

LOCAL NEWS

THE WEATHER.

Toronto, April 28.—The high area which has been over the Great Lakes for several days has dispersed and pressure is now fairly uniform over the continent. The weather has been milder in Ontario and Quebec and showers have occurred in Alberta, southern Saskatchewan and New Brunswick. Light rain is falling near Lake Erie this morning. Maritime—Moderately rather by winds, partly cloudy and rather cool to-night and on Tuesday.
Washington, April 28.—New England: Showery to-night and Tuesday; somewhat cooler Tuesday; moderate westerly winds, becoming fresh north-west.
The temperatures:
Max. Min.
Prince Rupert 42 43
Victoria 62 48
Kamloops 52 32
Calgary 60 36
Edmonton 70 49
Prince Albert 72 54
Winnipeg 50 40
Sault Ste. Marie 66 34
Toronto 64 40
Kingston 64 40
Ottawa 72 33
Montreal 64 42
Quebec 60 40
St. John, N. B. 56 30
Halifax 62 29
New York 70 55

Chimney Fire.
The call men of the fire department responded to a call on Saturday night for a chimney fire at the residence of Rev. W. C. Macnam, Charlotte street.

To Act as O. C.
Lt. Col. H. C. Sparling will take over the duties of commanding officer of this district in May upon the retirement of Colonel J. Houlston, D. O. During the war he commanded the 3rd Highlanders of Montreal and also served on the staff overseas. He has innumerable friends in this city as well as on other parts of the province.

Preached at St. Dunstan's.
Rev. Charles F. Boyd, who was ordained a few weeks ago, preached an inspiring sermon on the Blessed Virgin at the 10:30 mass at St. Dunstan's church yesterday morning. In the afternoon he was present at the meeting of the Sodality of the Children of Mary and thanked them for their gift at the time of his ordination and gave each one a card in remembrance of his ordination.

To Reside in Boston.
Rorydon Colter, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Colter, left on Saturday evening for Boston, where he has accepted a position. Mr. Colter was one of the city's popular young musicians; he was a member of the Troubadours and will be very much missed not only in musical but social circles. He is a graduate of the Victoria College, Fredericton Business College and was for a time on the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia.

To Attend Diocesan W. A.
Mrs. F. del. Clements, Mrs. H. W. Gregory, Mrs. S. D. Burns, Mrs. Taylor, Miss, Celis Clements, Mrs. J. B. Smith, Mrs. W. Nye, of this city, Mrs. A. W. Coombes, Miss Wood and Miss Reynolds, of North Devon, Mrs. Staples and Miss Miles, of Nashwaak; Mrs. Robert Peppers, of Lower St. Marys, and Mrs. Collett, of Mrs. J. A. Stafford, of Margville, are among those leaving to-day for St. John to attend the Diocesan W. A. meeting.

Died at Prince William.
The death occurred at Prince William yesterday of John Moore, one of the oldest and best known residents of that section of the county, at the age of 82 years. He is survived by two sons, Samuel, of Prince William, and Harry D., of Madison, Me., and one daughter, Mrs. Herbert J. Smith, of Prince William. The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon with service at the late home at 2:30 o'clock by Rev. Calvin N. Currie and interment at Long's Creek Burial Ground.

Death of Little Child.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Bailey, of Ripley, Sunbury county, are receiving the sincere sympathy of their many friends on the death of their little daughter, Grace R., which occurred at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Leonard, North Devon, on Saturday afternoon. Besides the parents one brother, Gerald A., and one sister, Phyllis, survive. A service was held last evening at the home of Rev. E. Halistone and the remains taken to Ripley this morning for interment. Rev. Mr. Halistone conducted the service at the grave.

Died Yesterday Morning.
The death occurred at Farraline Home early yesterday morning of Mrs. Charlotte R. McCready, widow of the late Joseph McCready. She was in St. John visiting Mrs. H. A. McKewen and returned home on Thursday evening. Friday she was taken ill and her death followed yesterday morning. She is survived by one brother, Howard W. Upton, in Japan, and one sister, Mrs. Barker, wife of Rev. Joseph Barker, Toronto. She made many friends in Fredericton who will learn with regret of her death. The remains were taken to St. John this morning for interment.

A Sad Bereavement.
Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Dayton, of South Devon, are receiving the sympathy of their numerous friends on the death of their youngest child, Iva Geraldine, aged 16 months, which occurred yesterday following an illness of whooping cough. This is the second bereavement within a few months Mr. and Mrs. Dayton having lost another child at Christmas besides the parents, one sister, Anna, and one brother, Edward, survive. The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon with service at the house at 2:30 o'clock by Rev. H. H. Ferguson assisted by Rev. F. H. Holmes, and interment will be made at Rural cemetery.

