

GREAT FLOODS.

Section of Colorado Destroyed by Disastrous Cloudbursts.

Towns Drowned Out—Arkansas River on Rampage.

Pueblo, Col., Aug. 17.—Cloudbursts last night at Howard and in Ute Pass made raging torrents of tributaries of the Arkansas River, causing the worst flood in years along the main stream.

At Florence the entire population worked throughout the entire night, carrying goods to higher ground, in the expectation that practically the entire town would be submerged.

FLAG LOWERED.

Bluejackets Haul Down Greek Flag in Crete.

Canea, Island of Crete, Aug. 18.—The Greek flag, raised three weeks ago by the people of Crete in defiance of the sovereignty of Turkey and as an evidence of their desire for union with the kingdom of Greece, was lowered at sunrise this morning by a party of international bluejackets.

SUTTON'S DEATH.

Lieutenant's Death Was Either Accidental or Suicide.

Washington, Aug. 18.—The naval court of enquiry into the death of Lieut. Sutton, United States Marine Corps, has found that that officer came to his death by either accidental shooting or by suicide, but just which was not able to determine.

SUING FOR ALIMONY.

Mrs. Annie Beatty, of Toronto, has issued a writ against Dr. William John Beatty, of Keewatin, for alimony.

ADAM'S CASE.

Boston, Aug. 18.—It was announced here to-day that counsel for A. D. F. Adams, the Boston broker under indictment in New York, had arranged with District Attorney Jerome that Adams should surrender himself to the authorities in New York to-morrow morning.

COMPLAINTS MADE.

Complaints are being made against some of the local five cent theatres for allowing gramophones to play outside their premises, contrary to the city by-law.

CHEESE FACTORY BURNED.

Kingston, Ont., Aug. 18.—Fire in the Collins Bay cheese factory on the Bath road caused the destruction of the factory during the night.

GOOD ATTENDANCE.

The cool weather last evening did not prevent the usual large crowd from attending the Mountain Theatre.

NOT THAT WINN.

A few days ago it was announced that the firm of Winn & Company, of Milton, had suffered loss by fire.

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TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

Mrs. Fortye and Miss Roper, of Peterboro, are the guests of Mrs. William Carey, Herkimer street.

The rates on motor cars to and from Hamilton via S. S. Turbina, have been reduced as follows: Touring cars, \$5; roadsters, \$3.50; runabouts, \$2.

Mrs. Helen McKinnon, a sister of Mrs. Alfred Hopkins, of this city, died on Monday at Stratford. She was 85 years of age, and had lived at Stratford for 51 years.

NOT WORRYING.

Young Shelley Suspected of Murder Sings and Whistles.

Simcoe, Ont., Aug. 18.—Elmer Shelly, the 16-year-old lad under arrest here, charged with shooting the old man, Michael Hall, on Sunday, maintains an attitude of absolute indifference to the dreadful position in which he stands.

NOT MURDER.

The Shooting at Norwood Believed to be Accidental.

Norwood, Ont., Aug. 18.—It now seems to be beyond all doubt that the shooting of little Stella Willoughby by her father, James Willoughby, yesterday afternoon, was purely accidental.

FOR CAMPERS.

Don'ts That May Save Many Thousands of Dollars to the Country.

- 1. Don't, when in the woods, throw down a lighted match, cigar stub, or other flaming object; make sure that the flame has been thoroughly extinguished before throwing it away.

FOUND DEAD.

Had Engaged in Revolver Duel With a Policeman.

Surprised Robbing Ticket Office at Railway Station.

North Attleboro, Mass., Aug. 18.—An unknown robber was found dead in the woods near the local station of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad tracks to-day, several hours after he had engaged in a revolver duel with Patrolman John Jenkins, of the North Attleboro police.

NOT FRIGHTENED BY BAD MAN'S GUN.

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Prisoner was charged with vagrancy, and from conversation overheard by P. C. Barrett it was learned that he knew something about stolen bicycles.

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Saturday, Sept. 4, 1909

at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, the following property: The westerly thirty-five feet of lot 35, fronting on the north side of Herkimer street, Nelson Mills Estate survey. Upon the said property is erected a substantial two-story brick house number 218 Herkimer street.

Terms—A deposit of \$100 at the time of sale. Balance of one-half of purchase money in ten days thereafter. The remainder of the purchase money to be secured by mortgage payable in from one to three years at the option of the purchaser. Sale subject to a reserve bid.

For further particulars apply to STAUNTON, O'HEIR & MORISON, Auctioneers, Hamilton, Solicitors for Mortgage.

Dated 15th August, 1909.

NOTICE

is hereby given that the Council of the corporation of the City of Hamilton, in pursuance of the provisions of the Municipal Act, intend to construct cement walk with curb

Queen street, west side, from end of present walk, north of York street, to Little Craig street, estimated cost \$500.00. And to assess the real property immediately benefited by any of the aforesaid works, unless a petition against the construction of the same streets is filed with the Council within one month from the last publication of this notice which will be on the 18th day of August, 1909.

S. H. KENT, City Clerk.

City Hall, 11th August, 1909.

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