

THE WEATHER

Toronto, June 9.—Pressure is highest tonight over the great lakes and lowest over the western portion of the continent. A few light scattered showers have occurred in the western and the Maritime Provinces but the weather has been generally fine throughout the Dominion.

AROUND THE CITY

Not Wanted.—Sergeant Caples was called into George Hamilton's tailor shop on Union street Saturday afternoon to assist in ejecting John Conlon who was creating a disturbance there.

Death of Four-year-old Boy.—Ronald King Hutchinson, the four-year-old son of Robert and Katie Hutchinson, died on Friday last, after only a week's illness and the interment took place Saturday afternoon in the Old Catholic cemetery. There is great sympathy for the bereaved parents.

Fine Outlook in County.—Warden Carson, the local government candidate in the county, who has been on a visit to the western end of the county, came to the city yesterday. Speaking to a reporter, he said he was much pleased with the reception given him in all sections of the county since he started out on his canvass, and that he felt confident that both he and his colleagues, Mr. Baxter, would be returned by good majorities. "The people are well satisfied with the government and many prominent liberals in federal politics, have assured me of support," he said.

Found Dead in Bed.—About 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning Joseph Cain found his father Cornelius Cain lying dead in his bed in their home on North street. The deceased was in the 80th year of his age, and was apparently in good health when he retired on Saturday night. Death was due to natural causes. Coroner D. E. Berryman was notified of the death, and after viewing the remains gave permission for interment and will not hold an inquest. Besides the son Joseph, the deceased leaves one daughter, Mrs. George Turner, of 108 Rockland road, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Collins, of 31 Lombard street. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 8:45 o'clock from Mrs. Turner's residence Rockland road.

The Prohibition Campaign.—The St. John County Branch of the Temperance Federation began their political campaign yesterday afternoon, when meetings were held in the Unique Theatre, the Temple of Honor Hall in the North End, and the Temperance Hall on the West Side. Addresses were delivered in favor of prohibition. Among the statements made at the meeting in the Unique theatre was the charge that saloons were violating the law by the use of back doors. W. D. Baskin, who is the nominee of the Temperance Federation on the Liquor License Commission, when told of this charge last evening, said he had no knowledge of any such infringement. Most of the speakers based their remarks on the question: "Is New Brunswick to have prohibition?"

RUPERT BRINGS NEWS OF DIGBY ACCIDENT

Young Man Named Sparold Crushed to Death Between Steamer and Wharf at Digby on Saturday.

When the D. A. R. steamer Prince Rupert docked at her pier here last Saturday afternoon, she brought word of a sad fatality at Digby in the accidental death of Plesman Sparold, a boy of 17, a laborer employed by the D. A. R. on the government wharf there.

The fatality occurred after the men had finished their work for the day and were spending a few minutes playing on the step. While thus engaged Sparold went to climb around a pile from this step to the wharf and tried to dodge between the steamer and the wharf when, to the horror of his friends, the Rupert lashed, instantly crushing the life out of the lad, the body falling back into the water.

A despatch received from Digby last evening stated that the body had been recovered by grappling an hour later. An inquest was held by Coroner John Daley and a verdict returned in accordance with the facts.

Voters, Attention!

The Local Government party for both the City and the County have opened headquarters at Rooms No. 11, Ritchie's Building, 25 Princess street, Phone Main 25. Information regarding the voters' lists, etc. can be obtained by calling or telephoning. Residents of St. John City or County whose names appear on the voters' list in other counties, or any resident of St. John whose name has been accidentally dropped from the last list can have their names placed on the list by calling at the office of Innes and Hazen, No. 103 Prince William street, second floor, or phone Main 380.

HE WILL SUPPORT LOCAL GOVERNMENT

John A. Barry, Prominent Young Liberal, to go on Platform in Interests of Government Ticket.

Another prominent young Liberal who will this year support the Fleming government in every way in his power is John A. Barry, the well known barrister of this city. Mr. Barry has expressed his conviction that the Fleming government had given good honest administration to the province and was consequently entitled to support from all who were prepared to work for the best interests of New Brunswick. Street rumor was to the effect that Mr. Barry had not changed his views regarding the opposition, was still in the interests of the opposition candidates in the city. A wire received from Mr. Barry from New York yesterday plainly states his views. He says: "Expect to be home Thursday next. Will address local government meetings and do my utmost toward having present administration returned to power."

REALIZES THAT BATTLE IS LOST

J. W. Keirstead now Appeals as Temperance Candidate Rather than as Member of the Opposition Ticket.

The government candidates in the city, John E. Wilson, C. B. Lockhart, Philip Grannan and I. P. D. Tilley, are meeting with increasing success on their canvassing tours. They were in North End on Saturday and following in the wake of the opposition candidates had an opportunity of seeing how the land lies in that direction. Judging from the impressions gathered on their tour it will not take the scrutineers in the North End wards very long in counting the opposition votes. An amusing story comes from the North End about Mr. Keirstead, which shows that gentlemen are already realizing the hopelessness of making an appeal to intelligent voters on the platform of the opposition and also looks as if he believed his chances might be better as a temperance candidate. It is reported that in his canvass in one store at least he appealed to the voter to whom he was talking as the temperance candidate rather than the legal nominee of an opposition convention. This sort of canvass shows that Mr. Keirstead at least recognizes that the opposition cause is lost, it only remains for him now to appeal to the residents of West St. John as in favor of a free ferry.

