

OFFERS \$100,000 REWARD TO CONNECT GIRL'S ASSAILANTS

Isadore Wormser, New York Banker, Gave Faithful Domestic \$50,000 as Birthday Present, and That Evening She Was Dragged Into a Stable and Brutally Treated—Fourteen Men Implicated.

New York, Oct. 11.—Isadore Wormser, the millionaire banker, offered \$100,000 reward today for the conviction of a gang of men who recently assaulted Annie Thornton, a domestic in his household. In the assault today five men were arrested for the assault. Mr. Wormser said: "I will give \$100,000 to have the perpetrators of this distasteful crime convicted and sent to prison."

GOOD SHOWING AT LOCH LOMOND FAIR

Day Fine, Attendance Large, and All Successful—List of Prize-winners.

The annual agricultural fair at Loch Lomond Tuesday drew a very large number of people, not only from the surrounding country but from the city. Among those present were Dr. A. A. Stockton, M. P.; J. King Kelly, R. G. Murray, Councillor Carson, C. W. DeForest, H. S. DeForest, Alld, John McGoldrick.

Perhaps the most noticeable about this year's show was the falling off of the vegetable exhibits, hitherto one of the largest and most attractive displays. This is accounted for by the fact that, having in the surrounding district is still, at this late time of year, being carried on. This is unusual. On the other hand, what vegetables were displayed were of a very high class. Especially worthy of mention was a Swedish turnip that took first prize. It weighed thirty-five pounds. The potatoes also were considered by the judges as of the highest quality, being especially fine samples. The grain and butter exhibits were the best for many seasons.

The cattle exhibits were also above the average and included some very fine animals. An Ayrshire bull, the property of R. G. Murray took first prize and is well worthy of mention. A fine colt of W. F. Boyle's attracted great attention and very favorable comment.

The day was fine and the scene around the grounds was one of great activity. The total attendance would doubtless be in the vicinity of 500. The prize winners are:

Produce.
Black oats—Albert McFate, 1st (only exhibit).
White oats—Wm. McFate, 1st; Albert McFate, 2nd; Fred Stephenson, 3rd.
Yellow buckwheat—Wm. McFate, 1st; A. J. Johnson, 2nd; Albert McFate, 3rd.
Beets (long blood)—Josephine & Young, 1st.
Beets (Egyptian blood)—Wm. McFate, 1st; Thos. Clarke, 2nd; Josephine & Young, 3rd.
Beets (mangold, long red)—Josephine & Young, 1st; Peter Smith, 2nd; Thos. Clarke, 3rd.
Beets (mangold globe)—Josephine & Young, 1st; Thos. Clarke, 2nd.
Carrots (long orange)—Albert McFate, 1st.
Carrots (intermediate)—Wm. McFate, 1st; Josephine & Young, 2nd; Thos. Clarke, 3rd.
Carrots (oxheart)—Wm. McFate, 1st; Thos. Clarke, 2nd; Josephine & Young, 3rd.
Turnips (Swedish)—Thos. Clarke, 1st; Peter Smith, 2nd; John McBrine, 3rd.
Turnips (any other kind)—Thos. Clarke, 1st; Albert McFate, 2nd; Wm. McFate, 3rd.
Parsnips—Josephine & Young, 1st; Thos. Clarke, 2nd.
Potatoes (kidney)—A. F. Johnson, 1st; Albert McFate, 2nd; John McBrine, 3rd.
Potatoes (Delaware)—Wm. McFate, 1st; Albert McFate, 2nd; Fred Stephenson, 3rd.
Potatoes (any new variety)—Wm. McFate, 1st; Albert McFate, 2nd; Thos. Clarke, 3rd.
Potatoes (early rose)—Fred Stephenson, 1st; Peter Smith, 2nd.
Potatoes (Markey)—John McBrine, 1st; Thos. Clarke, 2nd; Josephine & Young, 3rd.
Potatoes (any other kind)—Thos. Clarke, 1st; W. F. Boyle, 2nd; Edward Stephenson, 3rd.
Apples—Ed. Stephenson, 1st; Albert Stephenson, 2nd; Fred Stephenson, 3rd.
Onions—Thos. Clarke, 1st.
Pumpkins—Josephine & Young, 1st; R. G. Murray, 2nd.
Squash—R. G. Murray, 1st; Josephine & Young, 2nd.
Cauliflower—Thos. Clarke, 1st; Josephine & Young, 2nd.
Cabbage (red)—Josephine & Young, 1st; Thos. Clarke, 2nd.
Butter (tub)—Josephine & Young, 1st; Fred Stephenson, 2nd; Ed. Stephenson, 3rd.
Butter (roll)—Josephine & Young, 1st; W. J. Wright, 2nd; Wm. McFate, 3rd.
Milk—Thos. Clarke, 1st; Wm. McFate, 2nd; John H. Case and W. A. Porter, 3rd.

