

## THE WEATHER.

Toronto, Nov. 5.—The disturbance which was over the Great Lakes last night has passed to the eastward of the Great Lakes, and the weather is now high and the weather fair and mild throughout the Dominion.

St. John	35	54
Dawson	10	14
Prince Rupert	35	44
Victoria	38	52
Calgary	38	52
Edmonton	38	52
Medicine Hat	38	52
Moone Jaw	30	36
Winnipeg	30	36
Port Arthur	40	49
White River	22	30
Toronto	41	54
Ottawa	32	46
Montreal	36	50
Quebec	32	46
Halifax	34	32

Forecast.

Maritime—Fresh northwest winds; fine and a little cooler.

Northern New England—Fair Saturday and probably Sunday; no change in temperature; moderate west and north-west winds.

## AROUND THE CITY

**SENT BACK TO HOME**  
The boy who recently escaped from the Boys Industrial Home was before the juvenile court yesterday and sent back to the home.

**WILL RENT HOUSES**  
The City Housing Board have decided to rent the houses constructed by them until such time as they have been sold. Ten of these houses are on Skiffet street, Fairville, and ten on Champlain street.

**INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE**  
The annual business meeting of the Nova Scotia Institute of Science will be held in the Physiological College Monday evening. The presentation of reports and election of officers will be part of the business.

**MRS. F. S. WHITE, PRESIDENT**  
At a special meeting of the local Red Cross Society held yesterday in Trinity Church school-room, Mrs. F. S. White was elected to the position of president of the society. Mrs. W. J. Walker, Mrs. H. Lawrence and Miss Stetson were appointed a committee to act with the Provincial Red Cross in connection with the war relief fund.

**PAY DAY AT CITY HALL**  
The following amounts were paid out to the various departments at the bi-weekly pay day at city hall yesterday morning:

Market	\$ 298.30
Ferry	1,460.00
Official	2,193.19
Fire and S. C.	2,645.83
Police	3,352.63
Sundry	1,518.49
Total	\$11,469.44

## Successful Dance Held Last Night

Seven Seas Chapter I. O. D. E. Were Hostesses at K. of C. Hall—The Conveners.

The Seven Seas Chapter, I. O. D. E. were hostesses last evening at a dance held in the Knights of Columbus Hall. Mrs. Roy Haley is recent of this chapter. The rooms were prettily decorated, and the large number present enjoyed a programme of dances, music for which was furnished by the Jones orchestra.

Mrs. E. A. Schofield and Mrs. Rowland Frith were chaperones, the same ladies also presiding at the supper table. Rowan berries and pine centred the supper table.

The various conveners of committees were as follows:—Miss Audrey Cross, Arrangements—Miss Dorothy Jones, Refreshments—Miss Missa Trenton.

Serving—Miss Helen Hayes, Ice—Miss Jeanne Creighton, Punch—Miss Alice Wilson, Decoration—Miss Edna Leonard.

## Longshoremen Met Shipping Agents

Schedules and Regulations Governing Work Discussed—Another Meeting Shortly

A conference of representatives of the different shipping interests in the city and of delegates of the longshoremen, coal handlers and ship liners was held in the Board of Trade rooms yesterday afternoon, where schedules and regulations governing the work to be done in the Winter Port this season were discussed. Another meeting is to follow.

Flores present at yesterday's meeting were: David Ledingham, Furness Withy Co.; H. B. Schofield, Robert Reford Co.; J. T. Knight, J. T. Knight Co.; Harold Kane, G. M. M.; Thomas Nagle, E. Wignmore; Percy Turcotte, McLean, Kennedy, Ltd.; H. N. Stetson, Consumers, Coal; P. P. Starr, Dominion Coal; and others were represented by twenty delegates.

