. A. J. Leitch, J.P., charging him with assault and attempted criminality. He turned out to be a man 21 years of age, named Andrew Foote, an English emigrant, who had been two years in this country. He had been working for Mr. Donald McMillan, of Dunwich. Foote was recognized by Mr. Balkwell as the man to whom he gave chase Monday night, and also by the ladies whom he accosted. He was arraigned on Friday before Squire Leitch, when he was committed for trial at St. Thomas.

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Herrington Convicted of Firing a Planning Mill.

Serious Quarrel Traceable to a Batch of Chickens.

Resulting in a Suit for \$500 Damages and a Verdict for \$325.

Friday Afternoon and Evening.

The remainder of the evidence in the case of the Queen vs. Robt. Herrington, the alleged Strathroy fire bug, was quickly taken this afternoon, and the addresses to the jury were delivered.

HERRINGTON GUILTY.

The jury in the case of Robert Herrington, accused of firing Lyons' mill in Strathroy on Aug. 15, returned at 8:30 p.m. with a verdict of "guilty." Herrington received the announcement with the greatest apparent indifference. He was removed to his cell, and will be sentenced at the close of the assizes.

AFTER DAMAGES.

Another suit for damages was heard this afternoon, being the third since the assizes opened, with more to follow. Two South street residents were the principals, and the whole trouble originally arose over some chickens. Mrs. Dulhenty, a tidy little woman with two young children depending upon her, lives at No. 350. She keeps about two dozen chickens, and her neighbor, Mr. Crosby, complained that the fowl were committing a nuisance by destroying his property. On July 11 Crosby was fixing the division fence, and in order to keep her chickens at home Mrs. Dulhenty placed a trunk lid between the fence and her house—a distance of about ten inches. Crosby threw the lid aside, a row ensued, and the ultimate result was the arrest of the woman, who now asks \$500 damages for malicious arrest.

Mrs. Dulhenty told her story with a clear, firm, deliberate way, and under cross-examination did not vary in her statements in the least. "I put the lid there," she said, "merely to prevent my chickens going into Crosby's premises and being worried by his dog. He threw it away, and I put it back again. Crosby repeated the performance and took the lid onto his side of the fence. He refused to give it up, and I got a piece of stove wood, followed Crosby up a few feet and caught him by the collar." In the backwash of the Crosby fell over a fence post and the witness followed suit. The row, she said, finally wound up by witness dropping the stick and Crosby striking her on the arms and back with the trunk lid. A warrant was shortly afterwards sworn out and the arrest made. The case was heard at the police court the following morning and was dismissed. The parties returned to their homes and Mrs. Dulhenty climbed on the high board fence and sat down and was talking to a friend when Crosby came home and ordered her down.

Judge Robertson—Well, I think he might have let her sit there.

Mrs. Dulhenty said that when times were good she made about \$250 per week, on which she had to support herself and children. She was a seamstress, but could do no work for a month after the assault.

Wm. Davis, an old pensioner and inmate of the City Hospital, saw Crosby strike Mrs. Dulhenty with the trunk lid twice, knocking her down. She got up, but was struck again, and again fell. Crosby was calling for help. Mrs. Dulhenty received injuries on the arm and face. Witness was positive she never struck Crosby.

"Did you meet Mr. Crosby when you went away?" asked Mr. Cowan.

"No, I didn't," said Davis. "He met me."

Q.—What did you say to Crosby? A.—That it was a good fall.

Q.—You did not tell him that he got the worst of it? A.—I don't think so.

F. M. Parke asked Mr. Cowan what he was in the habit of dismissing such cases in the police court.

Bert Temple, 11 years old, saw the affair. He saw the plaintiff's arms. They were badly injured, and there was a wound on her forehead. She never attempted to hit Crosby.

Mrs. Mosley, a neighbor, after describing the bruises on Mrs. Dulhenty's arms and back, told Mr. Cowan that she had no particular love for Crosby. "I threw water on my 2-year old baby just after he recovered from diphtheria," said Mrs. Mosley.

"You once had some trouble with Mr. Crosby," said Mr. Cowan.

"Yes, I did," said the witness. "He wanted me to pay him rent which I did not owe him."

Q.—He sued you in the Division Court and made you pay him? A.—Yes.

Mr. Cowan asked for a non-suit on the ground that good reason existed for the arrest. The request was refused.

Mr. Crosby, who was then called, gave his age as 74 years, and enumerated the accidents which he had met with and the illnesses from which he had suffered. He contradicted Mrs. Dulhenty's version of the affair. It was merely to ward off a blow from a stick in Mrs. Dulhenty's hands that he struck her with the trunk lid. He was afraid for his life.

