

L. Williams Found Murdered In His Main Street Grocery Store; No Clue or Motive Discovered

Body Found on Floor With Bullet Through His Head

Woman Heard Cry "My God, Why Don't Someone Come and Help Me," at 11:30—Seen Alive and Planning Fishing Trip at 11:25—Robbery Not the Motive as Money Was Undisturbed

Lying with his head in a pool of blood and a bullet wound through his head, Harry L. Williams, a well known local grocer and butcher, was found dead in his store last night, shortly before 12 o'clock. As there was no sign of any revolver in the store and no apparent reason for ending his life, it is believed that the young man was foully murdered by some unknown person.

The body of Williams was discovered about 11:30 o'clock by Leo V. McMenamin, a clerk in T. J. Durick's drug store, just across the street. He was on his way home with W. J. McGuire, another clerk in the store. On passing Williams' grocery, McMenamin was attracted by the fact that the lights were still on and he wondered what was the matter.

When the body was discovered in the store, it was found lying on the floor with a bullet through his head. The bullet had entered the forehead and passed through the brain. The body was found in a pool of blood.

Police officers appeared on the scene, but they did not touch the body. Dr. Kenney had been notified and they knew it was proper to leave the body as it was until the coroner should view it.

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A successful picnic was held yesterday by the members of the Ludlow street Baptist church at Rothessay.

Quite evidently the officials at city hall have given up all notion that coal prices will decline and have foreseen any prospect of importing a supply direct from the mines.

With cost of coal going up, it's to your advantage to attend the sale of L. Urdaug, at 221 Union street. Watch for ad. tomorrow.

812 suit week at Turner's, Out of The High Rent District. 440 Main. T.F.

NOTICE TO CHAUFFEURS: Chauffeurs and repairmen meeting, Oldfellow building, corner Union street and Hazen avenue, Wednesday evening, August 8, 9 p. m.

612 SUIT WEEK AT TURNER'S: Selling all \$15 and \$16 suits at \$12. Call and get a genuine suit bargain.

May Queen leaves St. John Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8:30 a. m. Leaves Fredericton Monday Wednesday and Friday at 8 a. m.

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, AUG 8, 1917: High Tide... 3.23 Low Tide... 10.04 Sun Rises... 5.28 Sun Sets... 7.38

PORT OF ST. JOHN: Arrived: Stmr Granville, 66, Collins, Annapolis Royal. Stmr Bear River, 70, Woodworth, Westport.

Deaths: Stmr Ruby L. 51, Baker, Margaretville. Stmr John L. Cann, 77, McKinnon, Westport.

The Casualties: Mr. and Mrs. John Doherty of Chipman, have received word from the chaplain of the regiment to which their son, Frank, who was dangerously wounded, belongs.

A Soft Answer: Why did you place such a tough fowl before me? asked the indignant lady patron of the water in a restaurant.

LOCAL NEWS: The mercury registered 84 degrees yesterday afternoon between 3 and 4 o'clock. This was the second warmest day of the season.

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LIQUOR SEIZED: The house at 42 Acadia street was raided by the police yesterday afternoon between 4:30 and 5 o'clock.

BLISTERS COVERED DAUGHTER'S HANDS: Could Hardly Stand Burning. Could Not Sleep. Healed by Cuticura Soap and Ointment.

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FLOUR: FLOUR LESS THAN WHOLESALE. Charlotte - Highest-grade Manitoba Winter Wheat... Only \$13.30 bbl.

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