

THE WEATHER

Maritime—South and southwest winds becoming unsettled with showers.

Washington, Oct. 9.—Northern New England: Showers and warmer Friday; Saturday cloudy, cooler; Saturday afternoon. Fresh and strong south wind.

Toronto, Oct. 9.—A moderate disturbance is centered tonight over Lake Superior causing showers in Ontario and strong winds on the Great Lakes. The weather has been fair and cool in Ontario and Quebec, and cold in the Western Provinces with snow furries in Manitoba.

Prince Rupert	40	46
Victoria	42	50
Vancouver	38	50
Kamloops	39	46
Calgary	20	24
Whitby	26	38
Fort Arthur	52	54
Perry Sound	40	58
London	41	67
Toronto	42	62
Kingston	50	58
Ottawa	38	58
Montreal	38	58
St. John	32	54
Halifax	28	58

AROUND THE CITY

BACK TO MONCTON.
George Allard who was arrested on Tuesday by Officer McNamara, was taken to Moncton, where he was wanted for embezzlement of \$50 from the Star Laundry.

THE STEAMER DREAM.
The steamer Dream, which has recently been rebuilt by Fred Heans, has been purchased by Capt. C. C. Taylor, who will have the steamer on the river service next summer.

BANK CLEARINGS.
The St. John bank clearings for this week were \$3,455,954 in the same week last year they were \$2,441,470, and in 1917 were \$2,178,897.
Halifax, Oct. 9.—Bank clearings for the week ending today were \$5,583,144; last year, \$4,983,194.

STOLEN CAR FOUND.
The automobile, belonging to J. L. McAvity, which was stolen from in front of the Union Club several days ago, was found yesterday near the Wilson box factory in the South Bay road. The car was badly damaged and the number plate was missing.

ROBBERIES.
The Rockwood Dairy, Carleton, was burglarized on Wednesday evening. A pane of glass was removed and money, cigarettes and other things stolen.
Six tubs of butter, weighing in the vicinity of two hundred pounds, and valued at over \$100, were stolen from the storehouse of Capt. Peter McIntyre, Main street, on Wednesday night.

TYPHOID SITUATION IMPROVING.
With no typhoid cases reported for the past two days and only two for the entire week, so far, the situation is looking rather bright. At the General Public Hospital there are now only about a dozen cases remaining out of the twenty-four that were in the hospital but a week ago. The patients are being discharged each day and at the hospital the officials look upon the situation as "well on the mend."

PRaise FOR POLICE FORCE.
The following communication has been received by Chief of Police Smith from Godfrey Thomas, private secretary to H. H. the Prince of Wales, written at Victoria, B. C., on September 27th:
"I am desirous of the Prince of Wales to express his appreciation of the excellent police arrangements which were made on the occasion of his visit to St. John, N. B.
Your obedient servant,
(Sgd.) GODFREY THOMAS,
Private Secretary."

POLICE COURT.
A quick and clean job was effected by Inspectors Saunders, Merryfield and McAlain yesterday morning when they visited the premises of John Campbell, 23 Peters street, and ferreted out seven bottles of liquor which were hidden away on a board in the garage. Campbell was taken to the police station with the officers. He pleaded not guilty. Each of the inspectors gave evidence and Campbell was then remanded to jail. Campbell has already been convicted twice under the Prohibition Act.
Roy Morrison, a former member of the crew of the S. S. Governor Dingey, was yesterday morning sent up for trial on the charge of broaching cargo and stealing a quantity of cigars and candy on the trip from Boston to St. John. J. W. Tait for the prisoner. One drunk was remanded to jail.

