

THE WEATHER

Toronto, June 7.—The disturbance mentioned last night is centred over Newfoundland and pressure is highest in the upper Mississippi valley. The weather has been fine today throughout Canada, cool from Ontario eastward and quite warm in the western provinces.

Annual Inspection. The inspection of men and horses previous to annual training of B Squadron, 8th Hussars, will be held at Collina at 9 a. m. and of A Squadron at Sussex, 2 p. m., June 15th.

Returning from Conference. A number of French Canadians from the North Shore were passengers on the highly boat yesterday. They were returning from the French Artisans conference at Metashan. They reported that they had had a very successful convention.

Slaughter House Report. The regular meeting of the Slaughter House Commissioners was held yesterday afternoon when routine business was transacted. The following is the report of the killing for the month:

Table with 2 columns: Item (Cattle, Sheep, Calves, etc.) and Quantity/Value.

Lost \$130. Yesterday morning Mrs. Cogle, of Port Howe, went to the bank and drew \$130 for the purpose of paying some carpenters who were working at her building.

Large Cargo of Produce. The river boats brought down a large amount of farm produce yesterday. The steamer Hampton had an exceptionally large cargo of potatoes, turnips, carrots, butter and tubers.

Ready for Camp. The 62nd St. John Pufflers will drill at Camp Sussex this year from June 25th until July 2nd. The regiment is in fine shape for the trip and is more than 300 strong.

Curate at St. Luke's. The Rev. J. Lyman Cotton, B. A., the new curate for St. Luke's church, arrived in the city yesterday on the Ocean Limited to take up his duties.

Police Reports. Policeman McKee has reported Coleman Brothers for encumbering the Charlotte street sidewalk yesterday from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m. with four barrels.

Household Furniture Inventory. June is the month for weddings and each wedding means a new household and the question naturally arises as to insurance.

Garden Supplies. Now is the time to plant your garden. We can supply you with anything you want for your garden at moderate prices.

Silk Coats. F. A. Dykeman & Co. are showing a fine display of Silk Coats, the kind that please.

St. John County Campaign. W. B. Tennant, Chairman, is making a tour of the county to canvass for the St. John County Campaign.

Voters, Attention! The Local Government party for both the City and the County have opened headquarters at Room No. 11, Ritchie Building, 50 Princess Street.

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CITY BRIDGES TO HAVE SIDEWALKS PROVIDED

Commissioners Have Satisfactory Interview with I. C. R. Engineer—Better Drainage Along Railway Tracks.

Yesterday afternoon the city commissioners, accompanied by F. Condon, an I. C. R. engineer from Montreal, visited the Stanley and Vail street overhead bridges and discussed plans for safeguarding foot passengers.

The commissioners also took up with Mr. Condon the matter of providing better drainage along the I. C. R. tracks between Gilbert's Lane and Stanley street.

The old common council tried for years to induce the I. C. R. to take some action looking to the provision of sidewalks on the overhead bridges and the commissioners are priding themselves on the quick response of the I. C. R. to their efforts to get something done in the matter.

They have not yet settled the question whether the prompt action of the I. C. R. was due to the change of government at city hall or Ottawa.

MANY ENQUIRIES FOR READY-MADE FARMS

Premier Fleming's Plan is Attracting Much Attention in New England States—Letters Ask for Particulars.

Hon. J. K. Fleming's plan of providing ready-made farms for new settlers, is attracting considerable attention in New England. A. B. Wilmot, superintendent of immigration, has recently received a number of letters from parties there, asking when the farms would be ready for occupancy, and under what conditions they might be purchased.

One letter received by Mr. Wilmot was from George Stewart, of Everett, Massachusetts, who is employed in a large mercantile establishment there. He wrote that he had been in communication with the secretary of the board of trade, and had been referred to the superintendent of immigration for particulars of the ready-made farm scheme.

Another communication was received from M. H. Chamption, of East Milnochet, Maine, who stated that he, and his wife, together with his brother, would like to come to New Brunswick as they have been two years in the states and see little prospect of getting ahead.

He asked for information about the proposed ready-made farms.

CHANGES NECESSARY IN BRITISH VISITORS' TOUR

Empress Delayed by Fog—Manufacturers will Arrive Thursday—See Nova Scotia in Two Parties.

Mayor Frink yesterday received a Memorandum from Leonard Palmer, organizer of the British manufacturers' tour, stating that owing to fog the Empress of Ireland would not arrive in Quebec until Saturday evening. This has necessitated some changes in the itinerary.

The party will leave Quebec at 9 o'clock Sunday night, proceeding to Montreal and from thence to Halifax, where they will arrive at 6 o'clock Tuesday morning.

