

His Honour The Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Wood will receive at the Keith assembly rooms, Carleton street, on the afternoon of Friday the 19th inst., from four to six o'clock.

WILLIAM CRUIKSHANK Private Secretary.

THE WEATHER.

Forecasts. Maritime - Fresh westerly winds, unsettled and showery; much the same temperature.

Toronto, Sept. 17. - Showers have occurred today in Ontario and Quebec, while in other parts of the Dominion the weather has been fair.

Table with columns: Location, Min., Max. Includes entries for Victoria, Vancouver, Kamloops, etc.

AROUND THE CITY

Officer Shot Dog. Last evening Policeman Gibbs was called on to shoot a sick dog on Brussels street.

Found by Police. A ball joint from an automobile and two bills of lading found on Union street yesterday by police.

Horse Ran Away. A horse attached to an express wagon and owned by the Two Barkers, Ltd., ran away on Germain street yesterday and was not caught until after it had collided with a fence on Britan street, causing considerable damage.

Woman Found Drunk. Shortly after one o'clock yesterday persons walking through the Queen Square became alarmed when they saw an elderly woman lying on one of the benches in a stupor and a bottle containing liquid alongside of her.

Colored Man in Court. A colored man named Weeks, who was arrested during July for stealing forty dollars from a Swede in Louis Fader's boarding house on Pond street was before the magistrate again yesterday afternoon and again acknowledged having stolen the money.

Did Not Get Change TO GO ON A STRIKE. Laborer Tells His Side of Story Concerning Trouble with Stevedore Swanton - Foreigners in Places.

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Band tonight at Queen's Rollaway. Mrs. James Carpenter and family wish to extend their thanks to the friends for the kindness shown during their recent bereavement.

URGES IMPERIAL BUILDING FOR COLONIES

Mayor Frink Points out Value and Usefulness of Such an Institution - All Information About Overseas Dominions would be Under One Roof.

"Have the Canadian papers published anything about the project to establish an Imperial building in London, containing the offices and prominent exhibits of all the overseas Dominions?" observed Mayor Frink yesterday. "I have just been reading an article in the Forthnightly Review under the heading of 'An Imperial Opportunity,' pointing out the need of such an institution, but I am not aware that Canada has been a party to the negotiations which appear to have been going on."

PARISH OF WESTFIELD ROYALLY WELCOMES PREMIER FLEMMING

Assures Residents that Government will take Matter of Improved Ferry Service into Consideration - Urges Necessity of Taking Advantage of Agricultural Opportunities.

The question of promoting an improved ferry service between Millerville and Summersville, Kennebecasis Island and Baywater engaged the attention of Premier Fleming yesterday when in company with Hon. J. A. Murray, George B. Jones and H. V. Dickson, the representatives for Kings county, and L. E. D. Tilley, C. B. Lockhart and Phillip Grannan, the city members of the legislature, he made a trip in the Maggie Miller, after making himself personally acquainted with the needs of the service, addressed a public meeting of the residents of the district at Baywater. Owing to the increase of traffic between the points mentioned, an agitation was started some time ago for an improved service. What the people want is a faster boat than the Maggie Miller, and one capable of steaming through thin ice, so that the service can be opened sooner in the spring and continued later in the fall.

Importance of Education. H. V. Dickson, speaking as a practical farmer, confirmed the views expressed by the Premier, as to the opportunities available to farmers in this province and the importance of an efficient system of agricultural education.

Promises Consideration. Premier Fleming when called on for a speech, expressed his pleasure at the opportunity to meet so many residents of the parish. Turning to the purpose of his visit he said he recognized the isolated position of the people of the parish and the need of an adequate ferry service. He declared that the government would give the matter its serious consideration.

River Excursion Saturday. The steamer Victoria will leave for Fredericton at 12 o'clock on Saturday, September 20th, calling only at Gagetown, Upper Gagetown, Sheffield, Mouserville and Oromocto. The I. C. R. Suburban due to leave at 11 p. m. will be held until 11.15 Friday, the 19th inst. for the accommodation of those attending the opening of the Imperial Theatre.

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NO TRIBLE CITY BONDS

St. John Occupies Excellent Financial Position Compared with other Cities, Says Mayor Frink.

"There is no doubt that St. John occupies an excellent financial position, compared with most other cities," said Mayor Frink yesterday, when asked if he anticipated any difficulty in floating bonds to cover the expenditures made on capital account recently. "I have letters from several of the best known bond issues in Canada saying that they noticed St. John contemplated issuing a considerable amount of bonds in the near future, and expressing a desire to handle the city's bonds. I have also received numerous enquiries from our own citizens who want to buy our bonds. That I take it, is another evidence that the people of St. John have a new faith in the future of their city."

MANY ATTEND THE OPENING

Crowds Present at First Night of City Cornet Band Fair, in St. Andrew's Rink.

The City Cornet Band's "Around the World" fair was opened last night in St. Andrew's Rink and drew a fairly large attendance. Considering that it was the first night the attendance was good, and now that the fair has begun to attract a large number of people, it is not a doubt that it will be a success.

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