

THE WEATHER

Toronto, May 7.—The barometer is now falling slowly in the far West and also in Ontario and Quebec. The weather today has been fine everywhere and warmer except in the Maritime Provinces.

Maritime—Moderate winds with much the same temperatures.

AROUND THE CITY

WATER SHUT OFF.—The water will be shut off the north side of King street and both sides of Charlotte street from King to Princess streets today, on account of work being done in King street.

STARTING NEXT WEEK.—A start will be made next week on the foundation for the Dulon Square fountain which is to be erected by the Women's Council.

THE PROBATE COURT.—In the matter of the estate of Mary J. Olla, letters testamentary have been granted to Eraline Cameron and Charles E. Cameron; personalty \$2,000, J. B. Dever, proctor.

THE HEALTH MEETING.—The three district medical health officers, Dr. G. G. Melvin, chief medical officer of the province, Dr. Abrahamson and Hon. Dr. Stotters will meet in conference at the Board of Health office this morning in one of their regular conferences which are held every two months.

SAND PIT ACCIDENT.—William McCallum, of 135 Water street, a longshoreman, working on the S. S. Mortmain, fell into the hold of the steamer at 11.50 yesterday morning, injuring his hip and bruising his face. He was taken to the Emergency Hospital and given first aid, and then sent to the General Public Hospital for X-ray examination.

PROPOSED SUPPLEMENT.—The Board of Trade has received an advance copy of a proposed supplement to Canadian Freight Classification 16 which has been filed with the Board of Railway Commissioners for approval. This supplement covers changes in L. C. L. and C. L. rates on liquors and liquors.

TRADES AND LABOR.—The regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council was held in their rooms, Union street, last night, on a considerable routine business was transacted. A committee was appointed to look into the matter of purchasing a building for a Labor Temple. Fred Campbell was chosen a delegate to attend the sessions of the American Federation of Labor which meets in Montreal on June 7.

IN CHAMBERS.—Before His Honor Judge McKewen in Chambers yesterday morning argument was heard upon an application for a summons for directions for an accounting in the case of James P. Byrne vs. James H. McFarlane. The question was as to whether or not a summons for direction an application could be made for an order if at the time of taking out the summons was not supported by an affidavit. It was said in behalf of the defence that if there were a preliminary question to be tried it should be heard before an order to take account should be made. His Honor found that there was a preliminary question, and under this ruling would not grant the order. Mr. W. Robertson appeared for the plaintiff, and W. M. Ryan for the defendant.

NEW N. S. BONDS.—Now that the Government of New Brunswick has to pay over 6 1/2 per cent interest on bonds, even Mr. Venice might be expected to pause in a course of conduct that makes borrowing necessary. But will he? Or will Premier Foster see that he does? We are confidently looking to the Mail, Telegraph, Transcript and St. John Times for editorial congratulations to the Government on the placing of its new bond issue at 6.52. The Transcript will probably show out its big rooster in exuberant jubilation over this evidence of New Brunswick's high credit under the present administration! And the Mail editor's flock of prize poultry will cackle and crow in one grand tune!

THE GREAT WEST HELD CONVENTION

Insurance Company Representatives in New Brunswick Assembled Yesterday—Dinner at Union Club Following Addresses.

The Great West Life Insurance Co. held a convention yesterday in the office of the local manager, E. P. O'Toole, Ferns William street, which was attended by all the representatives of the company in New Brunswick and the adjoining counties of Quebec. The agents were addressed by C. H. Carpenter, the superintendent, of Toronto, and by C. A. Buller, of

Freight Between Boston And St. John

Shipments by Way of Yarmouth Has Been Discontinued—Eastern Company Expected on Monday to Announce Resumption of Regular Service.

Shipment of freight from Boston to St. John by way of Yarmouth has been discontinued. The steamer South Coast is making two trips a week between Yarmouth and St. John, and she has about twenty tons of Boston freight to move, but no more will be accepted.

Poor Fishing In The Harbor

Gaspereaux Fishing Has Been Rather Poor Since a Few Big Catches During First Run—Some Activity Down the Bay.

Since a few big catches were made during the first run of Gaspereaux, the fishing has proved rather poor at St. John. The few fishermen have done practically nothing, and the catches in the water have been small. Whether cold weather, has delayed the season remains to be seen. Usually the bulk of the run of Gaspereaux have passed up the river by this date.

At Lormville and points in Charlotte County the shore fishing is active, and yesterday especially the catches of cod brought here were good.

Quite a delegation of fishermen and people interested in the fisheries of Charlotte county are in Ottawa this week to interview the government on matters relating to these fisheries. The party includes M. N. Cockburn, K. C. G. H. I. Cockburn, S. D. Gupill, M. L. A. Harold Lord, Wm. Welsh and others. Mrs. Welsh accompanied her husband and before their return they propose visiting Toronto, Boston and New York.

Sir Arthur Currie Expected in May

Word Received by Woman's Canadian Club That the Distinguished General Will Address Two Canadian Clubs in St. John.

A telegram was received by the Woman's Canadian Club yesterday from General Sir Arthur Currie announcing that he will be in St. John May 21st, and will address both the Canadian Club here. It is hoped that both the Province and City will join the Canadian Clubs in giving a fitting welcome to so distinguished a guest. This announcement was made at an executive meeting held yesterday morning at the residence of the president, Mrs. L. P. D. Thibet, Wellington street. A vote of thanks was passed to W. H. Golding for his consideration and kindness to the Woman's Canadian Club. A business meeting which will be the last of the season, was arranged for May 16th, Loyalty Day. Plans for luncheon for the National Council of Women's delegates were made and a committee appointed.

