

THE WEATHER.

New England Forecast. Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; cooler near the coast Saturday; brisk winds.

AROUND THE CITY

A Still Alarm. A still alarm was sent in between 6 and 7 o'clock last evening for a fire in a waste basket in the office of H. W. Cole at the Water street. The fire was extinguished without any damage being done.

Diphtheria in Fairville. The superior school at Fairville was closed yesterday at noon for disinfection purposes. One pupil in a primary grade has been attacked by diphtheria and it has been found necessary to disinfect five rooms. There are two cases of diphtheria in Fairville.

Will Act As A. D. C. On Monday Lieut. Col. Humphrey, D. O. C. will leave for Fredericton on work in connection with the district. It is probable that while in Fredericton arrangements will be made for Lieut. du Domaine to come to St. John to temporarily act as A. D. C. to Col. Humphrey.

Annual Service. Bishop Mills, of Toronto, preached last evening at the anniversary service of the Church of England Institute held in Trinity church. His Lordship's text was the 20th chapter of Isaiah, verses 3 and 4. His sermon was scholarly and appropriate. Despite the unfavorable weather a good sized congregation was present.

Pay Day For Artillery On Monday. The members of the 3rd Regiment of Canada Artillery, who have been looking forward to receiving their season's pay for some time, will be pleased to learn that it will arrive on Monday from Ottawa, and will then be immediately distributed. The amount of money to be paid out is \$4,420.

Police Reports. Policeman Silas Perry was called into Michael Morris' house in North Street yesterday to quell a disturbance which Harry, the son of the house, was making. John Donovan was arrested in Mill street by Policeman Silas Perry yesterday afternoon on the charge of drunkenness and begging.

Assaulting and Beating. Charles Maxwell, after disagreeing with his wife in their home in Leinster street last Saturday was given one week for cool repentant reflections, after being placed under arrest yesterday. Policeman Merrick made the arrest on complaint of Mrs. Maxwell. The charge is assaulting and beating.

Anniversary Service. Carmarthen street Methodist church will celebrate its 40th anniversary on Sunday. Rev. Jabez Rogers, D. D. of Sussex, will preach both morning and evening. At the rally day exercises at Sunday school at 2.30 there will be a special programme, with Rev. Dr. Rogers and Rev. D. McLaughlin as speakers. Special music at all the services.

A Musquash Wedding. A pretty wedding took place on Thursday at the home of Mr. David Austin, Musquash, when Mrs. W. Farmer, of Newfoundland, was married to Mr. Roy McCluskey, Rev. A. R. Martin officiated, and there were a large number of the friends of the young couple present. After the ceremony a lunch was served. Mr. and Mrs. McCluskey will reside in Musquash.

Presentation. A number of friends of Miss Alice Sullivan, of Prince street, West Side, called at her home last evening and after an enjoyable time spent in dancing and other amusements, Mr. Fred White, on behalf of the assembled company, presented her with a handsome gold locket as a souvenir of their regard. Miss Sullivan will leave on Monday for Regina where she will reside permanently.

Tobique Dam Committee Meets. The Tobique Dam Committee of the Board of Trade met yesterday afternoon to hear Messrs. Calder and H. E. Harrison, fisheries inspectors on the St. John give their views with regard to the effect that the construction of a dam across the Tobique would have upon the fishing in that stream. Their evidence will be incorporated in the report of the committee to the local government. Superintendent Allan, of the Tobique Fishing Club, was unable to attend.

I. C. R. Provident Fund. Mr. W. N. Collins, 101 Paradise Row, and Mr. Chas. Nicholas, 74 City road, returned from Moncton yesterday where they attended a general meeting of the contributors to the Provident Fund of the I. C. R. The meeting on Thursday followed a meeting of some Moncton contributors on Saturday evening last, and was for the purpose of considering the suggestions and amendments drawn up by the general committee. A large number of delegates from all over the system were in attendance and many important suggestions were made in addition to the plans mapped out by the general committee. These will be embodied in the committee's report which will be laid before the Dominion Parliament next session.

Prize Winners at Orange Fair. Considering the disagreeable weather, the attendance at the Orange Fair in Queen's rink was surprisingly large last evening. The daring act of Prof. LeRoy, the great student of Hindini, was a feature and elicited much applause from the spectators. From the games and amusements a satisfactory revenue was derived, and it was after 11 o'clock before the last contest was decided. Chief interest was centered last night in the drawing for valuable door prizes. There was no one present who held a winning number, but the lucky figures are as follows:—1st prize, \$1.35; 2nd, 20.85; 3rd, 20.85; 4th, 41.65; 5th, 1.234. The holders of these numbers are requested to present themselves at the Fair today. Other prize winners were as follows:—Wilfred Coy, pair of rubber boots; Mr. John Fitzmaurice, box of oranges; Mr. Charles Russell, silver cake basket. The fair will be open this afternoon and evening, and the promoters promise great bargains in disposing of the remnants of the stock. Prof. LeRoy will perform his lightning act at 8 o'clock this evening.

