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G. G. SCOVIL, EX-M. P., GIVES  
EVIDENCE IN CENTRAL ENQUIRYHe Was on the Stand Yesterday  
Afternoon and Tells of  
Sale of Ballast Pit.

On resuming the Central Railway inquiry yesterday afternoon, George G. Scovil, ex-M. P. for Kings county, was called. To Mr. Powell he said he was in the legislature at the time the N. B. Coal and Railway Company was incorporated.

He had no interest in the company. He understood that for a time it was virtually controlled by the government and afterwards taken over by the government. He had supplied ties to the N. B. Coal &amp; Ry. Co. about 1901.

Asked by Mr. Powell, if in July 1901 he had received \$20,000 from Mr. McArthur, the witness said he might have received that amount. It was a payment on account of a gravel pit bought from him for \$3,000. Payments had been made at several times. He had owned the property for several months previous to disposing of it to the company.

Mr. Powell asked how much the whole farm had cost, and the witness replied \$2,200. There were thirty acres in the entire farm. A deed of the property bought was handed the company last spring, a former deed having been defective.

Mr. Hunter, he said, had seen him last spring about the matter, saying the deed did not cover the land they wanted, and he had changed it. The property sold to the company had all been cultivated at one time, but had partly grown up. There were a house and barn on another part of the property.

An item of \$400.00 under date of Aug. 15, 1904, "for July account," the witness could not remember. An item of \$1,000, on Sept. 28, 1904, was paid him by Dr. Pugsley, he said, on account of the purchase of the gravel pit. Payment had been by a note, and the note had been paid at maturity.

The witness said Mr. Evans had gone to examine the gravel pit and, it being found alright, it was purchased.

Judge Landry—"There was nothing wrong in your selling a ballast pit at a good price. I understand it is very good ballast."

Witness—"People who have seen it say it is one of the best they have ever seen."

Mr. Scovil continued, in response to Mr. Powell, that he had no understanding that the pit would be bought, previous to his acquiring it.

Several payments made to the witness for ties were referred to. Mr. Scovil said he had frequently sold ties to the company.

Asked regarding his having sold ties to the railway after it became the property of the government, he said he did not do so. He had sold to other parties who might have wanted them for the road.

Mr. Barnhill objected to Mr. Powell trying to hint the witness to a statement that he had sold ties to the road when it was owned by the government and he was a member of the house.

The witness said he did not know of any transactions connected with the road other than he had with the company himself.

To Mr. Powell, he said he had never said there were things connected with the road that he could tell the commission as to commissions, take-offs, etc. He might have said something of the kind regarding his connection with the road when Dr. De Bertram owned it. He had lost \$2,000 at that time. This concluded

Mr. Scovil's testimony and he was allowed to stand down.

Mr. Barnhill said if there was any information he could give the commission regarding the road under the N. B. Coal and Railway Company, he would be very glad to do so and would offer all the assistance possible.

Judge Landry and Mr. Powell remarked that Mr. Barnhill's statement was very full and complete, and they did not think they would have to trouble him further.

Mr. Carvell also offered to give any information he could regarding the affairs of the road to the commission.

George McArthur and Hon. William Pugsley will probably be among the witnesses to be heard today.

SOME PAUPERS ARE  
TOO LAZY TO WORKAdj. Cornish Finds That Some  
Applicants at Salvation Army  
Shelter Will Not Work When  
Requested.

Adjutant Cornish, of the Salvation Army, said last night that he had sent to Toronto for ten more "double-decked" beds for the shelter, to be placed in the extra room now in use, and that he thought would bring the number of beds up to all requirements unless something unforeseen should occur.

The wood being split by the men carded for, was selling rapidly, and this proved of much assistance. Two families of the city had applied to the Army yesterday for assistance, and on investigation it was found that they were in very destitute circumstances. Some wood for fuel and provisions had been provided them.

It has been found that some applicants at the shelter were unwilling to work and these had to be turned away. Three men under the influence of liquor, who were creating a disturbance, had to be ejected last night. It was found necessary for five men to sleep on the floor last night.

AN ANTI-CANADIAN SONG  
IN LONDON MUSIC HALL

Montreal, Dec. 22.—A special London cable says: A song entitled "Canada," which is being sung in music halls here by Harriet Vernon, asks: "Why send your sons to Canada, tell me, John Bull, where hunger stares them in the face?"

A couple of dozen Canadians, who were annoyed at this anti-emigration sentiment song, visited the Ipswich Hippodrome with the object of singing the Maple Leaf, but were denied entrance. The Canadians were by Mr. Colcock, the Ontario government agent.

The Grand Temple of Honor of New Brunswick, at a meeting here on Monday evening, heard a report showing in the matter of membership in subordinate department an increase of 300; total receipts, \$4,827.82; total expense, \$4,544.76; balance on hand, \$283.06; in Grand Temple affairs, total receipts, \$113.46; expense, \$100.10; balance, \$13.36.

Several earthquake shocks were recently felt at Horden, near West Hartlepool, Eng.

