

THE WEATHER.

Maritime - Moderate westerly winds, fine and warm. Toronto, June 20.-Showers and thunderstorms have been general today in Saskatchewan and Alberta, while in Manitoba clear skies have prevailed with very high temperature. From Ontario to the Maritime Provinces the weather has been fine and decidedly warm.

AROUND THE CITY

Meeting Tonight. A meeting of the executive of the Intersociety League will be held this evening after the St. Joseph-A. O. H. game in St. Peter's Y. M. A. rooms.

A Sad Case. About 11 o'clock last night a girl of about 17 or 18 years was arrested by the police for being intoxicated on the north wharf. She was unable to give her name, but it was learned that she came here from Moncton.

Y. M. C. A. Boys Camp. Mr. W. H. Moore, Boy's Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., expects to leave for Yarmouth, N. S., this week to make arrangements for the Y. M. C. A. maritime boys' camp to be held this summer.

Head of Foresters Coming. The high court of New Brunswick I. O. F., will probably meet in Chatham, in August, although the exact date will not be known until about the first of July. The supreme ranger, Dr. Stevenson, will be in attendance, and it is probable he will visit St. John before returning to his home.

Looks Good For Amherst. N. Curry, president of the Rhodes Curry Company, of Amherst, passed through the city last evening on his way to Montreal, on a business trip. Speaking to a Standard man he pronounced business at Amherst as booming, and said that no town in Canada had a better future. The company with which he is connected report a very successful year.

To Try Liquor Cases. Evidently they still sell liquor along the line of the G. T. P. in this province despite the vigilance of Commissioner L. P. Farris and his staff. Commissioner Farris was in the city yesterday and left last evening for Edmundston where he will hear evidence in no less than seven liquor cases on Wednesday. He will return to the city the last of this week.

Successful "Moonlight." The moonlight excursion held on the river last evening under the auspices of Camp Rothesay, Sons of Scotland was very successful. The steamer Victoria was engaged for the occasion and the attendance was so large that it was found necessary to stop the sale of tickets. The steamer went as far as Public Landing and returned about 11.30 p. m. The artillery band was in attendance and rendered a choice programme of dance music.

A Sunday Mail. St. John is to have a Sunday mail to and from all points on the C. P. R., and it will probably go into effect on Sunday next. Since the Sunday trains were accepted on the C. P. R., there has been no Sunday mail service, but this is to be changed and commencing next Sunday, mail will be brought in on all C. P. R. trains on that day and carried out on all outgoing trains. The change will be a great convenience especially to commercial men.

Examinations in Medicine. The professional examinations for registration in medicine will open in the Odd Fellows' Hall on Wednesday and continue till Saturday. The following have been appointed examiners by the Council of Physicians and Surgeons of New Brunswick: Drs. T. D. Walker, J. W. Daniel, W. W. White, A. F. Emery, W. Warwick and S. Skinner. It is expected that there will be about 12 candidates, mostly graduates of McGill, though there will be a number of graduates from American colleges.

Pontoon to Be Ready July 1. Owing to the illness of Foreman Macculay, and the wet weather of the past few weeks, the work of providing extra wharf accommodation for the Eastern Steamship Company at Reed's Point has been delayed, but the city engineer expects to have it finished by July 1, the date upon which the city agreed to have it completed. The pontoon has been constructed, and a force of men are now rushing the work of preparing the structure for fitting it into the jog of the wharf.

Getting Ready for Paving. The Hassam Paving Company will start work today, repairing the retaining wall on Main street. In company with the city engineer, Mr. Low, the representative of the company, went over the streets which are to be paved yesterday, and decided to start at once fixing up the retaining walls and curbs. The work of paving the streets will be proceeded with as soon as the householders who have been notified to have their sewer connections looked after have done their work. The Hassam Company will employ local men as far as possible.

John P. Hipwell Dying. The many friends of John P. Hipwell, one of the oldest officials in the railway mail service will learn with sincere regret that his condition is such that at midnight his death was hourly expected. Mr. Hipwell has been ill at his home Exmouth street for five weeks, but it was not supposed that he was in a serious condition until recently. He was suffering from an abscess in his ear but from a slight pain at first he paid little attention to it until the pain became acute. It was stated at his home last evening that the abscess had broken and was likely to cause death. Mr. Hipwell is a son of the veteran sergeant, John Hipwell of the police force and is in the 49th year of his age. He has been many years in the railway mail service and was very well known all over the Maritime Provinces. David Hipwell of Woodstock is a brother.

Rev. Thos. Deinhardt, Rev. Dr. Robt. Wilson and A. C. Powers returned from attending the meetings of the Methodist conference at Sackville on the Halifax train last evening.