FIRST ACCIDENT OF THE STREAM DRIVING SEASON

George Davidson Had Both Legs Broken When Caught By Falling Logs.

CARRIED EIGHT MILES OVER ROUGH ROADS

Condition Prevented His Removal to the Hospital at Stanley.

The first stream driving accident of the season occurred during the latter part of last week when George Davidson, of Woodlands, was caught beneath a bow of logs which collapsed at a landing on the Tin Kettle stream, a branch of the Dunbar, and sustained serious injuries including a double fracture of the left leg as well as a fracture of the right arm. Mr. Davidson, who is 49 years of age, was employed by Charles Saunders in getting out the drives for Stanley Douglas, Ltd., on the tributary streams of the Nashwaak. It was while working at a landing on the Tin Kettle that the unfortunate man sustained the injuries when unable to clear himself from the falling logs. Owing to the rough condition of the woods roads it was necessary to carry him a distance of eight miles before sufficiently easy going was reached to complete the journey to Woodlands by team.

The accident occurred early on Friday morning and it was not until 10 o'clock that evening that the injured man received medical attention, following his arrival home. His condition was discovered to be so serious as to make it impossible to move him to the hospital at Stanley. Mr. Davidson is well as Mrs. J. R. Monteith, of North Devon.

CRUSHED IN LIFT CAGE AT MINTO MINE

Minto Lad Seriously Injured When Caught in Cage at Mine.

James Burgess, aged 16 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Burgess, of South Minto, is a patient at Victoria Hospital as the result of injuries received in Harvey Welton's mine at South Minto on Saturday afternoon. The young man had finished his day's work and late in the afternoon gave the signal that he wanted to come up out of the mine. The cage started and he either forgot or at the moment that he had signalled or else remembering he had forgotten something, stepped out of the cage and was caught between the cage and the lining at the foot of the shaft. His legs were badly crushed, one more so than the other and his arm was also badly crushed, and he received a severe shock. He was brought to the city by train, accompanied by the district nurse, Miss Roberts, and H. McCartney, and at once admitted to Victoria Hospital. Today it was given out that he was doing as well as could be expected.

The young man has only been in this country a year, coming from England with his parents.

NEW BANK MANAGER.

Frederick Burr, of Chatham, Expected to Succeed W. S. Thomas, Who is Resigning.

Frederick Burr, who has been manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Chatham for some time, has been transferred to this city, to succeed William S. Thomas, who has resigned from the banking service early in May.

Mr. Burr, who is a Chatham boy, was married at Welland, Ont., a few days ago, and received notice of his transfer just after he had left Chatham. He is well known in banking circles and will be warmly welcomed in Fredericton.

Mr. Thomas, who has had forty-three years' service, has been located in Fredericton for the past twelve years, coming here as manager of the Bank of New Brunswick in 1912.

The Late Thomas Feeney.
The funeral of the late Thomas Feeney took place yesterday afternoon from his late home on Charlotte street and was one of the largest funerals ever seen in this city. The cortege proceeded to St. Dunstan's church where solemn service was conducted by Very Rev. F. L. Carney and Rev. Charles F. Boyd. It was under the auspices of the A. O. H. and a large delegation headed the funeral procession to the Hermitage, where Father Boyd, who is a nephew of deceased, conducted a service at the grave. At the church Dean Carney made reference to the large number at the funeral and said deceased was deserving of a large funeral, no matter whose it was. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful and there were numerous mass cards. The mourners were John L. Feeney, Gregory T. Feeney, Gerald Feeney, John Feeney, A. J. Lawlor, Jack Lawlor, Louis Stack, Edward Feeney, Edward McGrand, Thomas Feeney, Joseph Feeney, Joseph A. Cain, Charles Cremin, James Jamieson, Fred Rowan, Harold Rowan, Vincent Jamieson, Morris Boyd, A. H. Booth, Walter Morris. The pall bearers were Alf. W. Farrell, E. C. Barry, D. J. Shea, M. E. Doohan, F. T. Ryan, Hugh O'Neill.

Telephones.
Wednesday, the 26th, is the last day to pay March accounts. Notice on page 7.

LARGE ATTENDANCE FOR FIRST ROTARY CONFERENCE HERE

Over 160 Delegates Expected for 32nd District Conference To-morrow.

TEN CLUBS WILL BE REPRESENTED

District Includes the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland Rotary Centers.

Over 160 delegates are expected to be present to-morrow when the 32nd Rotary District Conference, the first Rotary Conference ever to be held in Fredericton, opens its two-day session at the Memorial Church Hall, Church street.

