

THE WEATHER

Gulf and Maritime.—Fresh north-westerly, shifting to southwesterly winds; fair, stationary or a little higher temperature today. Wednesday milder.

Toronto, Nov. 18.—Pressure is highest tonight in the southern states, while a low area from the Pacific is spreading over the northern portion of the continent. Rain is falling on the British Columbia coast and light showers have occurred locally today in Eastern Nova Scotia.

	Min.	Max.
Vancouver	46	62
Kamloops	49	69
Edmonton	32	44
Battleford	40	46
Winnipeg	26	37
Port Arthur	24	42
Parry Sound	22	24
Lindsay	22	41
Toronto	22	42
Ottawa	22	42
Montreal	24	39
Quebec	24	32
St. John	22	32
Halifax	24	34

AROUND THE CITY

Appointed Union's Agent.

Charles Russell has been appointed business agent of the Truckers and Freight Handlers Union of the West Side.

Inspecting King's County Farms.

Yesterday the members of the Farm Settlement Board went to King's county to inspect some farms they are getting in shape for settlers.

Knives and Key Found.

The police report finding a jack knife on Union street and a key attached to a tag on Dock street. The owners can receive these articles by applying at central police station.

Hackman Reported.

I. C. R. Policeman Smith has reported Daniel Doherty for going beyond the stand allotted for hackmen at the I. C. R. depot on Saturday and Sunday.

Will Assist Local Scots.

Rev. Bruce Muir, of Annapolis, N. S., has been secured to take part in the celebration of St. Andrew's night on Friday, November 29, by members of the local society.

Inspected Factories and Hotels.

John Kanney, Jr., factory inspector, has returned from a trip to York county and a part of Charlotte county. While away he inspected a large number of factories and hotels. He reports that the factory and hotel acts are being pretty well observed in the places he visited.

Good Showing in Water Department.

The city will not have to issue any bonds to pay for extensions of the water service this year, both extensions and renewals having been paid for out of current revenues of the water department. This is a very creditable showing, as quite a number of extensions have been made.

Postal Changes.

Some time ago John Emmerson, railway mail clerk was transferred to the inspector's office to take charge of the rural mail service. Yesterday Elias McLeod, who has been clerk on the railway mail service for a long time was transferred to the inspector's office.

Syndicate Buys McAfee Property?

Gossip on the street yesterday told of the sale of what is known as the McAfee property on Union street to a syndicate of local men. A. H. Hanington obtained the building from Taylor and McCree, about three weeks ago. Within the past week Mr. Hanington received the title of the land from the owner. Neither confirmation or denial of the transaction could be procured yesterday.

Will Be Room for All.

Com. Schofield stated yesterday that the Mea of having the city lease No. 7 pier, the government pier on the West Side, has been abandoned and that the winter port business will be carried on this winter on the same lines as last season. The city wanted to get control of the pier with the idea of making the best arrangements for the accommodation of the additional shipping coming here this winter. It is believed that the harbor officials will have no difficulty providing berths for all the ships.

Drove into the Ditch.

Two young men and two young women had an exciting experience Sunday night while driving on the Roxbury Road. About eleven o'clock when about four miles from the city the quartette were evidently taking more interest in each other than in guiding the horse with the result that the rig was driven off the side of the road and all were thrown into a ditch full of water. The occupants of the carriage managed to scramble on the road but the horse was injured and the rig considerably damaged.

The Every Day Club.

How best the constitution of the Every Day Club can be remodelled to enable the club to carry on its work and at the same time prosper may be determined tonight when the committee appointed last evening for that purpose will meet. The members of the committee are: C. F. McTavish, C. S. Humbert, Walker Brindle, George Scott and R. H. Outher. Last night's meeting of the members was a highly enthusiastic one and the new program of the club was thoroughly discussed.

Will Hold Inquest.

Coroner D. E. Derryman decided yesterday afternoon to hold an inquest into the death of James Negele who died as the result of injuries received while at work for the Montreal Construction Company at Sand Point. At seven o'clock last evening the following jury were empanelled: George Barrow, foreman; Wallace Sakkin, Oscar Witter, Sidney Gibbs, F. A. Easty, Patrick F. Lennihan and Wellington Golding. Accompanied by Constable McElverty, the jury viewed the remains at deceased's late home, Chesley street, and adjourned until Wednesday evening next at seven o'clock in the court house.

MYSTERY SURROUNDS THE DEATH OF JAMES GLEESON, WILL INQUEST SOLVE IT?

Body of Milford Young Man Found in House of Oliver Mallett

MARK BEHIND DEAD MAN'S EAR CREATES COMMENT.

Coroner Quinton Empanels Jury and Views Body

--Will Hold Inquest Today-- Was there Foul Play?

The body of James Gleeson, aged about 30 years, was found yesterday afternoon in the house of Oliver Mallett, in Milford. There was a discolored mark behind the dead man's ear.