Horses.
Best stallion (agricultural purposes)—Albert McFate, 1st.
Pair horses (agricultural purposes)—Wm. Mullin, 1st; Albert McFate, 2nd; Josephine & Young, 3rd.
Single horse (agricultural purposes)—W. J. Wright, 1st; Albert Stephenson, 2nd; James Desmond, 3rd.
Breeding mare—Josephine & Young, 1st; Wm. McFate, 2nd; Fred Stephenson, 3rd.
Colt, three years old and over—James Desmond, 1st; Albert Stephenson, 2nd; Peter Smith, 3rd.
Colt, two years old and over—James Desmond, 1st; Albert Stephenson, 2nd.
Colt, one year old and over—Wm. McFate, 1st.
Spring colt—Josephine & Young, 1st.
Breeding mare for driving purposes—Ed. Stephenson, 1st; W. J. Wright, 2nd; Thos. Clarke, 3rd.
Driving horse—Thos. Clarke, 1st; Josephine & Young, 2nd.
Colt, two years old—W. F. Boyle, 1st.

Oatmeal.
Ayrshire Stock.
Best cow—James Desmond, 1st.
Best heifer, one year old—James Desmond, 1st.
Best bull, three years or over—James Desmond, 1st.
Best spring bull calf—R. G. Murray, 1st.

COLE WILL BE TRIED AGAIN

Prosecution Decides That He Must Stand Trial Next January

PRISONER DOWNCAST

Expected to Be Let Go—It is Reported That Jury on First Ballot Stood Eight to Four for Conviction—New Evidence Likely Next Time.

Portland, Me., Oct. 10.—(Special)—Edward F. Cole must again stand trial on the charge of murdering his friend, John F. Steeves, of Hillsboro (N. B.). When the jury early this morning brought in word of their disagreement, it was the general opinion that the state would not press the charge, and let the prisoner go free, but County Attorney Eaton today announced that this would not be done, and that the case would be brought to trial in the January term of the superior court, the first available date.

There is one witness whom neither side summoned at the trial just closed, and whose testimony may have an important bearing on the final verdict. This is a Cole is rather dependent over the outcome. His first feeling, when he was told of the disagreement this morning, seemed to be relief, but it quickly gave way to depression, and he is again facing the prospect of three months' further confinement before he can hope for freedom.

He said little today about the case, but his counsel, Scott Wilson, this afternoon said that he was as firmly convinced of his client's innocence as before the trial, and still hoped to clear him.

Man at a coal plant here, whom Cole says he went to see on the morning of April 12 to secure employment. He was interviewed by the state, it is said, but his evidence was not likely to be beneficial to Cole. In January, and his testimony may decide the alibi.

CALLED LAURIER A JESUIT AND LOST HIS JOB

Rev. A. J. Vining Was Engaged by Immigration Official to Lecture on Canada in England, But It Was Called Off.

Montreal, Oct. 1.—(Special)—A special London cable says that Rev. A. J. Vining, representative of the Baptist College, Brandon, who is here in the interests of Western Canadian Missions, endeavoring to secure financial assistance for the Canadian North-west, and during the course of his remarks said that Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in his capacity as premier of Canada was a traitor and a Jesuit, on account of the fact that he was showing Roman Catholics.

Mr. Preston having verified the reports of Mr. Vining's speech as being correct, it is said to have notified him that he was to be expelled from the country. He was notified that he was to be expelled from the country. He was notified that he was to be expelled from the country.

