

## THE WEATHER.

Forecast.  
Maritime—Light winds, fine and warm.

Toronto, July 30.—The weather of today has been fine throughout the Dominion. The temperature has been slightly lower than yesterday from Ontario eastward, while in Manitoba and the Lake Superior district it has been higher.

	Min.	Max.
Dawson	52	64
Prince Rupert	50	60
Victoria	52	68
Vancouver	50	72
Kamloops	48	76
Edmonton	44	76
Prince Albert	42	76
Regina	46	76
Winnipeg	40	76
Port Arthur	40	78
Perry Sound	44	88
Toronto	66	82
London	69	89
Kingston	60	82
Ottawa	56	87
Montreal	60	76
Quebec	56	76
St. John	62	72
Halifax	54	78

## Around the City

**A Correction.**  
A personal appearing in The Standard on Saturday morning to the effect that Miss Addie McVay of St. Stephen was spending the summer in St. John, the guest of Dr. Case, Princess street, was incorrect. Miss McVay had been in the city some three weeks ago as the guest of Mrs. L. T. Nae of Main street, not Dr. Case, as stated. The Standard regrets the error and takes this opportunity of correcting it.

**Labor Day.**  
At the next meeting of the Trades and Labor Council it is intended to discuss plans for a suitable celebration of Labor Day.

**Banquet to Col. McAvity.**  
A committee of city has arranged to tender a banquet to Lt. Col. McAvity at the Union Club on Thursday next at 8 o'clock in the evening.

**A Serious Charge.**  
Donald Sharpe was arrested on Saturday afternoon for being drunk on Brunswick street. He is also charged by John Beeg with obtaining money from him under false pretenses.

**Mills Closed Indefinitely.**  
Stetson Cutler & Co. closed their mills on Saturday for an indefinite period, the reason given being inability to secure vessels for transportation of lumber.

**A Slight Fire.**  
The North End firemen were called out Saturday night about eight o'clock for a fire in a house owned by George Estey, 74 Kennedy street. The blaze was extinguished before much damage was done.

**Police Officer Called.**  
Police Officer Hogge was called to Michael May's house on the Sandy Point road on Saturday to take care of a man who was making a disturbance there. When he arrived the man had disappeared in the woods.

**An Invitation.**  
All persons interested are invited to attend a free lecture on the great scientist, seer and theologian, Emanuel Swedenborg, by Rev. John R. Hunter of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. R. I. Strong of New Zealand, Monday, July 31st, 1916, at 67 Sewell street, at 8 p. m.

**Auto Accident.**  
What might have been a serious accident occurred on Saturday night about eight o'clock at the corner of Sheriff and Main streets. The delivery auto of Logan and McKinney was coming up Sheriff street and was struck by car No. 53. Fortunately both auto and street car were moving slowly and practically no damage was done.

**At St. Anne de Beupre.**  
Phillip Grannan, M. L. A., who has just returned from a visit to Quebec, was at St. Anne de Beupre on St. Anne's Day and he said it was estimated that at least 20,000 people visited the shrine that day. Pilgrimages were there from Ottawa, Lowell, Mass., and as far west as Chicago, as well as from the different parts of Quebec.

**Knocked Down By Team.**  
On Saturday afternoon at 4:50 o'clock William Saunders of 90 Wall street was struck and knocked down by an Imperial oil team on the corner of Charlotte and Union streets. Mr. Saunders was quite badly bruised and shaken up, but on his request was assisted to his home. Richard McLeod, the teamster in charge of the oil team, was arrested and charged with being drunk.

**New Buildings at McAdam.**  
Four new concrete buildings are to be erected at McAdam. The work given out by General Superintendent H. C. Groat of the C. P. R. is to take care of the growing trade of the railway in this section. These buildings which will be a power house, coaling plant, storage building and blacksmith shop will replace smaller wooden buildings which have been outgrown. There will also be some addition to the trackage there to permit of more rapid handling of the cars at that point as they expect even more business this winter than last.

## "YELLOW FOG" WAS A PUZZLE TO CITIZENS

Atmospheric Phenomenon of Yesterday Not Yet Explained—Fredericton had it Saturday, Bangor Friday

St. John was visited yesterday by an atmospheric phenomenon of some kind, but nobody seemed to be able to say what caused it. A heavy yellowish fog hung over the city and everything looked as though a person were wearing yellow glasses. Inquiry at the meteorological bureau brought the information that D. L. Hutchinson was out of the city but so far as those in charge could tell there was nothing out of the ordinary. The instruments at the observatory did not register any atmospheric disturbance. On Saturday an eclipse of the sun took place and some thought that might be the cause but it evidently was not as the same conditions as obtained here yesterday were observed Friday at Bangor, Me., and Saturday at Fredericton. In Fredericton it was accompanied by a drop in the temperature, the thermometer registering 62 degrees as against the 80's which had prevailed for some days previous. At that place the sun was visible and resembled a huge ball of fire but at Bangor and here the sun stayed out of sight. In Bangor they had to light the electric lights in the middle of the morning and here it rained off and on all day. The cause is given there as forest fires which are said to be raging in the province of Quebec and the smoke drifting this way has given to the air the peculiar yellow tinge which was observed yesterday. Whatever the cause it certainly had the people guessing and The Standard telephones were kept busy by those who wanted to know what was the matter with the air that everything looked so yellow.