GYPSY CARAVAN: HERE LAST NIGHT
In Each Vehicle Was a Woman Fully Bedecked in True Roma Fashion—Chance for Horse Trade or Fortune Telling.
A caravan and two express wagons drawn by teams of faded horses and densely packed with gypsies, passed through the business section of the city last night, headed towards Brussels street. In each vehicle was a woman, fully bedecked in true Roma fashion and packed in all the available space were the growing generation.
Completing the true "movie" effect of the parade was the Gypsies' stock in trade—a few bottles and kitchen utensils slung to the wagons, and a broken-down gray horse which could eventually be wished upon some unsuspecting bargainer.
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Townsend returned yesterday from a motor trip to American cities.

Y. M. C. A. Directors Met Last Evening

Reports from Various Committees Showed Season's Work Well Under Way—Successful Winter Indicated.

The directors of the Y. M. C. A. met last evening with G. L. Warwick in the chair. Reports of the various committees were received. These showed the work for the season well underway and every indication pointed to a successful winter.

The report on reconstruction was read and passed. This provided for closer relationship with the churches and especially with those organizations interested in boys' work. The financial budget was read and accepted.

The general secretary in his report showed that all classes in the physical department had been started and that additional members had joined. One hundred had been medically examined to determine their fitness to take up the physical training. Local doctors had volunteered for this work and they had expressed a willingness to examine any of the seniors, who might wish it before starting the classes.

The bowling alleys had been repaired and opened.

F. I. Woodworth, the boys' work secretary was on the job, and his department was progressing favorably. Arrangements had been made for a meeting of all those interested in Boys' Work to meet next Tuesday in the association rooms.

Basil Robertson has undertaken to look after the boys' department in the building.

Renovations to the building have been made and new apparatus has been installed in many instances.

Many of the old members have taken a deep interest in the work recently and they have been frequently seen about the building.

The new physical instructor is T. C. Armour.

New Organization Will Try Fortunes In Lower Provinces

Fair Vale Outing Club Was Formed at Large Meeting of Men Who Broke Away from the Old Association.

Seventy or eighty men who were former members of the Fair Vale Outing Association, who had withdrawn from that organization on the point of purchasing a pavilion assembled in K. Spear's millinery apartments on King street last night, and formed a new organization.

W. White was chosen chairman and L. Low, secretary-treasurer.

The chairman on opening the meeting stated that all present were quite aware of the reason that the meeting was called and declared the meeting open for discussion.

Mr. Spear said that the object of the meeting was for the purpose of organizing and he wished to state that as far as a pavilion was concerned the same proposition would be held good as was given to the old association. Major Frost said that he did not see any reason that with the material present there could not be as good an organization formed as the old one and made a motion that a new association be formed.

Mr. Goodrich said that he was well satisfied that a start had been made in forming a new organization and he was sure that success would follow, and he was prepared to work for its success harder than ever.

The next order was the adopting of a name for the new association and a number of suggestions were given, but finally it was decided to call the new organization the Fair Vale Outing Club.

It was also decided to form a committee for the purpose of drafting a constitution and by-laws and the following committee were drafted: Major Frost, Messrs. Goodrich, Wetmore and Spear.

The matter of the Gard property was brought up for discussion and on motion it was resolved to purchase the same.

The following trustees were chosen: Messrs. White, Spear, Frost and Dykeman.

On motion the meeting adjourned to meet in two weeks when the by-law committee will report.

Provincial Immigration Officer Sharp Believes Considerable Number Will Come Here from the Old Country to Locate.

Mr. Sharpe, provincial immigration officer, believes that in future a very considerable number of people from the old country will try their fortunes in the maritime provinces. The soldiers, he said, have given Canada a great deal of advertising; a new kind of advertising, too, which will redound to the advantage of the east. Many of the soldiers, especially with the first contingent, were British born, and had large numbers of friends and relatives who naturally were curious about conditions in Canada. And it appears that the story they told generally was that life on the grasses was a pretty dreary proposition, and their advice was that if anybody wished to locate in Canada they should stop in the east or go right out to the Pacific coast.

Mr. Sharpe is at present receiving a large number of letters from people in the Old Country asking for information about New Brunswick. Most of these enquiries are from people who say they plan on coming to Canada next year.