Mr. Crosby's evidence was corroborated by a carpenter who was assisting in repairing the fence.

The court then adjourned.

MRS. DULHENTY GETS \$325.

The evening session of the court was begun at 8 o'clock, and it was 11:30 before the spectators filed out. The addresses to the jury were each of half an hour's duration, the judge's remarks being interspersed with numerous flashes of wit. The questions were submitted at 9:30, and within half an hour of midnight they were returned with answers attached as below:

1. Did the plaintiff on the occasion in question approach the defendant with the stick of firewood in her hands and threaten to knock his brains out? Ans.—No.

2. Did the plaintiff strike at the defendant, intending to do him grievous bodily harm? Ans.—No.

3. Did the defendant, when he laid the information, honestly believe that the plaintiff would, if not bound over, do him some bodily injury? Ans.—No.

4. Did the defendant assault the plaintiff if so what damages would you allow? Ans.—Yes; \$50.

5. Was there a malicious prosecution—if so, what damages would you assess? Ans.—Yes; \$275.

Judgment was entered accordingly, and Judge Robertson granted a stay of proceedings until the fourth day of the divisional court.

Saturday Morning.

Justice Robertson took up the shortest case on the docket this morning, allow of him leaving for Toronto at 4:30 p.m. where he will spend Sunday with his family. It was the case of the Queen vs. John Collins, charged with horse stealing. Thos. Summers, of London township, was the original owner of the horse. Early in May it strayed

away down to the farm of Thos. Hearn, near Melbourne, where it remained for some time and fattened on Hearn's pasture. Collins was a harness oil vendor, and in trying to sell some of his goods, called at Hearn's. The latter's funds were low and he did not invest in oil. Collins spoke of buying horses and finally bought the horse for \$550. Hearn telling him that the sum was merely to pay for the pasture. For four months the prisoner drove the horse through the country, and then sold it on the London market for \$80 and got another horse valued at \$15 to boot. Summers located his lost property and commenced proceedings. Four arrests were made—Collins, Wm. Geary, Wm. Grant and Nelson Kelestone—but at the magistrate's hearing the latter three were dismissed and Collins sent for trial.

The tale of Thomas Hearn, one of the Crown witnesses, was that he kept the animal for about a month, until Collins showed up one day and wanted to purchase it, but Hearn refused to sell it. He gave it to Collins for \$350—\$3 for a month's pasture and 50 cents for a halter—worth \$1 at that.

"Of course you would not sell a stray horse; you are too virtuous for that?" asked Collins' counsel.

"Yes, sir," replied Hearn.

Q.—Do you suppose you had the right to the money? A.—Of course.

Q.—The horse was running in James Clark's pasture adjoining, thought? A.—Yes.

Q.—Three dollars was pretty high charge for a month? A.—Two months; it jumped from one place to another.

Q.—Then you charged for the horse jumping? A.—Yes. (Laughter.)

Mrs. Hearn, wife of Thos., corroborated her husband's version of the affair.

When Collins came in June 11 and wanted to buy the horse, Hearn said he did not do such dirty work as that.

Nelson Kelestone said the horse was worth a little over \$3. The case went to the jury.

COLLINS ACQUITTED.

The jury in the Collins case returned at 1:30 with a verdict of "not guilty." Judge Robertson, in making the discharge, expressed the hope that Collins would get hold of any of the jurymen's horses in the same manner as he did the one belonging to Summers. Collins was going to reply, but was checked.

NOTES.

The jurors in the Bowers manslaughter case returned to their homes yesterday, but will report on Monday at 1 o'clock, when the trial begins.

Mr. H. J. Henderson, the court stenographer, will report the proceedings of the Peterboro assizes, which open on Oct. 22, when Chief Justice Meredith is expected to preside.

Justice Robertson will adjourn the assizes at the conclusion of the manslaughter case until Oct. 29. He has to slay the Guelph Assizes on Oct. 11. It has been left with the members of the bar to decide whether or not the judge will return on Oct. 29 or whether they will consent to the cases being adjourned till the January sittings.

Five civil cases yet remain on the list.

Short vs. London, of Parkhill, is an action for slander. Benjamin Short, the shoemaker who was tried at the June sessions on a charge of burning his shoe store in Parkhill, was acquitted, in the plaintiff. He wants \$10,000 from Allan London for asserting that he (Short) started a fire in his shop.

George Vaughn will ask a jury to award him \$1,500 for the loss of a thumb in the McCarty works.

