

The Evening Times.

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THE WEATHER.

North to northwest winds. Fresh until evening. Fine and cool today and on Thursday.

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ST. JOHN, N. B. WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1907.

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THE WORK IS FAR BEHIND

Dissatisfaction Over Wall and Stanley Street Bridges

OBJECT TO DELAY

Residents in That Section of City Say New Bridges Were to Be Put Up Inside of Three Weeks—Four Months Finds Work Undone

The unsatisfactory manner in which the work on the Wall street and Stanley street bridges over the I. C. R. tracks is being done is the subject of much adverse comment among residents in that section of the city.

It is stated that when the work was commenced it was said by the I. C. R. engineers that the old bridges would be removed and the new ones built inside of three weeks.

It is claimed by many that it is inadvisable to allow work to be commenced on the Stanley street bridge until the Wall street structure is completed.

The question of a walk for pedestrians on these bridges has not yet been clearly arranged for, although the agreement between the city and the I. C. R. provides that a suitable walk be built.

Another matter that will have to be considered in connection with the existing state of the bridges is the effect it will have on the street car service in that portion of the city.

THE DIOCESAN SYNOD APPOINTED COMMITTEES AT MORNING SESSION

The Diocesan Synod continued its sessions this morning. The amendment of the constitution and canons was considered.

Rev. C. D. Schofield, of Sydney was invited to a seat on the floor of the house. It was resolved that Mr. Thomas, general secretary of the synod at 12.15 o'clock today and Rev. Mr. Campbell, secretary of the Bible Society, be heard this afternoon at 3.15 o'clock.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS. Clerical—Revs. E. J. Hand, Canon Montgomery, E. B. Hooper, G. A. McIlkuning, A. W. Smithers, Canon Hanington.

BOARD OF FINANCE. W. M. Jarvis, F. J. G. Knowlton, W. S. Fisher, H. B. Schofield, Col. Campbell,

PRESIDENT FALCONER

He Comes Out as an Advocate of Clean Sport in Address to University of Toronto Students.

TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 2 (Special).—President Falconer addressed nearly one thousand students yesterday afternoon in Convocation Hall, at the opening of the University of Toronto for the academic year.

Of athletics he said: "There are too many men on benches and too few contestants. In our university athletics we should set an ideal to the community of pure and clean sports."

DRY DOCK NOT A DEAD ISSUE

George Robertson, M. P. P., president of the Imperial Dry Dock Company, was asked this morning with reference to the report that the board had been approached to see if they would consider transferring to the Dominion government the dry dock site which, under present arrangements is to become the property of the Imperial Dry Dock Co.

MECHANICS OUT AT SPRINGHILL. HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 2 (Special).—The mechanics quit work at Springhill this morning, and the mines are now in charge of officials.

HE WILL PLACE ASPHALT BLOCKS ON NEW BRIDGES

Robert S. Low, of Sydney, representing the Barber Asphalt Paving Co. of Philadelphia, and Toronto, is in the city to arrange for the placing of asphalt blocks on the Wall street and Stanley street bridges.

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SOBO HAD A ROUGH TIME

West Indian Lifer Arrived This Morning After a Tempestuous Voyage.

The West Indian steamship Sobo, Captain Bridges, arrived in port this morning at 8 o'clock from Bermuda, Windward Island and Demerara, with sixteen cabin and 23 second class passengers.

MUST HAVE GRAIN AT CLARKE WHARF

This afternoon a committee from the civic board of works will meet Hon. Wm. Pugsley, minister of public works, and Wm. Lewis, general superintendent of the C. P. R., to see what arrangements can be made for supplying grain at the wharf.

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Ex-Sheriff of Baker City, Who Was Blown Up by Bomb Makes Astounding Ante-Mortem Statement.

BAKER CITY, Ore., Oct. 2—The Western Federation of Miners was accused of instigating the death of Harvey K. Brown, formerly sheriff of this county, in an ante-mortem statement made by the victim yesterday afternoon.

GAGETOWN HAS A BIGAMY CASE

James Little Married a Woman When He Had a Wife and Family Living.

FREDERICTON, Oct. 2 (Special).—Quite a sensation was created at Gagetown a few days ago by the arrest of an elderly man named James A. Little, on a charge of bigamy.

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THE NEW POSTAL REGULATIONS

Cheaper Postage to Great Britain and European Countries.

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 2 (Special).—The new postal regulations governing the transmission of first-class mail matter between Canada and Great Britain and most of the British colonies and foreign countries in the postal union went into effect yesterday.

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NEWS FROM FREDERICTON

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FUNERALS

The funeral of William Green was held this afternoon from his late residence, 164 Duke street, at St. John's (Stone) church, at 3 o'clock.

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MEDICINE TO BE STATE SERVANT

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