Apparently a lot of people who thought England was going to be a better place to live in after the war are not satisfied that Lloyd George will be able to create a new heaven and a new earth. An Englishman and his family who located at Norton some years ago sold their farm last March, and went to England, intending to remain there. The other day Mr. Sharpe heard from him. The Englishman had found conditions in the old country very unsatisfactory, and had returned to Canada and acquired another farm in the maritime provinces. He expressed regret that he had sold his place at Norton.

BUILT TO REPLACE THE GRANVILLE

New Steamer Ready for Launching at Meteghan River for St. John-Annapolis Service.

The new steamer which is being built to replace the Granville on the St. John and Annapolis Royal service is rapidly nearing completion in the yard of the Howse construction Company at Meteghan River, N. S.

It is expected that she will be ready for launching in about two weeks. Her engines are being installed while she is on the ways. The work on the deck house is well advanced. The steamer is 100 feet long on the keel, 21.6 wide, and has a depth of hold of 9 feet.

IN HONOR OF

A tablet is to be unveiled in St. John the Baptist (Mission) Church on Sunday next to the memory of members of that congregation who gave their lives in the war. The tablet is a brass one with a Cross in the center of the top. At either of the upper corners are brass religious emblems in relief and at the lower corners are a Union Jack and a maple leaf.

The inscription is as follows:
"To the Glory of God and in Honor of Memory of
Ed. Master Charles H. Williams,
(W. O.)
Cpl. William Ramsay,
Pte. Robert A. Gabriel,
Pte. J. Rupert Leggett,
Pte. Douglas T. Mowbray,
Sergt. Alex. W. Whitehead,
Pte. W. Foster Brown,
Pte. Frank L. Ganter,
Pte. Howard Logan,
Pte. Frederick Wolfe,
Pte. Frederick Wolfe,
Canadian Expeditionary Force.
Members of this Church, who laid down their lives in the Great War, 1914-1918.
Grant them, O Lord, Eternal Rest and May Light Perpetual Shine Upon Them."

FIRE PREVENTION DAY WAS OBSERVED

Talks on the Matter Were Given by Teachers in Public Schools—Chief of Fire Dept. and Men Inspect Buildings.

Talks on the matter of fire prevention were given yesterday in the public schools by the teachers. Dr. Bridges, superintendent, said yesterday that there was no special observance of the day beyond this, as it was regarded as too cool to rush the pupils out in bare heads and without their coats, since they had been practicing fire drill up to very recently. This matter was always taken up at the commencement of the term so as to familiarize the scholars with the part they should have to play in case of fire.

Fire prevention day was recognized by the public safety department of the city by an inspection of premises in the search of fire hazards. The inspection was carried out by permanent members of the fire department under the supervision of Chief Black. This has been a regular feature of the department's work for several years and has resulted in the elimination of many sources of danger. The firemen report on and advise the removal of inflammable waste material, wooden receptacles for ash, and other conditions which increase the fire risk and also see to it that fire escapes are readily accessible in buildings where they are provided and that access to them is not blocked.

AN ANNIVERSARY EVENING ENJOYED

Women's Missionary Society Session Held in Carleton Methodist Church Wednesday Evening—Satisfactory Reports Received.

The anniversary of the Women's Missionary Society was held in the Carleton Methodist church, Wednesday evening, with Mrs. I. O. Beattie, the president, in the chair, and the other officers present. Very satisfactory reports of the year's work were received from the various departments.

Mrs. J. Gough, who was delegate to the board meeting at Toronto, gave an address which was full of missionary interest. Mrs. George Barrett, who was delegate to the branch meeting at Moncton, gave a report which was much appreciated. Rev. J. Henne, the pastor, delivered a brief address touching on missionary problems with much force. Members of the Missionary Circle presented an exercise illustrating the work of the missionaries in various lands.

