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COLEMAN WILL ANSWER IN COURT

What Solicitor Wallbridge Has to Say of Matters.

He Denies Some of the Rumors Circulated Concerning Him—The Case is the Sensation of the Hour—General Demand for a Searching Investigation—How Frederick James Became Possessed of the Literary Gem—When Greek Meets Greek—Two Remarkable Letters Turn Up.

The interest in the matters connected with the awarding of the street railway franchise reached fever heat yesterday, and The World feels a wholesome satisfaction in having by persistent efforts at last awaked the citizens to the hidden and improper influences that are at work in the eager chase for the golden privileges that are incidental to the ownership of the street railway.

The World was in most men's hands and in every man's mouth yesterday. Those who had been inclined to doubt its charges that boodle had had something to do with the matter were convinced at last that such was the case. The demand contained in yesterday's leader that an investigation must be held was universally endorsed.

The various personages who have figured most prominently throughout the episodes of the past three weeks attracted considerable attention in the streets wherever they were seen. Early in the afternoon Mr. Mackenzie and Ald. Hewitt were seen in earnest conversation at the corner of King and Yonge-streets. But the Baron of Bellamy was the observed of all observers. The most prominent feature of his attire was a black sombrero which would make Texas Jack or any cowboy of them all turn green with envy. He was first apprised of the bombshell the enemy had prepared for him when he received his morning World in Bellamy's sylvan retirement. When he had made himself master of its contents he hastened his morning toilet, tossed on the aforesaid dérringer sombrero, and dashed station-wards to catch the morning express. Arriving in the city he lost no time in repairing to Mr. Shilton, his lawyer.

A Summons is Issued.

That gentleman and the Baron were soon hurrying to the Police Court, where they laid an information against Frederick James Coleman for libel. Later in the day a summons was issued and duly served on Mr. Coleman, who accepted it with his usual insouciance. He is politely asked to call around at the Police Court this morning and answer why he should not be drawn and quartered for alleged libelling of E. A. Macdonald. Mr. Coleman will call around and explain that his counsel, Mr. B. B. Osler, is in Ottawa attending the meetings of the Privileges and Elections Committee in that fair city and that, therefore, he would like an adjournment till next Monday, when Mr. Osler will have returned to town.

Mr. Macdonald, on the other, hand will declare that he is eager for the fray and will not metaphorically, but actually, invite his opponent to "come on." The passage in Mr. Coleman's affidavit to which the Baron takes especial exception is that in which he says that Macdonald "threatened to publish the photograph if he did not get more money." He denies that he used any threats of this kind. Moreover, the now famous piece of literature in which E. A. offered to work a whole month for $15,500 is garbled, he says, and as he has the original in his possession he can certainly show that there are some verbal changes. The World's young man, who got a glimpse of the original, can testify that while bearing a strong family resemblance to that quoted in Mr. Coleman's affidavit, it is even spicier than that spicy document.

Two Instructive Letters.

Two new letters turned up yesterday and they are well worthy of a place here, as they afford food for much philosophic reflection. They are as follows, and the careful reader will please observe the dates:

To His Worship the Mayor:

DEAR SIR,—The events of the week last past have occupied the public attention to such an extent that, together with the fact that my conduct has been grossly misrepresented and misconstrued, and as I am extremely anxious that the public interest shall not suffer or irreparable injury be done through any act of omission or commission on my part, I have thought it well to lay before you and your Street Railway Committee all the facts and documents in my possession or control, which I will not only verify by affidavit but by corroborative evidence. I fully believed that after my letter of the 27th of July to Mr. Wallbridge was published that nothing further would be necessary to secure an important, immediate and thorough investigation.

Toronto, Aug. 1. E. A. MACDONALD.

Mr. Wallbridge's Reply.

