

**THE WEATHER.**

**Maritime** — Fresh southwesterly winds, fine and warm with a few local thunderstorms.  
 Toronto, Ont., July 29.—Showery and unsettled conditions have prevailed today in the lower Lake region and the Ottawa and St. Lawrence valleys, while the weather has cleared in the western provinces. The temperature exceeded 80 generally throughout Canada.

**New England Forecast.**  
 Washington, D. C., July 29.—Forecast for New England: Generally fair Friday and Saturday; not much change in temperature; moderate southwest and west winds.

**Sea Side Park Band Concert**  
 The Artillery Band gave a fine band concert at Seaside Park last evening which was enjoyed by a large crowd.

**New U. S. Consul Here Monday.**  
 Mr. Maxwell K. Newhall, the new U. S. consul at this port, will arrive on Monday to assume his duties here. Judge Wilrick will leave on Tuesday or Wednesday to take his new position as U. S. consul at Quebec.

**The I. C. R. Fire Alarm**  
 The Gamewell fire alarm boxes recently installed on the I. C. R. property have not yet been connected with the city system, and inspection by Chief Kerr is delayed until this is accomplished.

**Complainant Did Not Appear**  
 The case of Arar Williams, who was arrested on the charge of threatening to stab his sister, Mrs. Ross, of Milford, came up before Judge Mason yesterday and was dismissed as complainant did not appear.

**Dance at "The Ferns"**  
 The members of the Telegraphers' Club gave a very successful dance in their clubhouse at "The Ferns" last evening. A good programme of vocal and instrumental selections was given and dancing was enjoyed until an early hour this morning when the party returned to the city.

**Rafts Arriving.**  
 The tug Flushing arrived at Indian-town yesterday with a raft of 530 joints. The Lilly brought in a raft of 600 joints. The Sea King arrived with a raft of 508 joints. The Admiral is on the way with a raft of 647 joints and the "Captain" is also coming with a large raft.

**Large Sturgeon Caught.**  
 A large sturgeon measuring seven feet was caught at Parly's Point on Wednesday and has been shipped to New York where there is a good market for the fish. The water in the river is reported to be much higher than for the same period last year.

**A Close Shave.**  
 A young man who was alighting from a carriage on Main street, got his foot caught under the seat and fell out of the carriage between the wheels, the seat falling on top of him. The horse, startled by the noise, started to run away, but was caught by two bystanders and a serious accident was probably averted.

**Sandy Point Road**  
 The city is doing considerable repairing to the Sandy Point Road and a noticeable improvement has already been made. The work was badly needed as the road is much used for pleasure driving on account of the beauty of the scenery. Near the entrance of the old road, workmen are at present engaged putting in a cast iron watering trough.

**Divorce Case Withdrawn.**  
 The divorce case of John Albert Ljungberg vs Rose M. Ljungberg, has finally disposed of. Yesterday His Honor, Mr. Justice McKeown, decided to dismiss the case with costs as the parties have become reconciled. Mr. John B. M. Baxter, K. C., was solicitor for the plaintiff and Mr. W. B. Wallace, K. C., and Mr. J. A. Barry, solicitors for the respondent.

**Blood Alley is No More.**  
 The colored tenants of the tumble-down buildings which surrounded the notorious Blood Alley, have now removed to other quarters and the city has men at work cleaning up the four lots upon which the buildings stood. It has not been decided whether to lease the lots or to hold them with a view to possible railway development at Courtenay Bay.

**Preparing for Dominion Exhibition.**  
 The Exhibition Association Executive will meet on Monday to receive the reports from the advertising, buildings and exhibition committees as to the amount of appropriations required in their departments for the Dominion Exhibition of 1910. Preparatory work for the big fair is now well under way, and there will be no cessation until the exhibition opens.

**Dr. Morison at Woodman's Point.**  
 Rev. J. A. Morison, D. D., formerly pastor of St. David's church, and now of Chicago, arrived in the city Wednesday evening and left yesterday morning for Woodman's Point to spend the remainder of the summer at his cottage there. Rev. Dr. Morison is accompanied by his wife and daughter. He is taking two months' vacation and will not return to Chicago before October.