GOVERNMENT FARM EXHIBITS SHOWN

Considerable Interest in Fine Samples of Grains Shown in Prince William Street Windows—No Samples of Provincial Roads Shown.

The Provincial Government's farm in the show window of their offices on Prince William street is attracting considerable attention. It consists of several fine samples of grains which have taken prizes at the Fredericton exhibition. Most of the grains are from the northern section of the province, and some St. John specimens have been agreeably surprised at the excellence of the samples of wheat, oats, barley, and hay which is grown in the province.

The exhibit was grown on the farm of Hon. Mr. Tweeddale, and indicates that the minister of agriculture is a good farmer as well as a politician. An old country man who located in the Tobique Valley many years ago has in the exhibition about 39 varieties of grains and grasses, and it must be admitted that the grasses are far superior to those grown on Commissioner Fisher's streets. To complete the collection the only things needed are samples of the political wild oats sown by the youthful premier, and the flowers of rhetoric produced by Mr. Veniot's roads.

HARVEST MEN RETURNING HOME

Many Who Went West Not Particularly Satisfied With Results of Their Excursion.

Men who went west for the harvest are now returning home. Many of them are not particularly satisfied with the results of their excursion. Wages were high, but owing to the damage to crops in some areas, and bad weather some men had not a few bad days.

With the approach of winter men are flocking to the cities of the east, and when the cold weather suspends odd jobs the labor market will be somewhat crowded. Montreal is reported to have twelve thousand men out of work, with more coming in every day.

Service From St. John To Harve

Canadian Pacific Will Operate the Service to France This Winter—Another Service to Southampton and Antwerp.

The Canadian Pacific will operate a service from St. John to Southampton and Antwerp with the Scotia and Corsican will carry on the service from St. John during the winter. The boats will proceed from Harve to London, and return direct to Canada.

The C. P. O. S. will also carry on a service from St. John to Southampton and Antwerp with the Scotia and Tunisian. The same company will operate the Stellan and Pretorian between St. John and Glasgow this winter. The reason why it is running two services to the continent is said to be to enable passengers bound to Europe to avoid the passport difficulties incident to transfers from English ports.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY MEETING

Last Evening Pressing Need for Provincial Home for Feeble-Minded Was Discussed—Committee Appointed to Secure Information.

The monthly meeting of the Children's Aid Society was held last night in the Children's Home, 68 Garden street. Mrs. David McNeilan in the chair. Among other matters the pressing need of a provincial home for feeble minded was discussed and a committee was appointed to secure information and present a memorial to the government on the matter.

The monthly report of the Agent, Rev. George Scott contained the following statistics of work done:
Visits made, 50; letters and post cards sent, 66; people called at house, 14; telephone calls, 21.

One little girl six years' old was taken to the Provincial Hospital for nervous diseases by Miss Ross, the police matron. Two children were taken out of our home by their father, he having found a home for them. Another Kings county case was brought to the attention of the agent during the month in which, unfortunately, nothing could be done. A home for the little baby girl who was found in the vestibule of No. 1 Coburg street was advertised for, but unfortunately it never recovered from the effects of the drug which had been given and it died today.

AUTOMOBILE RUGS

Some of the good old English Rugs that we used to get in days gone by are to be seen at F. A. Dykeman and Co.'s. They are a set of traveler's rugs, made of about twenty rugs, and priced from \$7.50 to \$19.50 but are worth much more because the firm saved the duty and transportation charges by buying them from the traveller. You make that saving if you get one of these rugs. They are good dark colors, heavy weight and generous size.

WEDDINGS

Hampton, Oct. 8.—The marriage of Ethel Fraser Wedderburn, daughter of the late Judge Wedderburn, to Mr. Lewis Walter Lehrle occurred at the home of the bride.

Owing to the recent death of the bride's father, the event was quietly solemnized in the presence of members of the families interested. Mr. and Mrs. Lehrle are most popular in this town, and the united best wishes of their many friends go with them in their wedded life. They will be at home after May 1st, 1920.

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