GREEN'S COMPANION TELLS  
HOW PEDLAR WAS KILLEDA. Panarsky Tells of the Murder and  
of His Own Race for LifeHis Breast Was Scarred by Bullet Which Pierced Green's  
Heart—John Basker Tells of Seeing the Murderers  
Hiding in Ambush Before the Killing—Panarsky a Free  
Mason and Well Known in St. John.

Andover, N. B., Dec. 22.—A graphic story of the murder of Edward or "Peddy" Green by two Italians on Sunday last near Plaster Rock was told today to the Telegraph's correspondent by A. Panarsky, the Hebrew pedlar, who was Green's companion on that fatal walk down the right of way of the G. T. P.

As Green fell he cried out, "Oh, my," then, sank to the ground lifeless. The shot that killed Green passed through Panarsky's clothes, even scarring his breast with a lurid mark.

As he lied in terror, on seeing one of the Italians with gun leveled at him, a shot was sent after him and went through his clothes. Harder he ran, fearing every minute would be his last, but he escaped to give the news of the cold-blooded murder to engineers of the G. T. P.

A new feature was introduced in the case tonight at the inquest held at Plaster Rock. John Basker told of passing along the right of way Sunday morning and seeing two Italians behind a pile of logs. They did not molest him. A quarter mile down the road he met Green and Panarsky, going on what proved to be a fatal journey.

The Italians were brought here today and, after being arraigned, were remanded for a week. Green's body will be taken to Montreal tomorrow.

Panarsky is known in St. John, where he attended a Masonic meeting, he says, some years ago. None of the money stolen from Green, which amounted to more than \$3,000, has been found. The G. T. P. police will make a search for tomorrow.

The Italians, in charge of Chief of Police Foster, were brought here tonight at Plaster Rock this morning by train. Their feet were so badly frozen that they could not get into their shoes and were obliged to be brought for them. Their hands were also swollen into big blisters as evidence of their night spent in the open. Rev. Father Ryan, who was returning home to Indian Point, was on the train and had some conversation with the prisoners. They told him that they had been taken to the place where the Italians were. They were driven from Perth station to the court house, where they were taken before Mr. McQuarrie, the police magistrate.

Elias Panarsky swore out an information against the prisoners on the charge of murder. No evidence was taken and they were remanded to jail for one week. The chief of the two, John Seppe, is very dark, and taller than Tony Arosia, his companion. The latter is about twenty years old. Seppe has the appearance of being nearer thirty. He has not spoken in English since the arrest, but Tony can make himself understood. When asked by Chief Justice about the case, he said he had "done no bad" himself, but that another man had done it. It was not clear that he meant his companion.

A number of the watches have been found in the woods, but none of the things which were stolen from Green. Money has been recovered. Chief Foster and Constable Pearson are going out tomorrow to institute a search.

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SERGT. HIPWELL GETS  
CHEERS OF THE  
POLICEMENVeteran Police Officer Who Has  
Given 57 Years Service Pre-  
sented With Cane and Address  
Last Night.

The guardroom of the Central Police Station rang with song last evening, when a score or more of lusty bluecoats joined in a rendition of "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow," in honor of Sergeant John Hipwell, the veteran of the force, who has been given a year's leave or absence by the city council.

The occasion was the presentation of

a fine gold-headed ebony cane to Sergt. Hipwell, by the chief and members of the force. It was a notable occasion and the men expressed their warm feeling for their old comrade in no uncertain manner.

When the day and night men assembled to report, instead of being dismissed separately, all gathered in the guardroom at 7 o'clock Sergeant Hipwell, who was in the chief's office, was escorted in by Deputy Chief Jenkins, and took his place alongside the chief. The chief then read an address referring in eulogistic terms to the sergeant and presented to him the cane, on which was the following inscription:

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May Christmas add happiness and the New Year, with its united strength, the fulfillment of your heart's desire.

At the expiration of your leave of absence, you be able to say, "Chief, I am reporting for duty."

WALKER CLARK,  
Chief of Police.

After reading the address the chief turned to the old veteran and said: "This is an expression of the feeling of the whole department, every man pack of them, and I am very speaking for them." He added that he hoped the sergeant would have many more happy years ahead of him.

Sergt. Hipwell was much affected by the kindly words and expression of good feeling, but made a fitting reply in which he said: "Chief and gentlemen, I hope you will all be spared to live good long lives. God bless you, I hope you will all enjoy health and happiness."

As he concluded speaking, the walls rang with the song: "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." The burly policemen, chief and deputy and all put their hearts into it and they made a grand chorus. It was a scene such as is seldom witnessed in the guardroom.

Warm hand claps and congratulations followed, after which Policeman Lucas escorted the aged sergeant to his home.

With fifty-seven years of faithful service, and not a black mark against him, Sergeant Hipwell has an enviable record.

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WHILE WRESTLINGYouth Met With an Accident in  
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A young man named Folkins, whose home is at 39 Simonds street, met with a painful accident last night while in a friendly tussle with some companions in the Portland Y. M. A. rooms. He fell against a window looking from the reading room into the gymnasium, putting his arm through a pane of glass, tearing the skin from the muscles and cutting deep.

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