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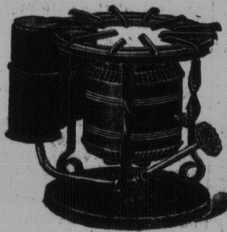
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ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 1st.

All the Labor Unions of St. John and other centres will parade the City and proceed to the Exhibition Grounds, where they will pass in review before the Grand Stand. In this procession will be 30 mounted teamsters. Special Prizes have been arranged for these horses (Class 15 b), which will first be paraded and judged. Following this, a complete programme of sports, including horse-races, foot-races, tug-of-war, etc., will be put on.

TUESDAY, 9 A. M.

Judging of Medium Draughts (Class 8) Heavy Draughts (9), Clydesdales (10), Shires (11), Percherons (12), and Suffolk Punches (13).

TUESDAY, 3 P. M.

Judging of Carriage Horses in harness (Class 6) open to all Carriage Horses on the grounds.

WEDNESDAY, 9 A. M.

Judging of Carriage Horses (on the hatter) (Class 4) and Standard Bred Horses (Class 5).

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

At Moosepath Park—2.24 Class, trot and pace, purse \$250; 2.28 Class, trot and pace, purse \$250.

THURSDAY, 9 A. M.

Before the Grand Stand, Judging of Thoroughbreds (Class 5), Hackneys (Class 2), French Coaches (Class 15), and Ponies (Class 15).

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

Moosepath Park—2.40 Class, trot and pace, purse \$200; Free-for-all, trot and pace, purse \$500.

FRIDAY, 9 A. M.

Draught Competition (Class 14) Horse-shoeing Competition.

FRIDAY, 3 P. M.

Parades and judging of matched pairs and single carriage horses, owned in the City or County of St. John (Class 15 a), followed by a general parade of all prize-winning horses.

Entries of ordinary fees close August 15th.

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THE MURDER CASE.

Sensational Ending at the Inquest Last Evening.

Goodspeed Turns King's Evidence and Swears That Higgins Was the Slayer of William Doherty.

The city court room was literally packed with people last evening, and an eager crowd listened at the doors and windows, or waited on the streets outside, while Fred W. Goodspeed told to the coroner's jury the story of the killing of William Doherty.

The proceedings began only a few minutes after seven o'clock. Coroner Berryman, with the attorney general, who was watching the case for the crown, sat at the high desk at the end of the room. Chief of Police Clark sat directly below, and around the table fronting the desk were reporters and counsel. A. Geo. Blair, Jr., and Hon. H. A. McKown appeared for the crown, Dr. Mullin, K. C., for Frank Higgins, and Scott E. Morrill for Fred Goodspeed.

The first witness was George Patterson, aged 20, of Castle street, who testified that he saw Doherty in the park with two other boys, about 3.30 on the fatal Friday afternoon.

John Baird, aged 22, of Brunswick street, swore that he saw Doherty and Higgins and another boy going toward the park, and Doherty asked him for a cigarette.

At 7.25, while the second witness was completing his testimony, Detective Killen forced his way through the crowd around the door with

FRED GOODSPEED, THE YOUNGER PRISONER.

The boy showed no effect of his imprisonment, his worry or his sickness beyond a slight heaviness of his eyes. His chubby cheeks were round and rosy; his manner as he walked to the stand was unconstrained and unembarrassed, and his whole appearance was decidedly prepossessing. He looked a boy—just a plain boy, that's all. His round eyes looked steadily ahead of him at the person whom he might be addressing, and his voice throughout his trying examination never shook nor faltered. He sat there beside the coroner, his brown close hair just topping the desk, and told his terrible tale straightly and without a tremor. He made a splendid witness.

As the detective hurried him through the crowd they brushed past the agonized mother, who had not seen her son since he left home at one o'clock on Friday last. There was no time for a look or a caress, but as the boy was hurried by, the mother with her pained and anxious eyes leaned toward him and whispered, "Freddie, boy, be good. Be a good boy."

AND TELL THE TRUTH.

When he took the stand, Coroner Berryman questioned him regarding his knowledge of the nature of an oath. His answer was perfectly satisfactory. "I was fourteen the 15th of last April," he said. "Yes, I know what an oath is. It means that you must tell nothing but the truth, so help your God."

So the oath was administered, and Fred Goodspeed, aged 14, told—altered by occasional questions from the coroner—the following

STORY OF THE MURDER

of William Doherty: Just as he began, Scott E. Morrill arose and announced that he appeared as Goodspeed's counsel, but would offer no objection nor obstacle to the fullest enquiry, or to anything that would tend to reveal the truth of the matter.

"I remember Friday, the first of August," said Goodspeed. "I had my dinner home that day, as usual, about half past twelve or a quarter to one. After dinner I went to the old burying ground and met Clifford King, Harry Kelly, William Doherty and Frank Higgins. I had known Willie Doherty a year and a half and Higgins about the same time. I didn't know the other boys so well."

"This was about one o'clock. Cliff King and Harry Kelly were sitting down and I asked Kelly how much money he had to go to the picnic with. He showed me a dollar and a quarter. King and Kelly went away in a little while—about 10 minutes—and left Doherty and Higgins and me there. Then Frank

ASKED US TO GO TO THE PARK

for a feed of berries."

"Did you see Doherty reading anything while you were in the cemetery?" asked the coroner.

