

LOCAL ADVERTISING.

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NO MORE FREE LOCALS.

THE WEATHER.

Toronto, May 15.—The depression which was over Minnesota last night now covers the Ohio valley and another moderate depression is situated in Alberta. The weather has been fine today in all portions of the Dominion and continued very warm in Alberta. Minimum and maximum temperatures—Victoria, 59, 62; Vancouver, 52, 64; Kamloops, 52, 76; Edmonton, 43, 84; Calgary, 44, 52; Moosejaw, 49, 77; Winnipeg, 34, 56; Port Arthur, 59, 67; Parry Sound, 29, 58; London, 37, 67; Toronto, 49, 60; Kingston, 48, 60; Ottawa, 29, 40; Montreal, 42, 50; Quebec, 34, 62; St. John, 44, 54; Halifax, 40, 64.

Lower Lawrence, Gulf and Maritime—Light to moderate southwesterly and westerly winds, fine and moderately warm.

AROUND THE CITY

New Helmets For Police.
The policemen were issued new dark helmets last evening and presented a rather classy appearance.

In New Quarters.
Armstrong and Bruce have moved into their new offices on Prince William street, formerly occupied by the board of trade.

Stationary Engineers.
A meeting of the stationary engineers was held last evening. It was reported that the plans for organizing the engineers throughout the province were proceeding favorably.

Will Maintain \$3 Wage Rate.
The Carpenters' and Joiners' Union met last evening and decided to take steps to prevent new comers to the city working for less than the union scale of \$3 per day.

Labor Organizer Coming.
John A. Flett, of Hamilton, Ontario, general organizer of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, is expected in St. John in a short time to assist in the work of organizing various trades unions here.

Kent County Convention.
The convention of the supporters of the provincial government in the county of Kent will be held in Rexton this afternoon when candidates will be nominated. Premier Flemming will leave this morning to be present.

Monthly Service to Havana.
Elder Dempster and Co. Ltd., have arranged with the government to put on a monthly service from St. John to Havana, etc. The first sailing will be next month. T. Knight and Co. are agents of the line here.

More Immigrants Arrive.
A party of five immigrants from the Mother Country arrived in the city yesterday, and were placed in positions by the superintendent of immigration. A. Bowden, the provincial representative to Great Britain will leave for Quebec today where he will take boat for England.

To Attend U.N.B. Exercises.
A large number from this city left last night to attend the encampment exercises today at the University of New Brunswick. Among those in the party were Hon. Geo. E. Foster, who is to deliver the closing address, and Daniel, Dr. H. V. Bridges, Lt. Gov. Josiah Wood, who will preside at the closing exercises, and others. A number of others are expected to leave this morning to be present.

The Labor Men Are Considering.
The labor party plans on having candidates for the local legislature in the field, but has not yet decided what to do. A section of the party wants to run labor candidates in all the city constituencies, while others favor the running of two candidates, saying they have assurances that either of the old parties are ready to support two labor candidates in return for labor support for their candidates in other constituencies.

Fishermen Get a Ducking.
Ira D. Scott and Allan B. Mahoney, two North End young men who spent the last few days fishing on the lakes and streams back of Musquah, returned to the city last evening after a successful trip. They report the trout to be numerous and of a good size, the average catch being about a pound. While on the trip they had a rather exciting time when the canoe from which they were fishing upset on Tuesday. The accident happened when Mr. Scott had hooked a trout which proved to be very game, making a hard fight for life and giving the angler a great deal of trouble. In the excitement of the moment Mr. Scott forgot that he was in a canoe and attempted to stand up so as to have a better opportunity to net the fish, which was exhausted and swimming alongside. His endeavor proved to be his undoing, however, as the canoe immediately upset. The two fishermen then swam around the canoe, which they succeeded in righting and towing ashore, after which a fire was built and their clothes dried.

Children's Cantata.
The children's cantata, "A Dream of Fairyland, after elaborate preparations, will be given at Queen Square church tonight (Thursday). Pretty costumes, attractive music.

Outing Trousers Dry Cleaned.
Your last season's outing trousers, flannel, duck or any other material, can be made as good as new if you will try Ugar's, Waterloo street.

WANT REV. W. D. ROBINSON AS LICENSE BOARD HEAD

Temperance Men Urge Local M. P.'s to Have West End Clergyman Made Chairman of Board of Liquor License Commissioners with George F. Menzies as Inspector.

Numbering about forty-seven delegates, and including a number of clergy a representation of temperance people waited on Hon. R. Maxwell, J. E. Wilson and W. Frank Hatheway last night in the government rooms.

The delegation urged the local representatives to recommend that Rev. W. D. Robinson be appointed to succeed J. B. Eagles as chairman of the liquor license commission, whose term of office expires next month, and that George F. Menzies be appointed to succeed J. B. Jones to whom the Temperance Federation are strongly opposed.

The delegation formed ranks at the Christadelphian Hall, Union street, and proceeded in a body to the government rooms.

The spokesman of the party was Rev. H. B. Bover, president of the City and County Temperance Federation. He pointed out the reasons for the demand, and said that the temperance people had determined on opposing the return of the representatives unless the appointments are made.

He was succeeded by a number of other speakers, among whom were C. F. McTavish, Rev. W. R. Robinson, Rev. H. B. Nobles, R. J. Anderson, Rev. R. P. McKim, Rev. H. E. Thomas and J. Willard Smith.

All the speakers expressed in no uncertain terms their determination to oppose with all their strength the return of the representatives unless their requests are complied with.

After hearing the arguments of the delegates the local representatives promised to give the matter their earnest consideration, and according to what was said, they will be consulted together after the delegation had retired.

