

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Moderate winds, chiefly southwesterly, generally fair and warm, but some local thunderstorms.

Washington, July 5.—Forecast: Northern New England—Cloudy Monday; Tuesday fair.

Toronto, July 5.—Showers and thunderstorms have occurred today in parts of the Ottawa and St. Lawrence valleys, also in many districts of the west. Elsewhere in Canada fair weather has prevailed.

Temperatures.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	50	64
Vancouver	54	70
Kamloops	44	86
Edmonton	52	84
Calgary	52	72
Medicine Hat	64	74
Battleford	66	74
Swift Current	60	82
Moose Jaw	59	82
Winnipeg	64	84
Parry Sound	50	78
London	56	84
Toronto	58	81
Kingston	68	76
Ottawa	62	76
Montreal	64	76
Quebec	60	76
Halifax	44	76

AROUND THE CITY

Arrested for Fighting.

Saturday evening County Policeman Saunders arrested Frank Cavanaugh and Theo Fleming on the charge of fighting on Union street.

Chimney Fire.

About 11:30 o'clock Saturday night the fire department were called out by an alarm from box 143 for a chimney fire in a house on Sheriff street.

Accused of Stealing.

George Angus, aged 52 years, was arrested yesterday morning by Sgt. Scott and has been charged by John H. McIntyre with stealing \$25 from him in the Prince Rupert House on Mill street. The money is said to have been stolen on Saturday.

An Angry Drunk.

Five drunks were gathered in by the police Saturday. One of the prisoners James Dempster, apparently did not like being locked up in the Brussels street lock-up as he smashed the furniture in the cell and is now charged with destroying city property.

Supplying in Carleton.

In the Carleton Presbyterian church last evening Rev. A. D. Fraser preached to a large congregation. Rev. Mr. Fraser was supplying for Rev. Dr. Morison, who went to Winnipeg where he will occupy the pulpit of a Presbyterian church for several weeks. Mr. Fraser made a good impression last evening and his forceful address was given careful attention.

Chief Health Officer.

Dr. F. Montclair, Dominion health officer, is at the royal. The doctor will attend the meeting of the Canadian Medical Association here this week, and will then make his usual tour of inspection of the Maritime Provinces. To a reporter he said the new detention hospital being built on Partridge Island would be ready by the opening of the navigation season next winter.

To Change Fire Bylaw.

The city commissioners will meet this afternoon in regular session. Several routine matters will come up for consideration and the second reading of the resolution for a change in the bylaw providing a penalty for ringing a false alarm of fire will be completed. At the last session of the city council Commissioner McLellan introduced a resolution to make the penalty \$500, but it was pointed out that the meeting last week that the present penalty provided for a maximum of forty days and the increased fine would have no relation to the imprisonment. Commissioner McLellan will have a change in the resolution introduced today so that the term of imprisonment will be materially increased.

NEW MINISTERS NOW AT WORK

Revs. J.B. Champion, Hammond Johnson and W. G. Lane, take charge of Methodist congregations.

Three Methodist ministers, Revs. J. B. Champion, Hammond Johnson and W. G. Lane, took charge of St. John congregations at both services yesterday. Mr. Champion took charge of Zion congregation; Mr. Johnson started his work in Queen Square church, and Mr. Lane preached for the first time in Exmouth street church.

Rev. Mr. Champion was greeted by large congregations at both services in Zion church yesterday. The morning sermon was chiefly of an introductory character, and Mr. Champion spoke of the future prospects of the church work and asked the members of the congregation to co-operate with him in an endeavor to advance the interests of Zion Methodist church and Christianity in this city.

At the evening service Mr. Champion was heard in an able address, during which he made a strong plea for knowledge and service in connection with church work. These two were so interwoven that they were almost identical. He outlined the relations of David with his son Solomon and drew a modern application from this historic drama. He urged on his hearers the necessity of properly

BURGLAR MADE BIG HIT AT MOWATT'S DRUG STORE

Over two hundred dollars taken—Thief smashed glass in front door, sprung the lock and thoroughly ransacked establishment—Daring robbery.