E. A. Macdonald:

Dear Sir,—I have before me a draft of your proposed letter of this date to His Worship the Mayor re street railway franchise. I have carefully read and considered same, and as you have asked me for my advice and opinion in regard thereto I beg to offer same to you as follows: I strongly advise you to send no such letter at present. You have already done more than your duty by the public, and the authorities have done less than theirs in this matter. In my opinion you have placed the responsibility of holding an investigation just where it belongs, viz., upon the people's representatives. I would advise you to await the action of the authorities and, then if you are called upon to give evidence you can state fully and correctly, as is your usual wont, all the facts within your knowledge. You have now gone to a great deal of trouble and expense, for which you have received very little credit and no thanks at the hands of those whose duty it is and should have been to open up and investigate this matter. The City Solicitor and Council are fully aware of the evidence already taken herein. You have with no uncertain sound laid before the public sufficient evidence in my opinion to make it their duty to take up this investigation. It is time enough to volunteer evidence when the proper authorities ask you for it, but as yet they do not seem to appreciate your endeavors to suppress fraud, bribery and corruption, as alleged by you in your affidavits filed in your late action. I should like to see the matter fully investigated, and would only be too happy, as I am sure you also would be, to submit to the authorities, when they ask us for them, the grounds in support of the position taken by you in said action. As I understand there will likely be a meeting of the council or a committee thereof in a day or two to consider this matter, I think that your wisest course is to wait and see what course they intend taking, so that the responsibility for further action may rest on the shoulders of those to whom it properly belongs. (Signed) W. H. WALLBRIDGE.

Toronto, Aug. 1.

Now it will please to be remembered that the writer of the first letter has $4500 of good currency in his pocket at the time of writing that short epistle, and therefore his "solicitor's letter advising him not to send the letter "at present" may be rated as good sound advice. Mac is a great humorist. Bill Nye and these fellows are not in it with him.

About Mr. Wallbridge.

Owing to want of punctuation in a portion of Mr. Marshall's affidavit, it was made to read "W. H. Wallbridge received $4500 in full settlement of the above action." Observant readers would have seen that a full point should have been inserted after Mr. Wallbridge's name and the word "received" begins a new sentence. Few people were misled by the error, but it is worth correcting, more especially as the clever young lawyer is at present confined to a sick bed.

Then a good many rumors were afloat as to Wallbridge's connection with the matter. Concerning these Mr. Wallbridge says: "I was working in my office a week ago last Saturday afternoon, when E. A. Macdonald called me up over the telephone and asked me to come over to C. J. Smith's office in King-street east. I asked him what he wanted me for, and he said I would find out when I came over. When I arrived at the office I found Mr. Macdonald and Mr. Marshall seated in the back room. Mr. Macdonald said he had agreed to discontinue the action and was receiving a consideration for so doing. I strongly advised him not to do so. I told him I had worked hard for some time in the matter and was satisfied that we could quash the bylaw. In spite of my protests Mr. Macdonald reminded me that I was his solicitor and should do as he ordered. I then suggested that this meeting might possibly be a trap. I had reasons to believe that there were detectives watching our movements when we were collecting evidence and making reports to parties who would burk us if they could. I thought possibly that some one was listening to our conversation, but Macdonald assured me that such was not the case. I then drew up an agreement, and having occasion to use the lavatory I went down stairs, and when leaving the building I came out the main entrance in Toronto-street.

No Sneaking Out.

"Certain parties have stated that I sneaked out through a back door. I deny this. I came out through the main entrance to the whole block. I had frequently been in that lavatory before, and had always come out through the main entrance. If any excuse be needed for coming out the main entrance to a building, I might say that I was anxious to do the work assigned to me, as E. A. Macdonald's solicitor, and that was all. I did not wait to see how much he got, and I had no interest in going back to find out. I hope it is unnecessary for me to state that I did not receive one cent at the time, nor have I since, nor will I ever be one copper richer through that transaction. I will tax my bill of costs in due time, and will be paid for my services as a lawyer. It has been said that E. A. Macdonald asked for some money for me. I don't believe that he did, but if he did it was without any authority from me. I defy any man to show that I did anything wrong, and I am not afraid of the most searching investigation."

A Stupid Lie.

E. A. Macdonald made the statement yesterday to several pressmen that Mr. Marshall had told him that the Assistant City Solicitor, the Mayor and The World had been fixed. The World would take no notice of this stupid falsehood, but Mr. Marshall desires us to state that it is utterly false that he ever made such a statement or anything that could by any possibility be construed to mean such a thing.