NEVADA MEN REPORT RICH COPPER FIND NEAR NORTON

Thad. and Edward Dick, in the City Yesterday, Claim They Have Found What Will Prove a Bonanza in Kings County--They Have Experts at Work and Will Develop it Later.

Thad and Edward Dick, former residents of St. George, who left New Brunswick in the early 80s, and since then have engaged in mining in Colorado, Cobalt and Nevada, where they own several rich claims, recently paid a visit to their old homes, and were in the city yesterday. Besides coming on a pleasure trip the Dick brothers have also another motive in visiting the province. They are of the belief that in Kings county, but 11 miles from Norton, they have discovered two veins of copper ore that, if properly developed, will in time, become one of the richest and most productive copper mines in Canada. That there is copper there in plentiful quantities they say, there cannot be the least doubt, and their opinion is backed up by 25 years of practical mining experience. They have already experienced men engaged to thoroughly investigate and ascertain the real value of the mine. In the meantime they will return to Nevada and should the experts whom they have employed, report favorably, a company will be organized to work and develop the mine. Speaking with a Standard reporter yesterday Mr. Edward Dick, said that before engaging in mining in Colorado in 1885, while prospecting about 11 miles from Norton, he had first discovered copper ore. He then endeavored to induce several wealthy persons to assist in working the mine, but could not then convince them of the wealth of his discovery. While prospecting in Colorado and Nevada he often thought of the hidden wealth near his old home, and three years ago while returning to Nevada from Cobalt, he visited New Brunswick and thoroughly investigated the place where he had first discovered the copper ore. His investigations strengthened his belief that the copper vein, if developed, would prove to be one of the richest in Canada. We are convinced that we have struck one of the wealthiest veins of copper in Canada, and will back up our claims when we return from Nevada," was the way the Dick brothers summed up the situation. The two brothers while owning several wealthy claims in Colorado, have also organized a company, and are carrying on extensive mining operations in Goldfield.

STAVES BLOWN OUT OF THE SPRUCE LAKE MAIN

Accident Near South Bay Made Fairville Dry for a Couple of Hours Yesterday Afternoon. As the result of an accident in the 24-inch main from Spruce Lake to the city, there was a shortage of water in Fairville for a few hours yesterday afternoon, and the C. P. R. and the Cushing pulp mill were unable to secure their usual supply. The accident occurred on the Carpenter farm near South Bay where the water is conveyed in a stave pipe. Two of the staves on the under side of the pipe were blown out by the pressure and several others loosened. As soon as the accident was reported the Carleton service was drawn from the reservoir through the 12-inch pipe and repairs made to the larger one. The work of repair occupied about two hours, but during that time the pulp mill was unable to secure water and the C. P. R. engines had to be taken to the I. C. R. water tank at the east side. The service was normal at 3.30 and the damage repaired.

WILL SOME ONE TELL "WHERE WE ARE AT?"

Grave Uncertainty as to Fate of City After Saturday's Sham Fight--Were We Captured or Not? Although a big battle was fought for the possession of the city Saturday afternoon, nobody seems to know whether the old loyalist town was captured by the enemy or remained in the hands of its brave defenders. Certain it is that the time honored colors that decorate the office window of the mayor have not yet been seized by the enemy, and Chief Clark reports everything all quiet along the streets except a stry picket missing from delapidated fences. Col. McAvity, the umpire-in-chief of Saturday's struggle is out of town, and until he returns the citizens will not know their fate.

INSPECTED LOCAL RIFLE RANGE.

Lt-Col. Weatherbee of Halifax, inspecting officer of engineering corps and military works was in the city yesterday on his way to inspect the engineering corps at Farnham, Que., and at Petewawa. While here he visited the rifle range and expressed himself as well satisfied with what he saw. He was accompanied by Capt. Thacker of Quebec.

Great Sale of Lace Curtains At M. R. A.'s.

This will be welcome news indeed for housekeepers who realize, just what one of these curtain sales mean in value giving. A wonderful under-price offering of hundreds of pairs of sample curtains, a trifle soiled from handling, in handsome new patterns and bewildering in variety of charming effect. Such great bargains that prompt action is necessary if you desire to take part in this great money-saving event. Sale starts this morning at eight o'clock in Housefurnishing Department. Melba Coming. Madame Melba has been engaged to appear in St. John on September 3rd.

PAINLESS DENTISTRY. Teeth filled or extracted free of pain by the celebrated "HALE METHOD." All branches of dental work done in the most skillful manner. BOSTON DENTAL PARLORS, 527 Main St., Tel 663 DR. J. D. MAHER, Proprietor.

Victor Gramophones. Records and Needles. We have some very fine new records. Come and hear them, E. G. NELSON & CO. 56 King Street.

