

THE 5 P.M. EDITION HEAD CUT SEVERELY

PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest Culled From All Over The World.

A gang of bold thieves is reported to be operating in Elgin county.

Arthur Brook, Listowel, died from the effects of a dose of sulphuric acid, taken by mistake.

A man, supposed to be Norman McGee, Fernie, was cut to pieces by a train near Ridout.

Mrs. Richard Radermacher, Brooklyn, and her two children, were drowned in Jamaica Bay on Tuesday night.

A widespread political conspiracy, including plans to murder Lord Minto and other high officials, has been revealed in India.

A large balloon, with three men, landed about one mile below the G.T.R. steel arch bridge, Niagara Falls, on the American side.

W. E. Phillips, London, succeeds Prof. Hunt, as musical director of Albert College and organist of Bridge street church, Belleville, Ont.

John W. Greener, Buffalo, N.Y., alleged to have been assaulted by John H. Madigan, president of the Niagara Racing Association, died on Tuesday morning.

Keir Hardie, the English labor member of parliament, is in Hamilton. He was met by members of the Trades and Labour Council and the Independent Labour party.

James S. Sherman will deliver his first campaign speech outside of New York state at a meeting under the auspices of the Hamilton Club, at Chicago, on September 28th.

Hardy Bell, chairman of the C.P.R. mechanics' strike committee, denies that the men contemplate an action against the railway management for violation of the alien labor law.

The Countess of Szecheny, who was Miss Gladys Vanderbilt is seriously ill, at Vienna. An infant, not expected for more than two months, was prematurely born on Tuesday.

The Canadian steamer Neepawa, has arrived at Detroit, in tow of the big tug Ottawa of the Reid Sarnia line and was taken to Great Lakes Engineering plant where she will be docked.

The explosion of a cylinder of oxygen at the plant of the United Oxygen and Chemical company, Niagara Falls, N.Y., on Tuesday, killed John Clifford and completely wrecked the building.

The Ottawa and New York railway station, at Cristler, was burned, on Tuesday, and \$2,000 damage done.

The wires are down and no details are known, save that the agent and his family escaped.

Mistaken for a racoon, Daniel West, Mount Denis, north-west of West Toronto, received a full charge of shot in the eyes, face and neck from a twelve bore shot gun in the hands of Thomas Armstrong.

William Rosen, Syracuse, N.Y., has sued Jacob Swartz, asking \$2,000 for slander. Both men dead in junk, and on one occasion, Mr. Rosen claims, Mr. Swartz gave him a line of talk which was worse than junk.

An appeal for public contributions to relieve suffering caused by recent floods in Georgia and North and South Carolina, is issued by the New York state branch of the American National Red Cross Society.

After running down and almost instantly killing eighteen-month-old Antonia Falcone under the wheels of his truck at West Laurel and Fulton streets, Syracuse, N.Y., on Monday, an unknown cartman made good his escape.

At Fenelon Falls, Ont., two Detroit youths are in custody, charged with stabbing two Fenelon Falls young men, S. Nicholas and J. Barry, the result of a fight which took place while the Detroiters were out walking with a couple of girls.

A fatal accident happened to John Miller, in the Ottawa G.T.R. yards, on Tuesday morning. The man was a foreman and while inspecting a train of cars and was run over, for skull was fractured and both feet cut off.

At Manzanilla, in a street duel, on Sunday night, which was the outcome of a political quarrel, Manuel Elias, editor of the Conservative El Vigilante, was shot and killed by Manuel Estrada, editor of the liberal paper, El Reporter, and also liberal candidate for congressman.

SUING FOR DIVORCE.

Eight Two Cent Stamps Was On Support.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 1.—Mrs. Sadie A. Stewart, of No. 585 Twelfth street, is seeking a divorce from John G. Stewart, with whom she has lived thirty-six years. The woman told Judge Brooke that she had received no support from her husband for several years and had provided for herself by giving music and painting lessons, keeping boarders and selling pianos and real estate.

She said her husband had ill-treated her and had only given her eight two-cent postage stamps in several years.

A COMING EVENT.

Bryan's Son to Wed a Milwaukee Girl.

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 1.—The marriage engagement of Miss Helen Berger, daughter of Alexander Berger, a prominent miller and Board of Trade man of this city, and William Jennings Bryan, jr., son of the democratic presidential candidate, is admitted by Mr. Berger, returned from a business trip to Colorado and Nebraska. Miss Berger and her mother are at present visiting friends in Lincoln, Neb. It is said the wedding may not take place for about a year or longer.

