

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—South shifting to south-west and west gales with occasional rain. Toronto, Oct. 21.—The disturbance which was last night approaching the great lakes from the westward is now centered over northern Ontario. Rain has fallen today over Ontario and the greater part of Quebec and light local snows have occurred in Manitoba. Elsewhere the weather has been fair.

AROUND THE CITY

St. Rose's Fair. The closing night of the autumn festival in St. Rose's church last evening was marked by a very large attendance. The results of the different contests and drawings are not yet known, but will be made out in a few days. In the voting contest for the most popular barber, Mr. Joseph Dwyer was the successful Committee's Report Ready.

Five O'clock Tea and Candy Sale. The five o'clock tea and candy sale held yesterday by the Women's Foreign Missionary Society in the school-room of Carleton Presbyterian church, was largely attended. The tables were prettily decorated with flowers and the candy booth was adorned with autumn leaves and rowan berries.

Marsh Bridge Abolished Repairs. The repairing of the Marsh Bridge abutment is proving a more difficult undertaking than was at first anticipated. At present only half the roadway is open for traffic and the abutment is torn out around the water main.

Twenty Now in Signalling School. The signalling school for militiamen, opened on Monday, is now in full swing, and the work in both the day and evening classes is progressing under the able instruction of Sergt. Instructors Kemple and Leavitt.

Pleasing Reminder of the Orange Fair. Yesterday evening in White's restaurant, King street, Johnson L. O. L., No. 24 entertained the ladies of No. 19, L. O. B. A. who assisted them at their booth in the Orange fair.

LATE PERSONAL. Mr. J. King Hazen who has been visiting his son, Hon. J. D. Hazen, returned to Fredericton last evening.

You Can Save Money at M. R. A.'s Sale. The great money making furniture sale at M. R. A.'s warehouse, Market Square, is going with a rush that establishes a precedent for future selling.

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Capt. D. O. C. Newton, who has been expected here for some days in the interest of the proposed drydock for St. John, arrived in the city yesterday. As one result of his visit joint delegations from St. John and Quebec will probably go to Ottawa next week to urge upon the Government the importance of building drydocks at these two cities.

CITY ASKED TO TRY "FLUID ASPHALT" AS NEW PAVEMENT

Toronto Firm Has New Product To Offer—Cheaper Than Tarvia—City Engineer Is Investigating.

The Common Council will probably have another paving proposition before them very long, as the city engineer is in communication with the British American Oil Company, of Toronto, with reference to a product called Vulcan Fluid Asphalt, manufactured by the company.

FIFTY PER CENT. OF POTATO CROP DESTROYED BY ROT

Montreal Alarmed Over Reports From This Province—W. W. Hubbard Confirms Bad News.

Montreal advices received by The Standard last evening stated that considerable anxiety was felt in the potato market on account of a report received from New Brunswick to the effect that fifty per cent of the potato crop had been destroyed by the rot.

Col. John C. Calhoun, New York, and his son, Mr. J. E. Calhoun, came to town today.

SHAVING

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FOR ALL :-



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Your Thanksgiving Suit! Perhaps a trip to the old home is in order—or a visit to some friends—or some special celebration. In any event the knowledge that you are properly attired will add much to the pleasure of the day.

UNEEDA Biscuit. Biscuit are more than mere soda crackers. They are a distinct individual food article, made from special materials, by special methods, in specially constructed bakeries.

THE WEATHER, THE SEASON, THE HOLIDAY--ALL SUGGEST Heavier Clothing. There is no time in all the season that suggests more the need of warmer clothing than Thanksgiving time. It is the dividing line, as it were, between the pleasant autumn days and the cold weather ahead.

Winter Overcoats For Men and Boys. The weather is growing colder and you won't be able to put off the buying of the Winter Overcoat much longer. Whether for man or boy our overcoat showing is now perfectly complete and comprises every overcoat style to be seen on the promenades of the largest cities.