The case of O. E. Brener, London, against H. Wallace, a Belleville cigar dealer, has been settled. It was an action for goods supplied. The defendant agreed to pay the full value of the goods.

The prisoners convicted will be sentenced on Wednesday.

SHE KISSED ALL SHE MET.

Men Hugged by Wholesale in New York—A Woman's Peculiar Penchant.

A comely, well-dressed woman about 35 years of age spent over an hour in Broadway, Williamsburgh, near Berry street, yesterday afternoon in hugging and kissing every man who came within her reach. She was rather large in stature and well proportioned, and old men, young men, large men, and small men who came within her clutches had to submit to her embraces and be kissed. Some of them took it good-naturedly, while others took themselves away and rushed off amid the howls of the spectators.

The first man to fall victim to her kisses was talking to a couple of friends at a street corner when the woman sided up, and throwing her arms around his neck, kissed him on the cheek. He tried to draw him away, but the woman held him fast and kissed him again and again for his friends, but they had fled. Finally the woman released him, and the man ran off as fast as his legs could carry him. In the three blocks which she traveled she caught no less than a dozen men, and hugged and kissed them all.

At this juncture a number of men arrived at one of the slips, and passengers from it began to pour into the street. In consequence, any number of men were forced to submit to hugs and kisses, while the woman passengers looked on with mingled horror and amusement. Finally, when there were no more victims in sight the woman boarded a car in which a number of men had taken refuge from her. Her appearance at the rear door was the signal for a precipitous rush to the front door, and in a second every man was on the front platform with the door securely shut. She threatened to kiss a policeman who warned her and finally boarded another car and was seen no more.—(New York Sun.)

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THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK

Reported by Bradstreet's Commercial Agency.

No Radical Change, but Healthy Progress Toward Improvement.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Bradstreet's says: While no radical change has appeared this week, there are features of the situation pointing to continued progress in the direction of improvement. This is true of the country at large.

At a number of points east and west the demand for money has increased, and changes in the character of mercantile collections are as a rule in the direction of improvement. Bank clearances for the week aggregate \$999,553,127, or 21 per cent more than in the previous week, a remarkable gain.

The number of business failures in the United States this week is 215, against 294 last week. Exports of wheat, including flour as wheat, from both coasts of the United States and Canada, for six business days, ending with Thursday of this week, aggregate 3,243,000 bushels, which is compared with 2,582,000 bushels sent abroad the week before.

Cable and telegraphic advices show the heaviest total of available stocks of wheat in the United States and Canada, both coasts, since Oct. 1, 1902, 206,000 bushels, notwithstanding a sharp decrease in European stocks of late. September's world's wheat increase is 10,584,000 bushels, which is moderate contrasted with 1890, 1891, 1892, but heavier than in 1889 and 1893. Australia carries 5,500,000 bushels of wheat in sight at this time, as compared with 7,800,000 bushels on July 1 last, and with 2,900,000 bushels on Oct. 1, 1893.

IN CANADA.

There was a moderate activity in general trade at Toronto, favorable reports being received from commercial travelers. Montreal jobbers report an improved demand from the interior in some lines. Nova Scotia apple crops are reported exceptionally large and exports from Halifax are heavy. Advice from New Brunswick and that the general business situation on the north shore is improving, with prospects good for lumber operations this season. Bank clearings at Hamilton, Toronto, Montreal and Halifax, \$2,248,000, an increase of 13 per cent compared with last week, but nearly 9 per cent as compared with the corresponding week one year ago.

There are 49 failures reported from the Dominion of Canada this week, compared with 31 last week, 30 a year ago and 39 two years ago.

DUN & CO.'S REPORT.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: The lowest prices ever known for wheat and cotton necessarily imply somewhat restricted consumption of other products. With the chief crops of the west and south sinking in value, it is not strange that purchases of manufactured products are smaller than was predicted. Wheat has touched the lowest point since known for options and cotton the lowest every known in any form with the present classification. In some Western States there is also a lamentable failure of the corn crop. Under the circumstances it would be very strange if the demand for manufactured products should be quite as large as in other years.

The condition of the industries in some respects was satisfactory.

The failures for the past week have been 219 in the United States, against 320 in the United States last year, and 59 in Canada, against 45 last year.

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A movement to close all theaters on Sunday in Detroit has been started.

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The underground dungeon lately discovered at Warwick, England, is having a history invented for it. The great dramatist makes mention of a toad in the dungeon. Sure enough when the keep was entered a toad was seen. Some one would have it that Shakespeare was looked up in that place for his deep-stealing friar; and still more credulous the history-trainer is inclined to set on record as truth that Shakespeare then saw the toad which tenanted the dungeon lately.

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