

THE 5 P.M. EDITION

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

News Paragraphs Picked Up By Reporters On Their Rounds.

When you need a cab 'phone 600. J. W. Oldin & Co., 'phone 515. Dr. Richard Mills is home from New York.

Wiarnton creamery in everybody's mouth. Have a competition for designs for a new city hall dome.

Good rubber tired cab always when you 'phone 600. An excursion from Napanee, comes to Kingston on August 6th.

1,600 lbs. of Wiarnton creamery butter sold last week in Kingston. William Swaine, piano tuner, orders received at McAuley's, 'Phone 778.

"Wild Strawberry Compound." Buy it at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store. Mrs. D. McPhail and daughters, Cayuga, are guests at Tremont Park house.

Judged by the Whig's correspondence today, it is, indeed, "dear" old Quebec. 2,900 lbs. of Wiarnton creamery ordered for this week. Ask your grocer for it.

A. H. Asselstine and wife, are with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Asselstine, Alfred street.

"The thirst quencher." Coca Cola is dispensed at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store fountain.

Rev. H. T. Wallace, Queen's College, preached in St. John's church, Brockville, on Sunday.

H. Cunningham, piano tuner from Chikering's, leave orders at McAuley's book store.

Dean Farthing left for Woodstock, today, to take part in a parish hall opening in his late parish.

Misses Lizzie K. Hughson and Laura M. Mills, have been granted certificates as kindergarten assistants.

Miss Laella Harrison, daughter of Dr. Harrison, Madoc, is Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins's, Princess street, guest this week.

A young lad playing in a punt in Davis' dry dock, fell overboard and was rescued by comrades after going down twice.

"Tanglefoot fly paper." The sticky kind is sold at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store. 'Phone 230.

Dr. E. B. Cays and his little daughter, Helen, Oswego, N.Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Cays, Barrie street.

Mr. and Mrs. Compton, 74 Arch street, returned, Saturday, from Quebec, after visiting Sergt. and Mrs. Underwood.

Miss Geraldine Moore, Bay City, Mich., who has been visiting friends in the city, left, Saturday, to visit friends in Bath.

The spiral tanglefoot fly catcher is sold at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

Captain Fleming, the popular agent of the Seaman's Union, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Whalen, Perth Road.

Mrs. (Rev.) J. E. Mavey and Miss Mavey left Ottawa, to spend the remaining summer at their cottage north of Kingston.

J. H. McConnell and W. W. McConnell, and wife, Scranton, Pa., are visiting their brother, Joseph McConnell, Colander hotel.

W. Hart, Jr., on Saturday, saved three men who had upset from a boat in the harbor, and were struggling hard to get ashore.

Mrs. F. S. Rees has left for Syracuse, N.Y., and Binghamton, N.Y., to visit her sons, also to attend the wedding of her son, Melville.

"Try Snap" removes grease from your hands like magic. Sold at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

B. A. Cays and wife left today for the west, on an extended tour. They will take in Winnipeg, Edmonton, and all other large western cities. They will be absent from the city for some time.

Rev. Dr. Carman, general superintendent of the Methodist church, is negotiating for the purchase of a house in Iroquois with a view to spending the remainder of his days there.

Cabmen's phone, 490. Three young men appeared before the magistrate on Monday morning charged with being drunk and disorderly. They pleaded guilty and were fined \$2 and costs or fifteen days. The fines were paid.

Perth, Ont., April 24th, 1905. CANADA LIFE ASSURANCE CO., Kingston.

Dear Sir,— To-day I am in good humor, because the Canada Life has notified me that it has made a further reduction in its premium. This is what was promised, and is now being performed. When an insurance company does this it is more than can be said of some others, and I am therefore pleased. I have society insurance which does not compare at all favorably with the I hold in the Canada Life. I have an Endowment Policy also in the Canada Life, which has matured and been paid. This was a bonanza, as the profits paid were large and more than satisfactory to me.

Yours truly, D. HOGG. The same contract can be secured to-day at the Office, 18 Market St. J. O. MURFON, Agent.

WILL COST BIG SUM

TO REPAIR DAMAGE TO CITY BUILDINGS.

The Amount May Reach \$20,000.— Chief Saw at the Beginning That It Was Impossible to Save the Dome.

Ten thousand dollars will by no means rebuild the city buildings' dome and repair the other damage done by Friday's fire. It will take at least \$15,000, and the cost may reach the \$20,000 mark when the total is summed up a year hence, for it is not anticipated that the new dome and clock will be completed much before that time.