Opinion at the Hall.

These are dull times at the City Hall, but the few aldermen who were met were much exercised at the disclosure. One or two of those who were spoken to, Ald. Bell, for instance, were still in favor of carrying out the agreement with the syndicaters. Ald. Jolliffe, however, who voted for the Kiely-Everette, is now in favor of delay. Ald. Hewitt is already on record to the effect that if bribing were actually proved he would support a reinvitation of tenders. He was so reported at the last meeting of the committee. It may be taken as certain, therefore, that there will be a great upheaval in aldermanic sentiment on the question.

The Check That Did It.

The World presents herewith the innocent looking document which enabled the bold Baron of Bellamy to put $4000 in his purse. It should be mentioned that the sum has been stated as $4500. The explanation is that $500 was paid in cash.

How Coleman Jotted It Down.

E. A. was undoubtedly very much surprised that Coleman had got his agreement so substantially correct. The document was made out by Mr. Charles Millar, the long-headed senior partner of the old firm of Murphy & Millar. He was apparently acting impartially for both parties. The document was to be read but not to be given into Coleman's possession, but Frederick James, though not a shorthand writer, was able to take down so much of it that he has been able to reproduce it almost word for word. An old envelope and a stub of a pencil stood him in good stead.

What the Mayor Says.

The Mayor was yesterday afternoon asked by a World reporter if he had decided on any definite action regarding the E. A. Macdonald case. He stated that he had not yet done anything. The matter is at present in the hands of acting City Solicitor Mowat.

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BELGIUM'S QUEEN DYING.

A THREATENED REVOLT AT BARCELONA PROMPTLY SUPPRESSED.

Atkinson, M.P., Resumes His Seat in the British House of Commons—He Asks That the Motion Expelling Him be Expunged As He Would Rather Die Than be Dishonored.

BRUSSELS, Aug. 3.—The Queen of the Belgians has been seized with a sudden illness and is dying. The sacrament of extreme unction has been administered.

The Queen returned from Ostend last evening. To-day she visited Princess Charlotte, the ex-Empress of Mexico, at the Chateau of Bouchonte. She found the ex-Empress in an excited state, and was so much affected that she was seized with a nervous fit and in the afternoon fainted. She afterwards regained consciousness slowly. The Dean of Laeken, who was summoned when she fainted, administered extreme unction. The Queen is now in a troubled sleep. Her condition is said to be critical. King Leopold was hastily summoned from Ostend.

Marie Henrietta, Queen of Belgium, is the daughter of the late Archduke Joseph of Austria and is 55 years of age. She was married to King Leopold in August, 1853.

Revolution in Barcelona.

PARIS, Aug. 3.—There was a serious uprising in Barcelona to-day, but the police suppressed it and arrested the ringleaders, who are Federal Republicans.

Senor Zorilla, the Spanish Republican, to-day denies that he was in any way implicated in the Barcelona affair. He said he would do nothing without the certainty of success.

The latest report from Barcelona justifies the belief that the affair was a genuine revolutionary attempt on the part of Republicans.

MADRID, Aug. 3.—The city of Barcelona was thrown into great excitement last night by what is supposed to be a revolutionary movement of the Republican party. The troops of the garrison were in their barracks and the usual guards were out, when a band of 15 men, some of whom were armed with rifles, while others carried revolvers in their hands, cautiously approached the building and attempted to surprise the guards, it being their intention to force their way into the barracks. The sentries, however, speedily discovered the design. The band was ordered to halt and give the countersign. To do the latter was impossible and the men made a dash upon the sentry, trusting that in the confusion which would ensue they might make their way into the barracks. As they rushed upon the sentries they fired a volley and some of the soldiers fell wounded. The other sentries stood firm and answered the volley from the attacking party with a fusilade from their muskets. A regular battle of short duration followed, a number on both sides being wounded. In the meantime, the officers stationed at the barracks called the troops to arms, and the attackers were soon surrounded and compelled to surrender.

There is little doubt that the Republicans expected the garrison to join the revolt. The loyalty of the troops frustrated the Republican design, which included a plan for a general rising at Cathagena, Bilboa and other towns.

