

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Moderate to fresh southerly winds, fair and mild at first, then rain before night.

Toronto, Oct. 29.—From present indications the disturbance now over the Great Lakes will move slowly eastward to the Maritime Provinces. The weather of today has been showery in Ontario and western Quebec, and fine in other parts of the Dominion. The temperature continues fairly high in the western provinces.

Temperatures.

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MORE HORSES FOR REMOUNTS

Four hundred fine animals arrived here last evening—1050 now in stalls.

A special train carrying four hundred horses arrived in the city last evening from the West, the animals being remounts for the Imperial Army. The train was shunted to the foot of Sheffield street near Pitt street where the horses were taken from the cars, given water and then taken to the stables of the remount station on the Exhibition Grounds. The horses were a fine lot and looked to be in excellent condition despite the fact that they have had a long ride in the cars. It is expected that in a few days other trains will arrive here with horses and the Dragons, who are on duty, will have their work cut out looking after the animals. There are now at the Remount Station 1,050 horses and of the lot only about fifteen are sick. In the vicinity of two hundred carter drivers are at work night and day on the steamships Anglo Mexican and Anglo Colombian fitting them out with stalls to carry the horses to the old country and it is expected that these ships will be away sometime next week, perhaps about Tuesday.

John Richards of 59 Prince William street is having his hands full getting men to look after the horses on the voyage across the ocean and offering ten dollars a man for the run across and a free passage back on the same ship. This is a much higher figure than is offered for men in Montreal. Already a large number of men have been signed on as attendants.

ASSAULT CASE DEALT WITH

In the police court yesterday afternoon a young man named Cully was the complainant against Allen Beyer for assault. Cully claimed that about a week ago while he was delivering milk to a house on King street East Beyer struck him on the head with a milk can causing a deep wound which necessitated four stitches to close. A younger brother of Beyer's gave evidence that the trouble first started about three weeks ago on the road about three miles from the city when the complainant and the defendant's teams collided, and then Cully threatened to assault Beyer. Magistrate Ritchie first stated that he would send the defendant up for trial, and then remarked that the matter would stand for a week to see if the two young men could not get together and be friends. His Honor also stated that he would have a talk on the matter with the attorney general.

PERSONAL.

Among the visitors in the city yesterday and who received a warm welcome from his many friends was Harry Rutter, chief of the Fredericton Fire Department. The chief happened to be handy when box 41 was pulled during the afternoon and was an interested spectator, while the firemen worked on a fire in the Leonard smoke houses on Britain street. Richard O'Leary of Richibucto was at the Royal yesterday. E. G. M. Cape is at the Royal. H. H. Melanson, general passenger agent of the I. C. R., was in the city yesterday.

Unhappy Homes.

There was at least two unhappy homes in the city last night, and this morning family difficulties will be aired in the police court. Yesterday afternoon Policeman McLean arrested Walter Cooper of Brunswick street and James Smith of Exmouth street. Both were given in charge of the officer by their wives.

John Jenkins

The death of John Jenkins, a former resident of St. John, took place yesterday in Reading, Mass. News of his death was conveyed to the city in a telegram to his brother, Thomas Jenkins of the post office staff here. Mr. Jenkins, who was engaged in the shoe manufacturing business, had resided in Reading for a number of years.

WORK OF RECRUITING BE COMMENCED AT ONCE

Col. J. L. McAvity will appoint five officers for this purpose in New Brunswick and one in Prince Edward Island—Do not anticipate difficulty.

Col. J. L. McAvity, of the 62nd Fusiliers, has been appointed to command the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island battalion which is to be raised for the second Canadian expeditionary force.

Col. McAvity returned yesterday from Halifax where he was summoned to confer with the officers at the headquarters of this military division. While in Halifax he and the officers selected to command the Nova Scotia contingent were tendered a dinner by Col. Rutherford and the other officers at the divisional headquarters.

Col. McAvity will have charge of the arrangements for raising the second contingent from New Brunswick, and will be assisted by five recruiting officers in this province and one in Prince Edward Island. It is expected that announcement will be made today of the appointment of the recruiting officers, and that active recruiting will begin at once. Recruiting officers, it is expected, will be the senior officers of military units throughout the province.