## PIE SOCIAL AND DANCE SUCCESSFUL

The Loyal Orange Lodge at Westfield held a successful pie social and dance last evening which opened at eight o'clock. Addresses were delivered by W. M. Campbell and David Hipwell, the former speaking on the early history of the organization, and Mr. Hipwell with the topics of the day. There was a large attendance, many people coming from Grand Bay and other nearby places. The cash result of the evening netted about

## Japan's Vice-Consul Guest At Luncheon

Kosaku Midjusaawa Tells of Products in Which Canada and Japan Might Trade.

Japan's vice-consul in Canada, Kosaku Midjusaawa, of Ottawa, is in the city studying the industrial situation in the province and the prospects of developing trade relations with Japan. Yesterday he was the guest of Thomas Nagle at a luncheon at the Union Club where he was introduced to a number of the city's prominent business men.

Mayor Schofield presided at the luncheon and addresses were delivered by His Worship, by the guest, and by Mr. Nagle. Later in the day the vice-consul was conducted on a tour of T. S. Shima brush factory and other industrial plants in the city.

Mr. Midjusaawa today for Edmonton where he will inspect Fraser Bros. pulp and paper mills.

**Introductory Address.**  
In introducing the consul to the other guests, Mayor Schofield said he had come to St. John to study conditions and to see what the possibilities of developing trade relations between Eastern Canada and Japan were.

The Mayor voiced the great pleasure it gave all to meet the distinguished guest and assured him that every facility would be afforded him to make a thorough study of the trade opportunities afforded by St. John.

**Purpose of His Visit.**  
The vice-consul spoke briefly of the purpose of his visit. He said there were many products which Canada and Japan could trade in, which would be to the mutual advantage of both. His mission in the Dominion was the stimulating of such a trade. Those products which Japan most needed were grain, timber, paper, fish and other food products. At the present time the bulk of trading in these lines was done with the United States, although the consul said that Japan would much prefer to trade with Canada.

Mr. Nagle made a brief speech in which he emphasized the opportunities afforded in the fostering of the trade with Japan outlined by the consul.

Amongst those present at yesterday's luncheon were His Worship Mayor Schofield, Commissioners Fyfe, Bullock and Jones, and representatives of the Board of Trade, Commercial and Rotary Clubs, amongst whom were: R. B. Emerson, R. E. Armstrong, E. J. Torry, James Harrison, W. S. Allison, W. Vassie, Col. B. R. Armstrong, T. E. G. Armstrong, Howard P. Robinson and C. B. Lockhart, collector of customs.

## Organize Farmer-Labor Party

Steps Taken for Formation—Theatre Employees' Union Established.

Considerable business was transacted at the regular monthly meeting of the Trades and Labor Council in the Oddfellows' Building, Union street, last night. President F. A. Campbell was in the chair. It was reported that the Hotel and Restaurant Employees' Union in the city was producing satisfactory results.

It was also reported that a one hundred per cent organization of the stage and theatre employees in the local theatres had been established.

Delegates were nominated for the convention of the New Brunswick Federation of Labor, which will meet in the city on the 14th of next January.

Preliminary steps were taken towards the ultimate formation of an inter-provincial Farmer-Labor party.

The Hotel and Restaurant Employees' Union expressed their thanks to the Trades and Labor Council for assistance rendered the new union.

Organizer Darnan, who formed the union in St. John, is leaving the city next week.

## OLD COUNTRY CLUB HOLD ENTERTAINMENT

Newly Formed Organization Gave Delightful Programme Last Evening.

The Old Country Club held an entertainment in the Orange Hall, Germain street, last evening, and the attendance was large, additional members being received daily.

Walter Brindle, the president, was in the chair, and the programme carried through was thoroughly enjoyed. Songs were given by Messrs. Brophy, Ritchie, Brindle, Dickenson, Heath, Sybil, Yeath, Rogers, Mrs. Ritchie, Mrs. Mason, Mrs. Yeath, Miss McMahon; readings by Mr. Brophy, Mr. Heath, musical farce by Mr. and Mrs. Dickenson; recitation, Mr. Addison, piano solo, Mr. Brophy; dialogue, Messrs. McDonald and Roach. Prof. D. Arnold Fox was accompanist.

