

CHINATOWN IN FORT WILLIAM STRIKE HAS COLLAPSED

Bow Kim, Most Beautiful Of New York's Chinese Women Found Brutally Murdered—Ten Chinamen Arrested

RECALLS ELSIE SIGLE MYSTERY.

New York Aug. 15.—Chinatown was a turmoil again early today on the discovery of the murder of the most beautiful of the few Chinese women in New York, Bow Kim, twenty-one years old, who came here from San Francisco about a year ago with an Americanized Chinaman, Chin Len, thirty-one years old.

It was about 2 o'clock this morning that the usual Saturday night revelry was quieting down, that Chin Len dashed out of a tenement house at 17 Mott street, crying: "My woman has been murdered!" The street filled with loitering Chinamen and parties of American "sightseers," all of whom quickly recalled the sensational murder of Elsie Sigle, the missionary girl, was thrown into great excitement.

Hurried Into House. A policeman and a detective hurried into the house under Len's direction, through dark hallways to a rear room on the second floor. The door was locked and the officers were about to break it in when Len pushed them aside and unlocked it himself. In a bedroom lay the murdered woman on the floor, stabbed in a half dozen places. Her slender neck was rimmed with bloody finger marks, indicating a struggle with her assailant, and beside her lay a rusted hunting knife.

It was evident that the woman had been dead for two or three hours. On the stairs were found tracks of blood and on a door leading to the store of Yuen Chin & Co., on the ground floor, three Chinamen there were arrested, although they denied any knowledge of the murder.

Six American women, who declared themselves to be the wives of Chinamen were also found in the house and arrested, but none would admit any knowledge of Bow Kim's death.

Little Found.

The murdered woman's room was found many business letters in Chinese, but none that gave a clew. At 22 Mott street, however, where Len spent much of his time, and where the couple lived previously, was found a trunk which Len admitted was his wife's property. In it were found her hunting knives, a stiletto, a revolver and two boxes of jewelry. Len declared he had no idea who killed his wife, unless, "maybe See Sing killed her. See Sing say she owe him money and he say he set it."

Sing, too, was once in love with Bow Kim, he said, but as to Sing's whereabouts he knew nothing.

Lep's account of himself the police limited with reservations. He spent no early evening with his wife in their rooms, he said, until about seven o'clock when he went out to pay a visit at No. 22 Mott street. Returning at 2 o'clock on the morning he found the body upon the floor. Upon touching he soiled his hands with blood which he smeared the door and hallway as he hurried to the street.

A formal charge has been preferred against Len but he is held in \$5,000 bonds as a material witness.

RELATIVES GATHER TO ATTEND FUNERAL

Funerals of The Late N. D. Hooper To Be Conducted At Fredericton Today—Justice Maglin At Capital.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 15.—Mrs. J. E. Cowan of St. John's, N. B., was here in her yacht on Saturday afternoon accompanied by Mrs. Fred D. Miles. They have left on the return to St. John's.

Mr. Justice Anglin of the Supreme Court of Canada and a brother of Mrs. Margaret Anglin is at the Bar. The remains of the late N. D. Hooper formerly of this city and St. John's, who died suddenly at Portland, Me. on Friday will arrive here tomorrow morning accompanied by relatives. The funeral will take place at the residence of Ald. W. S. Pease tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. J. R. Kerr of Philadelphia, a relative of the deceased is here and preached at St. Paul's Presbyterian church today. He will conduct funeral services.

UTLILATED BODY FOUND WRAPPED IN BLANKET

Pittsfield, Mass., Aug. 15.—What seems to be a case of murder was closed today when a small pile of cloth was removed from a bundle wrapped in a blanket beside a road near Stearnsville. Inside the blanket was the body of a man, apparently a stranger and a foreigner, with a stab wound through the right breast and several other cuts. He appeared to be about 25 years old. The medical examiner stated that the body was probably placed there last night.

Mrs. W. W. White entertained at bridge Saturday afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. C. E. Macpherson of Winnipeg. Thirty-two ladies were present. Prizes were won by Mrs. Fred Bayre, Mrs. Busby, Miss Mabel Smith and Miss Ada Bayard.

G. T. P. Bridge Collapses near McGivney Ct. Killing One

Six Spans of Big Structure Over Mullin's Brook Topped Without Notice. Engine and Seven Cars With Six Workmen Precipitated into the Stream. Promenade Collapses At Montreal Precipitating 500 To A Floating Wharf Below—50 Struggle For Life.

50 PLUNGED INTO LAKE AT REGATTA

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Aug. 15.—There was a scene of great excitement at the St. Agathe regatta Saturday afternoon when a promenade over the water collapsed, precipitating 500 people to a floating wharf five feet below, and throwing 50 of them into the lake, five or six feet deep at that point. To accommodate the crowd at the finishing line a promenade had been built over the float dock opposite the Hotel Del Mont, the dock being used by the competitors. At the conclusion of a race one of the snookers fell out of a boat. Immediately there was a rush of five or six hundred people from the hotel verandahs to watch the rescue. The weight proved too much for the promenade, whose supports slipped into the lake, and the whole mass of people were precipitated to the dock, five feet below. The guard rail broke and fifty of the crowd were thrown into the lake.

