

HEAVY LOSS AT SOO.

POWER PLANT, PAPER MILL AND
STOREROOM DAMAGED.Two Lives Lost in Fire—Mr. Gray
Jumps Into Tailrace—Mr. A. E.
Walsh Probably Shocked by Live
Wire While Fighting the Fire.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., May 18.—Another disastrous fire, affecting the tributary works of the Lake Superior Corporation, took place early this morning, causing a financial loss of at least \$50,000, and causing the death of two employees of the Tacona Water & Light company, who were on duty at the plant when the fire started. The loss of the concern is fully covered by insurance, but this morning the officials of the company could make no statement as to the cause of the fire, as to what the loss would be, although practically the official statement places the damage at the amount stated.

Those who suffered death at the fire are Albert E. Walsh, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Walsh, Albert street, and Eddie Gray, who resided with his parents on Huron street. These men are about twenty-four years of age and occupied positions of trust with the concern. Walsh was a dynamo tender and Gray his assistant.

The plants placed out of commission as a result of the fire are the Lake Superior Company's power plant, the paper mill department, the Sault Ste. Marie Pulp & Paper Company's store room.

It is believed the direct cause of the fire will never be known, as the only men who were in the room at the time are dead. According to the statement by those who knew the workings of the dynamo room, the fire might have started from a short circuit on a dynamo, but the officials will not make any statement.

It is supposed that trouble on the dynamo took place about 4 o'clock. The men in charge made every attempt to check the course of the fire, and in doing so Walsh climbed upon the machinery and came in contact with a live wire, ending his life. Gray, it is supposed, continued his work on the fire, or attempted to reach the stairs at the head of the northern tailrace, he plunged into the water, followed closely by those who had given him relief. He was never seen to rise above the surface, and to-day his body is being searched for in the tailrace.

The body of Walsh was found in the ruins near the pump at noon to-day, badly charred and almost beyond recognition.

At the time Gray jumped into the tailrace the water was running at full speed, the power not having been shut off, and as the water is very swift, it is a question as to when the body will be discovered.

As a result of the fire the Soo will be placed at no small inconvenience during the next few days. The question of water was easily settled, as the company connected with the steam auxiliary plant and renewed the water service at 9 a. m.

The street railway service is out of commission, but will be operated from the Steel Company's auxiliary power plant. The Soo will be forced to put up with a limited light service until tomorrow night. The company is bringing in dynamos from the Michigan Soo in an endeavor to continue the lighting tomorrow night. The service will not be in operation within 34 hours at the earliest.

This morning the officials would make no statement as to the rebuilding of the works, but the impression is that activities could not be long delayed, and that as soon as the ruins cool down sufficiently a staff of men will be set at work preparing for the erection of a structure far in advance of the one destroyed. Up to the present time the walls of the building are intact, but the south tower and wall are in a tottering condition and may fall at any time.

Treated in Aberdeen Infirmary.

Mrs. James Alexander, of Pleasant Grove, Utah, U. S. A., writes: I had Asthma in its worst form, and had the best medical skill obtainable, and was treated also at the Royal Infirmary in the city of Aberdeen. But I obtained little relief. It was difficult to take my exercise without bringing on violent coughing. In 1888 I came to this country, but the Asthma still clung to me, and for the past thirty years I have scarcely ever been free from it. I read about Catarrhose. It was just what I needed all these years, and has given me better health than I have had since a girl. Catarrhose is a perfect cure. I have never had a single attack of Asthma since cured by Catarrhose.

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A RUNAWAY AUTOMOBILE.

An Exciting Incident on the Kingston Road.

Toronto, May 19.—An automobile belonging to Mr. J. Curry, 95 St. George street, and which got beyond the control of the driver, Fred Ryckman, crashed into one of the poles of the Toronto & York Radial Railway with such force about 2:30 yesterday afternoon that the pole, although fourteen inches in diameter, was cut in two as if severed with a sharp axe. With Ryckman in the motor was Bernard Whitney, a repair man of the Dominion Automobile Company, who was directing a test run, when the steering gear suddenly got out of order, and it was impossible either to steer the car or slow down.

They were some two miles from West Hill, and when the driver saw their lives were being endangered they jumped from the swiftly moving auto and were just in time to escape injury in the terrible collision which followed.

If They Don't Move.

The boy or girl who does not move and thereby stimulate the muscles and all the organs and all the machinery of the body does not grow healthy. What more healthful exercise can we find, let me ask, than that of spinning up and down on the wheel. Willis P. King, M. D., Surgeon Pacific Railroad System, President American Animal Therapy Association, Kansas City, Mo.

Sale of Mixed Paints.