Death Before Disgrace.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—The sentence of suspension imposed upon Henry J. Atkinson, M.P. for Boston, for charging the Speaker with abuse of power in placing on the records that Atkinson had frivolously challenged the accuracy of divisions, expired to-day. Mr. Atkinson was in the House to-day and asked leave to make a motion to expunge from The Journal the resolution ordering his expulsion. He declared he would rather die than suffer the disgrace that attached to his name by reason of the resolution being spread upon the journal.

Chancellor of the Exchequer Goschen advised Atkinson to let the matter pass.

Mr. Atkinson said he could not let it pass. He had been drummed out of the House, and if he was not considered sufficiently respectable to remain within the precincts of Parliament he must have the question of odium debated. If the House confirmed the disgrace put upon him he would resign.

Chat From Over the Sea.

King Alexander, the youthful ruler of Servia, arrived at St. Petersburg to-day on a visit to the Imperial family. He was met at the railway station by the Czar and several of the Russian Grand Dukes.

The British steamer Wallarah, from London for Table Bay and Sydney, has been totally wrecked near Capetown.

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Hats Blown Overboard.
Windy July afternoons must have a booming effect on the retail hat trade, if one can judge from a few trips across the lake on the various steamboats and the sights usually witnessed on them. "I want a hat, I lost mine overboard," said a bareheaded young fellow as he entered Dineen's hat store, on corner of King and Yonge. "Mine went scooting into the lake before I could grab it; it's not the value of the hat I think about, but it's the walk from the boat up here bareheaded that bothers me." He bought one quick and left. There is not a day, says Dineen, but two or three in the same fix report themselves here, this being the nearest hat store to the landing places of all the steamers.

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Set Fire to His Own House.

KINGSTON, Aug. 3.—James Fitzgibbon was arrested yesterday on a charge of setting fire to his house. He is accused of having turned his family out of doors and then applied the torch. The house was partially destroyed.

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CRUSHED TO DEATH.

The Sad Death Which Befel an Infant in Queen-Street.

Queen-street near Seaton was the scene of a fatal accident about 6.30 o'clock last night under peculiar circumstances. On the north side of Queen-street, in the locality mentioned, a new sidewalk is being laid, and pedestrians to pass it have to take the middle of the street. One of those who found it necessary to do this was Mrs. A. M. Clay, whose husband is employed in Price's barber shop in Jarvis-street. She had her eleven-months-old baby with her seated in a children's wagon. In order to avoid a passing wagon she ascended a heap of gravel. In doing so the baby carriage upset, throwing the infant violently against one of the wheels of a wagon driven by a man named John Fleming. The wheels did not pass over the child, but they struck its head with sufficient force to fracture its skull in a terrible manner. The mother's grief was heart-rending. Mr. A. Wilson, who conducts a barber shop at 260 Queen-street, carried the little one into his house. Drs. Verner and Coatsworth were soon in attendance, but they held out no hope of the child's recovery.

The heartbroken parents and their injured offspring were taken to their home at 15 Eastern-avenue by Mr. H. Ellis, who volunteered his horse and carriage for the purpose. The child died at 9.15 p.m. Coroner Pickering was notified.

No blame seems to be attachable to Fleming, the driver of the wagon. He was walking his horse at the time, and after giving his name and address to a constable was allowed to proceed.

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AUGUST WERNER

The World Identifies the Rouge Floater.

HE LIVED HERE SIX MONTHS

And Worked For Some Time on the Belt Line.

MANY PREVIOUS CLUES EXPLODED

And the Identifications of Saturday Proved Incorrect.

The Three Suspicious Strangers Were Fishermen from Toronto and Were Not in Deceased's Company—What the Alleged Bloodmarks on the Bridge Amount to—Did Werner Commit Suicide?—Government Detective Rogers Investigating the Case—Other People Who Are Missing—A London Wife's Enquiries—Many Persons View the Remains.

The identity of the floater found inside the bar at the mouth of the Rouge River down the lake from Port Union last week is no longer a mystery. The World yesterday succeeded in establishing his identity beyond the shadow of a doubt. The manner in which he met his tragic fate is, however, yet unsolved and is likely to remain so.

