

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Moderate southerly and westerly winds; fair and warm. Toronto, Aug. 24.—Decidedly warmer weather has prevailed in Ontario today, whilst elsewhere in Canada maximum temperatures have not been extreme. Local showers have occurred in Saskatchewan and New Ontario, but it has been generally very fine in the most of the Provinces.

New England Forecast.—Washington, Aug. 24.—New England fair Wednesday and Thursday; moderate southwest to west winds.

Returned from Vacation.—The Misses Hea returned yesterday from P. E. Island, where they spent the last few weeks. Miss Alice Hea will resume her duties as organist in Centenary Church on Sunday.

Tennis Tea.—The weekly tennis tea will be held this afternoon on the local courts at 4 o'clock. Those in charge will be Miss Trueman, Miss Kimball and Miss Flanders.

Tourist Travel.—The Ransom B. Fuller, Capt. Mitchell, arrived with 28 passengers from Boston and Maine ports at 8.15 o'clock last evening. Fine weather during the trip was reported.

Creating a Disturbance.—The police were called into Robert Wilson's house, Somerset street, between five and six o'clock yesterday afternoon to quell a disturbance he was creating.

Account Book Found.—An account book containing the name of Mr. Knox of Silver Falls was found by the police yesterday on Main street and is awaiting the owner at the North End police station.

The Corporation Drive.—The last of the corporation drive will reach Fredericton about the latter part of the week. All lumber will be in Springhill by Saturday, and will reach St. John in about three weeks. The tugs Flushing and Admiral left for St. John on Monday, the former taking 498 tons and the latter 561. The Lillie left yesterday.

Contract Awarded.—Mr. F. W. Holt, on Monday awarded the contract for building a dam across the Shediac river for the Shediac Electric Light and Power Company, to Messrs. Mitten of Salisbury, who are to complete the work by November 1. Four other tenders were received, the lowest being accepted. Mr. Holt returned to the city yesterday.

A Doyen Among Commercialists.—Colonel Rogers of Montreal is at the Royal spending a few days' vacation. The colonel, before retiring to take up the management of the Abbeville Salt Co., was thirty-nine years of age, and was one of the best known commercial men in Canada. Mrs. Rogers is spending a few weeks in Prince Edward Island.

The Rush for School Permits.—The school board officials were kept pretty busy yesterday, issuing school permits to intending pupils. Two hundred permits were issued on Monday and the number of school scholars was doubled yesterday, making 400 in all. The Dufferin school has the record number of applicants, forty-nine, for admission.

Will Not Extend Invitation.—At a meeting of the St. John Medical Society held yesterday afternoon it was decided not to extend an invitation to the Canadian Medical Association to hold their annual meeting in St. John next year. The time was considered inopportune for such a gathering as the Maritime Medical Association propose meeting here next summer.

Will Preach in Halifax.—Rev. A. B. Cohoe, who returned to the city from Halifax yesterday to conduct the funeral services of Rev. Dr. S. M. Black, returned to Halifax on the late train last evening. He will preach there next Sunday. Mrs. Cohoe, who recently returned from Halifax, to remain there some time. The report of her serious illness was incorrect.

Tabernacle Church Picnic.—The Tabernacle church Sunday school picnic which was held yesterday at Watter's Landing, was much enjoyed by a large crowd. The steamer May Queen conveyed the picnicers to their destination and the day was spent very pleasantly. In the afternoon sports were held. The following were the prize winners: 100 yds. dash (boys), F. Campbell; running broad jump, F. Belyea; young ladies' race, Miss E. Mullin; men's race, Harry Jones. The party returned to the city about 8.15 o'clock.

Wilson-DeLong.—A quiet wedding was solemnized last evening at the home of the groom's parents, when Mr. Charles Wilson, an employe of The Two Barkers, was united in marriage to Miss Ethel M. DeLong, daughter of Mrs. Louise DeLong of City Road. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. B. H. Nobles. Many beautiful presents were received by the young couple, one being a handsome bedroom suite from the groom's employe, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will reside on Adedside street.

John Hetherington Captured.—John Hetherington, who escaped from the Provincial Hospital last week, was recaptured yesterday at Oromocto and brought back to the institution. Hetherington had walked to Oromocto and on arriving there on Thursday was given employment with a farmer named Brown. He proved to be a good worker, but Mr. Brown noticed something peculiar about his actions and when he heard of the man having escaped from the hospital at once sent word down. One of the guards left on Monday night and on arriving at Oromocto, identified the man as Hetherington. They boarded the train and he was brought back to St. John yesterday apparently none the worse for his experience.

JIMMY COVENEY CLAIMED BY HIS FATHER, GOES HOME

Lad Arrested For Lying And Lurking Released Last Evening — Gets a Lecture From Chief Clark.

