

LOCAL NEWS

THE WEATHER

Toronto, March 21.—The disturbance which was west of the Great Lakes on Saturday has moved eastward to the lower St. Lawrence Valley causing showers and thunderstorms in Ontario and Quebec. An area of high pressure with zero temperature has come in over the western provinces from the northward.

Table with columns for Max. and Min. temperatures for various locations including Victoria, Calgary, Edmonton, Winnipeg, White River, Ottawa, Quebec, St. John, N. B., and Halifax.

Condition Improved. The condition of the Countess of Ashburnham, who is quite seriously ill with bronchial grip, is slightly improved today.

Called by Illness. Conductor A. O. Crookbank of the C. N. R. was called to Rumford Falls, Me., on Saturday night by the serious illness of his son, Otty Crookbank.

Unable to Hold Service. Rev. Canon Smithers conducted the services in St. Mary's church, South Devon, last evening. The pastor, Rev. C. W. Fisher, is still confined to his bed although his condition is slightly improved today.

By Special Request. At the Methodist church last evening the pastor, Rev. G. M. Young repeated his sermon, Thou Shalt Not Bear False Witness Against Thy Neighbor, by special request. D. B. Tees rendered the selection The Falms in an excellent manner.

Successful Food Sale. The food sale conducted by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals in R. Chestnut & Sons store on Saturday afternoon was a success in every way, over \$80 being realized. Miss Beverly, Mrs. (Dr.) McKay, Mrs. John Harvey and Miss Mary Palmer were the ladies in charge.

The Late Mrs. Stairs. The funeral of the late Mrs. Bedford Stairs took place today from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Stephen Doucette, George street, the remains being taken to Southampton for interment. Last evening a short service was conducted at the home by Rev. Z. L. Fash, at which many friends of the family were present.

Presented With Life Membership. A delegation from the Ladies' Missionary Aid Society of the Brunswick Street Baptist church waited upon Mrs. J. R. Kennedy at her home last evening and presented her with an address and life membership in the society. Mrs. Kennedy has been the efficient president of the society for some time and her departure from the city is deeply regretted.

Operated Upon at St. John. Friends of Miss Mary A. Nannary, of St. John, will regret to learn that she had to undergo an operation in the St. John Infirmary. It was announced yesterday that the operation had been successful and that she has spent a comfortable night. Miss Nannary has been a frequent visitor to this city and has many warm personal friends here.

Entertained Hospital Boys. The Victor Hatway Chapter of the I. O. O. F. entertained the boys at the D. S. C. E. hospital last evening. A musical programme was carried out and those who took part were Mrs. Inglis, Miss Edna Baird, Miss Frederica Edgecombe, Miss Josephine Vradenburg, Miss Christine Tennant, Miss Helen Richardson, Miss Maude Camp, Miss Edith Gatecombe, Dr. Dakin, Prof. Smith, D. B. Tees and G. D. Holder. At the conclusion of the programme, refreshments were served by the members of the chapter and a most enjoyable social hour was spent.

Hospital Full of Patients. Every bed in Victoria Hospital is occupied and during the past few days cots have been placed in the corridors and other places throughout the hospital to accommodate the patients who are coming in every day. To add to the heavy work at the hospital six of the nurses are confined to their rooms with illness, Miss Brown, Miss Upton, Miss Comley, Miss Morris, the operating room nurse, Miss Johnson and Miss Pugh. It was necessary yesterday for Miss Pugh to undergo an operation for appendicitis, and today she is doing as well as can be expected.

Gave Stainer's Crucifixion. A large and appreciative audience gathered in the Brunswick street Baptist church last night to hear the rendering of Stainer's Crucifixion by the choir of thirty-five voices. The leading solo parts were well taken by Messrs. Cooper, Holder, Good, Cochran, Peterson, Thomas, Belding and Smith. A mixed quartet, Messdames Good and Smith and Messrs. Cooper and Smith, and a duet by Messrs. Cochran and Thomas, were particularly well given. The well balanced chorus did its work with precision, good shading and sympathetic interpretation. The solemn and impressive musical service reflected much credit upon the faithfulness and efficiency of the organist and choir leader, Miss Alice Harrison.

