

BODY OF POSTELL'S VICTIM EMBALMED AND SHIPPED TO PARENTS AT HIGH POINT

Prisoner Looks Pale and Worn After His First Night in Jail MANY CALLERS AT JAIL YESTERDAY

Postell's Mother Greatly Shocked by Tragedy. Mrs. Felmet's Statement

The body of Edward Edwards, who was shot and instantly killed by Hugh Postell in J. M. Hearn's bicycle repair shop shortly after 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, was embalmed after the coroner's inquest and this morning taken in charge by the Junior Order of United American Mechanics, of which order the dead man was a member, and shipped to his parents at High Point, this state. His younger brother, Fred Edwards, accompanied the body.

Hugh Postell yesterday, after his first night in jail, looked haggard, and his appearance confirmed his statement that he had passed a restless night. He arose and dressed at an early hour, but had no appetite for breakfast, confining himself to coffee, of which he drank copiously. A number of relatives and friends called upon him during the course of the day, including the Rev. Mr. Cooke, who remained with him for some little time. At the dinner hour Postell did not appear to relish the jail fare and hardly touched the dinner provided for him. His mother visited him shortly after noon, accompanied by an aunt of Postell's and his step-father, the Rev. Mr. Wilde, bringing with them a tasty lunch, of which he partook heartily.

The shock of the tragedy has almost entirely unnerved Postell's mother, who is about 50 years of age, and of late has not been in the best of health. The meeting of the mother and son at the jail was most affecting. Mrs. Wilde, notwithstanding her own sad heart, making an heroic effort to comfort her boy, while the tears ran down her cheeks and Postell's frame was shaken with sobs.

When seen at her home on Anne street later in the afternoon Mrs. Wilde was borne down with grief and had the appearance of a woman about to collapse under an intense nervous strain. Mrs. Wilde is known as a devout Christian woman, and the religious atmosphere of the house which for so long had been Hugh Postell's home gives every indication of Christian refinement. The scriptural injunction, "Get Right With God," neatly framed and hung in the reception room, must at this time of sorrow appeal with deep significance to the members of the grief-stricken family, and with even deeper significance to Hugh Postell, now in jail, who by his rash act has brought this sorrow to his family.

CZAR ATTENDS CONSECRATION OF NEW CHURCH

Magnificent Edifice Erected to the Memory of Em- peror Alexander.

GUARDS LINE ALL APPROACHES

Nicholas Is Received With Cheers by Troops. Citi- zens are Indifferent.

(By Associated Press.)
ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 1.—For the second time since "Red Sunday" (January 22, 1905) Emperor Nicholas today entered the capital to attend the consecration of a church to the memory of his grandfather, Alexander II, who was assassinated on the spot where the edifice was raised. The date of the trip, coinciding with the conspiracy trial just closed here, plainly was designed to raise the loyalty of the army and the people. It was a complete success, and no untoward incident occurred.

The police neglected no precaution to insure the safety of the emperor, and even went so far as to thoroughly search the city and inspect the passports of suspicious individuals. Gendarmes were stationed in every window facing the route over which the imperial procession passed and owners of houses were forbidden to open windows under penalty of a heavy fine. Bridge and river traffic was entirely suspended, the banks of the Neva were lined with marine guards and torpedo boats patrolled the river.

The imperial party arrived from Peterhof unannounced, not a single salute being fired during their whole stay. The emperor and his party disembarked from a yacht at the admiralty and entered an inconspicuous launch, landing at the Grand Duke Constantine's palace. Thence they proceeded the remainder of the way to the memorial church in carriages. Though the church faces the Nevsky Prospect, it is conveniently reached from the Neva across the Marshfield drillground, where a new road, flanked by rows of flags, had been made for their majesties.

Deafening Cheers.
After two months of daily rains the sky cleared and the sun shone upon the brilliant scene of nearly a hundred detachments of troops, with widely varying uniforms, stationed along the line of march. The emperor's arrival was announced by cheers from the troops, the public looking on indifferently. The big church yard, where the imperial party arrived at the hour set for the function, was picturesquely bordered by platoons of cuirassiers, grenadiers and dragons in multi-colored uniforms, waving plumes, busbees and silver breastplates.