The prizes for farm horses went to Jesse Prescott, James Spinyer and Samuel Munroe; for drivers, to Malcolm Mealey and Charles Woodbury; and for spring colts, to Percy Tyrnor and I. J. Justison.

There was a good show of cattle. One thoroughbred Shorthorn bull and a large number of good grade animals. A notable feature in this class was the presence of a pair of draught oxen, six years old, brought to the grounds by Benjamin Justison and driven by reins the same as horses.

In sheep and swine the exhibit was light. One thoroughbred ram was shown by Jesse Prescott and a sow by Mr. Mahar that was expected to weigh at killing time about 500 pounds.

In poultry, geese, turkeys, hens and ducks were represented. The number of entries in the vegetable class was not as large as formerly but the quality was fine. There were shown beets, carrots, cabbage, turnips, potatoes, mangle, onions and pumpkins and corn second to none in the country. One potato weighed more than two pounds and a half. Novelty for this district was a sample of wheat (laurel) weighing more than 60 pounds to the bushel. Several lots of apples, notably those of A. B. Hawkins and Hugh Gillespie, were in evidence, and fine samples of butter both packed and grint.

The fancy department was a notable feature of the show. In this class the skill of the ladies seemed to baffle and defy competition. The largest entries were those of Mrs. Thomas Bothwick and Mrs. Malcolm Mealey, but the excellence and beauty of all articles in this class were simply admirable.

In the evening a few disturbing spirits under the influence of liquor caused a little unpleasantness. There seemed to be always a few who think that a little fire-water is far more entertaining than any other feature of the fair, but with this exception the day passed pleasantly. Everybody was satisfied and harmony seemed to reign.

The ladies of the Baptist and Presbyterian churches furnished dinner and tea on the grounds, taking more than \$150, which is to be devoted to church purposes.

TWO GRAND FALLS POWER COMPANIES ARE IN DISPUTE

Right to Name to Be Argued Before Secretary of State

New Brunswick Legislature Power to Grant Charter to Company Which is Planning Developments is Disputed—The Case to Be Heard at Ottawa.

The interests of the province of New Brunswick are involved in a case which will be argued at Ottawa on Tuesday before Hon. R. W. Scott, the secretary of state, the point at issue being the powers of the local legislature. The Grand Falls Power Company, Ltd., incorporated last spring by the local house, will apply to have the name of a company incorporated at Ottawa changed on the ground that the name has been already adopted by the applicants. The company incorporated at Ottawa intend, it is said, to give notice to the rights of the New Brunswick company, claiming that the act of the local legislature was ultra vires. Hon. A. G. Blair, K. C.; H. H. McLean, K. C.; Premier Tweedie and A. P. Barnhill, K. C., are engaged in the proceedings.

The history of the case dates back ten years, when a company was incorporated by the dominion parliament with authority to develop the water power at Grand Falls. The name of this company was the Grand Falls Water & Power Company, and a number of prominent Americans and Canadians were interested in it. The company after incorporation obtained a charter from the New Brunswick legislature, and at a later date applied and obtained an extension of time therein to commence operations. There was a condition attached, that the company should expend a certain sum within a definite period, and complete their works within a specified time. The time for completion has expired, and it is alleged in consequence that the company's rights have lapsed.

Last spring some of the capitalists interested in the original company obtained from the secretary of state at Ottawa letters patent incorporating them under the name of the Grand Falls Power Company, Ltd. It will be remembered that about the same time a company was granted authority by the legislature of New Brunswick to develop the water power at Grand Falls and under such authority the lieutenant-governor in council incorporated Barten E. Kingman, of New York, and this company also bore the name of the Grand Falls Power Company, Ltd., and with the authority to develop the falls were given the usual rights of incorporation to the legislature.

Application has now been made by the company incorporated at Ottawa to the secretary of state for the issue of letters patent to change the name of the other company incorporated at Ottawa on the ground that this Grand Falls company had first adopted the name.

In answer to this application the company incorporated at Ottawa alleges that it is the Grand Falls company which is in council to have the act of the New Brunswick legislature disallowed. In the event of this application being successful, the rights of the provincial company would be cancelled.

