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HOUGHTON WAS INSANE

When He Shot Himself on Tuesday Evening.

The inquest in view of the body of Mr. James A. Houghton, was continued at Summerside yesterday afternoon. The witnesses examined were P. T. Fanning, John Carter and John Croke.

Mr. Carter boards at the Campbell House and his evidence did not throw any new light on the sad affair.

P. T. Fanning (sworn).—I saw Houghton yesterday evening about 7.30, at the back door of my shop. I asked him how he was. He said 'I am drunk.' I said that's bad; he replied with a smile, 'I don't think so, I think it's good.' He had his little boy by the hand and sent him kindly upstairs. He seemed all right. I thought he was fooling. I then went to my front door. It was not more than ten minutes afterwards when I heard the shot fired.

John Croke (sworn).—I saw Houghton yesterday about 9 a. m. He was as well then as I ever saw him. He said nothing at that time about a revolver. Later he asked me if I had a revolver. I told him yes, an old one upstairs. I laughed at him for wanting to buy a revolver. He went away and afterwards came back in the forenoon and had one I thought it was a toy. I heard a report out in the kitchen and went out and asked him what this meant. He said he was shooting pigeons. I advised him to put the revolver away. I did not even then think he was drunk. He only fired one shot in the kitchen. I then went to the front room and slept until I heard another report in the smoking room about 7 p. m. My wife began to cry and tried to get the revolver from him and told him to go home. He got up and went away. My wife told Watson Clarke to follow him and try and get the revolver from him as she was afraid he would do harm with it.

The jury returned the following verdict: "That the deceased, in a fit of temporary insanity, on the 31st day of July, with a revolver or pistol inflicted on himself a mortal wound in the head, of which the said James A. Houghton then and there instantly died."

The funeral of Mr. Houghton was held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

CROPS IN NOVA SCOTIA.—Advices from Nova Scotia indicate light crops of hay, potatoes, grain and turnips, but an abundant crop of fruit.

"WHISKEY, YOU'RE THE DEVIL!" says the Irishman, who nevertheless employs it to cast out the uglier devil, a cough or cold; how much more sensible to employ Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam, which never fails. 25c. all druggists.

Dr. H. P. Wright, Dentist at Mt. Stewart, in order to extend the radius of his practice is giving special inducements lasting until September 1st, during which time he will spend a week in each of four places as follows:—July 29th to Aug. 5th, at Morell; Aug. 5th to 12th, at Head of St. Peter's Bay; 12th to 19th at Peake's Station; 19th to 26th at Cardigan Bridge. July 17th.

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THE CLAN GILLEAN

We copy the following notice of the Clan Gillean from The Oban Times of July 21:—

It is with unusual pleasure that we welcome this fine volume, which emanates from the press of a Prince Edward Island publisher. The book is written by Rev. A. MacLean Sinclair, an occasional and valued contributor to the "Oban Times," and deals with the history, genealogy, and family ramifications of the great Clan Gillean, or MacLean. To have accumulated the mass of materials which the writer here presents to us must have required a vast amount of patience, time, research; for printed works must have been ransacked, records, wherever possible, examined and family papers and traditions consulted without stint. The result of Mr. Sinclair's labours is an unqualified success; and the clan to which he has the honor to be attached is to be congratulated upon the acquisition of a record, or Memorial Roll, so clearly and capably set forth.

The disputed point of the chiefship of the Clan MacLean is decided by Mr. Sinclair in favour of Sir Fitzroy MacLean, though, as we are all aware, many people bestowed this position upon the worthy and respected Laird of Lochbuie. Both men are held in high esteem; and it is rather the clan's good fortune to have no honours divided but honours augmented in regard to their chieftainship.

On this head the author affirms that Sir Fitzroy Donald MacLean is the "twenty-first in lineal descent from the founder of the clan, of which he is the worthy and honoured Ceann-Cinnidh." He explains the term thus:—

"A clan includes, first, those who claim descent from a common ancestor, and use the name of that ancestor as their surname. It includes, secondly, all who joined it by adopting its name as their own. There are thus, in all clans, clansmen by descent and clansmen by adoption. At the present day, however, it is, as a general rule, impossible to distinguish the one class from the other.

"The man who stands at the head of a clan and represents the founder of it is known in Gaelic as ceann-cinnidh, the kenkinie, or clan-head. The representative of a branch of a clan is known as a ceann-taighe, the kenue, or house-head. The word ceann-cinnidh is generally rendered into English by the term chief, and the word ceann-taighe by the term chieftain.

"The English word chief is used in two distinct senses in connection with the clans. It is used, first, as the equivalent of the word kenkinie; and, secondly, in the sense of feudal superior, or landlord. In the latter sense Campbell of Bracadubane was chief of the MacLartyres of Glennee; in the former sense he was not; the MacLartyres had a kenkinie of their own."

The book starts with a running synopsis, clearly and interestingly expressed, of the Kings of Scotland, then of the leading clans of Scotland. Chapter II begins with the origin of the Clan Gillean, and thereafter is traced, step by step, the main line and its ramifications down to the present day. The record is so happily set forth that it is hard to tear oneself away from dwelling upon old and honoured names, and the names of those who even now may be living in our midst. To a MacLean the book must be entrancing; there is no dull description; nor is there a mere perfunctory cataloguing of names. It is all living, actual and piquantly set down.

Mr. Sinclair, with the modesty of a fine nature, makes full acknowledgment of the help he has received from various friends in the compiling of his book. The thanks are just and no doubt due. But in how many cases are the brains of a friend or acquaintance picked, and not a word, or it may be only a bare word of thanks flung out for favors received! With no halting pen, but with ready avowal, Mr. MacLean Sinclair speaks of his indebtedness to Sir Fitzroy MacLean, Sir H. A. C. MacLean, London, Mr. Morrison, Antrim; Mr. MacVean, Kilmickeen; Mr. John Johnson, Coll; Mr. James MacLean, Greenock; Professor Magnus MacLean of Glasgow; Mr. Peter MacLean, Secretary, and Mr. John MacLean, of the MacLean Association, and others.

We have left ourselves but little space to deal with the family histories in the work. The truth in every page teems with interest, and it is difficult to point to one family more appreciatively than to another. The chapter on Untraced Families is every whit as good to read as others dealing with a more defined pedigree. No one tears the name MacLean in will be struck with the storehouse of interesting information Mr. Sinclair gives of the Clan Gillean. The book is beautifully printed and designed.

*The Clan Gillean. By the Rev. A. MacLean Sinclair, Glasgow & More, Publishers, Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island.

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Local and Other Items

STRAGGERS COMING.—The Halifax and City of Ghent are due here this evening.

GATHERING OF THE CLANS at Souris Driving Park, August 22nd.

THE PROBS.—Moderate breeze; light west winds; Friday: Light west winds; fine and warm.

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.—Mr. Fred S. Whitaker, recently arrested at St. John's for uttering forged paper, has been committed for trial on the 28th inst.

ST. JOSEPH'S SOBRIETY.—At the meeting of St. Joseph's Sobriety last evening it was decided to hold a bazaar in Charlottetown during exhibition week.

BANK STOCK.—Thirty shares of Mercantile Bank of Prince Edward Island were sold by Mr. Besirto this forenoon. They were purchased by Mr. W. M. Coffin for 160.

DOG TAX.—The names of one hundred defaulters have been handed in to the Clerk of the Police Court, who is preparing summonses. When this batch has been issued another will follow.

POLICE COURT.—Three drunks figured before His Honor this morning, William McDonald was fined \$5 or 30 days, John Flynn, \$4 or 30 days and J. McInnis (a countryman) \$2 or 10 days.

DROPPED DEAD.—Station Agent Dunn, of the I. C. R., at Springhill Junction, died very suddenly on Tuesday morning. He was on his way to the station when he fell and lived but a few minutes. He was 60 years old and leaves a wife and family.

AN EXPENSIVE LUXURY.—The total cost of the recent outbreak of smallpox to the New Brunswick Government was in the vicinity of \$20,000. This is in addition to the cost to the several towns and cities where the disease had to be dealt with.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.—A barn owned by Mr. William Bruce, of Brooklyn, Lot 61, was struck by lightning yesterday morning, and Mr. Alexander Bruce loses two horses which were in the building. Several trees in Cardigan village were also struck by the electric fluid.

ST. DUNSTON'S COLLEGE.—The prospectus for the year 1900-1901 has been received. It contains an interesting sketch of the institution and shows the various subjects taught. Much other information is also afforded. The college re-opens on Thursday, the 9th of September.

SUMMONSES SERVED.—A summons has been served on Joseph Carr, charging him with being drunk, disorderly and fighting. It is returnable on Friday.

A summons charging an infraction of the Liquor Regulation Act has been served on Alice Hawkins. It is returnable on Monday.

COAT STOLEN.—Yesterday afternoon a man named John McGougan, belonging to Daraley, put up his horses at the stable of Mr. B. C. Connolly, Grafton Street, and left his mackintosh in the wagon. A few minutes later when Mr. McGougan returned for his coat it was gone. A lad who was in the stable at the time and collected the stable fee of five cents from McGougan is suspected of taking the coat. The lad, it may be added, was not connected with the stable, but came in from the street.

Montreal Gazette: The signs of an early election are accumulating. Contractors are being invited to bid for the work on another section of the Trent Valley Canal. The sign has been followed for years and always works.

A splendid picture of H. M. S. Crescent forms the frontispiece of the August P. E. I. Magazine. You should have a copy. It's a good number.

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