

THE WEATHER.

New England Forecast. Washington, May 15.—Forecast for New England: Partly cloudy Monday; Tuesday increasing cloudiness; light to moderate variable winds becoming southeasterly.

AROUND THE CITY

Creating Disturbance.

Between 11 and 12 o'clock Saturday night the police were called into Mrs. Thomas's house on Simonds street to assist in ejecting Fred O'Dell who was creating a disturbance.

754 Unlicensed Dogs.

The police have completed taking a census throughout the city of unlicensed dogs. Their report shows that in the Southern division of the city there are 625 dogs without a license, and 129 in the Western division.

Grand Division S. of T.

The semi-annual session of the Grand Division Sons of Temperance will convene tomorrow afternoon at Hopewell Hill, Albert county. Reports of grand officers will be submitted. An effort is being made to secure reduced fares for delegates.

Death of Alexander McFarland.

The death occurred in the General Public Hospital yesterday afternoon of Alexander McFarland of Hammond, Kings county, in the 65th year of his age. He had been confined in the hospital for the past two weeks. His relatives at Hammond were notified.

Body of Child Not Identified.

The body of a newly born child which was found Saturday afternoon at the foot of Wesley street, was viewed by Coroner N. F. Roberts at Chamberlain's undertaking rooms Saturday evening. It was not identified. No order has yet been issued for its burial.

Death of Patrick Lenihan.

Patrick Lenihan a well known resident of the West side died yesterday morning after a lingering illness. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Julia Lenihan, who is in the 94th year of her age and by two sisters, Mrs. Captain Haley and Mrs. William Quilty, both of the West End. Mr. Lenihan was about 54 years of age.

Schr. Patrick Not Badly Damaged.

A telegram received on Saturday afternoon by J. Spilane and Company from G. W. Crane of New York, the agents there of the schooner Lizzie H. Patrick, ashore near Cienfuegos, tells that the schooner's cargo has all been discharged and it was found that the vessel was not as badly damaged as at first believed. All the members of the crew are safe and no danger to life attended the vessel's stranding.

Children Lost and Found.

Two little boys wandered from their homes on Saturday and Sunday and had to be returned to their parents by the police. Between three and four o'clock Saturday afternoon four year old Fred Long was found wandering about the streets and brought to the police station. She was later returned to her parents at 15 Meadow street. Yesterday morning a little girl was found wandering about the burying ground. She was taken home to her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Laimzma, 45 Brussels street.

Chief Kerr's Wagon in Collision.

About 7.30 last evening an alarm was rung in from box 12 for a small fire in the cellar of the Maritime Dairy, corner of Sydney and Union streets. The fire was in a barrel of rubbish and was extinguished before any damage was done. While responding to the alarm Alex Chisholm, driver of the chief's cart collided with a street car at the corner of Carmarthen and Princess streets. The horse was knocked down by the force of the collision and the wagon was smashed. Owing to the expert handling of the horse by Mr. Chisholm the animal escaped uninjured.

Two Small Fires.

Between 11 and 12 o'clock yesterday morning an alarm was rung in for a fire on the railway near the Imperial Oil Company's tanks. A pall of water was sufficient to extinguish the blaze. A fire, the origin of which is unknown broke out in the residence of E. Blinn McLeod Saturday. When first noticed the window curtains of the front windows were ablaze. Without notifying the fire department, the ladies in the house quickly proceeded to throw water upon the flames, and after some slight damage to the ceilings and windows the fire was extinguished. The loss which was slight was covered by insurance.

Icelanders Take Rhodes Scholarships.

"The Icelander in the West is a quiet man, and does not make much public display even in winter sports, but he comes out strong in the schools," says Professor Chester Martin. "Two Icelanders have already taken Rhodes scholarships from Manitoba College, and an Icelander is a strong candidate for the next appointment. This young man has been taking an honor course in modern history with me, and shows a surprising aptitude. His essays are models of good English. He speaks both English, the language of Addison, rather than the vernacular, and he is an exceedingly keen student. Yet this young man could not speak a word of English seven years ago."