A crook made a daring break into Howard J. Mowatt's drug store early yesterday morning, made a clean get away with the vicinity of two hundred dollars, left no clue for the detectives to follow and the officers are at present having a difficult task in working the case. Mr. Mowatt, the proprietor of the establishment, is out of the city and his clerk, George Cox, who is in charge, was kept busy yesterday trying to avoid discussing the robbery with the large number of persons who had heard of the break and were asking questions.

The Mowatt drug store is at 255 Waterloo street and on the corner of that street and Haymarket Square. In the vicinity of Saturday midnight Mr. Cox, the clerk, closed the store, leaving everything secure. There was very little change left in the cash register which is in the front store, but in a drawer of Mr. Mowatt's desk, in the dispensary in the rear, there was some money in the vicinity of two hundred dollars.

Yesterday morning when Mr. Cox opened the store he was surprised to find that the place had been robbed. The crook had made his entrance through the front door, which is right in the glare of an electric light.

In the front door of the drug store is a large plate glass window and it was here that the thief found making an entrance rather easy as, from all appearances, he had placed his cap against the pane of glass near the lock and with something solid broke the window, making a circular opening about six inches wide. It was then only the work of a few seconds for him to put his hand through the hole, turn the spring lock and open the door. After gaining entrance and seeing that

there was not a soul about the place to disturb him he made a thorough search of the premises for money.

In the cash register behind the counter in the front store there was only a small amount of change. In another drawer was only a couple of dollars and he gathered in this amount. A number of other drawers were pulled out and left open, when he found that they contained nothing of value. Finally he reached the desk in the rear of the store. The drawer which contained the large amount of money was locked but this did not prevent the thief from opening it, as with a sharp instrument he soon broke it open and picked out the money. Nothing else was taken from the store and money was apparently the only thing the man was after.

When his pockets were well lined the thief left the store by the front door, closing it behind him. As soon as Mr. Cox discovered that the store had been robbed he immediately communicated with central police station and Detective Killen was placed on the case.

Mr. Cox, last night, when questioned about the break did not wish to talk about the matter and said that Mr. Mowatt was the only person who would know just how much money was stolen. Mr. Mowatt was out of the city, and when he returned he would know just how much was taken. As far as the goods in the store were concerned Mr. Cox said that nothing had been taken.

A couple of boards were nailed over the opening in the glass yesterday and last night when the clerk closed the store the door was locked securely with a police padlock inserted through two screw rings.

EXPERIMENTAL FARMS PROVE BIG SUCCESS

Government doing great work in aiding farmers to secure the best results—Dominion cerealist here.

"The Dominion Experimental Farm near Fredericton is being put in first class shape," said Dr. Charles E. Saunders, Dominion Cerealist, who is at the Royal. "I was much struck with the improvements made considering the time which has elapsed since work was first started there. Next spring it is the intention to sow a considerable variety of grains on this farm with the object of determining which varieties are best suited to the climatic and other conditions of the province. It is necessary to get the land in pretty good condition in order to experiment with grains. If we planted grains in rough land the results might readily lead to wrong conclusions as to the best grains to undertake to find out which varieties of grains can be grown to the best advantage, and this information is placed at the disposal of the farmers interested. In as far as possible the experimental farms supply farmers with seeds of suitable grains for planting in their locality."

Dr. Saunders said the Dominion Department of Agriculture maintained about twenty experimental farms throughout Canada. In addition to the experimental farms maintained by the Provincial Governments, there are four Dominion experimental farms in the Maritime Provinces, one at Fredericton, one at Charlottetown, E. I., one at Napanee, N. S., and the other at Kentville, N. S. Dr. Saunders leaves for Kentville today and will visit the farms in Nova Scotia and at Charlottetown.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Kate M. Fitzgerald took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her late home, Middle street, West End, and was very largely attended. Six nephews of the deceased acted as pall-bearers and the remains were conveyed to the Church of Assumption where the services were read by Rev. J. J. O'Donovan. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

Key Found.

A key found on Britain street, Saturday, by the police awaits the owner at the central station.

Blindness of Virtue.

The attention of all theatre goers is again called to the important summer engagement of the Blindness of Virtue, which opens for three days and Wednesday matinee at the Opera House this evening. The interest in the production has become very great during the past few days and large audiences are looked for.