While no existing for the second contingent has been done yet, a large number of names have been taken and they will be communicated with as soon as possible. No trouble is anticipated in securing officers for the second contingent to be raised here, as it is said there is considerable competition among the men qualified for officers' positions for commissions with the second battalion. As fast as the men are enlisted they will be mustered at St. John, and will be put through a course of training here. It is understood that in a few days a contract will be let for making alterations in the armory to provide for the accommodation of the battalion. It is said that the necessary work can be done in four or five days. The Ordnance Store Corps will shortly call for tenders to supply the men with rations while they are stationed here.

Officers of other military corps in the city have not yet received any special instructions in regard to recruiting, but they are still taking the names of men who wish to volunteer and have been well satisfied with the way volunteers have come forward.

The military authorities of the province are ready to do their utmost to complete the organization of a New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island contingent in the shortest possible time, and do not think their task will be a difficult one if they receive the assistance and encouragement of all classes of citizens. No allowance has yet been made for advertisements, or for meetings intended to stimulate the spirit of patriotism and encourage young men to volunteer for the defence of their country. In order to get the best class of men, assuring that the New Brunswick battalion will be a credit to the province, it is desirable that the military authorities receive every possible encouragement, and that special efforts be made to bring home to the people generally the importance of the issues which are at stake, and the need of the province putting its best men forward to justify its reputation as the home of the United Empire Loyalists.

St. Stephen's church schoolroom was crowded last evening when an entertainment was provided by the junior members of the church with the object of aiding the Belgians. It was an enjoyable occasion, and all present were delighted with the programme. A playlet entitled "Wanted a Governess" was presented in a way that shows that here, in St. John, there are amateur actresses of undoubted ability. The playlet was produced under the direction of Miss Pauline Baird who received a beautiful bouquet of pink roses in token of her palmistaking work in a by no means easy undertaking. The members of the cast all seemed to take that sort of interest in a production of the kind that must inevitably mean success. The characters were as follows: Mrs. Manycare—Winifred Patterson, Tottie and Pussie, her children—Aileen Morrison and Winifred Ross, Laura Languish—Elizabeth Morrison, Barbara Bibe—Catherine McArthur, Priscilla Prim and Clara Clever—Mary McLaren and Marion Terry, Vera Vain—Irene McQuaide, Gertrude Gush—Sarah Collins, Susan Slattern—Jean Leavitt.

Scene—Mrs. Manycare's morning room. There were many musical numbers of a high-class character. Miss Ernest Climo sang, in costume, "Rule Britannia." This number was received with great applause. Miss Climo sang the chorus well and looked the part. A vocal duet, "Hark to the Mandolin," by Henry Parker, was sung very acceptably by Mrs. Mont Jones and Miss Kathleen Trueman. A piano solo by Miss Biederman was beautifully rendered. The theme was a romance by Sibellus.

Mrs. James Gilchrist gave great pleasure to the audience when she sang after the playlet a song in two parts, "From a Lover in Damascus" is the title of this fine musical composition. "Where the Abana Flows," and "How Many a Lonely Caravan," are the parts in the song. Mrs. Gilchrist's gifts as a vocalist of unusual ability were here brought into requisition, and the rendition of the song was of much excellence. Silas Casson was in good form with the violin, as he always is; the Romance and Bolero, by Danela, being played with much expression and technical skill. A vocal solo, "Goodbye to Summer," one of Post's compositions, was sung very well by Guy Taylor. The National Anthem was sung to conclude a fine evening's entertainment.

Miss Mary Gilchrist accompanied on the piano throughout. Her work was in every way satisfactory and merited the thanks accorded to her after the entertainment. Refreshments were served at the close. His Worship the Mayor was present during the evening.

Ladies' Coats. The nicest coat display in the brightest and best show room in the city of St. John is the way one customer spoke after looking at the stock of F. A. Dykeman & Co.'s coats. Notwithstanding the war they report business for the month of October much better than last year. You ought to see the handsome curl cloth coats which they are selling at \$19.75. Some of their customers say they are better coats than those shown in other stores at \$15.00. They come in navy blue, brown and black, and in all sizes.

A SPECIAL CONCERT IN WEST SIDE

Entertainment under auspices of Ludlow Street Baptist Church Sunday School proved merited success.

