

THE WEATHER.

Maritime Forecasts—Moderate southwesterly to westerly winds; a few local showers but mostly fair.

Forecast, July 20—Pressure is low over the Gulf of St. Lawrence and the Maritime Provinces and high over the north-west states. Local thunder storms have occurred today from the Great Lakes to the Maritime Provinces, while in the west the weather has been fine and warm.

	Min.	Max.
Dawson	42	80
Victoria	58	82
Vancouver	58	82
Kamloops	68	98
Calgary	48	86
Edmonton	56	84
Battleford	56	88
Winnipeg	48	78
Port Arthur	52	70
Parry Sound	52	74
London	56	78
Toronto	56	78
Kingston	56	76
Ottawa	55	74
Montreal	46	74
Quebec	46	74
Halifax	52	78

AROUND THE CITY

Labor Organizer Coming.
The local union of Carpenters and Joiners has received word that organizer J. E. Potts will visit St. John this week.

Auto Tag Found.
An auto tag found on Douglas Avenue by the police can be obtained by the owner on application at the North End station.

Dredge Workers Meet.
A meeting of the dredge workers was held on the West Side Saturday evening, when it was reported that progress was being made in connection with the move for higher wages which is now a matter of arbitration.

Police Reports.
Saturday afternoon a man named Kaitzy while walking along Water street, found a watch and chain. The owner can receive the same on application at the central police station.

Broke His Rib.
Saturday afternoon William J. Galbreath, a fisherman, was employed in hauling his nets on a pole at Lorneville, when he slipped and fell into his fishing boat with the result that he sustained a broken rib. He will be confined for some days.

A Large Donation.
Fire Chief Blake wishes to acknowledge the receipt of \$25 for the Firemen's Relief Association from the St. John Iron Works in appreciation of the good work done by the department at the recent fire in their establishment.

Successful Operation.
George Starkey, who has been suffering from internal trouble, on Saturday last was operated on in the General Public Hospital. He is a son of E. D. Starkey of 147 Main street. The many friends of the family will be glad to hear that the operation was successful.

May Erect Monument.
There is a movement on foot in the West End to erect a monument in memory of Sidney Fulton, the boy who heroically lost his life on Thursday afternoon last at Lingley when he jumped into the water without a moment's hesitation and attempted to save the life of his companion William Colten. Being a good swimmer young Fulton would no doubt have saved Colten's life had not the latter grasped him by the arm and neck with the result that both were drowned.

Made Life Member.
Dr. Boyle Travers was the recipient of an unusual honor at the last meeting of the New Brunswick Medical Society when he was elected an honorary life member of the society. Dr. Travers has been a member of the medical profession for an unusually long time, and the action of his fellow practitioners was taken not only as a mark of their personal esteem, but as a recognition of his length of service. In accepting the honor Dr. Travers made an interesting speech, relating some of his experiences as a doctor in the early days, and contrasting conditions at present with those existing when he first began his career.

A Surprise Package.
A bundle which appeared as though a little live wire were tucked away in it, was found in front of the Union Depot yesterday about 8 o'clock in the morning by Patrick Gorman, an official at the station. Policeman Shortell was notified but probably under the presumption that it would be dangerous to come in contact with it, they did not at first care to handle the bundle. Finally it was lifted up and examined. Slowly two heavy grey blankets were unrolled and the finders were surprised to find within nothing more than an old suit case in which were placed working clothes. Their mistake as to the contents of the bundle, however, was gladly welcomed by them.

A Successful Picnic.
The annual picnic of the Mission church Sunday school was held on Saturday to Westfield Beach. Although the weather in the morning did not look promising, a large number of the children of the Sunday school with their teachers and parents went up to Westfield at 9.30 in the morning, and as there was no wind on the grounds throughout the afternoon they had a fine time. The children were furnished with eatables and looked after generally by the St. Monica Guild, and refreshments were provided by the Holy Cross Guild. The usual games and sports were indulged in and were much enjoyed by the children, as well as furnishing a lot of amusement for the elders. The party returned at 8.30 in the evening well pleased with the outing, and the arrangements made for their entertainment.

LOST—On Sunday evening, a gold watch on Prince street, Finder please leave at James A. Stackhouse, 161 Prince street, West End.

SAD DROWNING IN WATER
EARLY SUNDAY MORNING

Martin Frederickson Thrown from Tug Springhill by Swerving of Hawser, Failed to Come to the Surface—Dragged with Grapples in Hunt for Body, but Without Avail.

Before the light of Sunday had dawned upon the city and when the Sabbath had just begun, the stillness of the early morning about the waterfront was interrupted by the shouting of "a man overboard," and Martin Frederickson was dashed from the tug Springhill and instantly vanished beneath the waters of St. John harbor.