"Yes, he was reading an old paper. I don't know what it was. When we went away I think he left it there. I don't think Higgins took it out to the park with him. We went right down Brussels street to Gilbert's Lane."

In previous testimony John Baird had sworn to seeing the three boys on the Lane and said Doherty had asked him for a cigarette. Goodspeed was asked if he recollected this incident.

"I remember a boy talking to us out there," he said, "but I don't remember about the cigarette. As we were going by the fellow asked us if there were any girls out in the park, and I said, 'A sporty fellow like you ought to be able to get a girl out there easy.' This was right by the Davenport school. The fellow talking to us

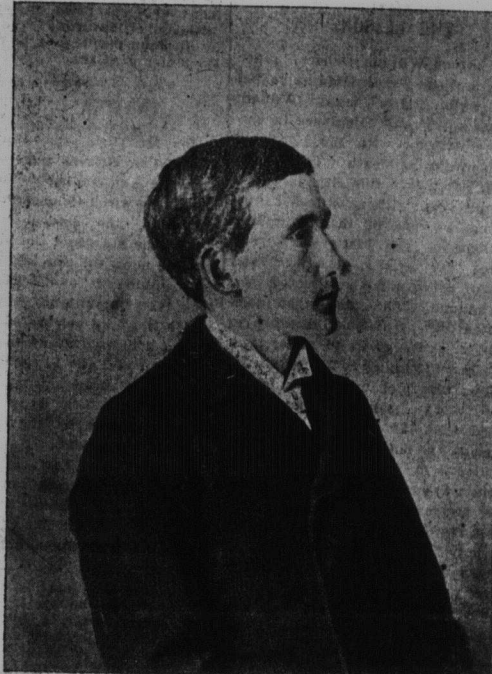
had on a kind of a blue suit and a straw hat. Then we went up the road marked 'Park Entrance' to the bear house, where we stopped about five minutes. Leaving there, we went down the hill by the road leading to Dave Connell's farm. We went over the hill, picking berries as we went along. We only climbed over one

fence, and that was by Dave Connell's place. We came around as if going into the park again. I was walking ahead with Doherty picking berries. I was close to him."

Right by a little footpath there was a hill, and Willie and me were walking up it, with Frank Higgins behind us, when

I HEARD FOUR SHOTS GO OFF.

Willie hollered, 'My God, Higgy you've shot me.' Then he ran on up the hill and Frank chased him up. When they got



FRANK HIGGINS, AGED 15.

up on top of the little hill Frank raised his arm to hit Willie with the revolver.

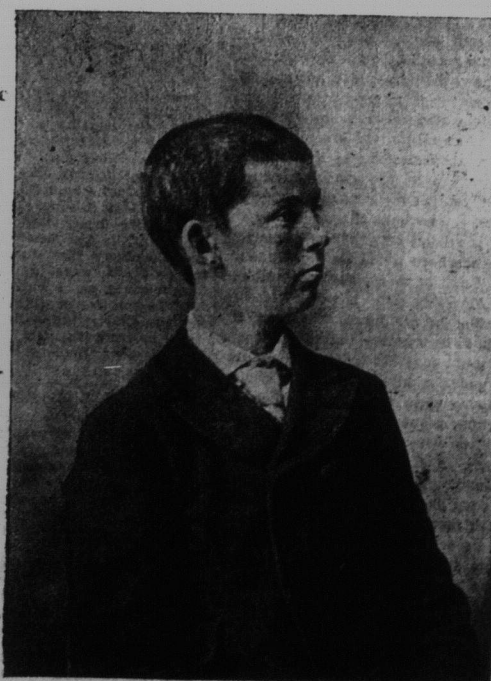
Willie snatched the revolver out of Frank's hand and tried to hit him with it. Then he sank down on his back and said, 'Go away and get a doctor. So help me God, I'll swear it was an accident.'

I went to run into the park when Frank pointed the revolver at me and said, 'If you don't take a hand in this I'll shoot you right here.'

So I came back. I saw him hit Willie about five times over the head

WITH THE BUTT OF THE REVOLVER.

Ding was lying on his side with his elbow on the ground. Then he put his hand to his head and groaned once and fell back. He didn't move after that. I helped Frank gather some sticks and grass, and we picked up



FRED W. GOODSPEED, AGED 14.

some stones and threw them on him and buried him up."

"What time do you think this was?"

"About three o'clock, as near as I can tell. Then we came right in by the footpath till it widened out to a road, and went down past the refreshment house to the park entrance. Going down Gilbert's Lane, we crossed

the railroad tracks and went over to the Marsh creek by Sandy Point and threw

THE REVOLVER IN THE CREEK. Then we came along the track home, and I left Frank at the foot of Clarence street.

In answer to questions regarding any previous threats by Higgins, the witness said: "About three or four weeks ago Higgins said something about putting Doherty out of the way. He said to me one day: 'Cay, do you like Willie Doherty?' I said: 'Yes, I like him as well as any of the other boys.' He says: 'I don't, and will you

HELP ME TO KILL HIM.'

I said "No," and he never asked me after that.

A question concerning any motive the murderer might have had for his deed elicited some startling news revealing a new phase of the inclusion of "the gang."

"The reason Higgins wanted to kill him," was Goodspeed's statement, "was because he had had some money stolen which he had hidden. Doherty was the only person who knew the place and Frank blamed him for stealing it. Frank told me that he went to Brownville, Me., with Will Doherty



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