MR. CONNELLY PROVES STATEMENT ABSURD

Manager of Pejepscot Lumber Company Exposes Telegraph's Foolish Attempt to Make Political Capital.

Robert Connelly, manager of the Pejepscot Pulp and Paper Company, who was in the city yesterday does not agree with Dr. Fernow in his estimate of the cost of a survey of the crown lands of the province of Nova Scotia, or his opinion as to the number of years it takes to grow merchantable spruce of twelve inch size. The Telegraph on Thursday morning last attempted to quote Dr. Fernow's opinion in support of Mr. Copp's plan of survey of crown lands. In the article Dr. Fernow estimated the cost of surveying 21,000 miles of timber land in Nova Scotia at \$5,000, or a little less than 25 cents per square mile. Mr. Connelly, who is a lumberman of long experience, says the Pejepscot Company, with which he is connected had a survey made of about 125,000 acres of timber land which they own, and the cost was \$8,000.

This was work done by and for a private company, and certainly as cheap as if done by any government. "In 21,000 miles there are 13,440,000 acres, and a survey could never have been made for the sum stated by Dr. Fernow. The man who did it must have used a flying machine," said Mr. Connelly. Mr. Connelly also takes issue with the statement made that it takes 120 years to grow a twelve inch spruce. "Why," said he, "I can take Dr. Fernow to my own home on the Shepody Road and show him spruce which has grown to 12 inches in 40 years. While Dr. Fernow may be correct as far as Nova Scotia is concerned, it is quite useless for the Telegraph to attempt to draw comparisons with New Brunswick from his experience in Nova Scotia."

Robert Connelly's experience as a lumberman is probably as extensive as that of any man in the province, and his statement on any matter affecting lumbering or forestry in this province is likely to be accepted as more reliable than any attempt of the Telegraph to make political capital out of an experience of a government forester in another province. Mr. Connelly also said that as long as the government of the province enforced the regulations affecting the cutting of lumber on crown lands as carefully as they do at the present time there should be no need to worry over the future of the New Brunswick forests.

FAMILY ANXIOUS FOR F. J. FLAHERTY

Well Known Young Man Left His Home Early Saturday Evening and Has Not Been Seen Since.

Fred J. Flaherty left his home at 2 Charles street at 3 o'clock last Saturday evening, stating that he was going out to get a shave. He was next seen at the corner of Waterloo and Union streets by Samuel Parsons, and has not been seen since. The missing man is 27 years of age weighs about 150 pounds. When he left his home he was dressed in a navy blue suit, a black necktie and a black hat. He also wore spectacles which are of the rimless variety and a gold watch and locket engraved with the monogram F. J. F. He also wore a signet ring on which are his initials in raised letters. When he failed to return to his home during Saturday night his mother and family became very anxious as to his safety, inquiries being instituted at once. Yesterday his brother, William Flaherty, and several friends, conducted a careful search about the city, but without results. When last seen, the missing man, after standing at the corner of Waterloo and Union, walked up Union street in the direction of Charlotte street. This has caused his friends to think that he might have left the city on the Halifax train. His immediate family feel sure, however, that he has not done so as he has no friends or relatives in that direction. Another cause for anxiety is that the missing man has been in poor health for the past two months. Another theory which might account for his disappearance, is that he may have gone on a fishing trip to some of the camps around the city.

BARGAIN DAYS ARE RAPIDLY PASSING

Only a few more days remain in which to take advantage of the extraordinary bargains in fashionable summer millinery at Marr's great clearance sale which continues until Saturday next. Today's special attractions include the most recent developments in trimmed and untrimmed hats in latest styles and Milan, the variety ranging from the quietest effects favored by conservative dressers, to the brilliant, dashing creations admired and sought by the more ardent followers of fashion. Children's hats are also to the fore in today's sale, which includes some exceedingly pretty developments in white Milan. No better opportunity has yet been offered local shoppers to secure reasonable headwear for dress, outing and other occasions, at prices which mean really great saving.

Colored Summer Dresses.—No need of women worrying and fussing over making up garments these days, when they can be had at such attractive prices as P. A. Dykeman and Co. are quoting, on a big lot of colored summer dresses which they purchased as a clearing line from a manufacturer. Over 200 of these beautiful chambray lawn and linen dresses are on sale at about half their usual price. The prices run from \$1.89 to \$4.50. A lot of black one-piece dresses included in this lot are priced \$4.50 for \$9.00 quality.

Unusual Values in Silk Dresses.—There is an exhibit of summer dresses in one of M. R. A's King street windows which ought to be interesting to the ladies who are partial to lovely silk gowns. There are taffeta and silk serge dresses in the season's most advanced styles and they will be offered this morning in the costume section at prices representing very unusual values.

The Steamer Premier.—Owing to high water in the Kennebec river and the impossibility of making landings, the trips to Rothesay have been abandoned until the water abates. Full announcements will be made of their resumption. The Premier has been at Reid's Point for the past week.

Garden Supplies.—Now is the time to plant your garden. We can supply you with anything you want for your garden at moderate prices. Phone us up and we will be pleased to call for your window boxes and have them planted for you. W. and C. Pedersen, 48 Charlotte street. Phone, 1364.

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