

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Light to moderate winds; a few local showers but mostly fair and warm.

Toronto, Oct. 9.—Pressure is high from the Great Lakes eastward, while a fairly pronounced disturbance which developed in the southwest is now centered over Nebraska, with the exception of light showers in the St. Lawrence Valley the weather has been fine and warm from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces. It has continued cool from the west and light snow is falling tonight in southern Saskatchewan. Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Table with 2 columns: Location, Min. Max. Includes entries for Victoria, Vancouver, Kamloops, Calgary, Edmonton, Battleford, Fort Arthur, Parry Sound, London, Toronto, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, and Halifax.

Washington Forecast. Washington, Oct. 9.—Forecast for New England: Cloudy Friday, Saturday unsettled, probably rain; light to moderate variable winds.

AROUND THE CITY

A Successful Hunter.

Fred Wright, of the Royal Hotel, has returned after spending the past two weeks at his summer house near Carter's Point. Mr. Wright reports an abundance of all kinds of game in that district and an evidence of this he brought home a fine moose head.

Plan Winter's Work.

In the Methodist church, Fairville, last evening the annual meeting of the Brotherhood was held. The winter work was planned at length. The officers were elected as follows:—Rev. G. Earle, president; H. M. Stout, vice-president; W. F. Inches, treasurer; E. Stone, secretary; Berta Kelly, chaplain.

ST. JOHN MAN IN LAWSUIT IN MONTREAL

Charles F. Crandall a Co-Defendant in Conspiracy Action.

LAWSUIT RESULTS FROM NEWSPAPER SQUABBLE.

Mr. Crandall, Managing Editor Montreal Star, Bracketed With Employer in Suit Brought by Montreal Herald

Montreal, Oct. 9.—A suit for one hundred thousand dollars damages on account of an alleged conspiracy to destroy the Montreal Herald and to ruin its business, was entered in the Superior Court today by the Herald Company, Limited. The defendants are the Montreal Star Publishing Co., Limited, the International News Service (a New Jersey corporation controlled by William Randolph Hearst), Sir Hugh Graham, owner of the Star, and Standard, and Charles F. Crandall, managing editor of the Star.

Particulars of the allegations upon which the suit is based are given in full in the plaintiff's declaration, alleging a protracted and widespread conspiracy on the part of the defendants, and other persons unknown, to prevent the Montreal Herald from having access to certain sources of supply from which daily newspapers secure their circulation-building features.

It is also alleged that the Canadian defendants formed a "so-called syndicate and induced the New Jersey defendant to break its contract with the Toronto World and transfer its services to their syndicate. The Toronto World was thereby prevented from delivering to the Herald the features and services which it had contracted to deliver. The Toronto World yesterday secured an interim injunction restraining the New Jersey Corporation from delivering its services to the Star syndicate until further hearing.

PARISH ELECTIONS AT MACE'S BAY.

Mace's Bay, Oct. 9.—The councilors' elections passed off quietly here yesterday. There were three candidates in the field, Messrs. Charles Giles, New River, and Burton McGowan of Mace's Bay, both Conservatives being elected. The vote was as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Candidate, Votes. Includes entries for Lepreaux Bay Total, Chas. Giles, Burton McGowan, and Melvin Mawhinney.

J. J. Cowie of the Fisheries Department, Ottawa, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Allan left Liverpool for Montreal on Wednesday by the Tunisian.

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STEAMSHIP ON GOLF LINKS

Members of St. John Club Close Season in Appropriate Manner—Prizes Presented after Tea.

SAVE COPY. Golf enthusiasts spent an enjoyable day yesterday on the local links when Stetson Day was observed by the members of the St. John Golf Club. Yesterday's play marked the close of the season and a large number of club members and followers of the game were present on the links.

During the day a number of interesting matches were played. In the morning the ladies' singles were played. At noon luncheon was served and play resumed in the afternoon when the mixed foursomes were played. At the conclusion of the matches five o'clock tea was served at the clubhouse after which the vice-president of the club, Mr. Thomas Mrs. Stetson and officers of the club presented the prizes for the year.

The following is the list of prize winners for the 1913 season: Ladies' championship won by Miss Winifred Barker. Men's championship won by J. M. Magee.

Ladies' Cups. Riley cup won by Miss C. T. MacLaren. Tweedie cup won by Miss Muriel Robertson. Clinch cup won by Miss Frances Stetson. McLeod cup won by Miss Winifred Barker. Handicap cup won by Miss Alice Christie. Championship runner-up won by Mrs. H. C. Schaeff.

Gentlemen's Cup. Thorne cup won by J. M. Magee. Stetson cup won by J. McO. Burgess. Weldon cup won by J. M. Magee. Stetson cup runner-up won by J. A. McAvity. Championship runner-up won by A. C. Currie. Men's foursomes won by A. C. Currie and W. K. Haley.

FIELD DAY.

Ladies' Singles.

1st prize won by Mrs. Sara Hare. 2nd prize won by Miss Alice Christie. 3rd prize won by Miss Grace Skinner.

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LOCAL KNIGHTS HOME FROM ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.

Members of Knights of Columbus Report Most Enjoyable Visit to "Ye Ancient Colony."

A number of the local Knights of Columbus, who have been in Newfoundland assisting in the exemplification of degree work, before Terra Nova Council, St. John's, returned to the city last night. Of their visit they spoke enthusiastically and reported that the trip had been a delightful one, the Newfoundland Council having made their visit very enjoyable, providing a lavish programme of entertainment.

On Friday night last Past State Deputy W. J. Mahony, of this city, and the members of his team exemplified the third degree to a class of over fifty members. The degree work was the most successful in the history of the Newfoundland Council.

The entertainment programme, which had been arranged by a committee under the leadership of Dr. J. F. McLaughlin, met the visitors stay a memorable one. On Saturday evening after the degree work a reception was held for the visitors. An interesting programme was carried out and included addresses by Grand Knight C. O'Neil Conroy, John Barrow, District Deputy, W. J. Mahony and others among the visitors.

During their stay the visitors were given motor trips to points of interest in the vicinity of St. John's and were tendered a dinner at one of the summer resorts. They were entertained at the City Club and were extended all possible hospitality. Nothing was omitted by their hosts to make their visit an enjoyable one and the local knights say they cannot speak too highly of the royal manner in which they were looked after by their Newfoundland brethren.

Among those who returned last evening were W. J. Mahony, J. B. Dever, and F. W. Conroy, D. J. Barrett and C. A. O'Connell, who were present at the exemplification, remained over in Sydney en route home. The party after leaving St. John's were delayed for over twelve hours because of a train wreck and instead of getting to Sydney on Tuesday night did not arrive until Wednesday noon.

Those who made the trip expressed themselves as delighted with their visit and are lavish in their praise and appreciation of the hospitality of the Newfoundland knights.

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There are some great bargains in this sale of all this season's models. The Coats are going rapidly and if you intend to profit by this opportunity, better come at once. Sale continued today in the Clothing Department.

Millinery News for the Week-End

Attractive Items in Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats and Accessories

A feature for this week-end will be a collection of brand new Tailored Hats made in very attractive forms that will be much admired. While the Hats are handsome, unique in treatment and boldly fashionable, they are offered at prices that will be considered exceptionally reasonable. Each..... \$4.00, \$5.50, \$7.50, \$9.00

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BLACK MANNISH SERGES, extra heavy, 58 inches wide ..... yard \$2.00 to \$2.40

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