Mrs. Mary Porter.

An old and especially well known resident of this city died on Saturday in the person of Mrs. Mary Porter, widow of Capt. William Porter. Mrs. Porter was 75 years of age and had been in poor health for some time. Her condition became serious about two weeks ago and her death ensued on Saturday. The late Mrs. Porter was a native of Liverpool, England, and was married there to Captain Porter, who was one of the old time St. John sea captains whose ships went round the world and made the port famous for its shipping. Her husband died a year ago and the illness of Mrs. Porter practically dates from his death. She is survived by one son, J. J. Porter, barrister of this city, and one daughter, Mrs. T. W. Patterson of Toronto. The funeral will take place today from the undertaking parlors of N. W. Brennan & Son, at 230 p. m.

A good quick service always at White's restaurant.

AGED 84, BUT NOT TOO OLD TO TRAVEL.

John Abram Cliff of Queensbury Pays His Son a Surprise Visit—Interesting Recollections of Old Times.

E. P. Cliff of Mecklenburg street got a surprise last week when his father, John Abram Cliff, of Queensbury, York Co., strolled into the house on a visit. Mr. Cliff senior is ninety-four years old and was not expected to go off alone on a journey. But he is quite capable of travelling. When interviewed by The Standard Mr. Cliff observed that he had not done much work lately. He was able to do a little but concluded that he had done as much as was necessary. At Queensbury are some of the weapons of Mr. Cliff's trooper grandfather, wherewith he fought against the "rebels" in the war of the revolution. He was a trooper and the tools of his trade were a carbine, a pair of horse pistols and a sword. Mr. Cliff and his father grew up on the lands granted to the disbanded loyalist soldiers.

In his early life there were no wagon roads in his part of the country. The St. John river was the road and most of the goods were carried by canoes in summer. The first railway that Mr. Cliff ever saw was one he helped build. He was a sub-contractor on the Gibson line, also on the road into Fort Fairfield. He built seven miles of the Grand Southern. He was never a soldier, but had a fine chance to make the acquaintance of soldiers. His people had a contract to move troops from Fredericton to Lower Canada at the time of the "Papineau war." He himself drove thirty miles beyond Grand Falls, but the relays failed and they went beyond the border.

Mr. Cliff had another contract of the kind in the "Aroostook war." This was in summer. The soldiers were towed up river in scows or barges drawn by horses on the bank. Mr. Cliff went up to Fairfield and was there when the fort was built. The third contract of the kind which he handled was in the "Treaty affair." He and his friends provided some 20 teams. This was also a winter trip and followed the winter road. He went with his teams to the far end of Lake Temiscouata.

Mr. Cliff was before the union a Free Baptist. He was not always so, because there were no Free Baptists in this province when he was young. He first knew them under the name of New Lights. He attended the first Free Baptist Conference and hardly missed one afterward.

"People used to go a good many miles to church when I was younger," he said. "They went in canoes, or on horseback, the women riding behind. It is a hard way to travel, but the meeting house was better filled than it is now."

Mr. Cliff remembers when L. A. Willmot started out in politics and the beginning of Mr. Fisher's career. He was a friend and supporter of Sir Leonard Tilley.

DARING MOTOR BOAT ROBBERY IN CARLETON

Craft Owned by Bouche Donovan Stripped by Thieves Saturday Night—Loss Estimated at \$50.

With the return of the yachting and boating season, the motor boat thief has again appeared upon the scene. He showed his hand in a rather bold manner on Saturday night when a motor boat lying in Rodney alley, belonging to Bouche Donovan, of Queen street, West Side, was completely robbed of its contents.

Among the articles missing was a set of batteries, tools, oilcan and other articles amounting to the value of \$50 or \$60. The robbery must have been committed late Saturday night, as the boat was left in perfect order sometime earlier in the evening. No clue to the thief was left behind. The police were notified of the matter and are at work on the case. Last summer several boat owners suffered considerable loss through the visits of boat thieves and an effort will be made this year to stamp out the practice.

