

THE WEATHER. Maritime—Northwesterly winds, fair and cool. Toronto, Ont., April 12.—The area of high pressure is still centered over the Great Lakes, attended by cool conditions eastward to the Maritime Provinces. A few local showers have occurred in Alberta and Saskatchewan; likewise in the Maritime Provinces.

AROUND THE CITY. Virginian Concert Party. The concert party from the Virginian will give a farewell concert at the Seaman's Mission tonight. Members of the Ladies' Auxiliary are asked to attend.

Train Five Hours Late. The incoming Montreal train on the C. P. R. yesterday was about five hours late owing to a freight being off the track in Maine. The train did not leave for Halifax until the Pacific express had departed at 5.50 o'clock.

Lecture And Social. Dr. A. Pierce Crockett gave an interesting lecture on The Eye before the St. John Graduate Nurses Association at 8 o'clock last evening. Following the lecture light refreshments were served and an enjoyable evening was spent.

Slight Fire in North End. About 8 o'clock last evening the North End fire department responded to an alarm from box 142 for a fire in a house belonging to Jas. Gregory. The fire was confined to the woodshed, and was soon extinguished. It is supposed to have started from a magic-lantern which some boys were using.

Art Club Committee. A meeting of the St. John Art Club was held last evening at Mrs. F. C. MacNeill's, Leinster street, to appoint committees for the ensuing year. Those chosen were as follows:—Music, Mrs. J. M. Barnes, Miss Hea and Miss Wilson; Arts, Mrs. Lawrence, Miss Bullock and Miss Gilchrist; Literary, Mrs. T. H. Bullock, and Miss Whittaker.

Y. M. C. A. Nominating Committee. At a special meeting of the Y.M.C.A. last evening Messrs. J. G. McKinnon, O. A. Burnham and J. P. Macdonald were appointed a nominating committee to select names for directors to be placed before the annual meeting which will be held in May. Mr. F. A. Dykeman gave notice of motion to amend the constitution of the association so as to bring it up to date and make it fit the conditions in the new building.

Boys Smoking Caused Fire. Mr. J. H. Crockett, whose father owns the house at 72 High street damaged by fire on Sunday, said last evening that after making inquiries he had concluded that the fire was set by some boys who were seen lighting about the rear of the place earlier in the evening. Some boards were off the shed and they were able to find shelter, where they were seen smoking cigarettes. The damage to the shed, which is insured in the Acadia Fire Insurance Co., has been appraised at \$100.

Milwaukee Club Entertainment. In the Knights of Pythias Hall, Germain street, last evening, members of the Milwaukee Club and their friends gave a complimentary entertainment to the ladies and gentlemen who took part in the performance of "A Fool for Luck" at the Opera House last fall. The gathering proved very enjoyable, an exceptionally clever literary and musical programme being rendered. Light refreshments were served during the evening. The committee in charge were E. M. Smith, S. W. McKeen, R. A. Watson, B. Stillwell and K. Bonnell.

Carmarthen Street Church. This evening at 8 o'clock there will be a special service in connection with the Epworth League in the schoolroom of Carmarthen St. Methodist church. Mr. Kingston will address the meeting, taking for his topic "Superstitions." Selections will be given by the Carmarthen St. choir. There will also be duets and solos by special singers. Not only to the leaguers but also to all members of the congregation a hearty invitation is extended. Mr. Kingston is a fascinating speaker and to all who will come the league guarantees a very instructive and profitable evening. The collection for the evening will go to the educational fund.

Clan MacKenzie Concert. The concert given by Clan MacKenzie in the Seaman's Institute last evening was well patronized by the ladies of St. John as well as seamen from the ships. Dr. G. G. Corbett, chief of the clan, occupied the chair, and Deputy Royal Chief C. K. Cameron, was on the platform. Songs, readings, music by pipers in full regalia and highland flings made the time pass merrily. Among those who took part in the programme were: Miss Irvine, Mrs. Jamieson, Rev. Mr. Anderson, Mrs. Murray Long, Miss Livingston, Clansman MacDonald, Mr. Roy Willet, Mrs. J. S. McKay, Dr. MacLeod, Miss Helen Irvine, Rev. L. A. McLean, Clansman Murdoch, Mr. B. S. Cruikshanks, Mr. Alex. Cruikshanks, Mr. Gilmour Wright and Billy Williams of the Str. Virginian. The entertainment was given for the benefit of the Seaman's Mission.

Committed For Trial. The case of the King against Arthur Wright, Louis Mullin and George Walker on the complaint of Andre Cushing and Co., came up for preliminary hearing before Justice Mason, of Fairville, yesterday afternoon. The accused were charged with wantonly damaging the building known as the B house. Daniel Mullin, K. C., appeared for the prosecution and J. A. Barry for the defendants. The following witnesses were examined: Mrs. Margaret Walsh, Mrs. John Cunningham, J. Marc Driscoll, Policeman Lavson and Theophilus Cushing, superintendent of Andre Cushing and Co. The evidence was to the effect that the accused had been about the building on the day the damage was done, and that one of the men had been seen breaking the windows. Mr. Cushing estimated the damage at \$60 or \$70. The accused were committed for trial at the next session of the county court.

Stetson, Cutler's Mill Tied Up By Strike

One Hundred and Fifty Men Went Out at Indian-town Yesterday After Being Refused Ten Per Cent. Increase—Men Claim That Wages Range From \$1.35 to \$2.00 Per Day.

A strike which affects more than 150 men was declared yesterday at noon at Stetson and Cutler's mill, at Indian-town and before the difficulty is settled gives promise of resulting in a bitter struggle. A ten per cent. increase on their present wages, which the men say range from \$1.35 to \$2.00 a day, was demanded by the men, and this being refused they quit work in a body and say they are determined to secure a raise before going back. The mill was running for the greater part of the winter, after being shut down for repairs, resumed operations two weeks ago. There have been rumors of trouble for some time and yesterday morning a deputation of the employees headed by James Marley, of Millford, interviewed Andrew Gregory the mill foreman. The demand for the increase being refused, every man in the mill walked out, including all the inside staff, the yardmen and pilers.

Higher Scale in Other Mills. Mr. Boyce added that it would not be possible for the operators to transfer men from elsewhere as the scale of wages was much higher in other mills. Mr. Boyce looks for a determined fight.

The millmen have no organized union at present and an agitation is on foot for the formation of a workmen's protective association. Three years ago a millmen's union was formed but on account of the widely-different classes of labor represented it was found almost impossible to keep the organization alive. No formal meeting of the strikers has been held.

ST. JOHN CAN GIVE HALIFAX POINTERS. Mr. E. V. Johnston, Dominion inspector of subsidized railways, arrived in the city last evening, and will make a tour of inspection today over the Hampton and St. Martins Railway.

Pomeranian Brings Further Contingent for This Province. Mr. Bowder Right Man in the Right Place.

TO CHANGE RULES FOR DAIRY INSPECTION. Board of Health Will Accept Certificate of Provinc'ial Dairy Superintendents—Health Inspectors are Appointed.

Several Charges Against Him. Joseph Foley went looking for trouble yesterday afternoon which finally culminated in his being lodged in Central Police Station.

Health Inspectors were appointed: City—John Macfarlane, J. G. Cliff, E. Flewelling, John E. Lavers, James McKinney, Andrew Buis, Hugh J. McIlroy, S. J. Stubbs.

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