Tigers To Be Arrested.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 1.—Warrants were issued in the police court against Manager Hugh Jennings, of the Detroit American League baseball club and the ten members of the team who participated in Sunday's game at Bennett Park, with Cleveland, charged with playing baseball on Sunday, contrary to the law. The case is being instituted as a test.

Thursday, September 3rd.

Steamer America tours the Thousand Islands, 2.30 p.m. Home early.

MRS. E. H. ASSELSTINE RECEIVED A BAD FALL

While Walking in Portsmouth—She Tripped and Fell on the Sidewalk—A Big Cut on the Head Resulted.

About ten o'clock on Tuesday morning Mrs. E. H. Asselstine, Portsmouth, was the victim of a very painful accident and as a result is now lying at the general hospital in a serious condition. Mrs. Asselstine was walking down the street in the village when she missed her footing and fell head on to the ground, striking her head on the edge of the board walk. She was rendered unconscious by the force of the blow. Persons who witnessed the accident at once hurried to the scene and raised the unfortunate woman from the walk. The blood was running freely from a deep wound in her scalp and it was thought better to remove her to the hospital. James Reid's ambulance was summoned and the patient was brought to the city.

Upon examination it was found that a terrible scalp wound had been inflicted, fifteen stitches being required to draw the flesh together. Other bruises were found on her arms, and shoulders but none were very serious except the one on the head. At two o'clock Mrs. Asselstine was resting easily. This is the second bad fall which has caused serious results that Mrs. Asselstine has suffered in a very short time. Only a few months ago she fell down the cellar stairs in her home and fractured four of her ribs and received other injuries that took some time to heal. Her many friends in the village are in the city, very sorry to hear of her injury and hope to see her around again soon.

MUST OBEY THE COURT.

Summonses Issued Must Not Be Ignored.

Summonses issued for attendance at police court, must not be ignored, and they are, trouble is sure to follow. A well known citizen who was wanted to give evidence at the police court this morning, found this out to his sorrow, when he was placed under arrest and locked up in a cell. Disobeying court summonses is a very serious matter. The case had to be postponed just because this witness was not on hand to give evidence. After the court adjourned, Magistrate Farrell issued a warrant, and Constables Bateson and Timmerman were not very long in rounding up the offender.

In the police court yesterday, there was a similar case. A citizen was summoned, charged with a violation of a city by-law. He failed to answer to his name, and he was attended by his excuse was that he understood that Wednesday was the day set for the trial. To-day's offender made the excuse that his wife was ill, and that he could not attend. However, he gave the court no intimation of this. The best way in all cases is to obey the court, and then there will be no trouble. Some people have a great dislike for police court proceedings, and do not like the idea of going into the court, but the law must be obeyed.

RE-OPENING OF SCHOOLS.

Scholars Back at Their Studies Again.

The Collegiate Institute and public schools re-opened this morning, and the scholars are back at their studies for another term. The schools are reported to be very large at all the schools. School children found it rather hard to turn out for school this morning, after a two months' vacation. Books placed away on the shelf had to be pulled out and looked up. There was a great stir in some of the homes early this morning, when preparations were made for school. Two members of the teaching staff, Miss McLeod of Central school, and Miss Chown, of the Collegiate staff, did not report for their classes. Miss Chown is away in the North-West, and report says that she will not return to the city for two months. The board of education will have to furnish a teacher to fill her place. Miss McLeod is expected to report shortly.

Baseball On Tuesday.

Eastern League—Baltimore, 5; Montreal, 1; Buffalo, 3; Providence, 0. Jersey City, 7; Rochester, 2-1. American League—Boston, 7; Washington, 3; Philadelphia, 1-2; New York, 0-1; St. Louis, 4; Chicago, 7; Detroit, 3. National League—Chicago, 2; St. Louis, 0; Pittsburg, 5; Cincinnati, 0.

Unsettled Weather.

During September the earth passes through its autumnal equinox, and Prof. H. H. Hinks warns us that this particular season will be attended by the usual equinoctial storms. Unsettled weather will be general and electric storms will be experienced.

Two More Trips.

The steamer America brought a large number of passengers from Alexandria Bay and intermediate points to-day. Only two more excursions will be run from river points to the city this season.

Inland Revenue Collections.