Presentation.

Frank J. Fitzgerald, head usher and stage manager of the Imperial Theatre was presented with a handsome piece of cut glass and an electric heater by members of the staff of the theatre on Saturday night. The presentation was made on the stage after the final performance. Mr. Fitzgerald will be married on Tuesday morning in St. Peter's church to Miss May Gallagher of Clarendon street, and the presentation was made in honor of that occasion.

WILL GO FOR THE COAST FOR LINE TRADE

Howard Smith Paper Mills Ltd., to enter field against Great Britain and foreign concerns.

Among the visitors to the city is J. P. Pendock of the Howard Smith Paper Mills Ltd., which has recently put up a million dollar plant to manufacture fine linen paper with the idea of serving a market now largely supplied by Great Britain or foreign countries. Mr. Pendock is at the Dufferin.

"In the Maritime Provinces most of the linen paper is imported from Great Britain or the States, more so than in other parts of Canada," said Mr. Pendock. "But we hope to break into this market. Ours is not the first plant put up in Canada to manufacture fine linen papers, but the home production of such papers is small compared with the demand of the market. Of course the competition from other countries is keen, especially from England where they have been making linen paper for centuries.

Much of the raw material for this industry comes from Russia, but a certain portion is procured from the cuttings of linen factories in Canada. Some sulphite pulp is used in making fine papers, but that is mostly imported from Sweden as Canada has not yet got to the point where it can make sulphite pulp sufficiently white for fine paper purposes."

OFFICER WARD FINDS DOG

Searching for dog and comes across store-house for stolen goods—Boys run away.

Just through a slant last evening Police Officer Ward came across a layout that may result in the discovery of other robberies in addition to the big haul that was made in the Mowatt drug store, mention of which is given in another section of this paper. The officer had left his home near the foot of Duke street shortly after six o'clock last evening and was near the I. C. R. track which runs along the Courtenay Bay shore when he saw four or five boys walking rapidly away from the vicinity of the old breakwater. The officer's curiosity was aroused not only because the boys had made a clean getaway and had quickly disappeared in different directions but he had lost his dog and with his little daughter went in search of the animal and he thought that the dog might be at the breakwater. When he went under the breakwater which is now nothing but a section he was surprised to find a quantity of articles including packages of cigars, a number of packages of gum, a tin of jam, some tins of prepared fish, a number of tins of tobacco and alongside of a log was a new revolver.

The officer hastened after the boys together and took them to the station. It could not be learned last night if the police had any suspicions as to the identity of the boys who left the goods behind them.

PERSONAL.

L. H. Cortright, advertising manager for M. R. A. Ltd., left on Saturday for a two-weeks' vacation trip to New York.

W. Murphy of Fairville on Saturday brought into Standard office some four, five and six dollar notes which he found near the Stimm's factory.

Hon. John E. Wilson returned to the city on Saturday from Hartford, Conn. He was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Clara Wilson of Hartford Hospital. Miss Wilson graduated last month from the Hartford Hospital Training School and will spend a few weeks with her parents at Fairvale.

Emory White and Mrs. White, of New York, passed through the city on Friday en route to the home of Mrs. White's father, Mordecai Keirstead, Apohaqui. Mr. White will be remembered as a talented tenor singer, who sang for the Keith people here three years ago, but since that time has been appointed instructor in the largest male high school in New York City, where he is teaching 3,700 boys to sing by note. After visiting in Apohaqui Mr. and Mrs. White will go to their cottage in Maine.

Both the Lyric and Unique theatres will be closed this afternoon because of the death of Mrs. Andrew Gilmore.

A Big Bargain in Shirt Waists.

See F. A. Dykeman and Co.'s window display and get an idea of the wonderful values that they are offering in ladies white lawn and voile waists for this week. These waists are all new and have never been shown before, and are made with a full front and hemstitched drop shoulder. They are worth up to \$2.00, priced at 99 cents each. Don't forget the big sale of tailored suits and coats now going on at their store, and also a lot of colored cotton dresses. The sale runs from \$6.95 to \$19.50. The dresses run from 98 cents up to \$3.75.

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