The Romper Shoe For Children. "Let the foot grow as it should".

WATERBURY & RISING, King Street, Mill Street, Union Street.

Walker THE PLUMBER. HOT WATER and STEAM HEATER, GAS FITTER. F. S. WALKER, Phone Main 1025, 18 GERMAIN STREET.

Pineapples For Preserving. Sizes 24-30-36-42. This is the time of year when they are plentiful. Prices very low--Order today before an advance. WRITE, WIRE OR PHONE. THE WILLET Fruit Co., LTD. Wholesale Dealers in FRUITS AND PRODUCE ST. JOHN, N. B.

ICY-HOT BOTTLES. Are the most satisfactory on the market. They will keep contents either icy cold or steaming hot for days. Take one with you to the picnic and have a fresh hot or cold drink with your lunch. Pints at \$3.00 and \$3.75 Quarts at \$5.00 and \$5.75 W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD. Market Square, St. John, N. B.

"A GOOD PLACE TO BUY GOOD CLOTHES" Summer Suits. of flannel, homespun and other suitable fabrics are not any too early--the hot days are coming soon. We have the suits NOW; why not select yours while the line is full? Two Piece Suits \$10.00 to \$20.00 Outing Trousers 2.00 to 4.75 GILMOURS', 68 KING STREET. TAILORING AND CLOTHING. SOLE AGENCY 20TH CENTURY BRAND CLOTHING.

We Have Eleven Ladies' Costumes. The Balance of this season's suits. The prices were \$20, \$22 and \$25. Now the price to be \$14.90. The following are the sizes and colors: 1 GREYISH GREEN FINE SERGE SUIT, SIZE 36, WAS \$24.00 1 BLACK VENETIAN CLOTH, SIZE 38. 1 NAVY BLUE VENETIAN CLOTH, SIZE 40. 1 BROWN VENETIAN CLOTH, SIZE 38. TAN BROADCLOTH, SIZE 36 3 GREY STRIPE TWEEDS, 34, 36, 38. WERE \$25. 2 GREEN CHEVIOTS, SIZE, 34 AND 38. 1 NAVY BLUE CHEVIOT, SIZE 38. If We Have Your Size They Are Extra Value ROBERT STRAIN & CO., 27-29 Charlotte St.

ANOTHER LARGE STOCK OF Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases. Arrived Yesterday, Fresh from the Factory. We have been selling Trunks, Travelling Bags, and Suit Cases at a lively rate this spring. Less than three months ago we received our spring stock, enough, we thought, to do us all through the season. We told you then that we were going to sell them at prices that would make them move rapidly, and they did move much more rapidly even than we had expected, and we found it necessary to order again and again even larger lots than the first. Yesterday the third shipment arrived, they are a splendid lot and are on sale. Trunks . . . \$2.00 to \$9.70 Travelling Bags . . . 2.00 to 9.50 Suit Cases . . . 1.60 to 17.50 ASK TO SEE OUR SOLID LEATHER SUIT CASE AT \$5.00 J. N. HARVEY, Tailoring and Clothing, Opera House Block, 199 to 207 UNION STREET. Stores open evenings till 8 o'clock. St. John, June 21st, 1910.

Great Sale of Lace Curtains COMMENCING This Morning. Hundreds of Pairs of Samples, Slightly Soiled and Odd Hangings in all makes at Wonderfully Low Prices. The M. R. A. Reputation for surprising curtain sales will be sufficient to bring great crowds to this event which could not be more opportune or more acceptable for the thrifty house-wife than now when new curtains are needed. These are curtains which have been used as samples, and as a result are SLIGHTLY SOILED--rest assured that they are bargains of the most extraordinary kind--but you must make haste to secure them. ENGLISH LACE CURTAINS in 2 1/2, 3, 3 1/2 yard lengths, single and double borders. Sale prices per pair . . . 25c to \$3.90 IRISH POINT AND SWISS APPLIQUE CURTAINS in the special length of 2 1/2 yards. Sale prices, per pair . . . \$2.45 to \$3.90 IRISH POINT CURTAINS in the ordinary 3 1/2 yard length. Sale prices, per pair . . . \$3.00 to \$6.00 EXTRA! After the Spring selling we have remaining a number of the best designs, comprising but two pairs of a pattern. They include such famous makes as Swiss, Point de Lisse, Cluny Battenburg, Guipure d'Art and Marie Antoinette in White, Cream and Arabian shades. To close out quickly they are placed at exceedingly low figures. Sale prices per pair \$3.00 to \$12.00 Also a number of odd designs, one pair to a pattern. Sale prices per pair . . . 50c to \$5.50 Sale Starts This Morning, at 8 o'clock sharp, in HOUSE FURNISHING DEPARTMENT MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, LTD.