At the conclusion of the meeting one of the officers of the Temperance Federation said that the Federation is pledged by resolution to take stringent measures to oppose with all its force the return to office of the John representatives in the provincial legislature unless the appointments are recommended. He said that they are hopeful of carrying their point. If, however, they fail to get what they are after they have decided to put in the field in opposition who will see that their demands are acceded to. They will make the affair a province wide one if necessary and will muster all their forces in support of their policy, and in general promise to make things lively for the government unless they get favorable consideration of their demands.

WILL CANVAS CITY TODAY FOR OLD HOME WEEK FUND

Strong Committees Appointed to Call Upon Citizens for Financial Assistance—City Divided into Districts with Collectors for Each—How the Solicitors will Cover St. John

J. Fraser Gregory presided at the meeting of the old home week committee of the 1917 club, held last evening in the board of trade rooms, to appoint collectors to canvass the city today with the object of raising funds toward the general expenses of old home week.

The districts and those who have them in charge, are as follows:

No. 1, south side of Union street, from Dock to Water and North Wharf including both sides of Dock street—C. Field, of E. Barbour and Co. and H. C. Ellis, of J. M. Robinson and Sons.

No. 2, South Wharf, both sides of Prince William street and south of Water street—T. Simpson, of Hall and Fairweather, and A. E. Vesey of McCurdy and Co.

No. 3, south side of Union street, from Dock to the west side of and including Charlotte also the north side of King street to the corner of Dock—L. H. Corright, of M.R.A. Ltd., K. Raymond, of the Royal Hotel, and Mr. Ledford, of W. H. Thorne and Co.

No. 4, south side of King street to the west side of Charlotte and including same to and including Princess street—R. E. Crawford, of J. M. Humphrey Co., and Mr. Robinson, of Baird and Peck.

No. 5, south side of Union street, from east side of Charlotte, including same to and including Carmarthen to and including Princess—J. B. Roberts, of the Sun Life Insurance Co., and Noel Sheraton, of J. C. Macintosh and Co.

No. 6, Union street, beginning at Carmarthen, all districts south of the Union to and including north side of St. James and east to the water—J. A. Pugsley, of the J. A. Pugsley Co.

No. 7, all districts east of Princess, east of Prince William, west of Carmarthen including north side of St. James—P. M. Rising, of Waterbury and Rising, and Allan Thomas of Allison and Thomas.

No. 8, everything south of St. James to Water, including the south side of St. James street—R. A. McAvity, of T. McAvity and Sons, and John Russett, Jr., of the Canadian Drug Co.

No. 9, north of Union street, including both sides of Mill street to depot.

Pond street to and including Dorchester street—G. B. Wetmore of the Canadian Consolidated Rubber Co., and T. Shaw of Macaulay Bros.

No. 10, north of Union from Dorchester street, all of Waterloo, City Road and north side of Haymarket Square, (Union to Waterloo)—E. C. Hanselpecker of T. H. Estabrook and Co., and Mr. Sherwood of G. S. De Forest and Co.

No. 11, north side of Union beginning at Waterloo east to the water, including both sides of Brussels street south side of Haymarket Square and as far east as J. A. Labe's—H. V. McKinnon of The Standard Ltd., and R. A. Davidson of The Standard Ltd.

No. 12, all districts of the West Side, J. P. Belyea, Fishery Inspector.

No. 13, Douglas Avenue from Main street to and including Falmouth and Roxbury and the Page Wire Fence Co. and Rex Gregory of the National Drug and Chemical Co.

No. 14, all districts north of Douglas Avenue including Indianstown—J. E. Clark, of Murray and Gregory.

No. 15, Main street, from Douglas Avenue to Mill and that district south of Main street—H. J. Rodgers of the Dunlop Tire and Rubber Co., and B. Hannah of the Canadian Consolidated Rubber Co.

No. 16, north of Pond street east of Mill street including both sides of Mill street from the depot to Main, Paradise Row—C. Atkinson of T. McAvity and Co. and H. M. Sims, of G. Dunn and Co.

The above mentioned gentlemen are requested by the committee to be on hand at the Board of Trade room at nine o'clock this morning. They will then be supplied with a book to check the different donations. At one o'clock a luncheon will be held in Bond's restaurant and as J. Fraser Gregory, the chairman of the committee will leave this morning for Fredericton on business, E. Allan Schofield will preside. After the luncheon the workers will again take the field and will report at the Board of Trade rooms at five o'clock.

Before adjourning the meeting Mr. Gregory stated that as the Old Home Week celebration will greatly benefit the merchants, he hoped the collectors would be received cordially when they make their rounds today.

STANDARD'S NEW STORY STARTS THIS MORNING

"Cravath Wins" Tells of Strong Men and is Well Worth Reading—A New Sort of Hero.

The Standard prints this morning the first of a series of ten strong stories dealing with red blooded men which it is believed will be found enjoyable by readers of this paper.

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Excursion to Belleisle.
The Portland street Y. M. A. will run their annual excursion to Belleisle on the 24th of May. The usual stops will be made. Meals and refreshments will be for sale on the boat. Tickets, 50 cents. Steamer "Champion."

Human Hearts Next Week.
On Monday and Tuesday evenings May 22 and 23, the popular drama, "Human Hearts," will be presented at the Opera House. This play is taken from the book of the same name and tells an interesting story of the south. It has been very popular with playgoers for several seasons.

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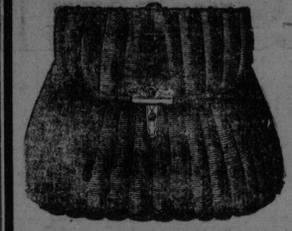
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