THE DEAD.

John McGivney, of Boston, Cape Breton. Instantly killed.

THE INJURED.

John Patterson, badly bruised. Four workmen, names unknown, slight bruises.

Whole Fleet Required.

A whole fleet of steamers was required to bear the excursionists down from Quebec. Special trains began to arrive this morning from Montreal and Ottawa, and these with the Quebec contingents made a notable display as they sailed down to Grosse Ile with hands playing the national airs of Erin.

The Hibernians were strongly represented, having all their chief officers present, and speeches by the members of their executive as well as those of Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, chief justice, Hon. Chas. Murphy, secretary of state, were of a nature to make the ceremony an uncommon one.

THE MUSIC.

The music was supplied by a mixed choir of male and female voices, in which were descendants of many Irish immigrants who came to Canada since the great famine year. French and English Canadians sang in Latin, the libers of the dead.

A beautiful tribute to the Irish attachments to the old faith was expressed by Archbishop Bevin, who said it was as unalterable as the granite cross that was now raised in their memory.

After the celebration of mass, Rev. Father Maguire, Provincial chaplain of the A. O. H., preached an appropriate sermon on the sufferings and resurrection of the fever-stricken victims. It was remarked by Father Maguire that 60 orphans left by the ravages of the fever were adopted into French Canadian families.

THE WEAK SPOT.

It is thought that an "A" which had been built in the spans at the centre of the trestle over a large concrete culvert, proved the weak spot in the structure and gave way. That only one life was lost in the accident is the most remarkable feature, and one which will probably never be explained.

The facts given above are substantially as learned from Harry F. McLean, a foreman of the Forestry Construction Company, over the long distance telephone this evening from McGivney Junction, where the company have their headquarters. Mr. McLean said that there was no explanation which could be given to account for the accident. The big trestle had never shown any signs of weakness, he said, and every precaution for the safety of the men had been taken.

Mr. McLean also stated that the body of McGivney, who had been killed in the accident had been prepared for burial and would be forwarded to his home in Cape Breton for interment, the company bearing the expense.

CHILD MURDERER SERVED BY FAMILY

James Robinson Wanted For Murder Of Own Children—Supplied With Food By Family—Confession Extracted From Son.

Special to The Standard. Warren, Ont., Aug. 14.—It is learned that James Robinson, who is wanted on a charge of murdering his three children and who escaped into the bush, has been having food conveyed to him regularly by his family. One of the detectives working on the case obtained a confession to this effect, it is said, from John Robinson, eldest son of the fugitive. Young Robinson, when pressed for information, admitted that food was being taken out at night and morning when the boys went after the cows and this food was hidden behind a rock for their father to get. Asked as to their reason for assisting their father to evade capture, he stated that he had heard one of the Warren officials say that if he caught James Robinson he would

HIBERNIANS UNITED TO HONOR DEAD

Great Concourse Of Catholics At Grosse Island Yesterday When Monument To Fever Victims Was Unveiled.

THE PAPAL DELEGATE IN PRINCIPAL ROLE.

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Lucania Gutted By Fire While At Dock

Cunarder Liner Badly Damaged At Liverpool—Flames Only Subdued With Flooding Of Vessel—No Casualties Reported.

Liverpool, Aug. 15.—The Cunard Line steamer Lucania lies submerged tonight at her dock seriously damaged, having been almost gutted from her funnels forward by fire which broke out on board the liner at 7 o'clock Saturday evening. The flames are supposed to have originated in the saloon kitchen.

The fire brigade of the vessel, with two powerful motor engines, turned out immediately at the first alarm and found the first-class saloon burning fiercely from end to end. Despite all their efforts, the flames gradually gained forward until they reached the woodwork there, and then played havoc with the fore hold.

At 8 o'clock this morning it was reported that the fire had been extinguished and the vessel was being towed to the dock and overhauled. A half dozen firemen who were on the gangway at this time were thrown into the water, but all were rescued. A fleet of tug boats were brought into requisition and the liner upright and held her until she settled firmly on the mud bottom.

6 ADRIFT WITHOUT FOOD FOR 60 HOURS

Crew Of The Ill-Fated Fishing Schooner Picked Up By Passing Vessel—Wrecked Off Nova Scotia Coast.

Gloucester, Aug. 15.—The loss of the New York schooner Annie Bliss, off Cape Sable, last Wednesday morning, was reported today, when six men of the crew were landed today by the Gloucester, Mass. fishing schooner Lillian, which picked up the men Friday morning, after they had been adrift at sea in an open boat without food or drink for sixteen hours. The rescued men, are Capt. Enos Huntley, Mate W. H. Munson, Seaman Harrison, Canoees, George Anderson, Oliver Olson and Cook R. E. Bridges. All come from Horton, C. B., except the captain and cook who belong to New York.

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