

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Moderate to fresh westerly winds, fair and mild.

Toronto, Oct. 28.—The weather today has been fair in nearly all parts of the Dominion, but a few light showers have occurred in Ontario, and a light snowfall is reported from Quebec. The temperature has been a little higher than yesterday, except in the Maritime Provinces, where it has been lower.

Temperatures.

Min.	Max.
Vancouver	46 62
Kamloops	38 44
Edmonton	22 60
Calgary	30 64
Battleford	28 58
Prince Albert	30 46
Swift Current	28 54
Moose Jaw	24 65
Regina	23 58
Winnipeg	24 48
Port Arthur	34 40
Toronto	33 49
Kingston	30 50
Ottawa	26 41
Montreal	24 48
Quebec	24 34
St. John	24 42
Halifax	32 40

Around the City

WILL CONFER WITH FEDERAL MINISTER.

Hon. J. A. Murray, Minister of Agriculture for the Province of New Brunswick, left last evening for Ottawa to have a conference with Hon. Martin Burritt, Minister of Agriculture for the Dominion. Mr. Murray goes to Ottawa at the invitation of the Dominion Minister of Agriculture.

Drunk and Profane.

Yesterday afternoon William McKelgan was arrested in the I.C.R. depot by Policeman Roberts on the charge of being drunk and profane.

Another Ship for Horras.

The steamship Anglo Mexican, Capt. Livingstone, sailed from Cardiff yesterday for this port to load remousins. The ship is consigned to J. T. Knight & Co.

Well Under Way.

The work of repairing the northern side of Main street between Portland street and Douglas avenue, is well under way. A surface similar to that of the southern roadway will be constructed. It is expected to have the work completed before the cold weather begins.

Improvements.

The Water and Sewerage Department is placing three additional hydrants in the Sand Point district. In Protection street a new six inch pipe is being laid and this will be connected with the existing main exclusively for fire protection purposes. Already the dwellings in that vicinity are being supplied by another main.

Badly Hurt.

Yesterday afternoon while working on a staging on the new building which is being erected at the Boys' Industrial Home at East St. John, one of the boy prisoners fell off the stage to the ground, a distance of about ten feet. He was given a bad shaking up and received a bad injury to one of his eyes.

Resigns Pastorate.

Rev. R. J. Colpitts, who has been pastor of the Kingsclear and Macnaqua Baptist churches since 1911, has resigned and will take a rest for a few months before accepting another pastorate. Rev. Mr. Colpitts, who is the editor of the Baptist Year Book, is now busily engaged in preparing the book for publication.—Fredericton Gleaner.

Pulp Season Closed.

The pulpwood season between Chatham, N. B., and Portland, Me., has closed earlier this season than anticipated. It was expected that a few more cargoes would be carried, but orders had been received at Portland that the two steamers, Glenbridge and Glencliffe, which were to be used, have been ordered to Montreal to load grain for the United Kingdom.

Will Be Success.

The Brunswick Chapter, Daughters of the Empire wish to announce that tickets for the supper in Masonic Hall, West St. John, on Friday, October 30, have all been sold and only those presenting tickets will be admitted to the supper room between 6 and 8 o'clock, but a sale of fancy work, home made candy and light refreshments will be carried on upstairs. Admission, 10 cents.

Old Prisoner.

There is a prisoner who will appear before the Magistrate this morning, who, is perhaps one of the oldest men ever taken into custody in this city. He is registered on the police blotter at central station as 74 years of age. He was arrested on Main street yesterday morning for being drunk, and after remaining in the cells in the North End station for a few hours he sobered up enough to be escorted to the central.

FOOT COMFORT

If one's feet are comfortable it sends a feeling of satisfaction and ease through the whole system. In order to have your feet comfortable you must wear a good stocking. Cheap seamy cotton clumsy stockings do not give comfort, but a pair of those very fine quality British made cashmere stockings which F. A. Dykeman & Co. are selling will give you the greatest of comfort, because they are pure cashmere throughout. There are two hundred pairs of samples from a big manufacturer which are being sold at considerable less than the usual price. They are now on sale from 25 cents to 55 cents a pair.

FATAL SHOOTING ACCIDENT IN ALBERT COUNTY WOODS

Mariner F. Tingley died from wounds received in lumber camp—John Douthwright took down rifle to extract shells with awful results.

Albert, Albert Co., Oct. 28.—A shooting accident in the lumbering camp of W. J. Carawath at New Ireland, in the Parish of Harvey, occurred soon after six o'clock yesterday. A young man named John Douthwright, after supper took down his rifle for the purpose of extracting the shells, when by some means the weapon was discharged and the bullet passed through the calves of the legs of a young man named Mariner F. Tingley, a son of Mariner M. Tingley of Hopewell Hill. The wounded man was taken on a team and rushed to the office of Dr. Carawath at Riverside, seven miles from the camp. The wounds were dressed and, notwithstanding great loss of blood, it was not thought there was any immediate danger of a fatal result. The young man's father, who

GOVERNMENT WILL PAY THE OCEAN FREIGHT

Belgian Relief will be delivered free of charge—Provincial government held meeting here yesterday.