**Thompson Cup Match Postponed.**  
 The weekly golf tea was held yesterday and was largely attended. Those in charge were Mrs. F. B. Schofield, Mrs. H. B. Schofield and Mrs. H. W. Schofield. A large number of the members took advantage of the beautiful day to play a round. The Thompson Cup match for lady players, match play from scratch which was to have been played yesterday, had to be postponed as not sufficient entries were received. No date has been fixed for playing the match.

**Paul Kuhring Won the Cup.**  
 The Stone Church annual picnic, was held at Westfield Beach yesterday. The members of the mothers' meeting, the choir, and the Sunday school were present and the attendance was the largest for a number of years. The Rev. G. A. Kuhring with a corps of able assistants was in charge. The weather was warm and delightful and the outing was greatly enjoyed. No accidents marred the pleasure of the day. In the afternoon sports were held under the supervision of Mr. W. E. Anderson and Mr. George Morrison. Paul Kuhring captured the silver cup for the best all round athlete. Prizes were also won by Jack Bates, Gustave Kuhring and others.

**ONCE A DENTIST IN WATER ST. NOW NEW YORK MILLIONAIRE**  
**Dr. G. S. Parker, Now in the City On His Annual Vacation, is One of New Brunswick's Successful Sons—"Painless Parker" and the Methods of Advertising Which Brought Him Wealth.**

Leaving St. John where he had been a struggling dentist, with a small office in Water street, and in seventeen years attaining a position at the head of a dentistry business which extends from New York to San Francisco, owning twelve offices and employing hundreds of assistants, is the record made by G. S. Parker, D. D. S., who was in the city yesterday after spending some weeks at his summer home at Tynemouth Creek, York County.

Dr. Parker modestly declined to talk to a Standard representative last evening concerning the amazing of his wealth. He said New York was no place for the man who had not learned to hustle. Conditions in the metropolis were much more encouraging than they were two years ago. All lines of trade, and even the professional men had been affected by the financial panic, but now a feeling of confidence prevailed and good times were returning.

Dr. G. S. Parker was born in York County and started his practice as a struggling young man in Water street. He made many friends here at that time who are always glad to welcome him back on his annual excursions. After removing to New York he applied himself very diligently to the practice of his profession, and soon was living in comfort and affluence. His wife was Miss Moran, daughter of Mr. James H. Moran, of St. Martin's. His two sons followed their father's profession, and the "Painless Parker Company" was organized with strikingly successful results.

Spectacular advertising caught the notice of the people, and the returns have been so fruitful that the members of the company are now reputed to be millionaires. Large theatres are engaged, and experts give free exhibitions of the contraction of teeth by the painless method. Free shows are made a feature and brass bands are hired to attract the people, and in places where there are no theatres, circus tents are erected and the people amused and interested.

Today Dr. Parker's son, Dr. H. C. Parker, and the latter's wife will join him here and the trio will return to Tynemouth Creek to enjoy the country air. Mrs. J. S. Parker is visiting another son, Dr. E. R. Parker, at Los Angeles, where the famous "Painless Parker Dentistry Company" does an immense business.

**REVENUE AT SUMMER RATES IS A RECORD.**

Harbor Receipts For Last Six Months 25 Per Cent. Better Than Last Year.

The city's receipts from top and side wharfage, anchorage and harbor fees for the first six months of this year show an increase of nearly twenty-five per cent over the corresponding period in 1908, and constitute a record in the history of the port at summer service rates. This income is derived from the rates on local goods and the charges at the East Side wharves, and is in addition to the revenue derived from the winter port.

A comparison of the two years, month by month, is as follows:—

	1908	1909.
January	\$ 1,522.03	\$ 3,518.45
February	2,386.76	2,494.86
March	3,692.45	3,994.54
April	3,832.85	3,794.75
May	2,195.16	2,818.24
June	2,366.55	4,021.13
	\$15,696.10	\$20,551.97

The receipts for June were the largest ever received for summer rates in any one month and nearly doubled the collections in the corresponding period last year.

