

THE WEATHER

Gulf and Maritime—Fair with high temperatures. Toronto, Nov. 11.—The weather has been fair today throughout the Dominion, moderately cold in the western provinces and decidedly mild over the greater portion of Ontario.

AROUND THE CITY

Non Rate Payer Reported. Sergeant Caples has reported Dimitri Moorahoff for working in the city without a license.

A Police Change. Police Sergeant Scott went on a well-earned vacation yesterday morning and Charles Rankine, the newly appointed acting sergeant, is doing the duty while Sgt. Scott is away.

Scow Raised Yesterday. The scow owned by the Maritime Dredging Company which was sunk in the west channel, was raised early yesterday morning and grounded on the Navy Island bar where repairs were made.

Regaining Health. The friends of H. H. Pickett who have been alarmed at the reports current regarding his ill health, will be glad to learn that he is again able to get out and will return to the city in a few days.

He Carried a Revolver. Last evening Officers Covey and Kane arrested a Norwegian sailor on the Market Square on the charge of carrying a concealed weapon. On being searched a loaded revolver was found in one of the sailor's pockets.

Social in Fairville. The Young People's Association of the Fairville Methodist church held a pleasant social in the vestry of the church last evening after an enjoyable programme of vocal and instrumental selections, refreshments were served.

Women's Canadian Club. Mrs. Adam Shortt of Ottawa will arrive in the city at noon today and at 1:30 this afternoon will address the Women's Canadian Club in the Keith assembly rooms on the subject of Women's Responsibility. The speaker is a subject of paramount importance to every lady. While in the city Mrs. Shortt will be the guest of Mrs. James F. Robertson.

The Archbishop's Testimonial. The committee which are preparing for the testimonial to His Grace Archbishop Casey, met last evening in St. Malachi's Hall to discuss the arrangements. Another meeting is expected to be held next Monday evening, when it is expected that the plans shall have been well advanced.

In His New Home. Rev. Dr. J. A. Mortson, who has accepted a call to the First Presbyterian church of Carleton, moved into the church manse yesterday. During the past three weeks the building has received a thorough renovating under the direction of the board of trustees, with the result that it is now in first class condition. Rev. Dr. Mortson will be inducted into his new pastorate on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Tonight's Lecture. In St. David's Church school room this evening Mrs. E. A. Smith will repeat her Evening with Canadian Heroines which met with such a cordial reception last year. Several talented local vocalists will also be heard. The entertainment is being given for the benefit of the Home for Incubables and the charitable object, combined with the attractive form the evening is to take will, it is expected, produce a large attendance.

Buying Sites for Homes. Following the receipt of a large number of listings to secure home sites under the plan of New Brunswick Realty, Ltd., the local real estate firm recently organized in St. John, the company has secured a large number of options on some excellent sites in the city. The business of the company is going on with a swing, the stock is selling readily in private subscriptions. Within a short time it is expected that more land deals will be closed and the work of building houses for sale begun.

Another Soldier Leaves. Reinforcements to the person of Marlen, or in English Michael Verico, an erstwhile employe at Courtenay Bay, are going to the Serbian army. He leaves today for New York to take ship for his native land. Verico has been in this country two and a half years which he spent at railroad construction work, mostly in Ontario. He was highly pleased at the prospect of entering the army, and stated that he gave up a \$2 per day job and may receive 40 cents per day for his military ability.

North End Conservative Club. The North End Conservative Club are planning an attractive programme for the winter months to be inaugurated with the annual meeting this evening. The club is in a flourishing condition, the membership now numbering some five or six hundred although activities have been suspended during the summer. At this evening's meeting the provision of rooms for the club will be considered and officers will be elected. It is expected that the winter's programme will commence with a smoker.

School Teacher to Enter Business. The news of the resignation of Thomas E. Powers, from the teaching staff of the High School, will be heard with regret. Mr. Powers has been engaged in the teaching profession for seventeen years, and has rendered valuable services to the cause of education in St. John. Among the pupils who have received the benefits of his instruction, he was a general favorite, and his keen interest in athletics among scholars has been a great help to the boys. Mr. Powers will represent the Great West Life Insurance Company in this district. His many friends will wish him every success.

Miss Edythe Maxwell, daughter of Hon. Robt. Maxwell, is in Fredericton visiting her brother, J. H. Maxwell.

TEACHERS ASK FOR INCREASE IN SALARIES

Principals of Five Schools Sent Requests to School Board

CHILDREN MADE AN ATTENDANCE RECORD Thomas E. Powers Resigns from Staff of High School—Important Meeting of the School Board.

