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## BAD AFFAIR LAST NIGHT.

### The Sad Ending of William Proud.

#### A ROW WHICH HAD A FATAL TERMINATION.

Several Men Under Arrest—Investigation this Morning.

Today, in this former home at Loyalist Road, lies the body of Wm Proud, the victim of a violent death resulting from a row.

The circumstances connected with the occurrence are so shocking that their recital is almost beyond belief. Yet the facts of the matter are that this young man was journeying home after a visit to town, became engaged in a brawl and in a very short time lost his life.

This deplorable affair happened about seven o'clock last evening. The news of it spread quickly throughout the city, and drew large crowds of excited people to the scene of the tragedy and to the police station whither the body was taken.

As far as can be ascertained, the dead man came to town yesterday with his mother and brother Peter. They attended to several commissions and then William and his brother swapped horses with a truckman belonging to town, named James Carr.

Some time after this transaction the two Proud's and Carr were joined by another man named Rodd and the four proceeded in Rodd's wagon to Spring Park Road.

When near Chestnut street they all got out of the wagon. As far as can be learned they became engaged there in a quarrel with a number of young men who came up with them whose names are Edw. Hughes, John Trainor, George Thorne and Daniel Carroll.

Here a free fight seems to have been engaged in for a few minutes, during which the unfortunate victim was fearfully punished.

During the fracas Proud was struck down upon the street, and was then struck a fearful blow or kicked on the jugular vein, and this fatal blow is supposed to have been the cause of his death.

At any rate he became unconscious and only showed faint signs of life during the short time he lived after the blow was struck.

A doctor was sent for; but the body had been lying quite a while on the street before Dr. Gibson finally arrived and pronounced the unfortunate man to be dead.

His mother, who learned of the death of her son a little while before, came to see the body. The sight of it threw her into hysterics and her condition added to the horror of the affair.

Er. Conroy, Coroner, was immediately notified and a jury was empanelled last night, who after making an examination of the body adjourned till this morning to hold an inquest.

At midnight the police arrested on warrants four men, Hughes, Carroll, Thorne and Trainor, and they were held over at the police station all night.

Proud was known by many in Charlottetown, having been employed for some time in a saloon on Richmond Street.

During the night the body was taken home by two older brothers.

**PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATION.**

At half past ten this morning the preliminary investigation took place before Stipendiary Magistrate in his courtroom.

The prisoners upon entering were formally charged on complaint of Charles Cameron.

The first witness examined was: Thomas Dover (sworn)—examined by the Attorney General. I live on Stewart street, near Spring Park Road. Shortly after I had my tea last night somebody came to my door to speak to me. It was Win Pearson a clerk at W. E. Dawson's. While speaking to him I heard someone shout: "There is a

fight." I went down to the corner, to Spring Park Road, and saw a crowd. There appeared to be no fighting then. I saw a wagon, while I was standing there, come up from the direction of the laundry and turn to go out Spring Park Road. Someone picked up a hat from the street and handed it to one of the men in the wagon. The wagon continued on its way until about opposite Thorne's. Two or three men ran off the sidewalk. Some words passed between them and the men in the carriage, and the men in the carriage got out. I went over there, and then I saw the fight. Deceased, Wm. Proud, was in it. I saw several men strike Proud. George Thorne struck him. John Trainor struck the deceased's brother, Peter Proud. The prisoner Daniel Carroll was there, but I did not see him take any part. Charley Thorne was there also, but I did not see him take an active part. I did not see Peter Hughes. Saw John Hughes, but did not see him strike anyone. I was on one side of the street and Thorne was on the other side when he struck Proud. I would say the blow was delivered some where on the jaw. When Proud received the blow it staggered him. There was a big crowd. I saw another man run over and aim a blow at Proud. A little way off was another crowd beating the brother. I heard someone say, "kick the head off the ———." When I looked back to where the deceased was he had been lifted into the wagon. This was about five minutes after he had been struck by Thorne. I went over to the wagon. Proud was lying over the side of the wagon—sitting on the seat in a helpless way. A young man jumped into the wagon and straightened him up. He was alive at that time. Someone said, "you had better lift the man out and lay him on the grass." This was done. He was stretched out. He was bleeding from the mouth. Someone carried water to him to try to bring him to. His heart was beating strong. He lived about ten minutes after that. I remained there till he died. Of the three in the carriage I recognized the deceased and his brother. There had been I understand, blows delivered before I arrived on the scene, and the blow that Thorne gave was the first delivered. I recognize that man (Edward Hughes). I saw him there last night. He was taking part in the fight. I would not swear he struck anybody.

Leslie Proud, (sworn)—I live on Stewart street. My father John Proud works at the Electric Light. I am going on 18 years old. I saw the row last night from the first till the last.

Geo. Rodd and Peter Proud were outside Thorne's barroom. Rodd was out of the wagon. Peter Proud was sitting in it. Peter got out of the wagon, and was talking to a man on horseback, John Trainor and John Hughes came out of Thorne's and jumped into the wagon while he was talking to the man. Peter says "where are you going with the horse." Says Jack Trainor "I'm going for a drive". Peter says "wait and jumped into the wagon they drove down the street out of town a piece and then Peter turned the horse back Jack Trainor was driving. They came up to Thorne's again and Peter asked Jack Hughes to get out. Hughes got out Jack Trainor stayed in the wagon. Peter wanted Trainor to get out then but he would not. After a while he got out and wanted Peter Proud to get out and fight him. Peter wouldn't get out. Then Wm Proud (deceased) and James Carr came up from Carr's house near the foundry. When they came up Peter got out of wagon to speak to Carroll about something. Jack Trainor hauled off and hit Peter Proud. William Proud squared off and hit Jack Trainor. When Billy hit Trainor, George Thorne hit Billy Proud about the jaw. Billy turned around to hit Thorne and Trainor hit him on the other side of the head. Then Billy Proud jumped into the wagon while the horse was moving and fell, and a hind wheel passed over his chest. He got up himself and jumped into the wagon, then drove down towards Carr's. Peter Proud, George Rodd, and James Carr got in also. They only drove a short distance and then turned back and came opposite Thorne's house. William Proud jumped out and he and Jack Trainor squared off to fight. Ned Hughes hit him a blow somewhere about the wind pipe. Then he fell down right at my feet. Then he got up and got into the wagon without any assistance and leaned over the wheel. I got into the wagon and helped him to get up. Then Mrs. Ross came along with a can of water and bathed his face and nose. William Proud was bleeding. Then they carried him out of the wagon and laid him on the grass. He never came to. I then went down to the corner and did not see any more.