There is such a smack of mystery about the death that it has given rise to many rumors. In Milford and Fairville to the effect that Gleeson may have been a victim of foul play. The community is worked up over the affair and Coroner Quinton will hold an inquest on the body today.

The young man Gleeson, lived with his father in Milford, and the father whose name is also James, states that his son left home Sunday evening at the best of health and was sober at the time.

Oliver Mallett and his wife live in a tumble down residence on the main road in Milford, nearly opposite the Dwyer bakery. The Malletts are French. Mrs. Mallett pretends to know but little English, but when questions are put to her she forgets French and can readily understand English. Her story was taken yesterday afternoon with the assistance of an interpreter, and it is rather contradictory and suggests that the woman may know more about the case than has been made public.

Coroner Views Body.

It was after two o'clock yesterday afternoon when it was learned outside of the Mallett house, that James Gleeson was dead. In fact it was not generally known until then that Gleeson had been in the house at all. As soon as the matter was reported to Coroner Quinton he took Dr. J. A. McCarthy, of the Manawagoshish Road with him, and viewed the remains. From what they saw of the body, and the surrounding circumstances, the coroner wasted no time in empanelling a jury. The following citizens were sworn in: Oscar Hanson, foreman; J. S. O'Neil, William Pink, Glenison Allen, J. Britney, D. Crossin and H. B. Tibbets.

The coroner, with his jury, visited the house and viewed the remains late in the afternoon. They experienced considerable difficulty in obtaining a coherent statement from Mrs. Mallett. The woman was found in the house alone with the corpse, her husband being supposedly at his work in the Wilson Box Factory near South Bay.

Mrs. Mallett's Story.

It was stated that Gleeson did not know the Malletts well, but Mrs. Mallett claimed yesterday afternoon, that on Sunday evening, about eight o'clock Gleeson entered their home by the back door and walking into the room,

he wished to lie down as he was ill. After walking into the rear room he returned to the front room and there made himself comfortable as possible. He remained in the house all night, and Mrs. Mallett says, was so ill that he remained lying down. She claims that the man had been drinking and from yesterday morning at 8 o'clock until 10 o'clock she tried hard to rouse Gleeson, but couldn't. It was while trying to rouse him that she discovered the mark behind his ear. She claims Gleeson died about two o'clock but it is believed by many that death had taken place long before that time. It is said there is evidence to support this opinion.

When the coroner and others visited the Mallett house yesterday afternoon, they found the body of the young man lying in a front room, and near by was a gin bottle. From all accounts the bottle may provide interesting evidence before the case is finished.

Mark Behind Ear.

It was also noticed, by some who viewed the body, that behind the left ear there was discoloration which could have been caused by strangulation or from the effects of a blow from a bottle or a blunt instrument. At all events the public will await with interest the outcome of the post mortem examination which was held last night on the body of the coroner, by Dr. J. A. McCarthy.

One thing regarded as rather peculiar yesterday afternoon was the strange actions of Oliver Mallett, in whose house the body of Gleeson was found. After the jury and the coroner got through questioning Mrs. Mallett they looked about for her husband, but he kept clear of the house and when the officials approached him he evaded them. Consequently neither the jury nor the coroner could get into communication with him.

Was There a Row?

What appears to Milford residents as strange is the story of James Gleeson, Jr. who is supposed to be somewhat of a stranger to the Malletts, would act as Mrs. Mallett claims he did, instead of going to the front door and asking for admittance as a stranger would do, according to the woman he made an entrance through the back way and claimed to have been ill.

There is another story going the rounds to the effect that neighbors claim there was a disturbance in the Mallett house on Sunday night.

The body of the young man was given over to Undertaker O'Neil of the North End to prepare for interment and for Dr. McCarthy to make the post mortem examination.

The inquest will be resumed in Fairville on Friday. It is believed that evidence of a startling nature will be given.

LOBSTER TRAP TROUBLE AT MACE'S BAY WERE INGR

Opening of Lobster Traps Started Trouble which was Averted Before Becoming Serious—One Boat Destroyed

Trouble among lobster fishermen of Mace's Bay which, towards the latter part of last week, threatened to become serious, now appears averted. The excitement arose because some traps placed about a mile off shore were opened last Wednesday afternoon and about 70 or 80 lobsters released. Warden Thomas Coracaddin in company with his brother Alexander, supposed to have opened the traps. The incident happened two days before the lobster season opened. The owners of the crates are not known. Soon afterwards a dory and some of the fishing outfit belonging to Alexander Coracaddin were destroyed, which showed a feeling of bitterness among the local men. It was at first thought that further trouble would follow, but last evening the locality had regained its normal composure.

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JORDAN MEMORIAL SANATORIUM READY FOR PATIENTS SOON

Mrs. Jordan in City Yesterday, Discussing Plans for Installation of New Lighting and Sewerage System.

Although the work on the Jordan Memorial Sanatorium has been longer than was anticipated, owing to the enlargement of the plans, it is hoped to have the institution ready to receive patients this winter," said Dr. Townsend, who arrived in the city yesterday in company with Mrs. J. C. Jordan.