The club is non-sectarian and has been organized to encourage British immigration to New Brunswick rather than to the West; also to assist in securing positions for immigrants from the British Isles.

A most pleasant evening was brought to a close with the singing of the National Anthem.

## Tenth Month of Machinists' Strike

Effort Will be Made to Reorganize Men Who Left Ranks—Will Try for Settlement.

The 24th day of November will mark the tenth month since the local branch of the International Association of Machinists laid down their squares and compasses and quit the various machine shops in the city, where they were employed.

There were "ninety and nine" who broke from the pasteur's fold, believing they had an honest grievance, which the employers appeared unwilling to smooth out.

**Asked for Conference**  
It will be recalled that the men asked for a joint conference with the employers on a proposition for \$8 cents an hour, and an eight hour day. The employers refused to meet them, and after several weeks' effort to bring about the meeting and nothing being accomplished, on January 25th the men quit. The mayor has since endeavored to bring about a conference. He succeeded in bringing two of the employers together two weeks ago, but having devolved, and the strike is still on.

**Another Attempt**  
Charles H. Cameron, general organizer for the Maritime Provinces, is in the city to make another effort, looking towards a settlement. He says the strike called in January cleaned the city of skilled mechanics employed at the five shops affected, with the exception of twelve, and an embargo had been placed on skilled workmen coming here. Mr. Cameron says an effort will be made by him to reorganize the twelve men who left their ranks and again go after the machine shops where they are employed.

Some of the strikers secured employment at the shops owned here by union workers. Mr. Cameron informs the Standard that it is quite possible the International Association of Machinists will, unless a settlement of the grievances is secured, back the union workers' shop and provide it with all the machinery and equipment needed to carry out and undertake all kinds of work. Mr. Cameron says the International Association is not inclined to let the fight for the men die and will put forth every effort to secure for the local branch a settlement of their grievance.

**Many Left City**  
Forty-two of the men who went on strike left the city for positions secured, mostly in the States, and only one has returned to St. John.

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**For Maimed and Crippled Boys**  
New Class Formed in Y. M. C. A. Has Membership of Twenty to Date.

A new venture has been started by the Y. M. C. A. physical director that of having a special class for maimed and crippled boys and already there are twenty boys as members. A couple of the young fellows have only one arm each, and every one is in a bad physical condition. The instructor has a special exercise of each member of the class and all will be looked after every Friday afternoon commencing at four o'clock. This is a class that was never started before in St. John and in fact it is only a few associations that take up this thoughtful work. The first meeting of the class will be on Friday and now that it is started it is needless to state that the twenty will be increased to double the number in a very short time. It is especially necessary that commands attention from all good thinking of teachers and if any assistance is needed by the instructor it will be most assuredly given.

**WELCOME SOCIAL AT THE Y. M. C. A.**  
Intermediates Greatly Enjoyed Programme—Lecture on India by J. H. Fowler.

A very pleasant "Welcome Social" was enjoyed by the Y. M. C. A. intermediates last night. Several reels of pictures were shown the boys, and an interesting lecture on India and the work being done there by the Y. M. C. A. was delivered by J. H. Fowler, Y. M. C. A. foreign work secretary but recently returned from India.

Judge Ritchie also addressed the boys. He urged them to be sober and industrious, and to at all times hold womanhood in the deepest reverence, and by so doing they might worthily live up to the great heritage that was theirs in being Canadians.

Both addresses were greatly enjoyed by the boys and the speakers were warmly applauded. Toy social did not break up until all the boys had been introduced into the closest fellowship with the older intermediates.

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**WOMEN'S HOSPITAL AID.**  
Special meeting Monday, 8 o'clock. Board of Managers.

## India Beginning To Discover Itself

Dawning of Nationhood for India Described by J. H. Fowler.

The great strides towards western civilization and culture and the dawning of nationhood for India were described in an intensely interesting manner to the Y. M. C. A. business men yesterday afternoon. The speaker, J. H. Fowler, for the past five years secretary of the Canadian Y. M. C. A. foreign work department, in telling of the great awakening taking place in India described the part being played by the Y. M. C. A. and their effort to assist in effecting the transition along peaceful lines.