There were an unusually large number of tramp steamers in port, and a great deal of general cargo was handled. The coal shipments were also heavy. The figures for July are well up to the average.

**LAMENT FOR THE GARDEN.**

To the Editor of The Standard.  
 Sir:—At sixteen one desires change, and alterations in surroundings do not worry; but at eighty-five, one feels more keenly the removal of things that have made the environment pleasant. I have lived for some years now in the vicinity of the Public Garden, and it has been a source of great enjoyment to me to spend some part of every fine afternoon that I was able to get so far, to walk there and go about the walks and through the hot house, where the gardener, Mr. Stevens, was always kindly in showing his latest growths in flowers. The grounds about were always in attractive shape, the coming and going of each season's quota of flowers interested me very much.

Through illhealth I have not visited so often this year, but getting out there lately I have noticed with regret that there was a sad falling off of the attention exhibited in previous season. Flowers were not cared for, insufficiently watered, walks weedy and littered up, and no progress being made. The gardener said he was not allowed help as previously and could not overtake his work, that want of funds prevented any improvement. I was much distressed by the altered look of the beautiful resort, and sincerely hope some way may be found to provide means to restore the garden to its former loveliness. I am, sir,

Yours truly,  
 A LOVER OF FLOWERS.  
 News of The River.

The tug Sea King left last night for Fredericton to bring down a raft of logs.

**Bicycle Stolen**  
 On Tuesday evening Russell Craigie, of the North End, went into the Theatre leaving his bicycle in the lobby. On coming out he was disagreeably surprised to find that the bicycle had disappeared. Since then Mr. Craigie has found the wheel.

**Milkmen and Their Licenses.**  
 The Board of Health is about to take steps against the milkmen who have failed to take out the required license. The following milkmen have been negligent in this respect: Mr. Vincent Britt, Mr. Wilfred Lawton, Mr. Thos. Morrish, Mr. Ed. Boyle, Mr. Robt. Dean, Mr. Thos. Cosgrove, Mr. Andrew Wilson, Mr. Jas. F. Kelley, and The Standard Creamery Co. Some of these dealers have notified the board that they are at present having their herds examined in order that they may show proper qualifications to obtain a license. Those who have not communicated with the department will be proceeded against at once. The following milkmen have taken out their licenses: Mr. George Anthony, Mr. Robt. H. Cother, Mr. Jas. Warnock, Mr. Jos. Boyle, Mr. Geo. Williams, Mrs. Jas. Durant, Mr. I. A. Griffith, Mr. David A. Porter and the Maritime Dairy Co.

Mr. Charles Cliff, representative of the McLean Publishing Company, of Montreal and Toronto, is at the Royal

**WASSON'S 'DANDR-OFF' Will Save Your Hair**  
 It is cooling to the head. Guaranteed to cure Dandruff. 50c. bottle. Money back if no benefit. Application at barber shops.

**THE DRUG STORE,**  
 100 KING STREET,  
**Chas. R. Wasson.**

**THE BIRTH AND INFANCY OF JESUS CHRIST**  
 According to the Gospel Narratives By the Rev. Louis Matthew Sweet, M. A. with an introduction by James Stevens Riggs, D. D.  
**Price \$1.60 Net.**

**E. G. Nelson & Co.**  
 Cor. King and Charlotte Sts.

**WE Do Fine REPAIRING**  
 Our repairing department is the most up-to-date in the Provinces. To give our patrons work that cannot be duplicated, we have installed modern machinery, employ only thorough shoemakers and supply the best leathers obtainable.

**THEN**  
 we finish every repair job to look like new. Just let us know that you have shoes that need repairing and we shall see that they are ready for you to put on and wear.

**TRY US NEXT**

**Waterbury & Rising**  
 KING STREET, UNION STREET

**FRUITS AND VEGETABLES**  
 We have a full assortment Oranges and Peaches very low. Strawberries plentiful. Wire, write or phone your orders. Prices are right.