After spending the day locked up in a cell at the police station instead of enjoying the excitement of the circus, Jimmy Covenev, a boy of twelve, was released about eight o'clock last evening by Chief Clark on the arrival of his father. The boy was arrested late Monday night on the charge of lying and lurking under a platform at the synagogue, Carleton street. Yesterday morning he told the court he had slept in the Calvin Church alley on Carleton street for at least two weeks and had also spent many nights in the cellar window of a residence in the same locality. For some time he hung about the Nickel theatre and obtained seats from people on their way to the show with which he purchased food. The management of the theatre learned of his begging and put an end to it, and for the last few days he had been supplied with food and shelter by the Nickel staff in return for doing light work about the theatre in the afternoon.

The little fellow appeared very unimpaired and neglected in court, and Judge Ritchie after hearing the facts of the case had him placed in a cell to await the arrival of his parents. The lad is the second of the family to be in the hands of the police within a short time. His little sister was missing last week and was brought to the notice of the authorities. Mr. Covenev called at the station last night and told Chief Clark that the boy was very hard to manage. When he went out he would not return. The chief had the lad brought into his office and gave him a severe lecture on his duty to his parents, and the punishment he would receive unless he behaved in the future. The boy promised to be good and father and son left the office for home.

MR. MCGOWAN HOME FROM GATHERING OF SCOTTISH CLANS

Manchester, N. H., He Says, Has Had Hassam Pavement For Five Years — Tells Of Exciting Incident.

Mr. H. L. McGowan arrived home yesterday from Manchester, N. H., where he attended the twenty-fourth convention of the Royal Order of Scottish Clans. The convention opened on August 17 and lasted three days. After the business meetings each day, the delegates, about 150 in number, were given drives, excursions and other amusements by the Manchester Club. A visit was paid to the factory of the Amoskeag Mfg. Co., the largest cotton factory in the world. This factory gives employment over 17,000 people. Besides there were banquets and drives and other amusements provided for the entertainment of the visitors.

Horses Charged Spectators.—An unfortunate incident happened on Thursday, when the Manchester Fire Department were giving an exhibition for the benefit of the delegates. The horses of the hook and ladder wagon became unmanageable and charged among the spectators. The driver was thrown off and was badly hurt. He stuck gamely to the reins however until the horses were stopped. An old lady in the spectators had her arm broken, and several minor bruises were inflicted.

Mr. McGowan noticed that the streets of Manchester were paved with Hassam Pavine, and he thought that it was good material. Some of it had been laid for more than five years, but showed very little sign of wear. The Clans, Mr. McGowan said were flourishing all over the United States and Canada. The next convention will be held at Boston in 1911.

It Ended Happily.—A man giving his name as John Brown arrived in the city yesterday from Moncton in search of his wife, who had left his home the day before. The woman was discovered by the police and taken to the North End police station where a reconciliation was effected and the couple left for Moncton last evening.

Changes in School Books.—There are three changes in the list of books to be used in the schools this year. Goggin's English Grammar will replace Melklohn's Short English Grammar. Hamlin Smith's Arithmetic, which has been in use for more than twenty years, will give place to Hall and Stevens' system. The new Brunswick series of copy-books will be used by all the grades. Previously the schools had each used a different series of copy-books. The charge in the Grammar will affect grades 4 to 12. The Geometry is only used by the pupils of the High School.

School Inspectors in Conference.—The semi-annual conference of school inspectors was opened yesterday in the local government rooms, with Mr. W. S. Carter, chief superintendent of education in the chair. All the eight inspectors were present. The morning session was occupied in planning the work of the conference. In the afternoon the discussion turned on the difficulties met with by the inspectors on their tours of inspection. The meeting will resume this morning and it is expected that the afternoon's session will conclude the business. This is the first time that the conference has met in St. John. In former years the meetings were held in Fredericton. In the future, the semi-annual conference will probably take place in the home town of each inspector in turn.

CIRCUS DAY WAS MARKED BY THE USUAL INCIDENTS

Wagon Driver Wins In a Fight — Easy Mark Lost \$4 — Saloon Keeper And Police Disagree.

Circus day usually means a lot of trouble in the shape of fights, drunkenness, and various breaches of the law, but yesterday when the Norris & Rowe circus played here, there was not a single case which called for the interference of the police. Several minor affairs took place however, which the police know nothing about. In one instance a local puglist got into a mixup with one of the wagon drivers, and came out second best.

It appears that the local man, who was under the influence of liquor, was prowling around at the back of the main tent, and was seen by the circus man. He refused to go, and made some remark which roused the ire of the driver, who handed him one. The local man, who was drunk, was no match for the husky driver, and was soon put to rout.