The local government met here yesterday, but practically all the business which came before the meeting was of a routine nature. The morning there was a meeting of the Provincial Hospital Commission when members of the government visited the institution across the river and dealt with a number of routine matters in regard to the administration of the institution. At the afternoon meeting of the government the matters brought up were of the usual routine character. Hon. George J. Clarke, the acting premier, will remain in the city today and have a conference with the Belgian Relief Committee. The local government has undertaken to pay the ocean freight on all goods sent from New Brunswick to Belgium, and this owing to the generosity of the people of the province has become an important matter. "Too much praise cannot be given to the people of St. John or the province generally in regard to the way they have responded to the appeals for help from the Belgians, or in regard to their contributions to the Imperial Patriotic Fund," said Mr. Clarke. "Everybody is doing their best to make the contributions to the Belgians a credit to the province. The I. C. R. and C. P. R. are carrying all contributions free of charge, and the express companies are handling contributions without charge. We have every reason to be proud of the way the people of the province have responded to the appeal for assistance to the Belgians, much as we may regret the occasion for such an appeal."

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AUTOMOBILE TURNS A COMPLETE SOMERSAULT

Yesterday afternoon about four o'clock an automobile accident happened on the Marsh Road near the Crosby warehouses, and it is a miracle that some of the occupants of the car were not killed. The car is owned and was being driven by George Anthony of the Red Head Road, and he was accompanied by three other men. The car was being driven along at a fair rate of speed when suddenly the wheels skidded owing to the wet road and the car was over-

TO TAKE CASE BEFORE THE SUPREME COURT

Public Utilities Commission dismiss application for order compelling Street Railway to extend lines into Simonds.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Public Utility Commissioners held yesterday a judgment was rendered on the application of A. H. Likely and others praying for an order from the Board compelling the St. John Street Railway to extend its lines in the parish of Simonds. The Board dismissed the application on the ground that it had no jurisdiction in the matter. In their decision the commissioners pointed out that an act of the legislature had defined the conditions and time when the St. John Street Railway Company were to observe in the matter of extending their lines along the Red Head Road, in the parish of Simonds, and that it was not in the province of the Board to make an order in regard to the carrying out of a statutory obligation imposed by an act of the legislature. The Board ruled that it could not take action in the matter of compelling the company to carry out its statutory obligations.

CAPTAIN OF TUG SECURITY MADE PROTEST

Was instructed by Standard Oil Co. not to leave without German members of crew.

A formal protest against the detention of the three German members of his crew was filed yesterday by the captain of the American tug Security, acting on the instructions of his owners, the Standard Oil Company, and the question at issue will be fought out between the State Departments at Washington and Ottawa. The Standard Oil Company owns or controls a large number of ships, many of which trade with British countries, and it is said it intends to make a test case of the arrest of the three aliens in St. John. According to a report in one of the evening papers the captain of the tug received orders not to leave St. John till he got back his three men, but the captain declined to say anything about this report when seen last evening. The tug will not be ready to sail from St. John for a few days. The American Consul here, Mr. Culver, has taken up the matter as a result of the protest filed by the captain of the tug, but he is of the opinion that the matter can be settled without causing any serious international difficulties. Speaking to a reporter the master of the tug Security stated that while he regretted the incident he had no complaint to make against the local militia officers whom he felt were only doing their duty. "Captain McAvity has treated me with the greatest courtesy," he said. "He even told me that if the three men were detained here he would see that they got work, and were not thrown on the streets without resources."

REPORTS ON DUGAL CHARGES

Lieut. Governor Wood announces they will be laid before government at next meeting.

Lieutenant Governor Wood yesterday said that the report of the Royal Commission in regard to the Dugal charges would be submitted to the Government at its next meeting, but he would give no information as to what the finding of the commission was. Members of the Government when approached, refused to make any statement in regard to the reports. The Globe last night said: "Rumors current for some days are that the commissioners find the charges against Premier Fleming in connection with the Vandy Railroad project, and in connection with the timber limits, they say the Premier, while he did not extort money from the license holders, knew of the collection being made by W. H. Berry. "How far these rumors are correct it has been impossible to get those in authority to admit, but they are being repeated by those who are believed to have inside sources of information."

PERSONAL.

Hon. J. K. Fleming arrived in the city yesterday morning and registered at the Victoria. A. R. Gould of Presque Isle, was in the city yesterday. Messrs. H. A. Powell, K. C., and George W. Fowler, M. P., arrived in the city Wednesday from Fredericton, where they were engaged in the case of Hibbert vs. The St. John & Quebec Railway Company. Seth Jones, Provincial Poultry Expert, is at the Victoria. William Knight, who has for some time been a member of the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Prince Albert, Sask., returned to the city Wednesday. Mrs. George F. Smith of St. John is spending a few weeks in town visiting her daughter, Mrs. Allan Magee.—Montreal Gazette. H. A. Porter and M. G. Teed of St. John are in the city.—Moncton Times. R. H. Cushing is at the Queen. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mulloy are guests at the Queen.—Fredericton Mail. New Company. Messrs. A. P. Barnhill, W. A. Ewing, Charles F. Sanford, H. G. D. Ellis and Miss A. Florence Coughlan of St. John, are applying for incorporation as the Morris Realty Company, Limited, with an authorized capitalization of \$24,000 and head office at St. John. PARK HOTEL, KING SQUARE. TO LET—Flat, 277 Rockland Road.