To make room for our increasing drug business, we will close out our mixed paints at the following reduced prices: 1-lb. tins 9c; 2-lb. 18c; quarts, 32c; 1/2 gallon, 63c; 1 gallon, \$1.25. Best quality lead paints. Also paint brushes, turpentine, oils, varnishes, etc. Terrie's drug store, 32 James street north.



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No. 5789. Ladies' Shirtwaist. Cut to sizes 32 to 42 inches bust measure. Will require 2 1/2 yards of 44-inch material. A costume of this kind can be prettily developed in any of the cotton or lightweight woolen fabrics. As shown in the sketch, natural colored linen was used. The sleeves may be full length or short, finished by turned-back cuffs.

No. 6158. Ladies' Nine-Gored Kilt Skirt. Sizes from 20 to 30 inches waist measure. Requires 6 1/2 yards of 44-inch material. The pleats are stitched to deep yoke depth, an dthe pattern provides for either short, round or instep length.

This illustration calls for two separate patterns for a shirtwaist and skirt, which will be mailed to any address on the receipt of 10 cents for each, in silver or stamps.

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We find that he to-day possesses;
He's builded on a lofty plan,
He's made all sorts of great successes.
A man that everybody knows
Above all others to be true;
At least that is the way it goes,
In every nominating speech.

A man of lofty purpose and
Self-sacrificing, in extreme;
A man who never turned his hand
To any mean or doubtful scheme;
Whose life is open all the years
That he has lived within our reach;
A modern saint—he now appears,
In every nominating speech.

A loving father, gentle, kind,
A loyal and faithful friend;
With noble purposes of mind,
A man on whom we can depend.
A man who spurs the lagging crowd,
With actions only does he preach;
The perfect man is he, we're told,
In every nominating speech.

Al, should I die to-night, I ask
No eulogy, no printed word;
When death has closed my earthly task,
Let not a song of praise be heard.
But when I kneel before the throne
Of Him, who wisely judges each;
May someone make my virtues known
With just a nominating speech.

Great Assistance.

Loafin' Round—Yes, a bit. I got out of the way of the fire engine.

Setting.

I cannot find my shaving mug,
Somehow it's disappeared;
I don't know where my razors are,
So I must grow a beard.

My pipe are packed away somewhere,
And this is my regret.
My pipe are packed away somewhere,
For we're not settled yet.

Somewhere about the house there are
Clean shirts for me, but then,
It now appears 'twill be a week
Ere I see them again.

And oh, it grieves me much to think
That Nellie should forget
Just where she packed my suit away—
For we're not settled yet.

Some day perhaps I'll get my own—
My smoking jacket, brown;
My slippers, my tobacco jar,
And I may sit me down

In perfect peace once more to rest,
With not a thought to fret;
But it will be a month or more
Before we're settled yet.

Disillusionizing.

The beautiful maiden lifted her head
For a moment from his stalwart breast.
"Edgar," she whispered, "tell me, do I
not hear the passionate throbbing of
your heart?"

The sensitive youth turned color and
bit his lip.
"No, beloved, not exactly," he faltered.
"The fact is since that smash-up
in Aeroplane, I have been forced to carry
temporarily one of those 98-cent
watches."—June Young's Magazine.

Fifty Years Hence.

"We have no drinkers in these days."
"No."
"Now my grandfather was good for
six orange phosphates."—Louisville
Courier-Journal.

Linguistic Consistency.

"I suppose I really ought to wear
glasses. My eyesight is very poor."
"Your ear hearing is all right, though,
isn't it?"—Chicago Tribune.

Very Sarcastic.

"Lady," said Meandering Mike, "I
don't blame dat dog of yours for tryin'
to bite me."
"Why not?"
"Because it shows its intelligence. De
last time I came dis way I handed him
a piece of pie you gave me."—Washington
Star.

Those Resourceful Wives.

"I am told that your husband plays
billiards every night at the clubs—plays
for money, too," said the anxious mother
to her newly-married daughter.
"That's all right, mother," cheerfully
responded the young wife. "He gives me
all his winnings."
"What? Do you?"
"And he always plays with Mr. Next-door."

Dark and Dank.

"Well, I know," doubtfully said Farmer
Hornbeak, relative to the proposal of
his nephew, a recent graduate from
an agricultural college. "Mebbe I does
money in cultivatin' mushrooms, but
where could we plant 'em? They require
a damp, dark, dank place to grow in,
don't they?"

"Yes," was the reply. "And I'll tell
you what, Uncle Ezra, we'll raise them
in the parlor."—Puck.

Improving.

Father—It's only fair to tell you that
I'm pleased with your economy this term.
Your requests for money were too frequent
last term.

Son—Yes, father—I thought so, too!
so this term I've had everything charged.

His Title.

