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#### PLEA OF INSANITY

Will Be Put Forward By the Defence in Gee Case.

The Evidence Submitted at Woodstock This Morning.

The Prisoner Very Nervous and Had to Leave the Court Twice.

WOODSTOCK, April 27.—Edward E. Carney was the first witness in the case of the King vs. Geo. Gee this morning. He saw the prisoner after the shooting and heard him say he intended the bullet for Millie's heart or head. He expressed no sorrow.

Mr. Hartley, defendant's attorney, asked if the prisoner looked crazy.

Mr. Pugsley objected to this question, and the witness said he thought the prisoner was out of his mind.

Mr. Pugsley objected to this statement.

Mr. Hartley obtained the information from the witness Carney that insanity ran in the Gee family.

Here the prisoner had to be taken from the court room for fresh air.

Deputy Sheriff Albion R. Foster was next called. Witness had been deputy sheriff for 8 years, and had arrested the prisoner several times. Witness had taken a relative of the prisoner to the Asylum. Witness thought that there was nothing wrong with the prisoner mentally.

Other witnesses added little of importance to the evidence.

The prisoner acted queerly and had to be taken from the court room twice.

The defence will evidently base its case on the insanity plea.

#### GOVERNMENT CAUCUS.

A Well Attended and Harmonious Meeting—Senator Wark in Attendance.

OTTAWA, April 27.—A large number of the members attended a Government caucus this morning. Sir Wilfrid entered the caucus room at 10:30 sharp and was greeted with warm applause. Hardly had the greeting died away when the centenarian, Senator Wark, entered, escorted by the junior member of the House, Armand Lavergne of Montmagny.

#### QUEBEC M. P.

Summoned to Appear Before Privileges Committee to Answer Charge.

QUEBEC, April 27.—The Committee on Privileges and Elections met today and decided to call Ald. Valliere before the Committee tomorrow to answer the charge made against him in the legislature on Monday by Provost.

#### ALONG THE RIVER.

Victoria Got Here Yesterday and Arrived Today—Water is Rising.

The water in the river continues to rise and has come up about six inches since last night.

The work of stringing the Douglas and Mitchell booms is about completed and everything looks all right for saving the logs.

The Victoria, Capt. Taylor, all newly painted, arrived about 4:30 yesterday afternoon and was met at the wharf by a large crowd. She had a good cargo of freight and several passengers.

The Aberdeen, Capt. Perry, got here at noon today. She had a full cargo of freight for up river points on board and cannot load any more here. She leaves at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning for Woodstock and will then start on her regular trips.

The coal laden schooner Genevieve, which was grounded on the shoals near Oak Point, arrived here this afternoon in tow of the tug Clayton. Her cargo is consigned to Ald. Farrell.

#### FRENCH HORSE WON.

LONDON, April 27.—The race for the two thousand guinea stakes for three year olds and upwards at Newmarket today was won by St. Amant by four lengths. John O'Gaunt was second and Henry the First was third. 14 horses started. Richard Croker's Clonmel came in last.

#### Pleasant Evening.

On Monday night a number of G. M. Wetmore's friends met at his rooms, Northumberland street, and a very pleasant evening was spent. E. Ley, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., presided at the organ and was accompanied by Ray McGibbon of the Fredericton orchestra on the violin. Music and games furnished the amusement till a late hour. A solo by Mr. Ley was received with applause. At the close cake, fruit and ice cream was served, after which the company dispersed with the feeling that all had enjoyed a pleasant evening.

#### Glee Club Concert.

Those who have in charge the College Glee Club entertainment for this year have decided to present *She Stoops to Conquer* in the Opera House on the evening of May 24th. For some time preparations to this end have been in progress under the supervision of Prof. Clawson.

#### Off For the Drives.

Twenty men left for the scene of T. Lynch's stream driving operations by the Gibson branch this morning, and ninety-one men who came in over the Canada Eastern to-day will follow them to-morrow morning for Mr. Lynch.

A woman can stretch a dollar by squeezing it.

#### CANADIAN STOCK MARKET.

A Better Tone on the Montreal Exchange To-day.

Trading in the Leading Industrials Was Quite Brisk.

Mackay Companies Listed on the Board for the First Time.

MONTREAL, April 27.—Stocks were more active and interesting today, with a strong tone. Mackay Companies were traded in regularly for the first time, Common at 24 and Preferred at 28, equal to 184 for Commercial Cable, C. P. R. sold at 117½; Richelieu 86½ to 87; Dominion Coal 64½ to 65; Dominion Cotton 34½; Bell Telephone 140½ to 142½.

#### A BECCAR BUT A GENIUS.

A Humble Mendicant of New York's Lower Strata

Perfects an Appliance for Saving Life on Railways

For Which a Company Had Offered a Prize of \$100,000.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Members of the charity society here express the belief that Alexander McKenzie, a professional beggar who was once an electrical engineer, has invented a successful device for the protection of the third rail on the elevated tracks and will receive the prize of \$100,000 offered by the Interborough Co. for that achievement. The matter has been placed in the hands of a patent solicitor. On the police record, McKenzie is placed with the harmless mendicants, those who sit silently and hold out the hands or hats in mute appeals.

McKenzie has been a suspicious character on platforms of elevated stations. He has but one leg and always sat on the floor with his crutches lying in his lap and his hat stretched out for coins. For weeks at a time he would be seen during rush hours at the station along the Sixth Avenue line and then some one would enter a complaint and he would be arrested and sent to the island. He was always a welcome prisoner, for his mechanical genius found great opportunity about the shops and buildings. During his various periods of confinement he perfected the model for protecting the third rail and distrustful of every person who attempted to examine it he finally called upon the charity organization for help. The officials at once took charge of the matter. They say McKenzie was almost starved and he finally asked for aid.

#### Beautiful Furniture.

The costly bedroom set for which a grand drawing is being conducted by the Tartar Baseball Club is on exhibition in the upper show window of the Kitchen Mercantile Company from whom it was purchased.

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If not, it is probably the fault of your Liver and you need a corrective. You will be surprised to see how quickly your brain will clear and how much better you can work after taking

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