LARGE HARDWOOD INDUSTRY FOR ALBERT COUNTY

New York Capitalists Purchase Isaac Prescott's Property And Mill—Will Re-open Albert Southern Railway.

That the American capitalists are becoming each year more familiar with the opportunities for profitable investment to be found in the province of New Brunswick is evident from the timber tracts and mineral properties that during the past year or two have been acquired by companies composed of United States investors. The latest transaction of this nature is at present being completed in Albert county. Mr. Isaac Prescott is disposing of his extensive timber property and saw mill to the Eastern Canadian Lumber and Construction Company, Ltd. recently incorporated in the state of New York and composed of gentlemen residing in the Metropolitan city.

Mr. W. H. Malcolm of New York was in the city this week arranging the details of the sale. It is understood that the sum to be paid for the property is in the vicinity of \$100,000. In addition to carrying on a lumber business, it is understood that the company propose to acquire the Albert Southern Railway and establish a large hardwood industry in the county. The railway which runs from a short distance below Riverside to Alma, was built many years ago but has not been used for some time. The re-opening of the line should mean a considerable boom to that portion of the country.

RECAPTURED AFTER MONTH'S HOLIDAY FROM CHAIN GANG

James Boyd Arrested in Carleton Last Evening—Now Faces Two Year Term in Penitentiary.

By the capture of James Boyd in Carleton last evening, Police Sgt. Ross and Policeman Lee made possible the checkings of the frequent escapes from the chain gang. The prisoner now faces a two years' term in Dorchester penitentiary.

Boyd was sentenced on August 27th to four months hard labor on the charge of drunkenness and resisting Policeman Alex. Crawford. He made good his escape on Sept. 17th, when he was sent for a load of stone in his wheelbarrow. He has kept out of the city, but his wife makes her home on the West Side and he was caught by the officers while there on a visit. An official speaking of the recent escapes from the chain gang, said last evening that this had been expected from the first. The stand was taken that if the men got clear away and did not come back to the city that it was the best thing that could happen. There were many cases, he said, where escaped prisoners were not molested on their return to the city.

MRS. PANKHURST TO BE INVITED TO SPEAK IN ST. JOHN

Local Branch Of Canadian Suffrage Association Decided Yesterday To Extend Invitation.

At a meeting of the St. John Branch of the Canadian Suffrage Association, which was held yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. E. S. Fluke, King street east, it was decided to extend an invitation to Mrs. Pankhurst, one of the best known English Suffragists to speak before the association. A large number of the members were present and several new members were received. A feature of the meeting was the description given by Miss Mabel Peters of her visit to the quinquennial Council, which was held at Ottawa in June. Miss Peters also visited the International gathering at Toronto.

Intercessions for Sunday Schools. Sunday and Monday will be observed by the Church of England throughout the world as days of intercession for the Sunday schools, special addresses will be delivered and appeals will be made to arouse interest in the work. In St. John's church there will be a special service at 3 p. m. at which His Lordship Bishop Pinkham, of Calgary will deliver an address. In St. Mary's church Mr. A. P. Tippett, of Montreal, formerly superintendent of St. Mary's school, will address the scholars. On Monday services will also be held.

Quangondy to be Sold Today. The old ferry steamer Quangondy will come under the hammer at 12 o'clock today when she will be sold at Chubb's Corner, by Auctioneer Potts. The Quangondy was launched in July, 1870, and is now nearly 40 years old. Her first trip was made in November of that year. She was built for the city in Market Slip, Carleton, by Mr. T. J. Olive, the present inspector of hulls and cost all told about \$20,000. The hull was of the best Bay Shore spruce cut at Golden Grove and it speaks well for the quality of the timber that it has never been found necessary to renew it.

WORDS LED TO BLOWS WITH SAD RESULTS TO THOMAS POWER

Arrested Last Evening On Charge Of Assaulting Dennis Murphy—Was Later Released On Bail.

The calling of an opprobrious name followed by recourse to fistfuls led to the arrest of Thomas Power, aged 35, in front of the Dufferin Hotel last evening by Policeman Semple on the charge of assaulting Dennis Murphy. He was later released on a deposit of \$20. Murphy had driven up to the hotel with Pastor Russell, and was told to call again in a few minutes. He just had time to get something to eat when Power, accompanied by Wm. Sands, came out on the street. Power requested the coachman to drive Mr. Sands home, but Murphy refused, saying he did not have time. After a brief exchange of compliments, Power, it is alleged, caught hold of the coachman and tried to throw him. The aggressor, however, got much the worse of it and was landed in the middle of the street. Policeman Semple was attracted by the crowd which collected, and hearing the story placed Power under arrest.