FITZRANDOLPH NON-SUPPORT CASE IN POLICE COURT

Mrs. Randolph Only Witness Called This Morning When Case Was Adjudged

COURTROOM CROWDED WHEN COURT OPENED

Witnesses to Be Subpoened in Connection With Agreement Said to Have Been Offered

In the Police Court this morning before Judge Limerick the non-support case which is the sequel of the Fitz-Randolph divorce case was commenced. Charles Fitz-Randolph, now conducting a grain business at the Board of Trade Building, Montreal, being charged with having failed to provide support for his children under 16 years of age.

INCOME TAX FORMS HAVE ARRIVED AT THE POST OFFICE

Every Person Who Earned \$1,000 in 1920 Must Make Return Under Act

PENALTY FOR NOT COMPLYING WITH ACT

Anyone Making False Statement Liable to a Fine of \$10,000 on Conviction

The income tax forms have arrived from Ottawa and are available for citizens at the post office. Returns must be filed not later than March 31, in the case of trustees, employers, corporations, individuals who are required to give information, and returns on income must be filed not later than April 30.

JUDGE WILSON RETIRED FROM THE COUNTY COURT

Telegram From Department of Justice Notifies Him of His Superannuation

HAS SERVED ON THE BENCH OVER 22 YEARS

Retirement Also Creates a Vacancy on City of Fredericton Police Commission

Hon. William Wilson, judge of the county courts of York, Sunbury and Queens counties, has received official notification of his retirement under superannuation allowances.

FINANCE POST FOR ALD. GEO. H. CLARK

Committees of the New City Council to Be Named This Evening

A special meeting of the City Council is called for tonight for the swearing in of the new aldermen, and the appointment of committees for the ensuing year.

Vacancies in the chairmanships of three committees have been caused by the death of Ald. T. S. Wilkinson, and the defeat of Ald. Baxter at the polls in the recent election.

The committees lacking chairmen are the Street Lighting, Finance and Legislation committees. Ald. Clark will probably be appointed to take Ald. Wilkinson's place as the head of the Finance Committee, while Ald. Baird will probably be selected chairman of the Street Lighting Committee.

The chairmanship of the Legislation committee, formerly held by Ald. Wilkinson, it was stated this morning, would probably fall to the lot of Ald. Cooper.

No other matters are down on the notice of meeting.

LIQUOR DESTROYED

\$500 Worth Destroyed by Fire in Dibble's Drug Store Yesterday Afternoon

Upwards of \$500 worth of liquor was destroyed yesterday afternoon in Dibble's drug store and about \$500 damage to the store, when a fire originating from an electric stove took place.

The fire was discovered by Hedley Forbes, managing director of the company, about 5.45 o'clock in the afternoon, he having come to the store about an hour earlier than opening time. The fire was caused by an electric stove which had been left burning and over-heated something that was left on the stove.

When the firemen arrived on the scene they found the store filled with smoke and a fire along the walls, which was extinguished. The total loss is about \$1,000.

Civilian Clothes. Thomas Meighan will be on the Opera House screen tonight in the Paramount picture, Civilian Clothes, adapted from the stage play of the same name. Meighan will be remembered for his wonderful portrayal of the Miracle Man, also for his work in Male and Female and Why Change Your Wife. Don't fail to see him in Civilian Clothes.

The majority of housewives demand Borden's St. Charles or Jersey Milk "with the cream left in." "The can with the cow on the label." They know it is best. Your grocer can supply you.

At the Gaiety Today.

Charles Ray's best picture, "Peaceful Valley, Sol Russell Smith's great stage success, and "Father's Close Shave," from the famous "Bringing Up Father" series, by George McManus.

Mail boxes at Lawlor & Cain's.

Canned Shrimp

They have been off the market for some time, but we have again received a supply.

CAPE COD CRANBERRIES. A few left. Get some for Easter while they last.

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