He Was Simons' Customer.

Once the attention of the Attorney-General's department had been called to the case Mr. Cartwright lost no time in putting an officer at work, and Government Detective Joe Rogers and a World reporter visited "Rosebank" yesterday afternoon. Mr. A. Simons, the York-street second-hand dealer, who sold the clothes worn by the dead man, and E. Lawson of 16 Washington-avenue, and Harry Reid of 9 Washington-avenue, went along to see if they could identify the body. The remains were still lying exposed in Cowan's boat house, where they had lain since they were fished out of the water last Thursday. No attempt had been made to preserve the body until Sunday night, when it was placed in a box and packed in ice. Meantime it had decomposed greatly, and to-day the features were practically beyond recognition. Photographer W. E. O'Brien of Whitby Sunday afternoon took a negative of the remains. Simons positively identified the clothes as the same as had been sold by him to a man resembling the deceased. The body was too far gone for recognition, but the general contore of the remains led Simon to conclude that his customer and the victim were identical.

Where is Patton?

It will be recollected that James J. Black, one of the witnesses at the inquest, recognized the body as that of one of three men who came into Cowan's field and endeavored to engage the rig to drive to the nearest hotel. Black told Detective Rogers yesterday that he was positive the dead man was the one who endeavored to hire the horse. He was more certain because he looked like William Ford, an acquaintance, for whom he mistook him at first. He recognized the brown Christy stiff hat found in the river as having been worn by the man who attempted to hire the horse. Chance Long, another witness who was spoken to about the horse, thought he recognized deceased, but was of the opinion that he wore a "fedora" hat. Yesterday's developments would lead to the conclusion that Black was mistaken and that the horse hirer and the floater are two different persons altogether. As a matter of fact, the man who approached Black and Long is believed to be a resident of this city, named Patton, and his two companions are employed in a factory here, their names being in possession of Detective Rogers.

The Men Were Fishermen.

Young Lawson, who accompanied Detective Rogers to the scene yesterday, also viewed the body. Lawson, together with Bolton Reid and Harry Reid of No. 9 Washington-avenue, were camped alongside the G.T.R. bridge on Saturday, July 25. The three men described by Long and Black were fishing in the vicinity of the bridge. They appeared to him at the time as being three residents of the city out for a time. Two of them had bamboo fishing rods, bait cans, etc. The boys endeavored to secure some bait from them, and the men directed them to their companion, who was lying behind a pile of wood on the east shore, and who was partially intoxicated. The men had a quantity of liquor with them and all had been indulging. In directing the boys to their companion the men said: "Go and ask Patton, he has some worms." Lawson went over and spoke to Patton. His description of Patton exactly corresponds with that given by Chance Long of the party who asked about the horse, while all the descriptions of the other two men tally. The men fished, remained around for a while and then went up the hill into Cowan's field. It was here they attempted to secure the horse. This was about 5.30. Half an hour later they returned to the bridge and built a fire on the beach on the lakeside. The boys did not see them again until 11 o'clock, when they returned to the bridge and sat on the stone approach until 3 o'clock Sunday morning, when the boys "turned in." Shortly after they heard a splash, as if made by a party rowing, and concluded that the men were rowing across in an old punt which they had previously been using. They heard no pistol shots. The boys paid particular attention to the movements of the men, not knowing but that in their reckless state from liquor they might take a notion to "borrow" their boat.

Lawson viewed the body yesterday in the boathouse and said he thought he observed something familiar about the corpse—it looked something like the man pointed out to him as "Patton." This is as far as he would go. There is every reason for believing that it was but a resemblance and that the floater was the corpse of a man whom he had never seen before.

Who the Floater Is.