**THE WILLETT FRUIT CO. LTD.**  
 St. John, N. B.

**Sunburn**  
 Cutlave is delightfully cooling to a sun-burned face, hands and arms; it soothes and relieves at once; stops the irritation, prevents peeling and soreness, making the injured skin soft, clear and velvety.

**E. CLINTON BROWN,**  
 DRUGGIST,  
 Cor. Union and Waterloo Sts.

**Canvas Tents**  
 For Use on Lawns or on Camping Expeditions. Made of good strong Canvas and Hand Sewn.

Sizes 5 x 7 1-2, 7 1-2 x 10, 8 x 12 1-2  
 Bell Girts 10 feet diam., 8 feet high

**W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD.**  
 Market Square, St. John, N. B.

**Gilmour's Summer Sale of Ready-to-wear Clothing**  
 Exceptional Price Inducements

Suits, \$12 to 18.00, Sale Price, \$5 and 7.50  
 Toppers, \$10 to 16.50; Choice for Half Price  
 Waterproof Coats, \$10, 12, 15.00; Half Price  
 Raincoats, \$15, 18, 20.00; Sale Price, \$10, 12.50, 13.50  
 OPEN FRIDAY NIGHT UNTIL TEN O'CLOCK

**A. GILMOUR, 68 KING STREET**  
 TAILORING AND CLOTHING.

**A Few Nice Linen Suitings Have Been Added to Our Stock**

Linen Color with Brown Stripes and Linen Color with Green Stripes; very nobby for Coat and Skirt only 24 cents yard.  
 Also Green Mercerized Pongee at 28 cents.  
 Plain Drill and Duck in Navy, Brown, Sky Green and White 18 cents yard.  
 We have a lot of Remnants of 15 cent fabric at Snap Prices. All Fresh and Clean.

**ROBERT STRAIN & CO., .: 27 and 29 Charlotte Street**

Stores close at 6 p. m. St. John, July 30, 1909

**Boys' Norfolk Suits 2.50**  
 Sizes 25 to 32 ONLY

We have just received one hundred Boys' Norfolk Tweed Suits, made from good, strong All Wool Dark Brown Herringbone Stripe Tweed. These suits have been made to our special order. They are well made and well lined. They have been sewn throughout with extra strong linen thread, and are guaranteed to stand the rough usage given by the robust healthy boy. To induce early buying we will offer, beginning today, the entire lot

Sizes 25 to 32  
**AT ONE SPECIAL Price, \$2.50**  
 If You Have a Boy, Don't Miss This Sale.

**J. N. HARVEY, TAILORING AND CLOTHING,**  
 199 to 207 UNION STREET.

**Ladies' New Umbrellas**

**A Nice Fresh Assortment of Black and Colored Umbrellas, Silk and Wool and all Silk Coverings, Good, Strong Frames, and a Wide Range of Pretty Handles.**

An Umbrella showing doubly interesting because of its brightness and freshness in addition to the unusually reasonable range of prices. This display features late arrivals in

**BLACK UMBRELLAS** with good strong frames and steel rods, a variety of pretty handles, silver and gold mounted, fancy horn, gun metal and natural wood; all the new Directoire handle in plain wood and silver and gold mounted, good fast black silk and wool mixed and all silk coverings. Prices from \$2.25 to \$6.00 each.

**COLORFUL UMBRELLAS**, one of the season's novelties. A nice assortment with all silk coverings of green, navy blue, brown and grenat, natural wood handles. Prices from \$4.25 to \$6.75 each.

**SILK ROOM.**

**Black Sateen Underskirts**  
 Brand new Underskirts with deep flounce, frills and tucking; close-fitting, to provide the correct hang and stylish appearance to the costume.  
 Underskirts that are just the thing for all 'round use and with all the swish and rustle so desirable.  
 38, 40 and 42 inch lengths.

**Prices from \$1.10 to \$2.00 Each**  
 Costume Section.

**MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, LTD.**