## WHEN IS A TRANSFER NOT A TRANSFER?

It Cost a Standard Man Five Cents Yesterday Afternoon to Uncover a Peculiar Strete Railway Rule.

A Standard representative yesterday afternoon had experience with what may be fairly termed a "fool" rule of the management of the St. John Railway Company. The man in question boarded a Queen Square car at the head of Rodney wharf, West End, paid his fare and received a transfer to the city. Crossing in the ferry he walked to the corner of Prince and Prince William streets. A north bound car passed along Prince William street just before the passengers had crossed Water street but did not stop. The Standard man started to walk to the foot of King street to catch a car there but as Seaside Park car, No. 118, was approaching he boarded it opposite the foot of Church street and tendered the transfer to the conductor. The conductor demurred at accepting the transfer whereupon the passenger demanded and received its return and paid a second fare. Asking the conductor why the transfer was refused he was informed that the transfer stations were at the foot of King street and at the corner of Prince street. To grasp the absolute absurdity of this regulation it should be understood that while a walk of half a block from Princess to Church streets, rendered the transfer void, a journey of another half block, from Church to King streets would have restored its value again.

The popular belief is that the function of the Street Railway Company is to serve the citizens, but after yesterday afternoon's experience one member of the staff of this paper has grave doubts of it. And others have probably received similar treatment.

**The Police Court.**  
In the police court Saturday the preliminary hearing in the case of George Beckingham, charged with threatening to shoot his wife, was commenced. Mrs. Beckingham gave evidence of her husband having had a revolver since Monday last and of threats he had made to herself and his step-daughter to shoot both as the result of disagreement as to where the girl should reside. On Friday night, frightened at her husband's threat to blow out her brains, she took refuge in the street with her infant. Sergeant Scott saw her story, put the husband under arrest. The prisoner was remanded. Albert Deigo, charged with lying and lurking in a box car, was remanded.

**An Incendiary Fire?**  
At 7:25 o'clock Saturday evening Mr. Dunlop discovered a fire in the rear of Philip O'Neill's wholesale liquor establishment on the North Main street. An alarm was sent in from Box 7. When the department arrived on the scene they found that the fire was among some barrels and boxes which had been left piled up against the rear of the building. The fire was quickly extinguished. It is thought that it was incendiary.

## SIX MEN ON HONOR ROLL SATURDAY

Three for Construction Corps and Three for Home Defense—General Military Notes.

**ROLL OF HONOR.**  
W. London, St. John.  
L. McDonald, St. John.  
Charles McLean, Halifax.  
For No. 1 Construction Battalion.  
George LaPointe, Amherst.  
W. C. Bailey, St. John.  
Edward Cottle, St. John.  
For 62nd Battalion, home defense.

Six men answered the call on Saturday and signed the roll of honor at the Prince William street recruiting office. Three of those were for No. 1 Construction Battalion and three for the 62nd for home defense. Lieut. Col. Guthrie, O. C. New Brunswick command, left for Fredericton Saturday morning. Lieut. Roland Barnes, Hampton, who enlisted and went to the front with the 6th C. M. R., has been promoted to the rank of captain and is now second in command of the 6th C. M. R. Capt. Barnes, who was recently awarded the Military Cross for bravery on the field, is a son of Lieut. William Barnes of the 104th Battalion, and a former student of the University of New Brunswick.

## DR. J. C. MOTT PASSED AWAY LAST NIGHT

Had Been Ill for Many Months—Practised His Profession in New Brunswick for 49 Years.

A very large number of citizens, a great many of whom were his patients, will learn with deep regret of the death of Dr. J. C. Mott, which occurred at his residence, 36 Horsfield street, last evening at 9:30 o'clock.

His death was not unexpected, as he had been extremely ill for many months, during which time he bore up bravely and with a unique heroism under a very trying, lingering and painful malady.

Dr. Mott was a son of Amos and Eleanor Clarke Mott, and was born at Central Cambridge, Queens Co., N. B., on Sept. 8, 1839. He was educated in the public schools of the province and, having graduated from Normal School, taught school for a few years, after which he entered upon the study of medicine.