Steel set in re-inforced concrete is suggested for the new dome. There is every probability that steel will be the chief make-up of the dome that is to be. Some aldermen want a larger dome than the old one, while others point out that the one destroyed by fire was quite large enough. It was designed by an eminent architect and fitted the building to perfection. Many would like to see the old dome reproduced in steel. The question of design will be an important thing for the city council to settle.

Light On Ruined Dome.— Suspended to a pole above the ruins of the city buildings' dome hangs an electric fan as a aid to navigation at night, in place of the illuminated clock dials on the south and west sides, for which the city received a grant of \$364 a year from the Dominion marine department. People wondered why the ruins were illuminated, thinking it was for some weird purpose. Many a vessel has been guided into the harbor by the lights of the city clock dials as beacons. Even mariners who knew the harbor well used them constantly. Friday was the only night for perhaps forty years that a light had appeared from the dome of the city buildings.

The city officials and a few others on Saturday and Sunday went through the ruins of the dome picking out souvenirs of the fire, particularly pieces of the metal of the tower clock bell, which was smashed into pieces and much of it melted. Some of the souvenir-hunters coveted the big letters that marked the four corners of the compass upon the belfry.

By Saturday evening a good part of the burned dome and the charred portions that stood and were unsafe were removed so that a temporary roof could be erected to keep the rain from getting below.

Tactics Of The Fight.— The throngs who watched the progress of the fire outside did not see nor did they know of the fight that was going on inside, just beneath the dome. At that point two streams were being poured upwards to stay the progress of the fire which was getting into the walls and slowly making its way down to the taker's quarters. With the brigade at four o'clock it was not a question of saving the dome, but of saving the buildings, for the fire was surely making its way downward, as a survey of the place shows. Had the fire been fought from the outside alone it would never have been put out. As was pointed out before the building was saved from the inside, and the city buildings' standpipe water supply helped in the work.

After-consideration shows that an outside attack on the fire should have been made from the roof of the market building. Ladders planted on top of this building would have brought a stream or two right up into the dome at a time when it was quite safe for the firemen to have climbed that far. After four o'clock, however, it was too late to undertake this.

An engineer who was present at the fire states that it would have saved much time if the burst section pipe of the McLaughlin engine had been temporarily repaired, instead of sending off for the Merryweather and having to wait till she had steamed up. The section hose, he said, could have been quickly repaired, as he examined it afterwards.

Saturday Night Alarm.— On Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock smoke was noticed coming from the thought from the cupola on the west wing of the city building. It was supposed that some remnants of Friday's fire had ignited the cupola, and if so, the buildings were in danger. An alarm was sent from the police station to the stations, and the brigade was on hand in two minutes. When Caretaker Ballantyne was met just after the alarm had been given, he soon set all fears at rest. On the Ontario street side of the cupola there is a small stone chimney. He had a fire going in the building to get things and the smoke was from this. The chimney could not be seen from the Market place walk. Although the brigade was called out, it was with good intentions. No chances were taken when the smoke was noticed.

Saw There Was No Hope.— Chief Elmer and Assistant Chief Stratford say that when they went up into the dome, after reaching the buildings, and found that it was impossible to get a line of hose up to the clock, inside, they knew the dome was doomed, and that the fight would be to save the buildings. After that the work of the brigade was directed chiefly under the dome inside to fight the fire as it would come gradually down. Fifteen minutes after the alarm was given, they had little thought of the dome being saved. That became an insignificant thing in comparison to the buildings themselves. Below the dome, the fire was fought inch by inch. The blaze had got good headway before the alarm reached the stations. If the men of the lower station had received word a few minutes earlier there might have been a chance of getting up the sliding stairs, although those who were on the spot at the time the blaze broke out say it wouldn't have mattered.

Some After-Discoveries.— A small quantity of the firemen's

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WINDOW SCREENS FROM 20c UP. FIT ANY WINDOW.

W. A. Mitchell, HARDWARE. The British-American Hotel had a very large patronage over Sunday, its register showing an hundred guests from all parts of Canada, the United States and Europe. The old hostelry still maintains a reputation as a first class stopping place. The Kidnap Houseboat Association, headed to deal in houseboats, head office at Kingston, capital \$5,000, has been incorporated. Provisional directors, W. A. Hirsch, W. F. W. Vesey, and J. Miner. Ice cream made from pure cream is dispensed at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store fountain. Tenders received for the big brick chimney at the light plant, which is to be sold, as it is in a very dilapidated condition.

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