DEAD BEATS

Retail Merchants Association will introduce system to do away with bad accounts.

Dead Beats will have to pay cash in future in the verdict of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada. At last a remedy has been secured that will protect the Retail Merchants against having bad accounts, this is the Credit Reporting Department of Canada, a branch of which is now formed in the province of New Brunswick—but is Dominion wide in its operation. The system employed is to first give every one who owes a member in the Association a chance to settle their accounts or to make some satisfactory arrangement for it, but failing to do this their names and addresses will be compiled in a Delinquent Debtors' book, a copy of which is sent to every member of the Association. This has been made possible under the Charter obtained by the above Association, which was granted by a special act of the Dominion Parliament.

TO BE SWORN IN NOVEMBER 10th

The attorney-at-law examinations being conducted in this city for the past few days finished yesterday afternoon and the candidates left for their homes last evening. Those who successfully passed the examinations, together with the graduates of the St. John Law School, will be sworn in at the November session of the Court of Appeal—Gleaner.

SALE OF LADIES' WINTER COATS AT M. R. A.'S COMMENCING TODAY

There is no longer any excuse for putting off the purchase of a warm coat for winter, because this sale will present desirable garments in this season's styles at greatly reduced prices. The offerings will consist of manufacturers' samples and odd coats in such a wide variety of models that almost any requirement may be satisfied. Prompt action will be necessary to secure the bargains. Read descriptions in our regular advertisement today. A misnomer in the charges against the chief of police, the Globe last night said: "Rumor that the Chandler report finds the police department disorganized and in need of organic changes was not denied by the acting premier, who refused to intimate the intentions of the government on the matter. The story on the street is that Commissioner Chandler in his findings sustains, or practically sustains the charges made by the City Council against the Chief. Whether he makes any recommendations as to the future is not known, but there is a feeling that the presentation of the report will lead to some suggestions for the supersession of the Chief and to an agreement for the Common Council to name his successor."

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These odd-coats and manufacturers' samples are offered at such greatly lowered prices for clearance that there will be no good reason for further delay in the purchase of a warm, comfortable and stylish coat for cold weather.

These garments are every one of them this season's manufacture and in such a satisfactory range of choice in styles and fabrics and at such liberal savings that the most skeptical bargain seekers will be astonished.

Such surprising values will not last long so hurry to get them. Note that there are eight different groups and prices as follows:—

- \$3.75** Plain and Colored Tweeds in browns, greys, olives, seven-eighth lengths, round and square corners, wide storm and convertible collars, plain and patch pockets. Also plain and fancy trimmed coats with and without belts in Navy Chevots and Friezes and a few Mack heavy Frieze Coats braided trimmed, with wide lapels.
- \$4.50** Stylish Tweeds in browns, greys, olives, seven-eighth length, set-in sleeves, wide lapels. Also several nobby Black Coats in Heavy Frieze, three-quarter length, round corners, belted back.
- \$5.50** Tweed Coats in grey and brown stripe effects, three-quarter and seven-eighth lengths, convertible collars, wide belted backs. Also Black Friezes, Nap Cloths and Caraculs with and without belts; and some seven-eighth length Coats in Navy Frieze with full belt and wide collar buttoning close to neck.
- \$6.50** Nap Cloths in greys, browns and fawns, seven-eighth length, round corners, convertible collars, wide belted backs. Also in Grey and Fawn Tweeds, close-fitting collars, belted and Balkan effects. A few coats in Brown Teddy Cloth, very popular this season, and a number of College Coats, short length, in Navy, Brown and Fawn Tweeds.
- \$7.50** College Coats in black and white checks, also Brown and Grey Tweeds, three-quarter and seven-eighth lengths, in olives, greys and fawns. A very special lot comprising some of the season's most striking styles.
- \$8.75** Coats in Grey and Brown Curl Cloths, military and convertible collars, with and without belts, half and full lined, buttons plain and fancy, some coats have plush collars and cuffs.
- \$10.50** Fancy Tweed Coats in greys, browns, etc., collars and cuffs of velvet and imitation fur, large kimono sleeves, large velvet buttons. A few only.
- \$12.00** Coats in Brown, Navy and Fawn Curl Cloths, velvet trimmed, satin linings. Also in Navy Curl Cloths with plush collars and cuffs, large frog fastenings, linings of silk.

SALE WILL START AT EIGHT O'CLOCK SHARP IN COSTUME SECTION—SECOND FLOOR.

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