He pursued his studies at Ann Arbor, Mich., and Cleveland, and after graduation practiced for a short period in Michigan. Coming home to pay a visit he intended returning to his former practice, but was persuaded to take up work in the province, so settled at Prince William, York Co., where he built up a very large and most successful practice.

After practicing there for some twenty-eight years he found the duties so great he decided to take a city practice. To that end he spent some six or more months of post-graduate study in New York and later settled in St. John, about 21 years ago, rounding out nearly the half century mark of active work in his chosen profession. During his stay in St. John he has had one of the largest and most successful practices in the city. The doctor was highly esteemed by all who came in contact with him, and there are many who will not only mourn the loss of a kind, sympathetic and painstaking physician, but a true and helpful friend as well.

Dr. Mott was twice married, his first wife being Miss Bessie White, daughter of S. V. White of Wolfe's Cove, Grand Lake, who predeceased him during the year 1891. In 1898 he married Mrs. Greene of this city, who died during the year 1906. The doctor leaves one daughter by his first wife, Miss Georgie Mott of this city. Two brothers, Geo. F. Mott, of Malden, Mass., and H. C. Mott, of this city; five sisters, Mrs. Mary Macdonald of Stockton, Cal.; Mrs. Emory White, Sussex; Mrs. Chas. Corser and the Misses Pauline and Augusta Mott all of Queensbury, York Co., N. B.

The funeral will take place from his late residence Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 1 at 3 p. m.

**Sharpe's, 7 Mill Street.**  
The best cure for indigestion—"Dine at Sharpe's." Cleanliness and quick service, our slogan. We are always ready for you, be it early or late.

**Victoria "Wet Wash" Laundry** is the best—they cleanse the clothes thoroughly. 2 to 10 Pitt street, Phone 230.

## HOME AFTER A VISIT TO VALCARTIER

Phillip Grannan, M. L. A., Spent Some Hours with 140th on Thursday of Last Week.

Phillip Grannan, M. L. A., accompanied by Mrs. Grannan and Mrs. F. H. Foster has just returned from a visit to Quebec city, Ste. Anne de Beupre and Valcartier. Speaking to The Standard last night, Mr. Grannan said of his visit to Valcartier that they arrived at the camp grounds about five o'clock Thursday evening and on the way down the line to where the 140th were stationed found the men cleaning up for supper. One thing which struck the party particularly was the absolute cleanliness of the grounds. There was no rubbish to be seen anywhere. The grounds of the 140th were in apple pie order, boxes were provided for the boys to throw their rubbish in and seemingly they all used them. He failed to see even a cigarette package on the ground. He referred to the road which had been built by the men of the battalion themselves and said he thought that if some of our road builders would pay them a visit they could learn something to their advantage as it certainly was a dandy. He paid a visit to the canteen and found them doing a thriving business in ice cream and ginger beer.

He said Col. Beer told him that it was practically impossible to get any liquor in the camp grounds and when any man was out on leave, if they had any suspicion that he might bring in liquor he was searched and in that way made it very hard for those who might want to drink to get any intoxicating liquor. He saw Capt. Malcolm who was brown as a berry, and Major Fairweather. He also saw Major Cuthbert Morgan who was looking well. Col. Beer showed him a refrigerator which had been built by the men of the battalion of which he was very proud. He witnessed a baseball match which took place and said the men seemed to be as happy as could be and were enjoying the life under canvas.

The party had tea with Col. and Mrs. Beer and after supper the band of the 140th provided a concert which was thoroughly enjoyed. The band now numbers about thirty and under the able leadership of Bandmaster Charles Williams had made an enviable name for itself. It was regarded as one of the best, if not the best band at Valcartier. Taken all through he thought that the people of St. John and of New Brunswick ought to feel proud of the 140th Battalion as they were regarded as the crack battalion of the camp and when it was taken into consideration that there were in the vicinity of 25,000 men in camp, they must be some class to win the praise that they have since going there. When they were leaving the men were just beginning to light up and it certainly was a magnificent sight to see this immense canvas city alight and one which he would not soon forget.

## PERSONAL

Miss Gertrude Callaghan, Mollie Gogan, Ethel Biseau, Annie Doyle, Nellie and Martina Carey left Saturday for Spruce Lake where they will camp for two weeks. Mrs. Roy Thompson, who is a visitor here from the south, and Mrs. Frank Treacian will chaperon the young ladies.

Miss Mabel Ketchum of West St. John has arrived from Newport, R.I., to spend her vacation after completing a year at the Newport Hospital.