In the afternoon Mrs. Jordan had a conference with Architect F. Neil Brodie, regarding the plans for the installation of an up-to-date sewer system and lighting plant at the sanatorium. Plans for the lighting system are about complete but owing to the nature of the requirements of the institution, and the necessity of providing against the contamination of River Glade, the plans for the sewer system will be some time in the making.

Mrs. Jordan left last evening for Boston, and from there will go to California for several months. Mrs. Jordan's plan for the installation of the improvements and alterations which have been made in the establishment at River Glade.

It is said that the institution when completed will have involved an expenditure of about \$100,000, and that it will be one of the best equipped institutions of its kind on the continent.

TIMELY AID SAVES LIFE

Captain Wallace Coffill Pulls Stranger Out of Market Ship—Walked Over Wharf in the Dark.

While eating supper about half past six last Saturday evening aboard his schooner the King Daniel, Captain Wallace Coffill heard a splash along side and then frantic cries for help. He at once rushed on deck to investigate and found that a man had fallen off the wharf into the slip. Capt. Coffill at once threw a rope to the unfortunate who was pulled alongside the schooner and a ladder was put down to help him on board.

When he could speak the man said he was on his way home from work and in the darkness he had fallen over the wharf.

Capt. Coffill when seen yesterday afternoon said that the man had fallen off the wharf close to the bows of the schooner and that if he had fallen a little more to one side he would have struck the dock and been killed.

Capt. Coffill who is now in command of the two masted schooner King Daniel, was in command of the Lone Star when she rammed a derelict in the Bay of Fundy. At that time the captain and his crew spent 50 hours on the wreck before being rescued by the C. P. R. liner Mount Temple.

Jardine Property Sold.

Through a sale involving what has been known as the old Jardine property, situated one mile from St. John on the Marsh Road, another of the landmarks of the city reverts to ownership by St. John men. The sale was effected by Armstrong and Bruce yesterday, according to reports current, the former owners, the Harris Absolute Company of Toronto, disposing of the property to a syndicate of local men. The transfer includes the old residence and about 23 acres of land adjacent as well as several large barns.

A BOOM FOR THE REVENUE

Commissioner Wigmore Secures Right of Way for New Sewer—Building Lots to be Laid Out.

Com. Wigmore has succeeded in securing a complete right of way from property owners for the proposed new sewer for Douglas avenue.

Yesterday the land committee of the Anglican synod made arrangements to have their property between Douglas avenue and the Strait Shore laid out in lots on a plan which will allow the city a right of way for the sewer. All the other property owners have agreed to grant rights of way.

The draft-off of the new sewer for Douglas avenue will run down the old water course by Murray and Gregory's property, pass under the C. P. R. tracks, through the Merritt property and enter the harbor below Warner's mill.

The commissioner intends to have the work of excavating for the sewer done this winter by the regular force of the department. He is also making arrangements for the extension of the water service on Douglas avenue.

The provision of water and sewer facilities on Douglas avenue extension will, it is expected, cause considerable building activity there next summer, as it is a very desirable residential section.

Inspection Terminated.

W. A. Cowan, who succeeded H. G. Grant as superintendent of the C. P. R. at Brimfield, Me., accompanied by B. H. Ryan, train master, was in the city yesterday inspecting the terminal facilities here. Mr. Cowan will inspect the yard on the West Side today.

Grand Concert This Evening.

Grand Concert in Laidlaw Street Baptist church, West End, this evening. Don't miss it.

Cut Glass

At this season of the year our display of Cut Glass will be found well worth inspection. In it will be found pieces of exquisite workmanship and design that would be found ornamental on any tables.

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PLAIN TWEEDS.	STRIPE TWEEDS.	WALE TWEEDS.
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in black, red, navy, Copenhagen blue, browns, greys and greens. Widths from 56 to 58 inches. Sale prices, per yard ----- 75c., 85c., \$1.10

BETTER PLAN TO START EARLY. SALE WILL START AT 8:30

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The Sale Will Be Continued This Morning. Hasten for the Bargains, as This Will Be the Last Day to Secure Them.

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FANCY FLANNELS, with reversible collars.	Prices	\$1.25 to \$4.00
PLAIN GREY AND FANCY FLANNELS, with reversible collars. Prices	\$1.25 to \$2.25
BOYS' NAVY, GREY AND FANCY FLANNEL SHIRTS. Prices	55c. to \$1.00
BOYS' SWEATERS, roll neck style, button neck styles, coat styles; all the popular colorings. Prices	55c. to \$2.75

St. John's (New) Tea and Sale.

The sale in the Stone church school house on Thursday will have many citizens. There will be a fine display of fancy-work including various novelties, orange trees for the right price, preserved and delicious home-made candy and ice cream. Tea from 5 to 8, followed by a musical program arranged by Mr. D. Arnold Fox.

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