One of the best concerts held on the West Side for some years was given in the old Carleton City Hall last evening under the auspices of the Sunday school of the Ludlow street Baptist church, and in aid of the Belgian Relief Fund. About 500 people were present, and the programme was much enjoyed. R. H. Parsons, superintendent of the Sunday school, presided and in opening the proceedings made a few brief remarks respecting the object of the entertainment and the heroic devotion of the Belgians. The concert was opened with a selection by the Carleton Cornet Band. A patriotic song was then sung by Mrs. J. T. Dalton, followed by a reading by Miss A. C. McHarg. W. T. Lanyon then sang "Glorious England," the words of which were written by Miss Alice Schofield of this city, and the music by H. C. Dunlop, also of St. John. The song made a great hit with the audience. Miss Murray gave a violin solo, and Mrs. Murray Long sang a song. The next number on the programme was a humorous song by Stephen C. Mathews who was given a hearty reception and had to respond to six encores.

C. W. Skelton was heard to fine effect in the Death of Nelson and was vigorously encored. Mr. Skelton has a fine tenor voice, and it is interesting to note that he won the tenor prize at the Welsh National Music Festival in 1907. His number concluded the first part of the programme.

Harry C. Dunlop opened the second part of the programme with a piano solo and was followed with a song by Chas. A. Munro. A reading was then rendered by Miss Pearl Wayne, followed by a song by Mrs. L. M. Curren, a reading by Roy F. Harding, and a musical duet by Mr. Robert Palmer and George W. Ellise.

An interesting exhibition of colored electric-lighted club swinging by C. H. Griffiths, ex-secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Halifax, was the feature of the evening. Mr. Griffiths' exhibition is a novelty for St. John, and was much enjoyed. All the numbers were encored.

The committee in charge of the concert, to whom great credit is due, consisted of R. H. Parsons, chairman, Miss E. Mullin, treasurer, Wm. M. Campbell, and Rev. W. R. Robinson. The committee are indebted to Com. McLellan for the free use of the hall and to J. A. McDonald & Co. for the loan of a piano. All the artists gave their services free, and a considerable sum was realized for the Belgian fund.

HALLOWEEN TEA A GREAT SUCCESS

The "Lend-a-Hand" Circle of the King's Daughters Guild held a Halloween tea yesterday. The centre table was arranged in the form of a Magic circle, this being the emblem of the order. The decorations were much admired, the color scheme being black and yellow. The tea tables were decked with yellow paper, trimmed with black. Small pumpkin lanterns suspended from the electric-lighters, and larger ones round about the walls with accompanying black pine and beams, the ghastly things incidental to Halloween were in evidence, and nicely arranged. There was a very large attendance, about 350 ladies being present. The tea contributed will be devoted for the benefit of the poor of this city.

The ladies in charge were as follows: Tea committee, Mrs. M. E. Fletcher, Mrs. MacKinnie, Mrs. G. A. Teed, Mrs. Sinclair, Miss Sterling. Decoration committee, Miss A. G. Rising (convener), assisted by Mrs. McAik (convener), Mrs. Herbert Everett, Ladies pouring, Mrs. J. S. Flaglor, Mrs. C. A. Clark, Mrs. G. A. Teed, Mrs. Norman Gregory, Ladies serving, Mrs. Herbert Everett, Mrs. McAlpine, Mrs. Percy, Mrs. C. T. Green, Mrs. George W. Currie, Miss Jean Seely, Miss A. G. Rising, Miss K. H. Bittain, Mrs. R. S. Craig, Miss A. Steves, Mrs. MacKinnie and Mrs. Charles Harding.

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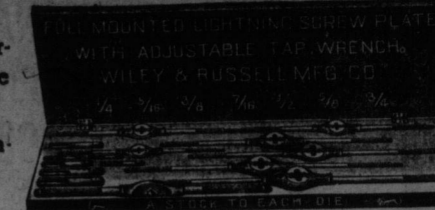
The week-end showing in the millinery salon will be particularly interesting as there has been added a great number of brand new creations representing some of the season's cleverest styles and the prices will be \$2.50, \$3, \$3.75, \$4.25, \$5 and \$7.

THE GREAT SALE OF LADIES' WINTER COATS AGAIN TODAY.

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