The 32nd District, under the governorship of District Governor Dr. H. L. Spangler, of St. John, embraces the Rotary centres of the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland. Delegates who will attend the conference will represent the Rotary Clubs at Charlottetown, Halifax, Moncton, New Glasgow, St. Stephen and Milltown, St. John, N. B., St. John's, Nfld., Sydney, Yarmouth and Fredericton.

Members of the local club have spared no pains in order to assure the success of the conference. The conference organization has been completed under the direction of Governor Spangler, Rotarian R. B. Vanthine, the retiring president of the local club, will preside as conference chairman associated with Rotarians J. B. Kingsford and William D. Gunter. J. B. Kingsford and William D. Gunter are conference secretary and sergeant-at-arms, respectively. The executive includes also Rotarians T. M. Mitchell, of St. John's, Nfld., Arthur Burhill, of Sydney, N. S., and James Morton, of Moncton, N. B.

Among the speakers will be Everett W. Hill, International Vice-President of Oklahoma City. Mr. Hill, who is president and general manager of a cold storage concern operating in Oklahoma and Kansas, is a native of Kansas and a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania. He is an authority on boy problems and has been actively engaged during the past year superintending the Rotary effort in this direction throughout the world.

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BOARD OF TRADE'S COMPLAINT UNDER INVESTIGATION

Post Office Department Investigating Subject of Non-sticking Stamps.

WASHINGTON HAS THE SAME TROUBLE

Complaints Are "Altogether Too Frequent" According to Department.

Complaints regarding the lack of adhesiveness of the Canadian postage stamps are "altogether too frequent," according to a communication received by R. H. Simonds, secretary of the Fredericton Board of Trade, from the Post Office Department at Ottawa.

A complaint made by the Board of Trade some time ago in this regard has resulted in the matter being taken up by the Postal Department with the Canadian Bank Note Company, manufacturers of Canadian postage stamps. In reply it has been contended by the company that the poor quality of paper used in the manufacture of envelopes and wrappers is one of the chief causes of stamps being lost from letters and packages in transit. Samples of stamps affixed to various qualities of envelopes and wrappers were submitted in support of this contention, and were forwarded in reply to Mr. Simonds.

This matter has also been the subject of some correspondence between the Board of Trade and the Post Office Department. (Continued on Page Seven.)

The "call" to prayer purchased in Saturday's issue, and again to-day, is a request from the executive committee of the Women's League (Toronto Branch), of the Presbyterian Association, and has thousands of loyal women behind it.

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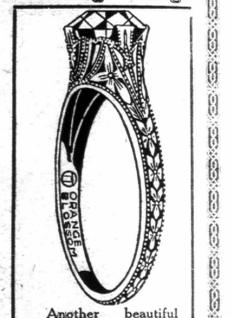
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CHURCH HEARING OTTAWA

Over One Thousand for Amalgamation.
Room Crowded.
Sir Robert Falconer to Address.

Special Despatch to Ottawa, April 28.—The church hearing on the amalgamation of the United Church of Canada and the Methodist Episcopal Church in Ottawa, over one thousand people were present from two special benches at Union St. of black uniforms. The hearing was held in the hall of the hall of fame. For admission into the room, the last outside of the door was all to small. Police stood at the door to keep out those who had no tickets to enter. The hearing was held in the hall of the hall of fame. For admission into the room, the last outside of the door was all to small. Police stood at the door to keep out those who had no tickets to enter. The hearing was held in the hall of the hall of fame. For admission into the room, the last outside of the door was all to small. Police stood at the door to keep out those who had no tickets to enter.

After the room was crowded and the door was closed, the hearing was held in the hall of the hall of fame. For admission into the room, the last outside of the door was all to small. Police stood at the door to keep out those who had no tickets to enter. The hearing was held in the hall of the hall of fame. For admission into the room, the last outside of the door was all to small. Police stood at the door to keep out those who had no tickets to enter.

ARREST CAMPBELL

Chester B. Campbell With Defalcation of Custody.

Special Despatch to Campbellton, N.S. Charged with defalcation of approximately \$1,000, Fairley, collector of the port of Campbellton, was arrested here on Monday. The arrest followed a report by John J. Butler, inspector of the New Brunswick Revenue. The alleged defalcation was said to cover a period of several months. Fairley had only since last March been in charge of the port. He is married.

Columbus Urges

Dr. Butler Appointed the

New York, A University, applied and public application at the annual meeting of the Columbus Club, who perceived the ability of being undermined. Changes in recommended that where the saloon