Collections on account of excise Inland Revenue, division of Kingston, for August: Spirits, \$5,422.50; malt, \$981; tobacco and cigars, \$2,852.48; vinegar, \$405.04; other collections, \$27. Total collections, \$9,708.02.

Peaches And Plums.

Ten cents a basket taken of price of all baskets that we carry over-night. Come early in the morning for bargains at Carovsky's.

Via The Narrow Channels.

Thursday, steamer America tours the Thousand Islands, 2.30 p.m. 50c.

Customs Import Duties.

The local customs import duties for August amounted to \$11,104.93.

"Thermos bottles" keep hot liquids hot, or cold liquids cold. Quart size only \$5.50, at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store, Phone 230.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements Of The People—What They Are Saying—And Doing.

Mrs. E. Moore is visiting her son at Ingersoll.

Rev. Father McWilliams is visiting in Toronto.

Miss Katie Doyle returned from Montreal, to-day.

Miss Eva McCluskey, Chesterville, is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Davison is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Chamberlain, Ottawa.

"Con" Millan arrived home from Rochester to-day after visiting friends.

William Roberts, Division street, is spending the Toronto fair, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sutherland are spending a few days at Alexandria Bay.

Mrs. Frederick Reid, Earl street, is visiting her friends at Gananoque to-day.

Charles Visger, left, via the steamer Kingston for Toronto, on his way to the Cobalt.

Mrs. Leight, daughter and son, visiting in the city, have returned home to Buffalo.

Canon Groat was in Lyn, on Sunday, taking duty for Rev. T. Austin-Smith, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pickering, Sr., and Mrs. Charles Pickering are visiting at Kaladar.

Mrs. Percy Murray, Ottawa, is visiting her mother, Mrs. William Newlands, Bagot street.

W. Donaldson, of Portsmouth, went to Amherst Island, to-day, to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. Thomas Bentley, Hamilton, and her youngest daughter, are spending their vacation in Kingston.

G. R. Shibley, M.A., Ottawa, is in the city, spending his vacation, with his parents on Albert street.

Mrs. E. Booth, Alfred street, left for New York, after a very pleasant vacation with his family at Stella.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Maxam, Orchard street, left this morning for Toronto to spend the next fortnight.

Mrs. E. Booth, Alfred street, and Mrs. G. Booth, William street, left for Toronto, yesterday, to spend a week.

S. S. Dennison, Portsmouth, left, Tuesday morning, on a two weeks' visit to friends in Toronto and Ingersoll.

Lawrence Cameron, agent at Parham is filling the place of John Welch, ticket agent, K. & P. station, while the latter is at camp.

Miss J. Besh and niece, Misses Cora and Margaret Helgmann, are left for Toronto, to-day, after visiting friends in the city for a month.

Prof. Cecil Lavell is addressing the Teachers' Association at St. Thomas. To-night he gives an illustrated lecture on "Venice And Her Great Artists."

Dr. and Mrs. Knox and Dr. C. W. Dickson have returned from a pleasant outing at Roche-Fundo camp, near Ottawa, with Dr. Knox's brother, H. Knox.

Miss May Harris, Cherry street, has returned home after a pleasant visit to her brother, W. J. Harris, of Geneva, N.Y., also friends in Syracuse and Rochester, N.Y.

William Allen, of New Island, underwent a most successful operation at the Hotel Dieu, and it is expected that he will be able to return home at the end of the week.

Miss M. E. Newman, district nurse, Leicester, Mass., Elton Wheeler, Worcester, Mass., visiting H. W. Newman, 271 King street west, returned home, to-day, via Cape Vincent.

The funeral of the late Miss Jane Ferns, who died on Monday morning, will be held at the residence, on her late residence, 239 Brock street. Funeral services were conducted at St. George's cathedral by Canon Starr.

Injured By Dynamite.

Cornwall, Ont., Sept. 1.—Alexander Adams, son of John Adams, of Cornwall, has arrived in a badly battered condition from Nominique, Que., where he was badly injured in a dynamite explosion last Friday. His face is badly burned. The accident came about through a premature explosion on Chisholm & McLennan's contract on the C.P.R., about fifteen miles from Nominique. Alfred Gerrard, of Lachute, was blown to pieces. He leaves a widow and family. Samuel Levesque, a negro, from Boston, Mass., was badly hurt, and was taken to Notre Dame Hospital, Montreal. James Simonds, of Osbawa, was in the party, but escaped unhurt.

Local Victorian Nursing.