It is understood Hon. A. G. Blair, K. C., and H. H. McLean, K. C., will appear for the Grand Falls company, and A. P. Barnhill, K. C., for the company incorporated in this province by the local government.

Premier Tweedie has been on Ottawa on Monday to attend the hearing on account of the public interests being involved, and because the government are desirous that nothing should be done to interfere with the development of the water power at the falls under the authority of the provincial legislature.

The hearing was originally fixed for Monday, but the application of the premier it has been postponed until next Tuesday. A wire was received from Ottawa last evening by Mr. Barnhill to that effect.

SAYS FRANK HIGGINS CONFESSES MURDER

Ticket-of-Leave Man from Dorchester Says That Higgins Several Times Told Him He Killed Willie Doherty.

John Smith, who was sentenced to two years in Dorchester penitentiary on the charge of breaking and entering into A. G. Blair's summer residence at Sand Cove, was given his liberty and arrived here as a ticket-of-leave man Monday. He says he worked side by side with Frank Higgins, who is serving a life sentence for the murder of Willie Doherty in Rockwood Park. He says Higgins has told him several times that it was he who murdered Doherty. Higgins, he says, expects to get out on a ticket-of-leave in about five years' time.

SMALL BOY FOOLED WITH A GUN AND SHOT MAN IN LEG

Harvey Station, Oct. 10.—Station Agent D. E. DeWitt received part of a charge of partridge shot in his legs on Saturday afternoon while standing near the station yard conversing with S. B. Belyea, who was with the survey party, which is working here. Mr. Belyea, who had been hunting, laid his gun down for a minute or two, when unknown to him it was picked up by a small boy who happened to be there. The boy set it off in some way, the charge striking the rail, glancing off and striking Mr. DeWitt, who was a few feet away. Dr. Keith extracted more than a dozen bullets from both legs, some of which went to the bone. Mr. DeWitt is doing well and it is expected he will be around again in a few days. Mr. Belyea was also slightly hurt by the flying shot.

JUDGE WEDDERBURN'S ELOQUENT TRIBUTE TO LATE SHERIFF HATFIELD

Delivered At Opening of Kings County Court Tuesday—Cases Up for Trial.

Hampton, Kings county, Oct. 10.—The October sitting of the Kings County Circuit Court, adjourned on Oct. 3rd, opened this morning at 11 o'clock. His Honor Judge Wedderburn presiding.

Before the regular business was taken up his honor delivered the attention of the members of the bar and officials and proceeded to deliver the following address:

"When at the April term of this court the members of the grand jury by their presentation expressed sympathy with the late Sheriff Hatfield in his serious standing as an every one present, notwithstanding the gloomy intelligence to the contrary, sincerely felt the hope that his sickness was not unto death. But in his last all-wise exercise of his supreme jurisdiction, to rule otherwise, and the subject of their and our solicitude has passed through the gate and grave of death to the land of the living. He shall return no more to his home; neither shall his place know him any more."

"The great jury were needed to prove the people of Kings, it was found when an immense congregation of many of the best citizens of all classes and creeds, a very cloud of witnesses, from the whole body of the county, assembled on that beautiful Sabbath day to testify the tribute of their appreciation of his character, while he lived and his honorable memory, he being now dead."

"I speak personally and not with more conventional ceremony. I speak also in full realization of my official position when I declare that Beverly Hatfield was a good man, a generous and stable friend, a loyal citizen, and performed his delicate and difficult duties with unswerving fidelity, distinguished at the same time by much forbearance and kindness of deportment, to all whose property or person was placed by law within his power or control. This county has lost an estimable member of society. I do not say he was exempt from error or fault, though I know not of them, a man who is faultless must be more than man."

"I know there are some who say our condolences are misdirected, while they misquote or misunderstand. Next to the heart's ownest its own bitterness, and a stranger does not intermeddle with his joy."

"I think no man was so well-nigh sorrow, or sickness or trouble that he did not welcome and value, perhaps in silence, the grace of God who permits and encourages us to sorrow and yet helps us not to be sorry as men without hope of cheering love of the kindred of home, comes the sweet sympathy of dear friends whose tender words fall like a cooling balm on the hot agony of grief."