About 2.30 yesterday morning Frederickson, who was in the employ of the Dominion Coal Company, in company with other coal handlers, was returning from work on the West Side of the harbor on the tug Springhill. The tug was towing out the harbor the coal steamer Eslington, which had been unloading and was preparing to make the sail to Parraboro, N. S. Frederickson was standing on the stern of the tug when the hawser connecting the two vessels swung across this end of the boat forcing him to the deck. The unfortunate man grasped the rope and tried to cling to it. But moving over the stern of the tug the hawser tightened with a quick jerk and threw him into the water. An undecipherable cry was all that was heard and he sank beneath the waves without the slightest motion towards pulling himself from the water. Those on board the tug saw the man splash into the water and once beneath the waves he never again came to the surface. The rope fastening the tug to the vessel was immediately loosened, the tug stopped and a thorough search of the surrounding waters made with the hope that the man had later come up, but no sight of him was seen.

Equipped with grappling irons a party yesterday afternoon scoured the waters of the harbor but all attempts to recover the body proved futile. Frederickson who has been in the city but a year was employed by the Dominion Coal Company in the handling of coal. He had gone to the steamer Eslington which was docked at the coal company's wharf on the West Side and worked strenuously until about 2.30 Sunday morning, so when returning home he was a tired man. After trimming coal all evening he was finished and with George Ramsay and three other fellow workmen he jumped on the tug to be carried to the city. Frequently when work was completed at a late hour the men returned home in this way as no ferry is running at this hour and the tug was towing the Eslington.

WELL KNOWN CITIZEN HAS PASSE ANNA

Timothy Burke Died on Saturday Evening—Was Long in Customs Service a Faithful Official.

In the death of Timothy Burke, which occurred last Saturday evening, there passed from our midst a faithful civic official who had for years held an important position in the customs house, a valuable citizen and a highly respected individual.

Mr. Burke, who for the past two years has been suffering with a lingering illness, was, two months ago, forced to his bed. Since that time he has been steadily declining and died about eleven o'clock Saturday evening. The deceased who was sixty-eight years old, was a lifelong resident of the city.

At an early age he entered the customs house and at all times proved an efficient and capable man in the public service. For the past sixteen years he held the important position of Inspector of Inland Revenue and his duties in this connection which took him all over the Maritime Provinces gave him a large circle of acquaintances among whom he was known as a good and true friend. Only on the first of May last, on account of his faithful service and growing illness, was he relieved of his duties at the customs house in the form of a superannuation. The vacancy has been filled by John A. McDonald, Jr.

At the time of the St. John fire the deceased was prominently connected with the Relief and Aid Society in the city and rendered valuable aid in relieving the sufferers. Later when the territory of Newfoundland was swept by fire Mr. Burke was sent up to assist the distressed ones and aid in relief work.

He was a faithful citizen and one always ready and willing to assist in a good cause. He is survived by a wife and three sons, all of this city. The sons are John C. travelling passenger agent on the C. P. R.; James F., travelling freight agent on the C. P. R.; and Frank J., at home.

The funeral will be held on Tuesday morning at 8.45 o'clock at St. Peter's church where requiem mass will be celebrated. Interment will be made in the new Catholic cemetery.

A Promising Singer.
Alfonso Smith, son of H. Colby Smith of West St. John, sang at Germain street Baptist church last evening "Spirit of God," Mendlinger, with splendid effect. Mr. Smith has a voice of much promise. It is flexible and clear and has considerable range and power, while his articulation is excellent. Should Mr. Smith adopt music as a profession he gives promise of a distinguished career. Real good tenor voices in St. John are all too rare and those who had the pleasure of listening to Mr. Smith last evening hope that he will cultivate the talent which nature has so plentifully endowed him.

NO TRUTH IN WATER
PAUL REE LONG

Hon. Frank Cochrane, Minister of Railways, Sends Wire to that Effect to Board of Trade.

William Colten and Sydney Fulton Laid in Last Resting Place Yesterday—Impressive Service.

THOUSANDS AT FUNERAL

The fleet left Oak Point at 10 o'clock Sunday morning and during the entire trip to Lower Gaspoint thunderstorms and heavy rain made sailing unpleasant. Oil skins were donned, Prince strove to get the sails up, but they remained unopened. Lower Gaspoint was reached early yesterday afternoon. Last evening the majority of the boys went to church and exchanged visits.

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PERSONAL

W. Frank Hatheway returned from a trip to Boston on Saturday.

H. H. Upham of St. John was in town this week—Richibucto Review.

Miss Daley of West Toronto, accompanied by her niece, Miss Lovina Daley, is visiting her brother, John B. Daley in McAdam Junction, and returning will be the guest of Hazen Daley, Spring street.

Miss Mollie Forman, New Britain, is the guest of Miss Nan McDermott, 277 Charlotte street.

Dr. M. J. Coholan, New Britain, Conn. is visiting her cousin, Miss Nan McDermott, 277 Charlotte street.

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