Miss Blanche M. Hulse, local Victorian nurse, reports that during August she attended nineteen cases, of which six were Methodists, five Roman Catholics, five Anglican, one Presbyterian, one Baptist and one Salvationist. She made about 217 visits, an average of seven a day. The nurse reports that there was quite a lot of sickness during August. She acknowledges flowers from Mrs. J. B. Walkem and drugs from the general hospital. A second nurse could easily be engaged, as there is much work to be done, but at present the finances of the local branch of the Victorian order are scarcely sufficient to pay two nurses.

Flowers On The Casket.

The casket, containing the remains of the late Miss Ferns, was covered with flowers from dear friends. There were cut flowers from Miss Spangenberg, Mrs. F. Stranget, Mrs. Campbell Stranget, Mrs. Norton-Taylor, Mrs. (Knox) Grout and St. George's cathedral, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Robertson, Mrs. Moore, head of stocks; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lowcombe, wreath of white asters; Miss Grier, sheaf pink and white asters; Miss Edith Pense, spray pink and white roses.

Auto Races At The Bijou.

The world's famous automobile races recently held at Blopp, France, will be shown at the Bijou, Wednesday and Thursday. Last year's races, shown at the Bijou will be remembered as one of the most sensational films ever seen in Kingston.

A report was circulated in the city, to-day, that a young man, employed in a bank in a northern town, had gone away with \$1,500. The story could not be confirmed up to the hour of going to press.

A wise man doesn't lie—neither does he tell all the fourth he knows. There is no cure prescribed in the doctor books for a mean disposition.

WAS INSTANTLY KILLED

BOOK-KEEPER FELL FROM A HIGH WINDOW.

And Struck The Ground With Awful Impact—He Was a West Indian—The Succession Duties For August.

Toronto, Sept. 1.—Hugh Demercoo, a West Indian, aged twenty-five, fell from a window in the Empire building shortly before noon, to-day, and was instantly killed. He was employed by Stewart & Mortimer, manufacturers' agents, as a bookkeeper. He was looking out of a window over a lane and either lost his balance or became faint. A fellow-employee, C. J. Fine, saw him fall and tried to catch his feet, but was too late. Demercoo was instantly killed and the body badly shattered by the heavy impact after the long fall. In the month of August, succession duties received by the provincial government totalled \$275,805, including \$142,981 from the Hendrie estate and \$106,242 from the Dymott estate. In the first seven months of the year the aggregate of succession duties totalled \$950,000, as compared with \$733,000 in the same period last year.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Prices Furnished By J. P. Bickell & Co., (per W. Hector H. Hume).

Table with columns: Stocks, Opening, Close. Includes Amalgamated Copper, Amer. Loco. Co., Am. Sugar Refin. Co., etc.

CHICAGO PRICES.

Table with columns: Wheat, Opening, Close. Includes December, May, Corn, etc.

Crop Outlook.

Broomball cables that wet weather continues throughout the United Kingdom and consequently retards harvesting. A cable from France, early to-day, states that there is still much uncertainty regarding the size of crop. Rains interfering with harvesting in northern districts of Germany. Roumania reports movement of new wheat fairly liberal, and indications point to a continuance of same. Russia reports latest estimates indicate that exportable wheat surplus likely equal that of last year. Prospects for corn are most favorable but crop is late. Denmark reports some complaints being made regarding crop outlook. September wheat is quoted at 97c. in Chicago.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newsy Paragraphs Picked Up By Reporters On Their Rounds.

Ask to see Thermos bottles at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store, or phone 230. It is worth a hard cold to some girls to have people know they have a pretty short sleeve and low neck shirtwaist. The steamyacht Castanet brought about 150 passengers from Alexandria Bay and intermediate points to-day. Michael Hogan, the man summoned to appear to-day as a witness in the hide case, was taken in charge by P. C. Timmerman and brought to the station. He will be in safe keeping until the case comes up for trial. "Benson and Heiges" tobacco and cigarettes are sold in Kingston at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store. Phone 230. A drunken man came near being run over by the depot car this morning at the corner of Queen and Bagot streets. The car was coming at a fairly good rate of speed when the drunk deliberately walked in front of it. Only the prompt action of the motor man in stopping the car saved the man's life. "Keeps contents cold for three days." Thermos bottles. Quart size, \$5.50, at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store. Phone 230.

Removed To Prison.

Two prisoners were to-day removed from the county jail to Central Prison to serve their sentence of six months. Raymond Smith, the young man sentenced by Magistrate Farrell for being a frequenter of a disorderly house, and Thomas Ewart, sentenced by Col. Hunter to six months for assault, were the two men removed.