"In the midst of his illness whose final termination he seemed to expect, accept the sympathy of the people. Beyond that, the heart knows its own bitterness, and a stranger does not intermeddle with his joy."

"The great mystery of death, the future and mystery of death, we need not attempt to fathom that which to us is wisely unfathomable. Many things that today appear to us clothed as calamity may be blessings in disguise which we cannot foresee. But how often we have heard and now often we have forgotten this. How beautiful and how touching is the thought that has been presented to us illustrated by that great familiar historical-scriptural scene: Certain weeping mourners went very early in the morning to a grave and, finding it empty, they returned and found the body of the dead Christ, and met instead the angels' wonderful proclamation of a Living God! I congratulate the survivors of the late sheriff, and very heartily approve of his promotion. I trust his official life will command confidence and esteem, like as did the life of his lamented predecessor."

"And thus the ever moving, never ending procession winds its melancholy march from the cradle to the grave and on from the ranks of the young and old."

"The great mystery of English classical literature said by the one of his most distinguished characters: 'The evil that men do lives after them, The good that men do never withers, And so let it be with Caesar.'"

"The good that men do lives after them. Their errors are passed on to their bones; So let it be with the deceased."

"The Scott Act appeals cases which have heretofore stood over more than once were called up as remanets. That of Geo. Myers, on two charges, was again adjourned, a commissioner was appointed to take evidence of one Gormley, a necessary witness, now residing in the state of New Hampshire. This was done on the affidavit of Myers, presented by Mr. Jones, of the law firm of Fowler, Jones & Parlee. Mr. F. A. McCully, for Inspector Cusick, opposed the motion, but was overruled."

"Two non-jury cases came next, but as all parties were not ready they were laid over. G. W. Fowler vs. Hamilton N. McManing and Eliza McManing, a claim on a promissory note, was undefended and an order was entered up by default for the full amount with interest. The defendant came to Hampton by noon express, but was too late to give evidence on their case. Mr. Jones for plaintiff."

"After the noon session honor by the agreement and consent of counsel on both sides, adjourned all the Scott Act appeals cases till the last Thursday in November, with the preliminary understanding that they will then be finally disposed of, either by trial or order of the court. G. W. Fowler, M. P., for appellant; P. A. McCully for Scott Act inspector."

"Track vs. Moore, an action to recover damages for the non-acceptance of a gasoline engine sold to defendant, at Petitcodiac on 31st May last, under written contract. Messrs Fowler and Jones for plaintiff; Hon. A. S. White for defendant."

"A Washington dispatch states that General Willich, of Wisconsin, has been appointed American consul at this port in place of Mr. Myers, resigned."

CHARLES GOW GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER

Shot Tommy Hill Dead and Wounded His Sister as He Was Passing Their House at Midnight—The Coroner's Jury Treated Matter as a Joke and Released Ontario Farmer, But Crown Authorities Had Him Arrested.

Peterboro, Ont., Oct. 11.—(Special)—Charles Gow, the young farmer, who shot Tommy Hill in Dunsmuir township at midnight August 24 last, was tonight found guilty of manslaughter.

The story of the crime briefly told is as follows: There had been a feud for a long while between the family of the deceased boy and members of two families named Dewar and Murphy, and about midnight on August 24 Gow in company with one of the Dewars was driving past the Hill residence. Two of the Murphys and a lad named Gallagher were on ahead and as they passed Hill's house they shouted. The noise awoke the inhabitants of the house and the boy and his sister went to the window of the room in which they had been sleeping to ascertain the cause of the disturbance.

Gow says he heard a shot come from Hill's verandah and that he fired three shots to show that he was also armed. The Hill boy was found shot through the breast while his little sister was wounded in the hand.

At the inquest the jury regarded the affair as an accident and acquitted Gow, whereupon he proceeded to Ottawa to take part in the Dominion Rifle Association matches. From there he returned, however, to face a charge which the crown subsequently preferred against him.