After walking around the church and saluting the guard, the emperor entered the edifice at the south door.

company him to his mother's home. The young lady consented, and the couple were on their way to Anne street, where Mrs. Wilde resides, when they were met by Deputy Sheriff Mitchell and Penland, who immediately took Postell into custody. Messrs. Chester and Carter have been retained for the defense of Hugh Postell. These gentlemen have already had two long conferences with the prisoner. The preliminary hearing will probably be today.

AUTOMOBILES CLAIM THEIR USUAL VICTIMS

Weekly Death List Was In- creased Yesterday by Scattered Accidents.

NOBLEMAN IS ONE OF THE VICTIMS

Two Children are Also Sent Into Eternity By Tour- ing Cars.

(By Associated Press.)
ELMIRA, N. Y., Sept. 1.—A powerful touring car plunged over a fifteen-foot embankment at Pine City near Elmira today, killing H. B. Smith of Tioga, Pa., and injuring four others. One of the injured men, John Henry of Canadigua, is confined in the Arnot Ogden Hospital, where fear is expressed that he is injured internally and likely to die. The others are not seriously hurt.

The party was bound from Corning, N. Y., to Tioga, Pa., the one of Waldo Whitehead, who owned the car, and who was seated in the rear seat with Messrs. Henry and Smith. The chauffeur, A. F. Vangorder of Corning, and James Barret, a guide, were seated in front. At the point where the accident occurred the road turns abruptly. Through a misunderstanding between the chauffeur and guide the car continued straight ahead and plunged off the embankment, turning completely over and pinning the occupants underneath.

CHILD RUN DOWN BY AUTOMOBILE

WILBERHAM, Mass., Sept. 1.—An automobile containing Mr. and Mrs. Sumner R. Hollander of Wenham and Boston ran down and killed the twelve-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Otis of Palmer today. The child and her mother had just alighted from a trolley car.

SMALL BOY IS KILLED BY AUTO

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., Sept. 1.—The four-year-old son of Albert Reynolds of Ripley was struck by an automobile today and instantly killed. The automobile was owned by James Forman of Erie, Pa., who in trying to avoid the accident ran into a ditch and was injured.

TWO ARE KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

MAGENTA, Italy, Sept. 1.—The Marquis Pallavicini and a lawyer named Nalmano were killed in an automobile accident today. Their chauffeur not noticing that the gate at a grade crossing was closed, ran his car through the gate and on the tracks just as a freight train bore down. The machine was wrecked and Nalmano was killed outright. The Marquis died a few minutes later.

LABOR DAY SPORTS TO BE THE FEATURE

Tennis Championships and Ohio Yacht, Automobile and Bicycle Races.

AMATEUR SPORTS AT THE EXPOSITION

Contests Will Take on an International Aspect. Ireland Competing.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Throughout the length and breadth of the country tomorrow games of endurance and skill will be held, for Labor day is a banner day for sports. The most important of these will be the tri-state tennis championship at Cincinnati, the Rhode Island state championship at Providence and the conclusion of the international mixed doubles at Niagara on the lake; the annual regatta of the Larchmont Yacht club and the Atlantic Yacht club's race for the Lipton cup; the middle states regatta on the Harlem and the New England regatta at Boston; the 25 mile handicap race on the Coney Island bicycle path and automobile races for all classes over the Roadville, Mass., track.

In professional sports there will be double-header baseball games in all the leagues; horse racing at Sheepshead Bay and Montreal; trotting and pacing events at Hartford, Conn., where the grand circuit opens, and at Rochester and Orangeburg, N. Y., and prize fights between Joe Thomas and "Young" Mitchell at Colma, Cal., Young Peter Jackson and Morgan Williams at Goldfield, Nev., and Tommy Sullivan and Billy Papke at Lawrence, Mass.