The pupils of the city schools established a record attendance during the month of October. There were 22 teaching days and the average daily attendance of pupils was ninety per cent. The number of inquiries arriving at the St. John office is increasing daily. Yesterday a communication was received from a resident of Chilliwack, B.C., asking for information in regard to the advantages that New Brunswick affords. Another advice received from Mr. Fisher, the London agent, states that a married young farmer, with £200 capital, with experience in farming in England and South Africa, is desirous of securing land in New Brunswick for mixed farming, dairying and the raising of poultry.

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More Accommodations Needed. Supt. Bridges in the course of the meeting submitted a report in which he pointed out that there is an urgent demand for increased accommodation for scholars on the west side. The accommodation of the Albert school is taxed to the limit and it is imperative that some action be taken to relieve the situation. Every department in the school is filled and something must be done to meet the demand for more room. In reply to a question from one of the trustees it was pointed out that under the present School Act it is incumbent on the board to provide the accommodation and accordingly the west side committee, with Trustees Day and Coll were commissioned to visit the school and look into the matter.

Technical Education. A communication was received from Chief Supt. Carter favorable to the technical educational project in St. John, but stating that as the board of education had not met yet, the matter has not been officially considered. The Y. M. C. A. wrote offering to work with the board in promoting technical education.

GOOD ATTENDANCE AT ST. PETER'S HIGH TEA. St. Peter's high tea and sale opened last evening with hundreds of people in attendance, all of whom enjoyed a thorough good time. The games and booths were patronized in a liberal manner, and indeed everything points to the function being an unequalled success.

On A Serious Charge. About 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon Detective Chief Jenkins and Detective Killen placed William Bailey, a man aged 40 years, under arrest on a most serious charge. He was charged with having, on Saturday afternoon, last in a box car, on the ballast wharf, indecently assaulted a girl under the age of 14 years. The man was locked up in the central police station and will be taken before Magistrate Ritchie this morning.

CANADIAN HEROINES. Lectures by Mrs. E. A. Smith, under the auspices of the Home for Incubables in St. David's Church school room, on Thursday, November 14th, at 8 p. m. Admission, 45 cents.

MAVY ASKING FOR INCREASE ABOUT FRANS

Further Evidence of Rapidly Growing Interest in New Brunswick

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MISSION INSTITUTE WAS WELL ATTENDED. The relationship between money and the important factor which is in furthering the cause of missions were the principal subjects discussed at the opening session of the Missionary Institute which is being held this week in St. David's church.

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Will House Their Laborers. The Metcalf Construction Co., the firm that is carrying out the improvements on the West Side have for some time past found great difficulty in finding lodging places for the laborers in their employ with the result that they have decided to erect a large building for their accommodation. This company is at present employing about 250 men, and as they intend to continue the work during the winter, it was thought necessary to provide comfortable lodgings for the laborers. Six engineers in the employ of this company arrived in the city a few days ago and will remain to assist in the work.

Silk Velvet. The Fashion Journals say that Velvets take the first place in dress materials and trimmings. F. A. Dykeman & Co. have secured about five hundred yards of real Silk Velvet from a concern that was going out of business. They will place this Velvet on sale Wednesday morning at nine o'clock at 59 cents a yard. This is almost half its usual price notwithstanding the fact that they are in much demand at the present time. The colors on sale are navy blues, browns, myrtle, moss, cardinal, garnet, purple pink and black.

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INDEGREEATE WORK GROWING VERY RAPIDLY

Accommodation at Existing Free Kindergartens Taxed to Capacity

ENOUGH CHILDREN FOR ANOTHER SCHOOL. Annual Meeting of Free Kindergarten Association Heard Story of Progress and Expansion During First Year.

At the ninth annual meeting of the Free Kindergarten Association in the Board of Trade rooms last evening, the need of opening a fourth kindergarten in the city was discussed, and strong speeches were made in favor of the idea of having the government take over the kindergartens and conduct them as part of the public school system.

Work Growing Rapidly. Miss Mary Gunn submitted the report of the secretary, which showed that during the year the work has been progressing steadily. The association conducts three free kindergartens, St. Mary's, Brussels Street and Portland Street kindergartens, having an enrollment of 138 children and an average attendance of 87. The teachers this year have been Miss Edith Stephens, Miss Iva Estey, Miss Mrs. C. Woodman, the treasurer submitted a report showing that the three schools had cost \$600 each and that the association started the next year's work with about \$700 in hand.

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