Acting on the clue furnished by Mr. Simons, that the man evidently lodged in York-street, The World last evening succeeded in establishing the floater's identity. He was a German named August Werner, and he came to this country from Jaskon, or Jackson, Germany, about eight years ago and lived for nearly two years with a farmer in Waterloo. Since then he has been knocking around the country. In January last Werner came to the cheap lodging house of Edward Nuttall, corner of York and Pearl-streets, and remained one night. He registered in a fair hand and was given room 16. He was registered under the name of Evans, through a misunderstanding of the pronunciation of his name. Next morning Werner told Nuttral that he was going to work on the Belt Line, and presumably did so. On July 6 he again put up at Nuttall's. He only slept there one night, but the landlord saw him in the waiting room several days in succession. On the morning of July 7, he told Nuttall he was going up to buy a suit of clothes at Simons' and did so. Nuttall, who was shown a sample of the coat found on the body, joins with Simons in positively identifying the clothing. Werner remained about York-street for a fortnight, and on the night of Monday, July 20, again slept at Nuttall's. Next morning he told the latter he was going away "that way"—pointing east. Ten days later, on Thursday, July 30, his body was found floating in the Rouge River.

Both Simons and Nuttall say that Werner was of a very taciturn disposition and had little to say. During the time he was in the lodging house he kept to himself and talked with no one. He spoke with a pronounced German accent, in fact his dialect was so difficult to understand that Simons, in selling the clothes, conversed with the man in German.

The man Patton, who attempted to hire the horse, spoke English fluently, all the witnesses say—another proof that the men were not identical.

There are too many Pattons in the directory for a visit to be made to all of them. The authorities, however, expect to locate him to day.

Suicide or Murder.

Granting that the victim is the unfortunate German August Werner, how did he meet his death? Constable O'Connor, in examining the G.T.R. bridge, discovered what he thought to be blood stains on the girder and on the platform of the lake side of the fabric. Marks were found where what appeared to be the fibre of woolen clothing had been rubbed into the rough grain of the wood and several scratches such as could have been made by dragging something over it. Dr. Bateman cut out a portion of the wood containing the stains and will analyze the marks. The discovery of these stains led to the belief that the victim had been murdered on the bridge and thrown into the river, or that he had shot himself there and fallen into the water, 18 or 20 feet below. There were no bruises found on the body, but this fact does not disprove the bridge theory. There are several peculiar features in the case. The connection of the two fishermen with the dead man having been disproved there is nothing to show on what day he (Werner) met his death. That he was in the water on Monday, July 27, is evidenced by the fact of his not having been picked up on that day, but the statement of the medical men on examining the body three days later that it had probably been in the water a week would indicate that he met his death prior to the 27th, possibly a day or two after he left Toronto, July 21. Where was the body in the meantime? The post mortem showed that he was killed by the bullet wound—that he was dead before he touched the water. Such being the case the corpse would not have sunk. The decomposed condition of the face, compared with the appearance of the remainder of the body, which was remarkably well preserved, showed, moreover, that the head had been exposed to the sun for some time. If the corpse had been floating inside the bar between the bridge and the lake for several days, it seems remarkable that it was not discovered earlier, for almost every inch of water is traversed daily by fishermen in boats. Neither is it likely that it floated in from the lake. True, there are currents running both in from and out into the lake, but the water is so shallow, being barely 18 inches at the deepest part, that it is highly improbable that a corpse could wash in. One hypothesis advanced is that Werner met his death further up the Rouge, and that in the course of time the body washed down. But how did his hat come to be floating on the water Monday within a few yards of where the body was found three days later? A search will be made of the stream underneath the bridge today to see if any trace can be found of the revolver. The fact that deceased was out of work, that he had no money and that the bullet in his head corresponded in size with the cartridges found in his pocket makes the suicide theory not only tenable but probable. Against this are the bloodmarks on the bridge and the unlikelihood of a man walking along a bridge, loading a revolver, calmly buttoning up his coat, sending a bullet into his temple, which must have caused instant death, and then falling down into a stream. From whatever aspect the case is viewed it is full of mystery—a mystery possibly known only to the remnant of humanity, which Constable O'Connor buried in a pauper's grave in a field near "Rosebank" camp last night.

Others Who Are Missing.

The publication of the finding of the body has resulted in the forwarding of several telegrams enquiring after missing friends. This was received yesterday:

LONDON, Ont., Aug. 3.