FISHING IN HARBOR WORST SINCE 1877

Weir Men Claim Receipts Not Enough to Pay Rentals—Drifting Also Shows Great Falling Off.

"This is the worst season in harbor fishing since the year of the fire. Not for thirty odd years have the weir fishermen fared so badly." So spoke one of them to The Standard. He said that the weir fishing this year was nearly over. The receipts would not be nearly enough to pay for the rental to the city. That meant that the leases lost their time and expenses and were out hundreds of dollars besides. One lease which was sold at \$1,300 would not take fish worth half the money. There are single fishermen who will lose \$100 in cash besides getting nothing for their work. It is said that the whole of the Navy Island weirs will not produce half the amount of the rentals. The drifting is not much better. Men work for a whole tide and get a basket of fish. "Night after night," said one of them, "a crew has gone out with boats and a full equipment of nets that cost a good deal of money. They get for their night's work about a hundred gasperes."

LAWRENCE SULLIVAN KILLED IN BOSTON

Victim of Railway Accident Identified by Police as St. John Man—Great Shock to Relatives.

A telegram received on Saturday by Chief of Police Clark from Supt. of Police Pierce of Boston, stated that a man killed on Atlantic Avenue on the Union Freight Railroads on May 12th, had been identified as Lawrence Sullivan, a son of John Sullivan, 116 Duke street. Mr. Sullivan left St. John for Boston about two years ago. The news came as a great shock to the parents and relatives here. John Sullivan, a brother of the deceased, left on the Calvin Austin Saturday evening for Boston. It is probable that the body will be brought home for burial.

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR THREE PROVINCES

Rev. W. R. Robinson Receives Much Valuable Information from Authorities in U.S.—To Confer With Judge Wallace.

Rev. W. R. Robinson expects to leave for Halifax the last of this month to interview Judge Wallace on the project of an Industrial University for the Maritime Provinces to be located at some central point to be agreed upon and supported by the governments of the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland.

On behalf of a committee Mr. Robinson has been gathering information on the project and has received valuable letters and assistance from such authorities in reform work as Governor Dineen of Illinois and Judge Ben B. Lindsay of Denver, who has been written up at length in the magazines as "the kids judge." Both gentlemen have expressed their interest in the plan and have sent much valuable data.

As soon as Mr. Robinson gets the information in shape for presentation to the government the committee will wait upon them and urge the importance of some such institution being established.

S. JOHN BAPTIST FREE FROM DEBT

Pleasant Announcement Made to Congregation Yesterday Proceeds of High Tea Netted \$1,387—Improvements.

In St. John the Baptist church yesterday morning the congregation listened to the report of the management from Very Rev. W. F. Chapman, V. G., that their church was free from debt. Father Chapman also stated that there was on hand a building fund of \$1,700. The proceeds of the High Tea held recently netted the handsome amount of \$1,387.65. During the past five or six years many improvements, incurring considerable expense, have been added to the building. A new system of heating was installed, and the interior of the building painted in a manner which made it the equal in beauty of any church in the city. Last year the work of taking down the old steeple was commenced. The work was quickly completed and in its place was erected a large and handsome tower.

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GOLD WATCH FOR GECIL McINERNEY

Ten-Year-Old Lad Remembered by J. M. Robinson for Plucky Act in Breaking Baby's Fall from Window.

Ten-year-old Cecil McInerney, son of Dr. J. P. McInerney, M.P.P., who made such a courageous and successful attempt at breaking the fall of the three-year-old boy of J. M. Robinson of Leinster street, when the child fell from a second story window, about a week ago, was fittingly remembered yesterday when he received from Mr. and Mrs. Robinson a handsome solid gold watch. Accompanying the watch was the following letter:— My Dear Cecil—Mrs. Robinson and myself wish to express to you our heartfelt thanks for your thoughtfulness and pluck, which saved our little boy from severe injury—perhaps death, when he fell from the window last Saturday. We trust you will accept from us the little timepiece as a token of our appreciation of your brave act. Very sincerely yours, J. M. ROBINSON, May 14, 1910. The letter and watch, which is a very handsome one, are much prized by the youngster.

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