The event of the week in amateur athletics will be the national championship meet at the Jamestown exposition Friday and Saturday, in which tried men from all parts of the country are entered. The contests will take on an international aspect from the fact that two Irishmen have crossed the ocean to compete. They are "Com" Leahy, who won the high jump in the Olympic games at Athens last year, and Dennis Murray, once the champion sprinter of Ireland, who will try for the all-round championship.

A 24-hour automobile race, similar to the one held recently at Brighton Beach, will be run over the old Morris park race course beginning next Friday, and during this contest a 25-mile race for amateurs will be run.



WASHINGTON, D. C., September 1.—Forecast for North Carolina—Fair Monday and Tuesday; light east winds becoming variable.

RUMORS AFLOAT THAT SOME CABINET OFFICERS MAY THROW UP JOBS

STAR GAZER TO LEAVE SERVICE OF UNCLE SAM

Prof. Aaron Skinner Will Take Eye From the Telescope.

LOUIS RICE WILL TAKE HIS PLACE

Skinner Was Popular, and His Retirement is Gen- erally Regretted.

(Special to The Citizen.)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—Uncle Sam is to lose one of his most famous star-gazers. Because he has reached the age limit Professor Aaron M. Skinner, United States navy, has withdrawn from the service, although he will remain "on the job" a few weeks longer to complete a series of important astronomical calculations. His going calls for real regret. He has not kept his eye glued to the small opening of a telescope to the exclusion of the practical end that could be derived from his observations, but he has applied to the uses of the navy the discoveries he has made.

His place will be well filled, however. Assistant Astronomer Herbert Louis Rice of Illinois, will be appointed to the position. He was appointed assistant in the Nautical Almanac, United States Observatory, in 1892, and assistant observer in the observatory two years later. If his terms any star-gazing that will aid in navigation or in advancing the cause of science, Mr. Rice is entirely capable of undertaking the contract.

Incidentally, Professor Rice has been instrumental in training up a corps of recruits for the service in his capacity as instructor and professor of Astro-Physics in the George Washington University. He has held a professorship in that institution for a number of years, and in fact, he received his educational degrees at that institution.

While Professor Rice will continue to teach the students of the George Washington University to turn their eyes and thoughts toward the heavens, he has a number of fellow scientists in the government to aid him in his missionary work. In this special department of the university a large number of federal experts are to be found. Like a number of other departments, the weather bureau and the navy look to the local university as a recruiting ground for its skilled help.

Among the government scientists teaching the mystery of the winds and tides and stars are Cleveland Abbe and Frank H. Bigelow, both of the weather bureau. The former is professor of meteorology, while the latter expounds the intricacies of Astro-Physics. In addition, the Naval Observatory contributes its representative in the person of Anaph Hall, Jr., who teaches astronomy, while the Smithsonian Institution is represented on the Faculty by Frederick E. Fowler, Jr., as professor of Astro-Physics.

DYNAMITE IN POCKET EXPLODES WHEN HIS MOTHER USED SHINGLE

(By Associated Press.)
CHEBOYGAN, Mich., Sept. 1.—Mrs. Fred Williams, living at Bear Point, on Crooked Lake, near this city, was severely injured and her seven-year-old son was probably fatally hurt when a dynamite cap in the boy's hip pocket exploded while the mother was spanking him for a minor offense. The little boy had been out in the field, where his father was using dynamite to blow up stumps, and had slipped one of the percussion caps which Mr. Williams was using in his pocket. He later returned to the house, where his mother called him in to be punished for some childish misdemeanor. Mrs. Williams used a shingle as the instrument of punishment. The first blow from the shingle exploded the cap in the boy's pocket and the exploding force a large hole in his hip, from which he is believed to be dying. The mother lost two fingers and received a number of cuts about her face and body.

DENTIST USES A HAMMER ON AN OBSTREPEROUS PATIENT

(By Associated Press.)
CONNINGTON, D. C., Sept. 1.—To consider the influence of a tooth to be a liability to having a tooth extracted is plain. W. E. Bowers, aged 50, was taken to the Emergency Hospital and Dr. Wunder was arrested. He was released on \$1,000 bail. During the struggle between the three men Bowers' wife and a number of women patients were thrown into a panic and took flight. Bowers will recover.