New Turnkey Appointed.

Bertram Patterson, Harrowsmith, the newly appointed turnkey at the county jail, arrived on Tuesday to commence his duties. He had his first job when, in company with Col. Hunter, he removed two prisoners to the outer station on their way to Toronto to serve terms in Central Prison.

"Nary a bright woman for success and a pretty one for happiness." observes a student of human nature. And be a bigamist? Not us!

Wools! Wools! Wools! JUST ARRIVED. All our New Wools have arrived, and the stock is now complete, and the best time to get any shade or kind you want. We barely quote a few shades: Single Berlin Wool, Double Berlin Wool, Shetland Wool, Baldwin's Beehive Wool, Andalusian Wool, Baldwin's Three Ply Beehive Wool, Shetland Floss, Laidlaw's Unbreakable Yarn.

Single Berlin Wool In White, Black, Cardinal, Blue, Green, Pink, Grey and Yellow.

Double Berlin Wool In White, Black, Grey, Green, Red, Yellow and Brown.

Shetland Wool In shades Blue, Grey, White, Pink, Yellow, Brown and Black.

Baldwin's Beehive Wool In shades Cardinal, Grey, Light and Dark Blue, Black and White; all four ply.

Andalusian Wool In shades White, Black, Blue and Cardinal.

Baldwin's Three Ply Beehive Wool In shades White, Black, Blue and Cardinal.

Shetland Floss In many pretty shades White, Blue, Pink, Mauve and Pearl Grey.

Laidlaw's Unbreakable Yarn The best make of Fingering Yarn for Children's Hosiery. Every skein labeled in shades White, Black, Grey and Cardinal.

John Laidlaw & Son

BARGAIN TABLES FOR BOYS' BOOTS. 1 Table Little Boys' Box Calf Blucher Cut Boots, sizes 8 to 10, now \$1.10. 1 Table Boys' Box Calf Blucher Cut Boots, size 1 to 5, now \$1.50. 1 Table Boys' Buff and Box Calf Boots, regular price, some as high as \$2.00, size 1 to 5, now \$1.25. 1 Table Boys' Buff Heavier Shoes, splendid value, sizes 2 to 5, now \$1.00. The Lockett Shoe Store. Special New Lot of Trunks just received. Low prices.

SHOW ROOMS, 107 PRINCESS ST. Order and Manufacturing Departments, 149-155 Brock St. John McKay Fur House, KINGSTON.

Solid Silver For The Brides. Our stock of Solid Silver is the largest in the city and recent shipments have added materially to it. We make every effort to please our patrons and anything desired not on hand, can be supplied quickly.

Spangenberg JEWELLER. Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

Gillett Razor Blades Sharpened and Made As good as new for 25c. Package. Special attention paid to Safety Razors of all kinds.

W. A. Mitchell, HARDWARE. A HINT TO SHAVERS. We are now selling a Safety Razor which is fully guaranteed, FOR 25 CENTS. Get one and try it. A. STRACHAN.

SAVED ROYALTY. Who Were Thrown Under An Automobile. Berlin, Sept. 1.—Particulars of an automobile accident to Crown Prince Friedrich Wilhelm and the Crown Princess, during their visit to Metz, have just leaked out. A hay cart forced the prince's motor to a ditch, where it turned over. The occupants of the car suffered no injury, but were unable to get from under the machine until peasants came to their assistance. The crown prince handed over a sum of money for the benefit of the poor of that section.

Chance Of Recovery. Hamilton, Ont., Sept. 1.—The doctors say that John Southon, who, with five others, was burned at the steel plant, yesterday afternoon, when a mighty cauldron burst, dropping ten tons of molten metal to the floor, has a fighting chance of recovery. The officials of the company cannot understand how the accident occurred. They say there was no water in the bottom of the cauldron at the time.

For A Delightful Sail. Take the steamer America's tour of the Thousand Islands, Thursday, 2.30 p.m. Supper on board. 50c.

"For the soldiers in camp." Blanko, pipe clay, button brushes, chamouis, and ammonia. Sold in Kingston at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store. Phone 230.

H. H. Melville, an American capitalist, had the misfortune to meet with a carriage accident on Sunday, in Quebec, and had one of his arms broken. "Keeps contents hot for twenty-four hours." Thermos bottles. Quart size only \$5.50, at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.