Chief of Police, Port Huron:

If body found in Rouge River Thursday has not been claimed please send photograph to 284 South-street. Reply. MRS. HARTEL.

Constable O'Connor wired Mrs. Hartel that the body was beyond identification, but a photograph would be sent later.

It was thought early in the case that the body might be that of a baker named Maywald, who did business until a few months ago in John-street south, Hamilton, the description being about the same. Maywald has been missing from his wife and family for some time. He went to Hamilton from the East a year ago last January and started a bakery in John-street south. He was a good baker and was well supported by the Germans of that part of the city. Although he did a capital business he was not careful with his money and as a consequence got involved in debt. The end of it all was that he skipped out during the middle of last April, leaving his wife to get along as best she could with her three children. Maywald was seen in Buffalo a week or two ago, however.

NOTHING TO LIVE FOR.

Sad Suicide of an Old Lady Whose Husband Died on the Atlantic.

QUEBEC, Aug. 3.—An unusually melancholy case of suicide occurred on Saturday evening in the Louise Basin. Amongst those who took passage on the steamship Polynesian last week at Liverpool for this port were an elderly couple who were on their way to Chicago to live with a married daughter. On going aboard the steamer the husband fell dead. The widow continued her voyage, but it was noticed that she was exceedingly morose throughout. When she was landed on Saturday night on the Louise embankment, whence she was to take the C.P.R. for Chicago, the poor woman stepped on board a barge lying in the basin, and when the captain approached her she deliberately threw herself into the water.

HANGED HIMSELF.

Financial Troubles Proved Too Much for John Halley of St. Mary's.

ST. MARY'S, Aug. 3.—John Halley, aged 35, who resided in this town near Knight's Mill, suicided on Saturday night last. The unfortunate man was found on Sunday morning in his own cellar with his hand and knees resting on the ground and his head through a large loose noose attached to a chain, which was suspended from the joist. Coroner Shaver of Stratford held an inquest, which showed that deceased committed suicide while despondent, as the result of excessive drinking and supposed financial troubles.

The Camping Season.
Now is the season when the festive camper hies himself from the city's din and, clothed in flannels, spends the best part of two weeks in turning one undersized bass from the interior of the lake and in smoking a tin of Hopkins' full-flavored smoking mixture. This mixture is not "prepared from the recipe of a nobleman in the country," but is a skilful blend of the finest tobaccos, carefully selected, and is sold at Hopkins' King-street cigar stores only. 2

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THE FAIRBANK TRAGEDY.

MRS. HANDCOCK WILL PROBABLY BE RELEASED TO-DAY.

The Case Against the Father of the Murdered Girl to be Commenced—The Father's Hammer May be in the Possession of the Authorities at this Writing.

"Sophie Handcock was killed by her father in the course of one of numerous quarrels which occurred between the couple." This is the solution of the Fairbank mystery which Government Detective Greer has arrived at after 10 days' investigation into the case, and he has accumulated considerable additional evidence, a portion of which will be laid before the Magistrate when the case is called at the Police Court to-day. It had been expected that a further remand would be asked for the prisoners but Dectective Greer believes that he has sufficient evidence to make out a prima facie case against Edward Handcock. In the absence of County Crown Attorney Badgerow, Mr. E. F. B. Johnston will probably appear for the prosecution and Mr. Murdoch wil appear for the prisoners. No evidence will be offered to connect Mrs. Handcock with the crime, and she will probably be released at the outset.

The rumors that Sophie had a lover and that she was about to be married, and that a motive therefore existed for her death, cannot be authenticated, and the belief is general that the murder was motiveless—that it was simply the deed of a man in the heat of passion, and that in order to cover up the crime the accident theory was invented. How farcical and impossible of support that theory is may be judged from the following illustration showing the nature of the wounds found on the dead girl's head.

