

THE WEATHER
Toronto, Aug. 28.—The disturbance which was last night over the north-west states has moved to south-west Indiana, bringing showery weather in the lake region more especially in the southwestern portion.

AROUND THE CITY
Monday, Violet Day, at Exhibition.
Another Private Session.
Com. McLellan, behind closed doors, continued his investigation of the police department last evening.

Decorations Day.
Today will be observed by the different lodges of the Knights of Pythias in this city as Decorations Day, and this afternoon the graves of the departed brethren will be visited and decorated.

Married Yesterday.
The marriage of Miss Myrtle Bostwick, of Kingston, N. B., and Mr. Roy Wetmore, of Clifton, was solemnized yesterday morning at the Episcopal church, Kingston.

Street Railway Extension.
The St. John street railway has not yet started work on the long talked of extension to Kane's corner.

The Incinerator Plan.
A burning question occupied the attention of the city commissioners yesterday, the problem of establishing an incinerator frequently discussed by the old council.

SCHOONER SENT TO BOTTOM BY COLLISION IN THE FOG; CREW HAD NARROW ESCAPE

Auxiliary Schooner Helen and Jennie, en route to St. John, Rammled and Sunk by Schooner Daniel Baker—Capt. Ingalls and Crew Narrowly Escape Drowning.
As a result of a collision in a dense fog off the coast of Grand Manan the auxiliary schooner Helen and Jennie, owned by Irvine Ingalls, of Grand Manan, was sunk at an early hour yesterday morning, and her master and crew barely escaped with their lives.

DEVELOPING OF THE COAL MINING IN QUEENS COUNTY
Sir Thomas Tait's Company at Minto Preparing to Carry on Large Industry--Will Bring Miners Out from England to Work Large Areas.
Important developments are in progress in the Minto coal district, and when the railway from Minto to Gillies is completed there is bound to be a considerable enlargement of the coal mining industry there.

Preparing for Big Business.
The Minto Coal Corporation, organized by Sir Thomas Tait, with a capital of \$400,000, is making arrangements for carrying on a large mining industry. This company has taken over the Cokerly, O'Leary, Tweedie properties, and is understood to have acquired an interest in the Gillies properties and the holdings of J. S. Armstrong.

ST. JOHN RAILWAY COMPANY PROPOSES CHEAPER POWER
A matter of considerable importance to the manufacturing industries of St. John was brought to the attention of the Public Utility Commission when at its regular meeting yesterday the St. John street railway company requested permission to reduce the rates charged for supplying electric power in units of twenty-five horse power or thereabouts during restricted hours.

WEATHER WORKS HAVOC TO THE CROPS

Potatoes and Hay will Suffer From the Heavy Rains.
SOME FARMERS WILL BE HEAVY LOSERS
Owing to the unusual amount of wet weather which New Brunswick in common with the other parts of Canada, the United States and even Great Britain and European countries, has experienced this summer, a good deal of damage has been done to the hay crop, and the farmers are beginning to fear that other crops will be seriously affected.

WEDDINGS
A pretty wedding was solemnized yesterday afternoon when two of the city's most popular young people were married at the residence of Chas. Lamb, Hollis street.

Band Concert Last Night.
An excellent concert was given last evening on the King Edward bandstand by the Carleton Cornet band. The programme was greatly enjoyed by the large crowd who attended despite the fact that the weather was quite cool.

Uniformed Pythians.
Members of uniform rank K. of P. in both Victoria and Sydney companies are requested by committee to attend in regalia today's operations at the cemetery.

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