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SUDDEN DEATH.

Ellen Langstaff Passes Away Suddenly
and a Jury Enquires the Cause.

On Friday last this community was shocked to learn of the sudden death, under peculiar circumstances, of Ellen Langstaff, wife of Wm. Langstaff, shoemaker, of Athens. Deceased was well known to the people of the village, as her intemperate habits were notorious, but she was apparently a healthy woman and her unexpected demise was regarded by many with great surprise. The finding of a bottle of methylated alcohol by her daughter, and the ugly rumors which were soon afloat regarding it and her actions just previous to her death were deemed sufficient to warrant the holding of an inquest. Accordingly Coroner Vaux, of Brockville, was summoned. He responded promptly and shortly after 8 p.m., a jury composed of the following citizens was impaneled before him: A. M. Chassagné, W. B. Deane, Abel Stevens, W. M. Stevens, H. H. Arnold, C. L. Lamb, Wm. Parish, A. Kincaid, Jas. Duggan, S. Boddy, Jos. Thompson, Jas. Ross. Mr. Kincaid having been chosen foreman, the jury retired to view the body and on their return the enquiry was at once opened.

Wm. Langstaff, husband of deceased, was the first witness called. On being sworn, he said: I am the husband of Ellen Langstaff. Last saw her alive about 1 p.m., when she was sick in bed, she had been up and down since 4 p.m., Thursday. She commenced drinking on Monday and kept it up till she died, but was home every night. She was accustomed to drinking heavily, and was always sick after her excess. I found a bottle of poisonous stuff which I think she had been taking. She came down stairs about eleven and was looking for a bottle which she brought home yesterday afternoon. As she started up-stairs she said she couldn't see. I followed her, looked at her eyes, and called in Dr. Harte. Dr. Harte ordered nourishment. She asked for whiskey. I got some and gave her a little in water twice followed by a little milk. Three quarters of an hour afterwards she died. I found a bottle containing methylated spirits in next room behind a trunk; I took the stuff and gave the bottle to Mr. Langstaff. I think she took it of her own free will, don't think she knew it from alcohol. Don't know where she got it. I do not know that she actually drank of it. I know of another bottle of the kind of stuff; it was thrown out of Arza Parish's house yesterday afternoon.

James Hollister, sworn said—Knew deceased for eight or nine years; know that she was in the habit of drinking heavily at times. Last saw her yesterday afternoon at Arden Kilborn's. She came in my hall on Tuesday or Wednesday at 4 p.m., with an empty 8 oz. bottle and wanted me to get whiskey. I refused, my little boy took her to back door of Yates' drug store. She entered and shortly after came out of front door of drug store, entered my hall, and offered me a drink. I refused, said it was not whiskey. She said it was alcohol anyway, tasted it and said that it would kill her. I never tasted or tasted methylated spirits. Don't know what it was. Saw her come out of front door of Yates' drug store. There was no label on the bottle.

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Sheriff Yates, sworn said—I am a druggist. The firm name is R. K. Addison & Co. I am his agent. I am not a licensed pharmacist. I do not sell prescriptions under Dr. Addison. Haven't sold any liquor, excepting alcohol, for last five months. My father helps in store during my absence. Have sold only pure alcohol; never had any methylated spirits in my store since I commenced business. Was in store last Tuesday. To my knowledge Mrs. Langstaff was not there on either last Tuesday or Wednesday. Was in store both days at 4 p.m. I never sold Ellen Langstaff any methylated spirits or alcohol as a beverage. Was in the store yesterday; she did not come in that day, did not see her at

LYN.

MONDAY, Sept. 28.—Another of our old citizens Alex. McCready, passed away last week at the ripe old age of 80 years. Although up in years, he had been in good health until he caught cold at the Lyn and Westport excursion, sitting in the draught of an open car window.

L. McKinnon, who has held the position of head miller here for a number of years, is about to remove to Winchester. In Mr. McKinnon, Lyn loses a good citizen and a good miller.

W. H. McNish, who took a carload of sheep and hogs to Montreal exhibition, reports a good time. He intended taking them to Ottawa, but sold out at Montreal.