**Local and Other Items.**

**CITY COUNCIL.**—Special meeting tonight.

**EXCURSION.**—The moonlight excursion tonight will be the only affair of the kind this season. The Princess leaves at 8 p. m. Band will be there also. Good music for dancing. All for 25c.

**ISLAND EGGS.**—Prince Edward Island eggs are quoted at 16 to 19c in Montreal; culls at 8 1/2 to 9c. Friday's Star says: "A shipment of about 2,000 cases of P. E. Island eggs is expected to arrive by the steamship Campana and a large quantity has already been contracted for."

**AN AFFLICTED FAMILY.**—The funeral of Willie Mellish, the thirteen year old son of Mr. Charles Mellish, Robinson street, which took place yesterday, witnessed the removal of the ninth child from this family by the visitation of the death angel. Mr. and Mrs. Mellish have the sincere sympathy of their friends in their sad bereavement. Out of a family of ten children but one son remains. The funeral services, which were conducted by the Rev. L. G. MacNeil, were therefore of an unusually sad and impressive nature. Music was provided by the choir of the Presbyterian church, and the pall bearers were Harry Thompson, W. Glendening, Harvey Morton, Donald Gunn, W. Stewart and Blair Munphy. —Moncton Times.

**THE BAPTIST CHURCH.**—Dr. E. E. Chivers, Sec'y of the B. Y. P. U. A. and editor of the Baptist Union, of Chicago, will speak in the Baptist Church, Charlottetown, August 16, at 8 p. m. Being a noted leader in young people's work and a speaker of rare ability, the opportunity of hearing him should not be lost. A general invitation to the public is extended. Arrangements have been made with the railway to return those in attendance for one fare. Secure at the depot of departure a special ticket to the Baptist Young Peoples Meeting. At the meeting on application a certificate will be presented to accompany the special ticket for free return. Tickets issued Tuesday, good for return Wednesday. Members of the B. Y. P. U. will be entertained over night providing they send their names to J. K. Ross, Chairman of Entertainment Committee, not later than Aug. 10th. dw 2i.

**THE BOYER BOAT.**—The steamer Halifax arrived from Boston via intermediate ports about four o'clock this morning, and left on return at the usual time in the afternoon. Her inward passengers were: J. G. Faxon and wife, W. L. P. Boardin and wife, Miss M. Jennings, Capt. Duggan, Geo. Dingwell, Dr. Geo. H. Talbot and wife, Miss Talbot, Addison Cook and wife, Mrs. A. McLaughlin and 2 boys, E. S. Hathaway, T. J. Partridge, E. J. Loughman, Geo. McMillan, H. B. Birch, Mr. Dennis, W. F. Fagall, Mr. McLean, Allen Smith and wife, G. A. McDonald, Dr. F. H. Daniels, Daniel Renton, W. B. Judson, Mr. Howlett, A. C. Birch, Wm. Kelley, Dr. W. F. Kelly, William McDonald, Jr., B. F. Swift, Miss H. Bolus, A. W. McLeod, Mrs. F. do, Miss E. Rice, A. Waits, L. Franklin, E. McRae, C. Nicholson, Miss Eliza Cager, Miss J. and A. Carzer, Mrs. Jas. White, Mary and Louis White, Mrs. Burrows, Miss Mary Walker, Mrs. Geo. E. Bowden. From Halifax: Mrs. A. Ellis and daughter Mrs. Geo. C. Cook, J. A. Leaman and wife, Mrs. McKay, Mr. Veeder and wife, Mr. Tapper, Mrs. Petre and daughter.

**THE INQUEST.**

An inquest was held at 12 o'clock today in the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court room by Coroner Conroy and the following jury: D. Stewart, foreman, Sextus McLellan, Francis Trainor, Frank Horsby, James Stewart, George D. Davinson,

Robert Coffin; Dr. H. D. Johnston, (sworn) testified. Dr. McNeill and I began an autopsy at 11.30 last night and finished about 4 o'clock this morning. We made a thorough examination of the body and found the economic of the windpipe fractured. I attribute the death to the result of the blow severe blow on the neck. A of sufficient force such as that, would cause death. It would need a violent blow to cause the fracture. I should think a man would immediately fall from such a blow. According to our examination death was due to paralysis of the heart and lungs from violence to the nerves governing those organs.

Dr. McNeill, (sworn) said that he agreed with the statements made by Dr. Johnston and attributed the death of William Proud to the effects of the blow that fractured his windpipe and injured the nerves that passed beside it. He thought a blow violent enough to do this could be delivered by a man's fist.

The jury brought in the following verdict:

According to the sworn testimony of Drs. Johnston and McNeill, appointed to hold a post mortem examination on deceased's body, the deceased, William Proud, came to his death in Charlottetown on Monday, the 1st day of August inst., at Lower Spring Park Road, from the effects of a blow on the windpipe; his death being possibly hastened by violence to other parts of his body.

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