

THE WEATHER.

Maritime:—Winds mostly West and South; fine and mild today. Showers on Saturday.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 11.—The depression which was last night over Manitoba, is now centred in the Upper Lake region, while pressure is high from the Western Provinces northward to the Yukon.

Maximum and Minimum temps: Winnipeg . . . . . 28 30 Port Arthur . . . . . 44 48 Harry Sound . . . . . 46 64 London . . . . . 50 64 Ottawa . . . . . 38 58 Toronto . . . . . 40 54 Montreal . . . . . 40 54

New England Forecast.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 11.—Forecast: Fair and warmer Friday; Saturday, partly cloudy and cooler; possibly showers, moderate southwest to west winds.

ROUND THE CITY

Annis Champion at R. M. C. Kingston. By defeating Cadet Rhodes, champion tennis player of Vancouver, B. C., Mr. T. Malcolm McAvity of this city won the tennis championship of the Royal Military College, Kingston, recently. Mr. McAvity received a laudation.

Entertained at Luncheon. Miss Leslie Smith entertained at luncheon yesterday in honor of Mrs. V. H. Harrison. Among those present were Mrs. H. C. Schofield, Mrs. H. B. Robinson, Miss May Harrison, Miss Gordon, Miss Vera Robinson, Miss Fagan, Miss McLean, Miss Winifred Barber and Miss Rankine.

Harvest Festival. The Harvest Festival held by the ladies of St. Mary's church, Waterloo street yesterday was largely attended and proved a great success. After supper had been served in the school room a programme of music and recitations was carried out and Archdeacon Raymond showed a series of lantern slides, relating some interesting stories.

No Objection to the Band's Proposal. At a meeting of the West Side Every Day Club last evening the matter of allowing the Carleton Cornet Band to occupy the large room in the public hall for the purpose of holding a fair was considered and no objection was made to the proposal. Rev. W. R. Robinson and Mr. Charles T. Brown were appointed a committee to meet a committee from the band and complete arrangements for the use of the room.

Yearly Shipment of Sheep. The yearly shipment of sheep to Winnipeg will leave this year on Nov. 20. Mr. John McDonald, who is the largest shipper will send three carloads, in all about 2500 sheep. These have been collected from all parts of the province and are at present pasturing on the Marsh Road. Mr. McDonald states that the shipments are increasing every year and that within the last few years there has been a large demand for New Brunswick stock.

"Round the World" Fair. There was another large attendance at the City Cornet Band Fair last evening. The fair will be brought to a close Monday night, when the band will celebrate its 35th anniversary. The drawing of the Around the World lottery tickets will then take place. The winners last evening were: Ladies' Bean Board—Miss Mame O'Leary, silver ink knife; Gentlemen's Bean Board—E. McGuire, travelling bag. The lucky door tickets were numbered 1361 and 1213.

Lecture on Canterbury. Rev. G. F. Scovill gave an illustrated lecture on "Canterbury Cathedral and City" in Trinity church schoolroom last evening, under the auspices of the Young Men's Association of the church. In the course of his remarks Rev. Mr. Scovill referred to many interesting incidents in connection with English and church history. Rev. R. A. Armstrong presided and at the conclusion of the address extended a vote of thanks to the speaker. On December 7, Mrs. E. A. Smith will speak before the association on "Historical London."

Turned Fifty Students Away. Rev. A. B. Cobbe returned to the city yesterday after attending the monthly meeting of the Grand Ligne mission board as representative of the Baptist church of the Maritime Provinces. The meeting was held in Feller Institute, Grand Ligne, P. Q., and was largely attended. Speaking in The Standard last evening, Rev. Mr. Cobbe said the mission was most successful. There were 290 students in attendance this year and fifty had to be turned away owing to lack of accommodation.

A Coming Out Tea. Mrs. J. P. McInerney was hostess at a large and fashionable tea at her residence, Charlotte street yesterday, for the purpose of introducing her eldest daughter, Katherine, as one of the debutants of the coming winter. Mrs. Sherwood Skinner and Mrs. D. P. Chisholm presided at the tea table. They were assisted by Miss Helen McInerney, Miss Marjorie Lee, Miss Coll, the Misses Travers, Miss Leslie Smith, Miss Helen McAvenny, Miss Hazen and Miss Gertrude de Bury. Mrs. W. W. White ushered. Harrison's orchestra was in attendance.