One Easy Mark.—The confidence men were not in evidence, and the police did not have any trouble with change artists. One visitor however, claimed to have been relieved of five dollars against his will. He was asked by a showman to accommodate him by giving a five dollar bill in return for some change, which he did. The showman then remarked that he did not think that he would need the bill and asked for the return of his money. The obliging one thought that it was a strange proceeding but handed back the change. A dollar bill was neatly substituted for the five but the citizen did not notice the trick that had been played on him until some time later when of course, there was no trace of the erring showman.

Saloon Closed.—With the advent of the circus yesterday, there ensued a rush to the saloons of the North End. Last evening there was a slight disagreement between Mr. Peter Mahoney and Policeman Silas Perry which resulted in his saloon being closed. Perry was standing in front of the door and Mr. Mahoney claimed this caused a large crowd to gather with the idea that something was wrong. He requested the policeman to move several times, but was met with a refusal, and the uproar of the crowd was heard as he closed the door. It is said more will be heard of the matter.

ST. JOHN DELEGATES WERE WILLING TO CONSIDER CHANGES

Mr. J. N. Harvey Home After Maritime Board of Trade Meeting — Throws Some Light on Situation.

Mr. J. N. Harvey, one of the St. John delegates to the Maritime Board of Trade held at Charlottetown recently, returned to the city yesterday. Speaking with a Standard reporter, Mr. Harvey said that the committee to alter the by-laws so that matters of a sectional nature might be eliminated from discussion, which the meeting decided to appoint after the St. John Board had given notice of their withdrawal, had not yet been appointed by the president. It is expected that the executive of the board will act as the committee, but if this is found impracticable, another committee will be chosen. The committee will endeavor to find a remedy for the objections by the local men. The St. John delegates stated that any changes made by the committee would be considered. They were willing to co-operate in any movement that would forward the interests of the Maritime Provinces, and only object to the negative results under the present manner of procedure.

It appears to be the opinion of many of the members of the local board that a satisfactory solution of the difficulties will be arrived at, and as a result the St. John Board will continue as members of the Maritime Association.

LATE PERSONAL.

Mrs. Lawrence returned yesterday from Gaspere and the North Shore, where she spent her vacation. Mr. W. M. Jarvis was a passenger on the city to the Boston train last evening. Miss Annie Wilson and Miss Alice Mahony who have been spending a week at Digby, returned to the city yesterday. Mr. A. G. Beckwith of New York is visiting Hon. J. D. Hazen. Mr. R. D. Wilnot returned to Oromocto last evening after spending a few days at Blue Rock.

Annual Meeting of N. B. Cold Storage.—The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Cold Storage Co., was held yesterday afternoon. Besides the regular board of directors the Hon. D. V. Landry an ex-officio director representing the Provincial Government was present. The reports that were presented to the meeting showed that a fair year's business had been done. The following officers and directors were elected: Mr. Geo. McAvity, president; Mr. J. B. M. Baxter, vice-president; Mr. L. S. Macoun, Ottawa, secretary treasurer; Mr. F. O. Lewis, Ottawa, Mr. R. J. Graham, Belleville, Mr. H. B. Ross and Mr. J. W. Vanwart, St. John. In compliance with the provincial statute passed at the last session of the House the board of directors was increased by two. The new directors are Mr. Vanwart and Mr. Lewis.

Prospective good times, and the sustained reputation of the Saint John Business College for first class work, account for the unparalleled number of entries for the fall term.

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Boys' Box Kid Blucher Cut Laced Boots, 11 to 13 .. \$1.25
Boys' Box Calf Box Kip, and Vic Kid Laced Boots, 8 to 10, 90c., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50
Boys' Box Calf Blucher Cut, Laced Boots, 1 to 5 \$2.00
Boys' Box Calf Blucher Cut Laced Boots "Our Special" 1 to 5, .. \$2.50
Boys' Box Calf Blucher Cut Laced Boots "Our Special" 11 to 13 .. \$2.00
Girls' Box Calf Laced Boots, Blucher Cut, 11 to 2, .. \$1.35
Girls' Box Calf Laced Boots, Blucher Cut, 11 to 2, .. \$1.75
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Sale of Black Sateen And Moreen Underskirts at M. R. A.'s. Ladies who appreciate underskirt bargains should be on hand at eight o'clock this morning. A great under-priced offering of dressy black sateen and Moreen underskirts will be inaugurated in the costume section. These skirts are in balance of a special lot together with a nice collection of manufacturers' samples, all of which have been marked at special clearing prices. There are a limited number only of the underskirt bargains so the earlier you call the better will be your chances of avoiding disappointment.

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