

THE WEATHER.

New England Forecast. Washington, June 15.—Forecast for New England: Local showers Thursday and Friday; light variable winds.

AROUND THE CITY

Ald. Willet Heads Bills and By-Laws. At a meeting of the bills and by-laws committee yesterday afternoon, Ald. Willet was elected chairman, in place of J. King Kelley, resigned. The question of revising the civic by-laws was brought up, but nothing was done.

Accidents At Ball Game.

There were two slight accidents during the course of the baseball game in the West End league last evening. H. Colby Smith, who was an interested spectator at the game, slipped and fell, spraining his ankle. Everett Shea, one of the players, fell backward while chasing a fly ball, and strained his back.

Enjoyable Entertainments.

The City Cornet Band gave an enjoyable band concert in the grounds of the Provincial Hospital, Lancaster last evening. The concert was much appreciated by the inmates of the hospital. On the previous evening the Amateur Dramatic Club of St. Luke's church played the dramatic comedy "Our Jim" to a delighted audience at the institution.

Free Kindergarten Outing.

About 60 pupils in the Free Kindergarten of Miss Hattie Allen and Miss Belle Miller responded yesterday to the invitation of the Misses Gladys and Audrey Bullock to spend the day at their summer residence, Hillendale. The children left on the 9.15 train, spent the day enjoyably in the woods and on the beach, and returned at 3.30 p. m.

The Horrors of War.

The 62nd regiment will hold a field day on Saturday. Three companies of the Fusiliers under Major Perley will seek to defend the city from the attack of the other companies under Major Frost. The attack will have orders to find a weak spot in the line surrounding the city and take that portion. The plans as outlined it is thought will result in a great deal more fun and work for the men than last year's fight.

Tug Mabel Reid Sunk.

The tug Mabel Reid, which sustained much damage in the falls on Tuesday, through being caught in the rushing waters and losing control of her tow, filled and sunk during the night. Efforts were made to raise her yesterday afternoon and she will be repaired by the Union Foundry Company. It was expected late last night that she could be floated when the tide suited today, but that she would require considerable repairs. The tug is owned by E. R. Reid of Queen St.

Grand Temple of Honor.

At the postponed meeting of the Grand Temple of Honor and Temperance held in Alexandra Hall last evening, the following officers were installed: W. H. Smith, Grand Worthy Templar; H. J. Smith, G. W. Vice-Templar; W. C. Simpson, G. W. Recorder; F. McFarland, G. W. Treasurer; B. Ferris, G. W. Usher; J. Z. Eagles, G. W. G.; George T. Blewett, G. W. Chalmers; Wm. Lewis, P. G. W. Templar. The G. W. Templar appointed S. E. Logan, superintendent of the junior branch of the order in this province.

A Week in The Country.

As a result of the meeting of the King's Daughters' Guild on Tuesday, Mrs. G. A. Henderson yesterday received an offer from a young married woman to take four children for a week in the country. Mrs. Henderson has also received offers from two other country houses to take one child or more for a week. One was from a Kings county, and one from Digby, N. S. No formal applications from parents have been received, but many cases are known in which boys and girls would be delighted to have a week's vacation from their present city life.

Appeal to Supreme Court.

The case of Seely vs. Kerr in which the city is interested as owner of the property over which the suit arose, will be carried to the Supreme Court of Canada, after two adverse decisions in the lower courts. This decision was arrived at yesterday at a special meeting held in the city hall. After hearing a full report on the case the general committee recommended that an appeal be taken from the decision of the Supreme Court of New Brunswick to the Supreme Court of Canada. The meeting of the council followed and confirmed the recommendation.

Druggists To Meet.

Invitations are out for the annual meeting of the New Brunswick Pharmaceutical Society which will be held at Fredericton on the 23rd inst. There is an attractive programme for the occasion. Considerable business will come before the meeting and after the business sessions are concluded the visitors will be entertained by the Fredericton druggists at a picnic and luncheon at "The Birches" near Fredericton. Members attending the meeting will be entitled to the standard certificate on all connections. As the annual outings of the association are always most highly enjoyed by those privileged to attend them, it is expected the meetings will be thoroughly representative of the druggists of the province.

Death of John Haley.

John Haley, a well known employe of the City Street Department, died yesterday at the residence of his daughter, 35 Gilbert's Lane. Mr. Haley was in the 55th year of his age, and up to a week ago was in good health considering his years. About a week ago he was attacked with paralysis and his condition became serious. He is survived by two sons and six daughters. The sons are Cornelius C. of Boston and William P. of Los Angeles and the daughters, Miss Elizabeth, Mrs. White and Mrs. R. Beers of this city, Mrs. Martin Weyant of Los Angeles, Mrs. James Haloran of Concord, N. H., and Miss Mary of Boston. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 2.30.

DEVELOPMENT OF 40 ACRES HANGS ON WHARF BUILDING

Basis of Agreement Has Been Reached Between City and C. P. R. in re West Side Lands—Railway Company Will Keep Pace With Development Programme of Government.