The shade became so intolerable that
Satan had to rebuke him.
"You swell round here as if you owned
the place!" quoth the father of lies,
severely.

"Certainly," replied the shade. "Why
not? My wife told me to before we
had been married six months."

"Your wife?"
"Yes, sir; my wife; and if you don't
think it was hers to give, she'll happen
along herself, one of these days, and
you two can argue it out between your-
selves."—Puck.

Health of Ontario.

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total number of deaths from all causes
was 2,323 in an estimated population of
2,125,000, or a death rate of 14.2 in
1,000.

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AND THE FOUNTAIN BLEW UP.

Denver, Col.—When Dr. Sam Rothe-
child struck a match to light a cigar,
in front of a public drinking fountain,
there was a terrific explosion. Frag-
ments of the fountain mangled his leg,
almost stripped a woman of her clothes,
and upset a bicyclist, whose machine
was wrecked. Gas from a street main
had leaked into the fountain and was
pouring from a faucet when the doctor
struck the match.

This is almost as remarkable as the
experience of Mr. James Dingwall, of
Williamstown, Ont. All his life, he had
suffered from constipation. "And the
only medicine I ever secured to do me
any real good was 'Fruit-atives,'" he
writes. "I am now over eighty years
of age, and I strongly recommend
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sweeten the stomach and regulate the
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ATTACKS GIRL.

Mob Threatens Lynching After
Assault.

Lyons, May 19.—Antonio Carlos, an
Italian 30 years old, was arrested at
6 o'clock this evening, after a chase of
over a mile, and landed in the Wayne
County Jail by Sheriff Jerry Collins
charged with attempted criminal assault
upon Marion Ormsbee, a twelve-year-old
girl. The girl, with Virginia Martin, a
younger girl, were picking flowers on the
outskirts of the rural cemetery last
evening about 5 o'clock. They passed
Carlos near the cemetery. He sneaked
up behind the bushes and jumped out
at the girls, grabbing the Ormsbee girl
in his arms and biting her on both
cheeks.

The girl's screams attracted Sylvanus
N. Bailey, jun., who was working in the
cemetery, came running up.

Carlos had the girl in his arms,
knocking him down. He jumped up,
got away from Bailey and ran down
back over the cemetery, crossing the
Pigmyport Road and running up the
Hoofst Hill, pursued by Bailey. The
latter met Walter Schaeffer and the
two pursued the Italian, chasing him
up over the hill, then back toward the
Erie Canal.

Meanwhile noise of the assault reached
the village, and four messages were
sent to the police. Officer Harris hit
the trail, and Sheriff Collins, with his
son, started out. Carlos was chased to
the Erie Canal, where he attempted to
jump in. Schaeffer hit him over the
head with a club, and Sheriff Collins
took him to jail in a rig. There was
a great uproar, half of the town being
out. There were threats of lynching,
but Sheriff Collins moved too fast.

Carlos was thoroughly played out from
his long chase. He is still and refuses
to say anything. No one about here
knows the man. The assaulted girl is
prostrate.

To cure a cold in one night—use Vapo-
Cresoline. It has been used extensively for
more than twenty-four years. All drug-
stores.

SHOT BY ADMIRER.

Young Woman Starts Journey With
Three Bullets in Arm.

Jamestown, May 19.—On the arrival
of an Erie passenger train in this city
at 11 o'clock this morning a hand-
some young woman, Miss Violet Mar-
cey, of Greenville, Pa., left the train and
went to the W. C. A. hospital, where
physicians who examined her found that
she had been shot and succeeded in re-
moving three bullets from her left arm.

The wounds were quite serious. Miss
Marcey said that she was shot by Louis
Thomas, a young man of Greenville,
after he left her home to take the
train on a journey she had planned to
Buffalo. Thomas, who had an attach-
ment for Miss Marcey, objected to
her going away. She thought her in-
juries were not serious and instead of
returning home, continued on her way
to the station and took the train as
originally intended. The wounds be-
came so painful by the time she
reached Jamestown that she could
stand it no longer, and here sought
relief by appealing to a local physi-
cian, who removed the bullets.

Miss Marcey then continued her trip
to Buffalo, without making any legal
information against her assailant. She
is a very handsome young woman
and showed most remarkable nerve in
controlling herself under the circum-
stances.

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GUNNESS MONEY.

ESTIMATED THAT SHE SECURED
\$448,300 FROM HER VICTIMS.

The Murderess Had Told Several Persons
Not to Come Unless They Had
\$2,000—What Became of the Money
a Mystery.