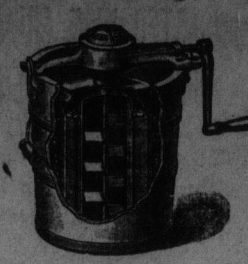
Bernard Curten, a former resident of Mill street, and now a member of the Post Office Department, Lynn, Mass., is visiting St. John.

**Summer House Dresses and Summer Street Dresses.**  
F. A. Dykeman and Co. have on sale over 1,000 summer dresses. These were purchased at one-quarter less than the regular price and they are putting them on sale at prices ranging from 89 cts. to \$2.25 each. They are all made from materials that have well known wearing and washing qualities. The styles are very new and the fit of these garments is unequalled. They come in sizes from 34 to 46.

Booming a business by wild cat advertising is not generally lasting. Gundry's announcement that since the first of the year the reader in The Standard is their entire advertising expense. Also that for past three months business shows a gain of about 50 per cent. over last year for same period. Either Standard space is good, conditions in St. John wonderfully improved or THERE IS SOMETHING SATISFACTORY ABOUT THE WAY GUNDY TREATS HIS CUSTOMERS.

**Important Notice.**  
Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire: Royal Standard Chapter will meet at Mrs. C. B. Allen's residence on Monday, July 31st, at 8 p. m. Brunswick Chapter will meet at Mrs. W. I. Fenton's residence on Tuesday at 8 p. m. De Monts Chapter will meet in their own rooms on Tuesday at 11 a. m. St. Monica's Roman Catholic Ladies will meet at the rooms of De Monts Chapter, Bank of British North America building, Market Square on Tuesday at 5 p. m.

## Have Frozen Desserts



## These Summer Days

It is so much more easy and pleasant to make summer desserts White Mountain Way than it is to fuss with pies and puddings that must be baked and which keep one toiling over a hot stove in warm weather. Why, Think of the Difference: with

## The Triple Action WHITE MOUNTAIN Ice Cream Freezer

you just make your custard, or prepare your sherbet, place it in the White Mountain Freezer, then in a few short minutes, with but little effort, you have an abundance of delicious Ice Cream or Sherbet, the most delightful and grateful of warm weather desserts.

THE WHITE MOUNTAIN TRIPLE ACTION FREEZER COMES IN One Quart, \$2.20; Two Quarts, \$2.75; Three Quarts, \$3.25; Four Quarts, \$3.80; Six Quarts, \$4.30; Eight Quarts, \$4.80; Ten Quarts, \$5.30; Twelve Quarts, \$5.80; Fifteen Quarts, \$6.30; Twenty Quarts, \$6.80; Twenty-Five Quarts, \$7.30.

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## PANAMAS

These are the very newest shapes  
Prices from \$2.00 to \$7.00 each  
Marr Millinery Co., Ltd.

## FOR TEN DAYS ONLY July 24th to August 3rd



We are offering big bargains in our stock of summer goods.

## 20 p. c. Discount

REFRIGERATORS LAWN SWINGS  
ICE BOXES TENNIS RACKETS  
HAMMOCKS AND COUCH HAMMOCKS  
SPIRIT STOVES

If in need of any of these goods, you should not miss this great opportunity.

SEE OUR WINDOW

Emerson & Fisher Ltd.

## Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

Stores Open 8.30 a.m., Close 6 O'clock; Fridays 10 p. m., Saturdays 1 p. m.

## Clearance Sale of Men's Stylish Neckwear



TIES IN THIS SEASON'S OPEN-END SHAPES, FORMERLY 50 CENTS AND 75 CENTS, 35c NOW AT EACH.....

## Commencing This Morning

These Ties are this season's popular open-end shapes, all in good designs and desirable colorings. They consist of ones and twos of many different lots and are to be cleared immediately to make room for later designs which are now arriving every few days. A limited quantity only of these Ties, but every one is a real bargain. Sale price, 3 for \$1.00. Each.....35c

There are also some Good Bargains left in Men's Negligee and Sport Style Shirts; Odd Ones remaining from previous sales, and all at greatly reduced prices.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS DEPARTMENT

## NEW SUMMER FURS

Leaders of fashion have decreed that furs shall be worn during warm weather. We are showing a large assortment of furs in styles suitable for summer, thereby giving St. John people the opportunity of seeing the same effects which are now being worn in the larger cities.

White Thibet Ruffs, White Fox Ruffs, Red Fox Ruffs, Natural Lynx Ruffs, Black Lynx Ruffs, Black Marten Ruffs, Taupe Wolf Scarfs, Grey Wolf Scarfs, Cinnamon Fox Ruffs, Copper Sable Stoles, Raccoon Stoles.

We also have the Muffs to match in the new round shapes. We will be pleased to show these furs whether you intend purchasing or not.

FUR DEPARTMENT—SECOND FLOOR

Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited