

THE GEE INQUEST.

Evidence Taken as to the Murder Near Bath, Carleton Co.

Bath, N. B., March 17.—Dr. Cummins, coroner, held the inquest re Millie Gee's death at 3 p. m. today, when the following jurors were empanelled: C. J. Green, L. H. Currie, Robert Squires, Patrick Corbett, Alfred Giberson and Matt. Bohan. F. B. Carvill represented the crown.

The first witness sworn was Ben Gee, who said that Geo. Gee came to his house about 11 p. m. They played cards, talked, and had two bottles of rum. He (George) went out and talked for fifteen minutes with Millie G e, and then they came in again. George said he had something to tell her, and they were out about ten minutes the last time. Millie opened the door to come in, and was stepping in as she fell inside. I heard a rifle report. I was lying on a bed on the floor with my two children. I jumped up to go out. She said, "My God, don't go out, for he intends to shoot you, too."

Peter Gee, sworn, said that George Gee came to his place about 4.30 a. m. and called for Willie Gee, his nephew. George told him he had something to tell him, and said he had shot Millie and wanted him to go up and see how she was. Willie Gee thought he was fooling and he refused to go. Then he asked Peter. George went with him as far as Mrs. Dean's barn and waited until Peter came back. Peter came back where George was, and Bennie came out of the house, which was about 15 rods away, and George asked Bennie to come out on the snow bank. Bennie's answer was "You have killed Millie. If you don't come out, just put your cowardly head out." He had the rifle with him.

Willie Gee, sworn, said George Gee told him about three weeks before that he would shoot Millie, but gave no reason. He said he had "done what I told you I would." He had "shot her through the hips, but was sorry it was not through her heart."

Mrs. John Hall, sworn, said a man came there, whom she afterwards recognized as George Gee, about 4 o'clock a. m. to telephone for doctor and the sheriff. He had the rifle in his hands, but assured Mrs. Hall that he would do her no harm. Said there had been a girl shot and he had shot her.

George W. Tinker, sworn, said George Gee woke him up by rapping at his door about 4 o'clock Sunday morning. He had a rifle with him and was in a great hurry to telephone for Dr. Cummins. He said there was a shooting case and they wanted the doctor at once. He sent him to Mrs. Hall's, telling him that Dr. Cummins' wire was on her line.

Dr. D. W. Ross, sworn, said Dr. Cummins was there when he came at 10 a. m. He found Millie Gee suffering from a bullet wound. The bullet had entered the right side about three inches above the hip, coming out the left side about three inches lower down and nearer the back. He was present when they operated about 6 o'clock. The nerves controlling the muscles of the legs were impaired so that the patient could not move her legs, showing that the spinal column must be affected.

Mrs. Sandy DeMerchant, sister of deceased, sworn, said George Gee came to their place on Sunday morning between 6 and 7, and went right up stairs where her brother Hanford was sleeping. When he came down he had a rifle with him. "I'll build a fire for you. Maybe this is the last one I'll ever build," he said. Asked if he was going away, he said, "Yes, I have shot Millie." "Oh, George, that is awful." He said, "No, it's not."

Hanford, brother of deceased, sworn, said George Gee came and woke him at his sister's house between 6 and 7. George said he had shot Millie, and for him to go and see if she was dead. He had the rifle with him.

After further evidence the jury returned the following verdict:—"We, the jurors empanelled in the case of the King vs. George Gee, find that Millie Gee

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