May Purchase Ferry For Clifton. Mr. A. R. Wetmore, of Clifton, is at present in Victoria county looking after lumbering interests. On his return he will go to Boston to negotiate for a ferry boat to replace the Premier, on the Rothesay-Clifton route. Mr. Wetmore was manager of the Premier last season, and it is said that the boat handled more traffic than in the last two seasons together. Speaking with The Standard Mr. Wetmore said it was absolutely necessary that the people of Clifton and Rothesay should be provided with a ferry. Those who had put their money into the Premier and lost it, felt that a new boat should be put on the route as early as possible next season.

WANT TO INCREASE TO PATRONIZE THE SELKIRK CENTENNIAL

Delegation Of Winnipeg Citizens Here To Interview Provincial Government And Sound Public Opinion— Would Be First National Exhibition Ever Held— Idea Is Canada Should Show The World Something Of Her Progress And Prosperity.

Breathing the spirit of optimism and breadth of vision which stands out as the most prominent characteristic of the great Canadian West, three members of the Winnipeg citizens committee on the Selkirk Centennial arrived in the city yesterday for the purpose of meeting members of the Provincial Government.

Mr. D. C. Cameron, Mr. T. R. Deacon and Mr. C. N. Bell comprise the committee, and today will confer with Hon. J. K. Fleming and Hon. R. Maxwell with a view to securing an assurance that New Brunswick will support the holding of a National Exhibition in Winnipeg in 1912.

Mr. Bell, speaking with a Standard reporter last evening said he wished to make it clear that the committee were not asking for any financial assistance or contributions from the Provincial Governments. They wished rather to sound public opinion in the East and ascertain what degree of patronage would be given such an exhibition as it was proposed to hold. He could say that so far he felt very much encouraged. Both Premier Murray of Nova Scotia, and Premier Haszard of P. E. Island, had promised support and he understood Premier Hazen had been interviewed in Montreal by other members of the committee and was favorably disposed to the undertaking.

The Dominion Government had been asked for \$2,500,000 and the reply of Sir Wilfred Laurier had been to the effect that promoters should visit the different provinces and ascertain how the project was considered.

To give some idea of the way his own province was taking hold of the scheme, Mr. Bell mentioned that Winnipeg was giving \$1,000,000, private citizens \$500,000 by subscription and the province of Manitoba \$225,000. It was proposed, he added, to have what could be justly styled the first National Exhibition ever held in Canada. The time had come when Canada should show to the world something of her progress and prosperity. The exhibition might be called a National Stock taking. It was suggested that Winnipeg would probably be a city of 150,000 people in 1912.

"Oh, more than that," replied Mr. Bell. "We have 140,000 now and the yearly increase is 20 per cent of the whole."

A short programme of songs and instrumental selections was carried out, and after enjoying themselves with games and other amusements, the party adjourned to the dining room where a tempting repast was served. The table and rooms were prettily decorated with flags and greenery. The party broke up about midnight with the singing of Auld Lang Syne, and three hearty cheers for Mr. and Mrs. Dunham.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunham were married on November 11, 1869, in Germain St. Baptist Church. Mrs. Dunham before her marriage was Miss Georgie A. Watters, a daughter of Munson Watters of Main street. Mr. W. H. Dunham, of the North End, is a son and Mrs. G. E. Campbell is a daughter. The grandchildren are Anesley V. Dunham, George A., Guy H., and Vera B. Campbell.

KAREN PROVES ADVANTAGE OF DIRECT ROUTE Arrived In Havana Yesterday An Hour Before Herundo— Latter Had Five Days' Start, But Called At Halifax.

Mr. J. Monzon and Mr. E. H. Downing, president and general agent respectively of the Saint John, Boston and Cuba Steamship Line, arrived here for a day or two in connection with the next trip of the steamer Karen from this port. They stated last evening that the affairs of the steamship company were in a flourishing condition and that the outlook for increased trade from St. John to Cuba was particularly bright.

Mr. Downing stated that the advantage of the direct route was well illustrated by the record of the shipments of the Karen and the Herundo. Yesterday afternoon he received a cablegram announcing the arrival of the Karen at Havana, one hour before the Herundo which left St. John five days ahead but called at Halifax en route. The Karen will sail from St. John on her next trip on November 25th.

Intermediate Football League. At the last meeting of the executive of the Intermediate Football League, officers were elected as follows: President, James Speight; vice-president, Roy Baskin; secretary, Louis O'Neill; treasurer, J. Howard. The executive will meet this evening in the Currie Business University for the purpose of winding up the season's business.

Deserted Wife in Amherst. A communication received at the police headquarters yesterday from Amherst asks that a lookout be kept for Noble Purdy, who has deserted his wife and their ten-months-old baby, and who is believed by the Amherst police to have come to St. John. Purdy is about 40 years of age and is a stone mason by trade.

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