

The McCaffrey Murder.

OTTAWA, Aug. 27.—One of the most cold blooded murders ever committed in the county of Carleton took place at Gouldbourne, about eighteen miles from this city, last evening. The victim, Robert McCaffrey, was a young farmer of 28 years of age, unmarried and lived near his father's home, quite close to which he came to an untimely end. The circumstances of the shocking affair are as follows: On Friday morning McCaffrey came to Ottawa with the intention of purchasing a horse, which he intended presenting to his parents, to whom he had always been extremely kind, although making an independent living for himself and living in his own house. On Saturday evening between 3 and 4 o'clock he left for home in a buggy, having made the intended purchase, for which he was to have returned to town on Monday. The murdered man was last seen alive at about 9 o'clock last night about half a mile from his own home by his hired man, who says that he passed McCaffrey while the latter was in conversation with a neighboring farmer named Chester Spearman, who was also seated in a buggy, accompanied by his sister. Spearman and McCaffrey had evidently met on the road, for, with their horses heads turned in different direction, the two men were engaged in low and apparently earnest conversation. Without speaking to either, McCaffrey's hired man walked on in the direction of his employer's house. When about a quarter of a mile distant, he was startled by a pistol shot and shortly after McCaffrey's horse and buggy came rattling along the road, the vehicle being empty and the horse having evidently been started by the shot. Securing the animal, the servant drove hastily back and reaching the spot where he had lately seen McCaffrey in conversation with Spearman, he was horrified to find the body of the murdered man lying in the centre of the roadway and bathed in a pool of blood. Frank McCaffrey, the victim's brother, was notified of the occurrence and he at once left for the scene of the murder, which was about a mile from his house and but two hundred yards from the gate of a farm house owned by a man named Todd. Dr. B. J. Richmond was sent for and examined the wound, which was in the region of the heart and must have caused instantaneous death. Shortly after Frank McCaffrey left the house it is said Spearman called and asked McCaffrey's wife if she had "heard what happened Bob," and she answered "no; what's the matter?" He replied "You'll know in the morning." The murdered man's brother drove into the city this morning and there being no county constable, induced Detective McVeity to take the case in hand and he, accompanied by Sergeant Major Connors of the Dominion police force, left for the scene of the tragedy this afternoon. On the murdered man's person in an inside waistcoat pocket, near where the fatal bullet penetrated, were found \$150 in cash, so that it is impossible that the murder was committed for the purpose of robbery. Since the story of the murder has been circulated in the district in which it occurred, rumors have been set afloat connecting the names of the murdered man and Spearman's sister with a scandal and the common belief is that this is what led to murder. It is also reported that Spearman is to be arrested on suspicion.

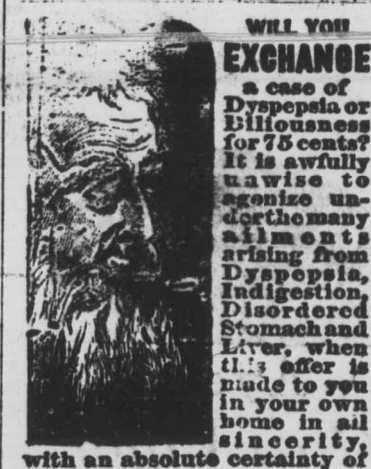
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Maria Spearman, the girl who was lodged in jail yesterday on a charge of having murdered Robt. McCaffrey, still persists that she fired the fatal shot. At first the medical men and others disbelieved her confession, thinking that it was impossible that a woman standing on the ground, as she alleged she did at the time the shot was fired, could have shot a man in a buggy in such a manner that the ball would enter the left breast and pass downward to the right side of the intestines. It has, however, been since clearly shown by the firing to the position of the two vehicles, a shot fired from the one occupied by the Spearman's could not possibly have struck the victim in the manner in which it did. On the other hand, if the girl was standing at the head of McCaffrey's horse, as she states, and he was leaning forward and downward to speak to her when she made her fatal appeal, she could easily have shot him in such a manner that the ball would take the course above described. It is now stated that McCaffrey, the victim, promised to marry the girl, but postponed the ceremony from month to month. Finding at length that she was *en route*, and that he was to be married to another girl, she was grieved to despair. She now appears to be utterly unconscious of her surroundings, and to care little whether she lives or dies.

Death of Charles J. Kickham.

Dublin, Aug. 24.—Charles James Kickham, a leading Fenian and author, is dead. [Charles James Kickham, whose death a cable despatch has this day announced, was a leading character in the Fenian troubles of '68 and was one of those who co-temporary with James Stephens, Clarke, Luby and others, figured prominently in the State trials which so agitated the public mind at that period. He was sentenced with the remainder to a long term of imprisonment, but owing to ill health and the influence of his many friends of all shades of opinion, his sentence was extended and he was released. Kickham, during those troublous days, stood out in bold relief, due principally to his superior education and gentlemanly demeanour. His love of country was sincere and genuine, and his pen worked unceasingly in her cause. To the national papers of that day he was an untiring contributor, and as a poet he will live in the hearts of that section of his countrymen who followed with ardent but mistaken zeal the same *ignis fatuus*. Very few Irish homes are unacquainted with the evidences of his poetic genius, and his touching lines breathing thought and love of country and devastation of the oppressors have been read or sung at many a cabin fire-side for years. The "deaf man," as he was called, from an infirmity which afflicted him for the greater part of his life—had for a considerable time retired from active working in the cause to which he had devoted himself, but his

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Justice, and to me directed against the Lands and Tenements of T. S. Reid at the

suit of Geo. S. Birrell and William A. Birrell, I have seized and taken in execution all the

right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the above named defendant in and to that

parcel of land situate, lying and being in the County of Huron in the Province of Ontario, and being composed of the South Eastern corner of the east half of lot number twelve in the eleventh concession of the Eastern Division of the township of Ashfield, containing three quarters of an acre more or less including lot number eight and part of lot number seven in the village of Ashfield in the County of Huron, Which Lands and Tenements I shall offer for sale, at my office in the Court House, in the town of Goderich, on Monday the second day of October, at the hour of twelve of the clock, noon.

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