General McLean's Oracular Utterance

The General McLean incident has aroused more amusement than wrath among the veterans of St. John, who are better acquainted with the general than some of the veterans in other parts.

INDIANTOWN NOTES

All the river steamers are enjoying good business these days. Large cargoes of freight are being carried on their trips up and down the river while the passenger traffic is good too.

Louis Goldberg Was Badly Injured

Stepped off the Sidewalk on Main Street Yesterday Afternoon and Was Run Over by An Automobile—Taken to the Hospital for Treatment.

Louis Goldberg, a tailor employed in one of the up-town establishments, was knocked down and run over by an auto while attempting to cross Main street, near Assiniboia's grocery store about 12.30 yesterday afternoon. The auto featuring in the accident was owned and driven by Jack Hanna, a milk-deliverer of Millidgeville.

Arrangements For West Indian Party

Sir George E. Foster Hopes to Have Delegation Spend Day or Two in Halifax and St. John Before Proceeding to Ottawa for Conference—Reach Here May 25.

The Board of Trade, which has been in communication with the Trade and Commerce Department, Ottawa, relative to the approaching West Indian conference at Ottawa, held a meeting yesterday from Sir George E. Foster in which he stated that he did not know exactly when the West Indian delegation, composed of representatives from the various West Indian administrations, would arrive in Canada, nor the exact route by which they would arrive.

BIG ATTRACTIONS TODAY AT OAK HALL'S BACK HOME SALE

The Oak Hall Back Home Sale which has been running this week at their old home stand, corner King and German streets has many and attractive offers in men's and boys' clothing and furnishings for Saturday shoppers.

VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS

Rebates due pupils who attended Vocational Classes will be paid on Wednesday, May 12th, at the office of the Board of School Trustees.

CAMP WESKAWENNAK

Ideal vacation for girls at Pott's Bay, N. S. Athletics, boating, bathing, dancing. Under careful supervision of teachers of physical training and assistants. 5th session, July 2nd-August 28 (4125). Send for illustrated booklet to Miss J. Edith Taylor, 425 Broadway, Cambridge, Mass.

ST. LUK'S CHURCH

At the 11 o'clock service a memorial tablet to the late Lieut. R. L. Johnson, R. A. F., will be unveiled.

County Council Finance Committee

Position of Unfortunates Who Need Treatment in County Hospital, But Who Are Not Entitled to It Was Discussed Yesterday—Other Matters.

At the meeting of the Finance Committee of the County Council, yesterday, the positions of unfortunates who need treatment at the St. John County Hospital, but who are not entitled to it, was discussed.

The committee will recommend that the County Council be directed to pay the full amounts of the warrants issued in favor of the several county institutions, and that if shortages occur in the collections, the same be added to next year's assessment.

A CLEAN MUSICAL COMEDY OF EXCEPTIONAL MERIT

Theatre goers who are looking for somewhere to go and who can appreciate clean, musical comedy—a hearty laugh—and singing that is gold, if ever, equalled by even the high priced musical shows, would do well to attend Monday night's performance of Time-Girls Time, as given by the Rivoli Musical Comedy and Comic Opera Co., at the Queen's Theatre.

The Right Tools For a Good Job. Stanley's Carpenters' Tools. W. H. THORNE & CO., LIMITED. Store Hours:—8 a. m. to 6 p. m.—Open Saturdays till 10 p. m.

10th Anniversary on Charlotte St. Sale Closes Tonight. For this, the last day of the most successful Anniversary Sale we have ever held, all Hats will be on sale at a most liberal discount. Untrimmed Hats, black and colors, for today only one lot at \$1.50. Trimmed Hats, hundreds of most attractive styles, today \$3, \$4, \$5. Imported Model Hats, received from New York this week, \$15 up for \$10 today. Tailored Sailors, here you have such a large variety, specials, \$3 and \$4.50. Children's Trimmed Hats \$1.25 up. No Hats Exchanged. No Hats on Approval. No Money Refunded. Marr Millinery Co., Limited. St. John Moncton Amherst Sydney

Extra Years of Service. THE ENTERPRISE "MONARCH". Will give you many years of extra service. Emerson & Fisher Ltd. Stores Open 8.30 a.m. Close 6 p.m. Saturday 10 p.m.

A Man Needs Plenty of Spring Underwear. SHIRTS AND DRAWERS. White and Natural Balbriggan, 90c. and \$1.25 gar. Natural Merino, \$1.00 and \$1.75 gar. White and Natural Fine Worsted, \$1.50 and \$2.50 gar. Fine Elastic Rib (Silk Finish) \$3.00. White "Aertex Cellular" English make, \$2.75 to \$4.00. Fine English Made Cashmere, \$3.00 to \$6.00. COMBINATIONS. White Athletic Style, newest fabrics, \$1.50 to \$5.75 suit. White and Natural Balbriggan, \$1.75 to \$2.50 suit. Fine Elastic Rib Balbriggan, \$3.25 to \$4.00. Fine Elastic Rib Silkette, \$6.50. White "Aertex Cellular," all styles, \$5.00 to \$6.00. NEGLIGEE SHIRTS—A large assortment of light and medium stripes, fancy patterns and plain colorings, \$2.25 to \$7.00; Plain White Silk Shirts, \$7.00 to \$8.25; Colored Silk Shirts in good colored stripes and plain colors, \$8.50 to \$12.00. (Men's Furnishings Section, Ground Floor.)

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