G. L. Warwick, president of the Y. M. C. A., presided at yesterday's meeting and introduced the speaker to the members. He also voiced the thanks of all at the close of the interesting address given by Mr. Fowler.

The figures quoted by Mr. Fowler gave much food for thought and brought home in a striking manner the vastness of the resources of that great land, whose subjects acknowledge George V. as Emperor.

**India's Trade.**  
Mr. Fowler said that the trade of India ranked sixth in the world, her commerce being next to Holland's, and added that the country ranked first in the jute, cane sugar, tea and cattle trade. In railway mileage she ranks fourth. Her trade with United States and Canada amounted last year to \$350,000,000. Although largely an agricultural country, industry was gradually beginning to develop, and as a result of the transition, strikes and attacks on British tea planters were sweeping the nation.

In spite of her troubles India is progressing. It has 280 cotton mills, 100 jute mills, 511 rice mills, and a number of iron and steel mills, sugar, tile and brick plants, saw mills and printing establishments.

**Y. M. C. A. Appreciated.**  
That the work of the Y. M. C. A. is appreciated by the people was manifested by one of the largest non-Christian firms in the country asking the Y. M. C. A. to place an industrial secretary in their plant to introduce the latest social and humanitarian welfare service.

Mr. Fowler described sanitation as a thing utterly unknown to millions of the Indian people, who living in abject poverty was a ready prey to the plagues and famines which sweep over the land. He said that in the last year 6,000,000 natives died of influenza, and five million of starvation. One-third of the country was without medical aid, and one out of every three children born never lived through the first year of its life. The Y. M. C. A. is an effort to relieve the situation by placing physical instructors in strategic centres, establishing gymnasiums, and at the request of the government training instructors for physical work in the schools.

**Cry For Home Rule.**  
"The cry of home rule in India," said the speaker, "has arisen out of a direct policy of the British government to develop the natives for it. The first provincial responsible government will be established in December. The urgent need is for educated leaders with undoubted moral character and the spirit of service. It has been given the association, in a unique way, the raising of such leaders. The National Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in India and the head of the principal 'Y' training school are two leading Indian Christians in whom the government has complete confidence."

The women of India are enjoying many more liberties than in the past years. Mr. Fowler said the social cause in the country is breaking and that the status of womanhood is rising as education increases. The Christian conception of personality and the value of life is being generally accepted and a new consciousness of social and national unity is very marked.

The Y. M. C. A. is assisting greatly in the work and has 75 city and town associations, and over 150 village associations in India.

Don't miss the opening at the Central bazaar in the Y. M. C. A. tonight. City Cornet Band in attendance. Admission ten cents. Door prize.

**CASES DEALT WITH IN POLICE COURT**  
The case of Mrs. Marie Thomas and George Donnelly, charged with a statutory offense engaged the attention of the police court yesterday afternoon. Harry Grant and Mrs. Grant of 39 St. Patrick street, and the husband of the accused, George P. Thomas, of Salisbury, gave evidence. The case was adjourned to this morning at ten. L. McL. Ritchie for the complainant and Edmond S. Ritchie for the defense.

Gerard McGraw was fined the usual amount for speeding on Main street. A juvenile who had escaped from the Boys Industrial Home was ordered back to finish his term.

One man was charged with drunkenness, but was not in condition to appear in court.

The annual meeting of the St. John Society of Music will be held in the Natural History Society rooms, Wednesday evening, Nov. 10th, at eight o'clock. All members are requested to attend.

**Rummage Sale, Victoria Rink, Saturday, Nov. 6th, at 2 o'clock.**  
CLIFTON HOUSE, ALL MEALS 50c.

**ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED**  
The engagement is announced of Miss Bessie Jane Robinson, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson, St. John, to Mr. Colby Hibbert Jones, B.Sc., of Apohaqui.

J. H. Howelling, M. L. A., elected for Charlotte County, was in the city on business yesterday.



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