In Halifax the party will be divided into two groups, one going to Sydney and the other to Annapolis. The first group will leave Halifax at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning, and will leave Sydney at two o'clock Wednesday afternoon arriving at St. John at 7 o'clock Thursday morning.

The second half will leave Halifax at midnight Tuesday and spend Wednesday in the Annapolis valley and will arrive in St. John Thursday morning. The party will not stop at Amherst as planned.

On Thursday morning the party will be given a sail on one of the ferry boats and will be served with luncheon while on the trip.

On Friday they become the guests of the provincial government and leave for a trip up the river to Fredericton.

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RENEWED INTEREST IN THE BIG CONTEST

Citizens Shown Rewards which Await Industrious Candidates—General Satisfaction Among Those Near Top.

"This is what we've been working for," remarked one of the contestants whose name stands well up in the list of candidates, as the parade, representing the prizes to be given away in connection with the Standard's big \$6,000 contest, passed by with the two Ford automobiles in the van and the eight lucky drags bearing as many prizes bringing up the rear.

General satisfaction prevailed among those who have been bending their efforts towards winning one of the prizes, while the less industrious contestants who lagged behind earlier in the race, were spurred to renewed effort and it is safe to say the unfortunate who have dropped out or never entered the contest, now heartily regret their want of ambition.

Altogether the parade created an excellent impression, the two speedy cars frequently outdistancing the more ponderous trucks and then making a quick detour of the block to rejoin them at their arrival.

Each piano case bore a banner inscribed with the legend, "Given away by The Standard." The parade traversed the principal streets of the city, leaving The Standard office at three o'clock and returning shortly before six. The object of the demonstration was to awaken renewed interest in the big prize contest which is already engrossing a large measure of public attention by reason of the magnitude of the rewards that await the lucky winners.

TEN DAYS' SALE THE EVENT OF SEASON

Increased Attendance and Rapid Selling Indicate Popularity of Marr's Establishment—Each Day is Easier

Increased attendance and continued rapid selling point clearly to the fact that Marr's ten days' clearance sale is the millinery bargain event of the season. Yesterday was by long odds the busiest day since the sale began, many a dainty development in feminine head-dress having been taken out of store.

Trimmed outing hats ready-to-wear and dainty straw sailor hats are among the strongest attractions for today's shoppers and will no doubt, find ready buyers among those anticipating the out-of-town trip over Sunday. There is also a nice range of untrimmed hats and floral millinery trimmings.

Chance to See Farm Train. By special request it has been arranged that the better farming special train will be open for inspection at the West Side ferry boats on Sunday afternoon from 2 o'clock until 6. This will enable those whose duties on Monday will prevent them visiting the train, to have an opportunity to inspect it. The train will be at the West Side ferry boats Sunday afternoon and all day Monday. An invitation to visit it is extended to all.

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Week-End Bargains in Household Linens

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Table listing various household linens and their prices: TABLE CLOTHS, size 2 x 2 yards. Special \$1.10, 1.40, 2.25, 2.75. TABLE CLOTHS, size 2 x 2 1/2 yards. Special \$1.25, 1.50, 1.75. TABLE CLOTHS, size 2 x 3 yards. Special \$2.50, 2.65, 2.75, 2.95, 3.00. TABLE CLOTHS, size 2 1/2 x 2 1/2 yards. Special \$2.60. TABLE CLOTHS, size 2 1/2 x 3 yards. Special \$3.25, 3.50, 5.50, 6.75, 8.50. TABLE CLOTHS, size 2 1/2 x 3 1/2 yards. Special \$7.75, 8.00. TABLE CLOTHS, size 2 1/2 x 4 1/2 yards. One only, special \$11.50. TABLE CLOTHS, size 2 1/2 x 5 yards. One only, special \$10.50. ODD TEA AND DINNER NAPKINS, in half dozens. Special prices. HAND-EMBROIDERED HEMSTITCHED LINEN BUREAU COVERS, 18 x 54 inches. Special each \$7.00. ODD HEMSTITCHED DAMASK HUCK TOWELS. Special, each 45c to \$1.00. LINEN ROOM.

Try Ladies' Home Journal Patterns if You Want the Simplest and Best--July Styles Now on Sale at Pattern Counter

Real Irish Crochet Neckwear. We have opened another lot of the fashionable neckwear, in the fine and medium lace. All hand-made. Jabots, each 50c to \$1.50. Stock Collars, each \$1.00 to \$3.50. Dutch Collars, assorted width, each \$1.50 to \$5.00. Sailor Collars, each \$1.70 to \$4.00. Collar and Cuff Sets, each \$2.80 to \$7.00. See this display in Neckwear Dept.—Annex.

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