Potatoes are a fine crop in this section, very little complaint of rot. If the corn hunk theory is sound, there is a hard winter before us.

Greenbush Honor Roll.

IV. Class, Sr., 609—Nellie Patterson, 646; Helen Dixon, 443.
IV. Class Jr., 500—John Lovrin, 293; Lambert Kerr, 194.
III. Class, Sr., 589—Stella Wilts, 516; Lena Patterson, 459; Luella Johnston, 427; Lawrence Smith, 363.
III. Class, Jr., 250—Walter Fennell, 194; Willie Miller, 188.
II. Class, 290—Lizzie Connell, 199; Bessie Blanchard, 188.
1st Class, Part II, Sr., 160—Hattie Patterson, 150; Bertha Justus, 124; Fred Kerr, 107; Fred Olds, 64.
1st Class, Part II, Jr., 100—Ella Kerr, 81; Leonard McBratney, 74. Average attendance of school, 81.

GLEN BUELL.

Honor roll of Glen Buell public school for the month of September:

IV. Class.—Arlene Stewart, 210; Fred Sturgeon, 186; Mina Perkins, 173; John Westlake, 135.
III. Class.—Willie Hall, 243; Robt. McCormack, 187; Tina Perkins, 180; George Murray, 170.
Jun. III.—Carrie Davis, 270; Gerty Sturgeon, 100.
Sr. II.—Morris Whisley, 380; Leonard Orr, 248.
Jr. II.—Delbert Westlake, 248; Jennie Hall, 285.
Part II. Class.—Fred Howe, 486; John Anderson, 170; Ethel Daub, 125.
Sr. I.—Joy Anderson, 160; Arthur Hayes, 150.
Jun. I.—Levi Howe, 226; Herbie Sturgeon, Dell Daub, 200; Russel Sturgeon, 160; Lewis Westlake, 150; Amelia Perkins, 120.

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NEWBORO.
Received last week.

Considerable consternation prevailed in town last week over the arrest of one of our popular citizens for the crime of horse stealing. The man arrested on the charge, was Willard Lee and not Willard Peor as was at first reported. Mr. Lee being the only man in town, with one exception whose name was "gentleman," the idea that he was in any way characterized by predatory motives, was rejected as preposterous. The law had to take its course, however, and the prisoner was taken to Lombardy by Constable Gorsline. Upon arriving there he soon established his innocence of the charge and swore that he received the alleged stolen horse from one Bullis a renowned horse-trader living in the vicinity of Plum Hollow. Mr. Lee then swore a warrant for the arrest of Bullis and placed it in the hands of Constable Gorsline who soon had him under arrest. He was brought here on Friday night and arraigned before Squire Shaver who is presiding in the law and noted for his assiduity in dealing with refractory individuals. Mr. Bullis apparently thought very lightly of the affair and declared that the horse had been sent to him by Hudson of Lombardy, who wanted him to trade it. Hudson had sent the horse by one Stevens for whom he was now waiting and whose evidence would set him at liberty. While waiting for Stevens Mr. Bullis regaled the court with the few spicy stories which made even the face of His Worship relax a little of its usual sternness. As the hour was getting late and Stevens had not yet put in an appearance Constable Gorsline started out to see if he had yet arrived in town. During his absence a very enthusiastic pianist/pianist was inaugurated in the person of Mr. Geo. Bilton who kept a wary eye upon the prisoner until the return of the chief. In a short time he returned with the information that Stevens had not yet arrived and after a brief consultation it was decided to place the prisoner in the cooler till the next morning. Mr. Bullis, however, did not relish the idea of sleeping on hard boards and made such vehement assertions of his honesty and uprightiness that the Justice relinquished a little of his usual rigidity and allowed him to be taken to a hotel and locked up for the night. The next morning Stevens appeared and swore that he had brought the horse to Bullis but had given him no instructions to dispose of it. Bullis was dismissed after being fined \$5 for disposing of property which did not belong to him. We extend our congratulations to Mr. Lee on having so successfully preserved his hitherto spotless name and are pleased to learn that our village does not contain any such disreputable vagabonds as horse-thieves.

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