Laporte, Ind., May 18.—Following is
a tabulation of the money supposed to
have been obtained by Mrs. Gunness
from various victims: From Mads Sor-
ensen, her first husband, life insurance,
\$8,000; from Peter Gunness, second hus-
band, life insurance, \$4,000; from
Charles Erdman, New Carlisle, Ind.,
\$5,000; from Herman Konitzer, Chicago,
\$5,000; from fire in Gunness' store,
Grand avenue and Elizabeth street, Chi-
cago, insurance, \$3,500; from fire in
Gunness' house in Austin, Ill., insurance,
\$1,500; from Ole O. Budberg, Iowa, Wis.,
\$2,000; from John O. Moe, Elbow Lake,
Minn., \$1,500; from fire in Gunness'
house in Austin, Ill., insurance, \$1,500;
from Andrew Helgelein, Aberdeen, S. D.,
\$2,900; from George Berry, Tuscola, Ill.,
\$1,500; from Henry Gerhart, Iowa, Wis.,
\$1,000, whose bodies were found in Mrs.
Gunness' graveyard (estimated at \$1,000
each), \$4,000; from fifteen other men,
who were in correspondence with Mrs.
Gunness and mysteriously disappeared
(estimated at \$1,000 each), \$15,000. This
gives a grand total of \$448,300.

It is considered that an estimate of
\$1,000 loss in the case of victims where
the actual amount is not known is within
the fact. Mrs. Gunness wrote many
letters stating flatly: "If you haven't
\$2,000 don't come." Sheriff Smutzer and his men have
made careful inquiries in endeavoring
to learn what Mrs. Gunness did with
all this money. They are as much in
the dark after their investigation as
they were before. It is likely that the
\$750 that Mrs. Gunness put in a safety
deposit vault the day of the fire was all
the money she then possessed.

Scenes of last Sunday were repeat-
ed to-day at the farm of Mrs. Gun-
ness. Thousands visited the place and
viewed the skeletons of the seven un-
identified dead. One look was enough
for most of the curious.

Hundreds brought their luncheons
along, for the day was ideal. At noon,
family groups dotted the orchard and
the large front lawn. Souvenirs of
all kinds were sold on the grounds,
the people buying freely. Refreshments
also were peddled.

KILLED BY CAR.

Child Dashes In Front of Car and
Is Crushed to Death.

Buffalo, May 19.—While playing in
front of the St. Charles Church school
in West Seneca yesterday, Lizzie Mar-
dise, 5 years old, dashed in front of a
street car and was ground to death. The
little girl's body was frightfully cut and
bruised and death was instantaneous.

She lived at No. 118 Lebanon street.
The street car was in charge of Con-
ductor Thomas Chambers. The little girl
was a pupil at the school and had just
been dismissed. She ran singing into the
street and half a dozen other little tots
were at her heels. Witnesses say that
she paid no heed to the car which was
approaching rapidly.

Deputy Medical Examiner How-
ard was called. He turned the body over
to an undertaker.

A THOUSAND VOLTS.

A Lineman at Lindsay Receives a
Severe Shock.

Lindsay, May 18.—Alfred Alger, aged
19, an employee of the Lindsay Light,
Heat and Power Company, at work at
the top of a 35-foot pole this morning,
received a shock of 1,000 volts from a
transformer at his left side. He was
pitched headlong to the ground. The
severity of the fall, however, being
broken by wires. He was apparently
dead when the body reached the earth,
and but for the prompt work of his
foreman, John McGillivray, he would,
it is thought, never have regained con-
sciousness. Mr. McGillivray, with the
knowledge, born of carrying like experi-
ences, worked over him for an hour and
by artificial means restored respiration.

Alger will live, and already feels
better. His left hand is badly burned
and his muscles are affected.

BALDWIN AIRSHIP FLEW.

A Slight Accident Put an Abrupt Stop
to Flight.

Hammondsport, N. Y., May 18.—The
aerodrome Whitewing made a short
flight here to-day, carrying its designer,
F. W. Baldwin, to a height of about ten
feet. The pressure of the air upon the
edge of the lower aeroplane caused it to
foul the propeller, and the aeroplane
was therefore brought down to the
ground after having traversed a distance
of 93 yards. The damage, it is said,
would be easily repaired.

The new steering gear attached to the
front wheel worked satisfactorily, so
that there is now no difficulty in keep-
ing the machine on the race track while
running on the ground. The race track
has been won by blowing up a
portion of adjoining field and smoothing
it with a roller.

New Publications.

The June number of Scribner's Maga-
zine begins with H. L. Lo's "Chronicle of
Friendships," which is almost the first
example of artist memories in American
letters. Another artist who can write is
Sidney M. Chase, who describes the life
of a Maine fishing village in the sum-
mer time. John C. Van Dyke describes
"The High Alps" from the point of
view of an aesthetic observer. Arthur
Ruhl concludes his South American pa-
per with a vivid account of "Brazil—
Where the Coffee Comes From."

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