ARTISTIC DISPLAY AND NOVELTIES FOR E.O.C. AUTUMN FAIR

Many Attractions Promised For Opening Next Tuesday—Waterloo Street Mission Hall Has Been Transformed.

The citizens will have an opportunity next week to see what the Every Day Club can do in artistic display, and the transformation of a plain room into the scene of one of the most attractive fairs ever held in a hall in St. John.

On Tuesday evening Mayor Bullock will open the Autumn Fair of the club, in the Mission Hall, Waterloo street. The outstanding feature will be the great evergreen pastels, in whose softly lighted interior, walled and roofed with boughs of fir and spruce, ice cream and refreshments will be served, a la carte at small tables, by charming young ladies. On the front of the pagoda will be moose and deer heads. Between the arched entrances will be a great glass cabinet, not showing the prizes won by club members in athletic sports. Samples of the work done by little children on the club's supervised playground will also be displayed as well as the beginning of the club's library. On the north side of the hall will be booths with cut flowers and potted plants, fancy goods, novelties, and the wealth of beautiful work, and near the door the candy table. The ball and shooting galleries will be behind the booths, and the entrance through an archway. On the south side will be the fish pond, the fortune teller's booth, the platform for the orchestra, and the booth for cool drinks. Flags will hang from the ceiling, and the light effect will be very pretty. A wealth of evergreen, autumn leaves, rowan berries and other decorations will beautify all the booths. Besides the games, guessing contests and other attractions, there will be a voting contest for the most popular physician. A bevy of young ladies will have charge of the features of the fair.

PERSONAL

His Grace the Archbishop of Rupertland accompanied Bishop Richardson on his return to Fredericton last evening. The Archbishop will preach at the Cathedral on Sunday, and will start on his homeward journey on Monday.

Friends of Mr. Daniel D. Morrison, of the Victoria Hotel staff, will be sorry to learn that he was taken to the hospital last evening suffering from appendicitis. An operation will be performed today.

Mrs. James Dever gave a five o'clock tea yesterday at her residence, Chipman Hill, in honor of Mrs. Mills, of Toronto, wife of Bishop Mills, who is at present in the city.

Mrs. H. A. Powell entertained at bridge yesterday in honor of her sister, Mrs. Burden, of Nelson, B. C. Mrs. Lawson, of Fredericton, won the first prize.

Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Maher returned home yesterday from Montreal. Mr. James D. Driscoll returned to the city yesterday after a visit to Boston and New York.

Mr. Chester B. MacNeill, of the law firm of Davis, Marshall and MacNeill, of Vancouver, arrived in the city yesterday and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. MacNeill. Mr. J. S. Harding returned from Montreal yesterday. Ald. Hayes returned yesterday from Montreal.

Post Office Clerks Get Increase. Several of the junior clerks in the post office have received word that they are to have a substantial increase in salary to date from April 1st.

CHOCOLATES

Huyler's In Packages 25c and upwards. Moir's In Bulk 50c and 60c per pound. Always fresh. Order by telephone M. 587. THE DRUG STORE, 100 KING STREET, Chas. R. Wasson.

Society Stationery

Crain's Linen Lawn in white and the five new tints willow green, vintage, orchid, daybreak pink and aeroplane. Also Highland Linen and Hot Pressed Vellum. We have the always the very newest sizes. E. G. Nelson & Co., Cor. King and Charlotte Sts. Store closed at 6 p.m., excepting Saturday.

MEN'S TAN BOOTS WINTER WEIGHTS \$3.50 to \$6.50 A PAIR

Three popular shades, Russian Tan, Nut Brown, and Ox Blood medium and heavy Soles, All Goodyear Welts, made on six different shaped lasts.

The Natty Swing Narrow toed last for young men, the Modified Broad toe, the Straight Custom Effect Shape the Wide Common Sense last allowing lots of room for the toes and which is becoming so extremely popular and the Staple Medium Straight lasts.

Tans are to be much in evidence this fall and winter and we would suggest an early selection.

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Stores Open Till 11 o'clock tonight. St. John, Oct. 16, 1909. There Is Real Satisfaction In Buying AT THE Harvey Clothing Stores Barnum is reputed to have once said: "The American people like to be gulled." We do not know how true that may have been in his day, but we do know that the St. John people like fair treatment. It has always been our policy to treat every customer with utmost frankness and fairness. We never misrepresent any article. We mark everything in plain figures, and have strictly one price. A child receives the same treatment and values here as his elders, an even garment sold is guaranteed to give one hundred cents' worth of wear for every dollar paid, if not we will gladly replace it. It is this policy and the values we give that make these stores so popular. Have you visited them this fall? Men's Suits - \$5.00 to \$20.00 Men's Overcoats - \$7.50 to \$22.50 Also New Shirts, Ties, Caps, Underwear etc. J. N. HARVEY, TAILORING AND CLOTHING, 199 to 207 UNION STREET.

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