

THE WEATHER
Gulf and Maritime—Moderate winds, mostly fair; stationary or a little higher temperature.

AROUND THE CITY

In New Quarters.
G. F. Palmer, local manager for Norton Griffith, moved into his residence at Courtenay Bay yesterday.

Awaiting Owner.
A fitting of prayer beads found on Douglas Avenue yesterday and handed to the police, awaits the owner at the central police station.

Must Be Up to Date.
J. A. Pugsley has been reported by Sgt. Baxter for allowing his motor truck to be driven through the public streets without having the number of the year 1912 attached to it.

Steam Shovel Here.
The big steam shovel, brought here by the Norton Griffith company, is being moved down to the site of the dry dock, and will be at work in the course of a few days.

To Issue Paper Here.
P. D. Ayer, publisher of the Eastern Labor News, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Ayer is organizing a stock company for the purpose of enlarging his plant and issuing a St. John edition of his paper. Several local unions have already decided to subscribe for stock.

Engineers' Certificates.
A meeting of the Board of Examiners of stationary engineers will be held in the city at an early date. John Kenny, the factory inspector, has applications from about forty engineers who wish to secure certificates. They will have to come to the city from all parts of the province to take the examination. It will be the last held for some time.

Mrs. Jane Whelpley.
The death of Jane, widow of David Whelpley, occurred yesterday at the residence of her son-in-law, Oscar Peterson, 32 Forest street. Deceased leaves one son, Chas. Whelpley, of Winnipeg; six daughters, and two brothers, Thomas and Geo. Thomas, of Mississauga. The daughters are: Mrs. Robert (Cheeseman), of Fairville; Mrs. J. Watson, Mrs. Oscar Peterson, Mrs. Don Sheppard, and Miss Lily Whelpley, of this city.

To Investigate Charges.
Fishery inspector J. F. Calder, of Campbell, who arrived in the city on Monday, having been appointed a commissioner, will commence an investigation in the Custom House this morning at ten o'clock that promises to be of no little interest. There have been a number of charges, it is said, made against the local inspector, J. Fred Belyea, of the West Side in his official capacity. When seen last night inspector Calder would not discuss the matter, but said that he would preside at the investigation which would be held in the inspector's room in the Custom House.

Clean Sweep on North Shore.
"The local government will make a clean sweep on the North Shore," said Richard O'Leary, of Richibucto, who was at the Royal yesterday. "I have just been in Restigouche, and judging by what I heard the government candidates will have an easy victory there. Northumberland is sold for the government, and the opposition have no chance in Kent. I was surprised at the number of people on the North Shore who, though they supported Mr. Robinson at the last election, have declined to help Mr. Copp, and are now actively supporting the government candidates."

PERSONALS.
C. W. Hallamore left yesterday on a short visit to the North Shore.
Fred F. Robinson came in from Fredericton last night to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Kingdon.
H. O. McInerney returned to the city last night.
A. G. Turner, provincial horticulturist, was at the Victoria yesterday.

FRIDAY NIGHT PREMIER FLEMING WILL TELL
The St. John public what he knows about the Opposition and their past record.

He will discuss the issue of authentic accounting of his stewardship.

He will discuss the issue of the present electoral campaign and will tell why he feels his government would be returned.

The Hon. J. K. Fleming has no political sin to answer for. His record is clean; his list of successes for the commonwealth are many.

Therefore the people whom Messrs. Wilson, Lockhart, Grassman and Tilley are asking for votes, will be able to judge from the address of the leader of the government whether or not they are justified in giving them.

IN THE OPERA HOUSE

Voters, Attention!
The Local Government party for both the City and the County have opened headquarters at Room No. 11, Ritchie's Building, 55 Prince William street, Phone Main 25. Information regarding the voters' list, etc., can be obtained by calling or telephoning.

Residents of St. John City or County whose names appear on the voters' list in other counties, or any resident of St. John whose name has been accidentally dropped from the last list can have their names placed on the list by calling at the office of inches and Hazen, No. 108 Prince William street, second floor, or phone Main 303.

HAD NARROW ESCAPE IN GASOLINE BOAT

Struck on Ledge Off Black Point—Crew Reach Shore Safely—Claim Rock was not Marked.

A large gasoline boat, 52 feet in length, struck on a ledge off Black Point yesterday. The men on board got off the ledge and were proceeding up the Bay when the boat began to fill. There was just time to get in shore before the boat sank. The crew, consisting of four men, were in town last night and said that the ledge on which their boat struck was about half a mile from the shore and was not marked by any buoys. As other boats have met with mishaps on the same spot, the men say that they will bring the matter to the attention of the Government.

MAKING PLANS FOR TEAMSTERS' PARADE

Exhibits of Courtenay Bay Mud and Allegorical Floats—Meeting Last Evening.