Duration of the Fattening. The chickens should remain in the crates not more than 24 days. Some will fatten more readily than others. Those should be picked out a week before fat-chickens during this last week it is well to feed a little beef tallow, shaved into the trough along with the mash, about one lb. tallow per day to 50 or 60 chickens.

Killing the Lice. Before the chickens are placed in the crates they should be well dusted with sulphur to kill the lice. They should be scrubbed over three days before being put in the crates. The first week—Feed them lightly the first week. A small quantity of food should be fed along the trough, as the fatten, and more, but not as much as the chickens would consume. They should be fed and the troughs cleaned and turned over three times a day. Give them water twice a day and grit two or three times a week. Balance of the time, the chickens should be given twice a day as much food as they will eat. Half an hour after feeding, the trough should be cleaned and turned over. Water and grit should be supplied as in the first week.

Feather Plucking. Chickens fattening in crates sometimes pluck the feathers from one another. This habit is caused by an irritation at the roots of the feathers, resulting from over-eaten blood or parasites. The remedy is to remove the affected chickens and feed the more skin milk in their muscles, or add animal and vegetable food to the ration. If the trouble is caused by parasites the mites can be found among the feathers, powder matter at the base of the quill. A sulphur and lard ointment should be applied to the affected parts.

**HARVEY STATION
WANTS TO RETAIN
REV. J. A. McLEAN**

Harvey Station, Oct. 11.—A meeting of the Presbyterian congregation of Harvey and Acton was held in the upper church here yesterday afternoon to consider what action to take in regard to the pastor, Rev. J. A. McLean, who is to report, on Oct. 11, on his resignation from the pastorate of St. James' church, Milton, and it was thought, had some intention of accepting it.

The meeting was well attended, a number of members and adherents being present from almost all parts of the congregation. A. W. Coburn acted as chairman and J. W. Taylor as secretary. It was resolved that this congregation was satisfied with Mr. McLean as pastor and desired no change, and there was not a dissenting voice, all present voting in favor of Mr. McLean.

A. W. Coburn was appointed to attend the presbytery, which will meet, on St. John on the 17th, and to report. Mr. McLean has been the pastor of this congregation for nearly twenty years, and the people have become much attached to him and do not like the prospect of his leaving them.

MOOSE DISPUTES ROAD WITH AN M. P.

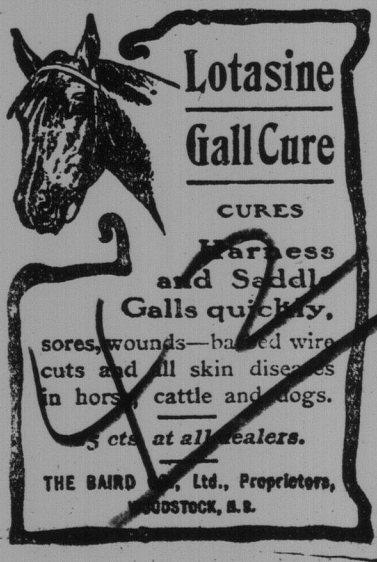
Just now St. Martins is a centre of attraction for sportsmen. Moose and deer are reported as very plentiful, it is not an uncommon thing to see deer grazing with the cattle in the pastures and scarcely a day passes that moose are not seen on the highways.

Horace King had a little experience with a moose Tuesday he does not care to repeat. He was out with a gun in the vicinity of Honey Lake hunting for partridge when he was startled to find a noble specimen of the forest monarch disputing the right of way with him. He had no time to load his gun to kill, but after some persuasion and a little shouting on Mr. King's part the moose allowed him to pass.

It is claimed that a moose that will easily tip the beam at 1,800 lbs. has been seen in the vicinity of Ten Mile Creek and some of the local sports are now on the look-out for him.

A hunting party consisting of W. G. Scott, Dr. J. E. March, James H. Pullen and W. E. Skillen will camp at Four Mile Lake during the present week, and no doubt from the elaborate preparations made they will be successful in their mission.

Ottawa's Population 65,108.
Ottawa, Oct. 11.—(Special)—The population of Ottawa is now 65,108, a gain of 1,796 during the year. This is not a large gain. The increase in the assessment for 1906 is more than \$5,000,000.



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