It will be seen that there is a ragged wound 3¼ inches above the external opening by the left ear, 1¾ inches long by half an inch wide. There is a second wound leading upwards towards the top of the head. The bone of the skull is fractured beneath the external wound an inch and a quarter long and half an inch wide, shelving slightly from without inwards. There was a hole in the brain substance which went through the whole thickness of the brain and ended in the left lateral ventricle, communicating externally with the wound in the skull. Radiating from the hole in the skull was a fracture extending to the junction of the horizontal with the vertical plates of the frontal bone. There was a fracture proceeding backwards and upwards from the hole in the skull, ending in the vertical suture at the top of the head. Two inches in front of this there was another fracture passing upwards to the crown of the head.

The Missing Hammer.

Detective Greer believes that the missing father's hammer will be in his possession within 24 hours. He yesterday received an anonymous communication indicating the possible place where the weapon is secreted.

A RAINY RIVER MYSTERY.

Government Detective Murray Investigating the Mysterious Death of James Carruthers—Was He Murdered?

Government Detective Murray of the Attorney-General's Department embarked on the steamer Highland Maid at Rat Portage the other day accompanied by Sheriff Carpenter, en route for the Rainy River district. His business there is in connection with the mysterious death of James Carruthers some months ago. Carruthers, who belonged to St. Mary's, Ont., and was employed in a saw mill on the Rainy River, was found dead in the kitchen of his house. His wife claimed to have gone outside and while absent heard the report of a gun and going inside found her husband dead, he having accidentally shot himself. Residents of the locality claimed that Carruthers and his wife lived anything but harmoniously owing to the presence of a young man in the locality who was on friendly terms with Mrs. Carruthers. The condition in which deceased was found also caused some to doubt that death was accidental. Detective Murray will make a thorough investigation. Mrs. Carruthers, it is understood, is now living in St. Mary's.

A BRITISH COLUMBIA MURDER.

A Man Arrested For a Crime Committed 16 Years Ago.

VICTORIA, B.C., Aug. 3.—On Sept. 19, 1875, the remains of Isaac Cloake were found in his cabin at North Saanich, burned to a crisp. An inquest was held, and the jury brought in a verdict of accidental death by fire. Yesterday a man named Seymour was arrested on suspicion of having murdered Cloake. The arrest was made as the result of the disclosures of an Indian woman, who formerly lived with Seymour and who claims to have proofs that the man robbed Isaac Cloake and then burned the cabin and its occupant.

Drowned at Simcoe.

SIMCOE, Aug. 3.—At Lynn Valley, three miles from here, yesterday, Anson Wheeler and another young man were returning from Sunday-school, when passing the mill-pond they went in bathing. Wheeler, who could not swim, waded into the water, got beyond his depth and sank. It was nearly an hour before the body was found, and all efforts at resuscitation were unavailing. Young Wheeler was about 20 years of age and secretary of the Sunday-school.

An Eloquent Divine.

The amount of interest that the remarks of Dr. Wild on any subject will arouse is a striking proof of the popularity of the prophet of Bond-street. The question of the Lost Tribes having been definitely settled, the learned Doctor will now take the erring politicians at Ottawa in hand, and instead of their origin their future state will be described with unfailing accuracy and much picturesque detail. The sketch of Dr. Wild by "fit," exhibited at Hopkins' King-street Cigar Store, is the fifth of the series and is a very remarkable likeness.

MARRIAGE.

WADE-ROSSITER—On Aug. 1, 1891, at the Church of St. Paul the Apostle, Austin, Ill., U.S., by the Rev. A. A. Fiske, Francis Morton Wade to Florence, fourth daughter of the late James Rossiter of Wells, Somerset, England.

MAGANN-LORANGER—On Saturday, Aug. 1, at the pro-cathedral, Montreal, by His Grace Archbishop Fabre, George Plunkett Magann to Grace Learie, youngest daughter of I. H. Loranger of Montreal.

Ocean Steamship Movements.

Date.	Name.	Reported at	From.
Aug. 3.	—Denmark	Queenstown	New York
"	—Ethiopia	New York	Glasgow
"	—France	"	London
"	—Ems	"	Bremen
"	—Europe	"	Hamburg
"	—Fulda	Southampton	New York
"	—Parisian	Liverpool	Quebec
"	—State Georgia	Glasgow	New York
"	—Buenos Ayrean	Pame Point	Glasgow
"	—Anchoria	Moville	New York
"	—Wieland	London	"

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