A working horse parade, exhibiting samples of Courtenay Bay mud, will be one of the features of the public holiday in celebration of the inauguration of the Courtenay Bay, which will be held during the Old Home Week. A large number of teamsters attended the meeting held in the Opera House building under the auspices of the teamsters' local union to discuss arrangements for the parade, and all present agreed to take part and get their friends to join the procession.

Senator Ellis and S. M. Wetmore, inspector of the S. P. C., were present and laid their views as to the organization of the parade before the meeting. The senator's idea was that it would give a business-like aspect to the parade and symbolize the practical importance of the occasion if the teamsters turned out in their working clothes.

It was said the Fire Department would probably take part in the parade and that the merchants would have their delivery wagons and other vehicles in line. Some of the mercantile establishments are expected to arrange for allegorical floats to be borne in the parade.

Another meeting of the teamsters will be held in a short time to arrange the details of the parade. According to the City Hall register there are in the city 29 registered drivers of carts, 200 of motor vehicles, 7 single and 4 double lumber wagons.

While the date for the public holiday has not been fixed, it is expected that it will be July 12th.

SUGGESTS PUBLIC POWER STATION

Proposal to Utilize Silver Falls to Produce Electric Current Considered by the Commissioners.

The question of utilizing the water power at Silver Falls for the purpose of supplying light for the city streets is likely to be taken up by the city commissioners at an early date. When the commissioners made a tour of inspection of the Loch Lomond water system of Monday they were accompanied by Mr. West, an engineer, who has had considerable experience in building hydro-electric plants. When the party was at Silver Falls he expressed surprise that steps had not been taken to develop the water power there, and said the power obtainable ought to be sufficient to light the whole city. Com. Wigmore has been giving some attention to the possibility of harnessing the water power at this place, and thinks it would be a paying investment for the city to build an electric plant there.

"It would," he said, "be a simple matter to get a head of water of one hundred feet there, and with such a head it does not require a very considerable flow to develop a fair amount of electrical energy. Nor would it be a difficult matter to assure a supply of water in the dry season. We have one reservoir on Little River now which holds a large body of water, and we could construct a number of storage dams at other points."

"The cost of developing the water power at Silver Falls would not be large, and the saving on street lighting would pay off the investment in a short time."

THORNES 11, CUSTOM HOUSE 6.
There was a large crowd present on the Marathon grounds last evening to witness a game of ball between a team from the Custom House and one from W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd. The game was a fast one, and there was some very creditable playing on both sides.

Mayor Frink was present and pitched the first ball over the plate. The Thorne team were winners by a score of 11 to 6. The game is the first of a series.

CITY MIGHT LOSE ITS WATER SUPPLY

Commissioner Wigmore Finds Pump Out of Order—Accidents to Conduit Might Have Disastrous Consequences.

As a result of the trip of the commissioners over the water system, the pump at Silver Falls will be overhauled and fitted up so that it may be put in operation in event of an emergency, without delay. Com. Wigmore stated yesterday that he had been under the impression that the pump was kept ready to go into commission at short notice and that he was surprised on examining it to find that it had not been kept in repair. "It has not been used for some years and it needs a general overhauling to put it in working condition," he added. "I intend to ask the commission for authority to fix it up at once. If the concrete conduit was to blow up some day, and the pump at Silver Falls was not in working order, it would mean that the higher levels of the city would be without water until we could get the pump to work. In event of fire on high levels, the lack of water might be a serious business. With the pump ready to put in operation at a few minutes' notice we would be prepared for any accident of the Loch Lomond extension."

YOUTHFUL SETTLERS FOR THE PROVINCE

A party of boys for the Scotch colony at Lower Gagetown organized by G. A. Cosser of Glasgow, arrived at the provincial immigration office yesterday and were looked after by Supt. Wilnot. Two of the boys, J. D. Thatcher and Samuel Simons came over on the Allan liner Carthagen, the others, Jas. Wilson, Joseph McNaughton, Jas. Hughes, Arthur Robertson, Thos. Wilson and Arthur Paten came over on the Nemedian. The boys are a healthy looking lot and should make good settlers.

CHILDREN'S HATS SHOWN AT MARR'S

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More Fire Protection.
The village of Chipman is negotiating for a chemical fire engine on wheels similar to that supplied Hampton, Strathmore and other places. It is inexpensive, but very effective for fighting a fire. The American La France Fire Engine Company, which supplies these engines, is represented here by Frank R. Fairweather, 12 Canterbury street. Catalogues, circulars, prices, etc., sent on request.

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U. S. Vice Consul Arrives.
Lewis C. Thompson, who succeeds A. Carrigan as American vice and deputy consul for this port has arrived in the city. Mr. Thompson is from Lynchburg, Virginia.

DEATHS.
WHELPLEY—in this city on the 11th inst., Jane, widow of David Whelpley, leaving one son and six daughters to mourn.

Funeral on Thursday at 2.30, from the residence of her son-in-law, Oscar Peterson, 32 Forest street. Friends invited to attend.

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