It is understood that a basis of agreement has been reached between the city and the C. P. R. with reference to the transfer of the 40 acres on the West Side which the company requires for yard room. The negotiations have been protracted on account of the disinclination of the C. P. R. to give any guarantee to the city that the property should be developed within a given time. Recent correspondence has resulted in the C. P. R. expressing a readiness to proceed with the work of fitting out the yards as rapidly as the wharf building programme of the Dominion government requires. A meeting of the board of works has been called for this afternoon and it is understood the proposition will be favorably considered. Included in the work to be undertaken by the government is the building of a sea wall on the outer edge of the 40 acres. As a preparatory measure the smaller scows employed in the dredging, are now dumping mud inside this line. It is not yet definitely decided when wharf building south of Sand Point will be started. Considerably more dredging remains to be done. The development of the 40 acres will be proceeded with by degrees, tracks being laid to one wharf at a time. The original offer of the C. P. R. was to exchange the 1,600 foot strip down the Beacon Bar for the 40 acres and develop the latter as the needs of the port required. This was regarded by the city as too indefinite. An agreement was now proposed to keep pace with the actual wharf building and supply tracks and yard room as needed is generally regarded as more satisfactory.

A NEW PASTOR FOR GERMAIN ST. CHURCH

Rev. Frederick S. Porter of Liverpool, N. S., Accepts Call and Will be Here in Three Months.

The officers of Germain street Baptist church yesterday received a telegram from Rev. Frederick S. Porter, of Liverpool, N. S., accepting the call to the pastorate. He will enter upon his duties in three months, on the third Sunday in September. The congregation unanimously decided to call Mr. Porter, at a meeting held last Wednesday week, following an able sermon delivered on Sunday, May 28.

Rev. Frederick Seely Porter, is a native of Fredericton, in which city he obtained his elementary education. He entered Acadia University, and after a brilliant course, obtained the degree of B. A., in 1906, and M. A., in the following year. From 1906 to 1908 he was a student at Rochester Theological College, supplying in a number of pulpits in New Brunswick during his summer vacation. Called to the pastorate of the Liverpool Baptist church in 1908, he had just commenced his third year there when the invitation came.

JUDGE FORBES SAYS THINGS TO DOCTORS

His Honor Has a Poor Opinion of Professional Men Who Expect Fees for Expert Evidence.

In the county court yesterday during the progress of the Harley-Shonoman trial, His Honor Judge Forbes took occasion to express his views regarding physicians who demanded fees for what is known as expert testimony.

Dr. Dunlap, of the hospital staff, was being examined, regarding the condition of Mr. Rogers, when received into the hospital, after he received the injury. At the conclusion of the doctor's evidence, His Honor asked if in the opinion of the witness the injury to Mr. Rogers' arm would result in his arm being useless for life. Dr. Dunlap—Am I supposed to give expert advice? His Honor—You are expected to tell what you think. Dr. Dunlap replied that in the event of his being required to give expert testimony, he would expect the usual expert fees. His Honor remarked that no such fee would be paid. When a witness was called to the stand he was expected to tell the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth. He had a very poor opinion of any professional man who would demand a fee for his testimony. Dr. Dunlap then left the stand.

POTATO SHIPPERS LOSE BY ACCIDENT

Scow Loaded With Tubers Sprung a Leak and Filled at Sand Point and Damage Will Result.

An accident occurred at Sand Point yesterday morning which may entail considerable loss on the firm of DeWitt Brothers, of this city. The firm is loading the bark Kremlin with potatoes for the Cuban market and had a scow containing 1000 barrels of the tubers in bags beside the bark. The tide at the berth where the bark is docked is very strong and the scow sprung a leak and filled, with the result that the bags of potatoes were dumped into the harbor. An effort was made to save the tubers, but it is believed that they will be seriously damaged. A good quick service always at White's restaurant.

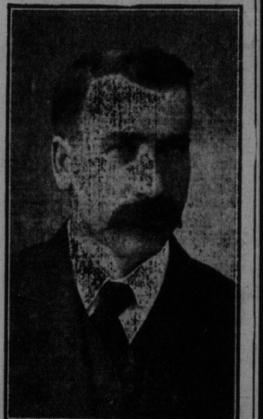
ST. JOHN MAN HEAD OF 'PRENTICE BOYS

Harry Sellen Elected Grand Master of Grand Lodge of 'Prentice Boys at Annual Meeting Yesterday.

A notable honor has come to Harry Sellen, of this city, as well as to the city of which he is a resident. For the first time in history a citizen of St. John has been chosen to fill the highest office in the ranks of the Grand Lodge of British North America and South Africa, of the Protestant Association of 'Prentice Boys, Mr. Sellen having been elected to that office yesterday afternoon at the annual meeting of the grand lodge in Kingston, Ontario.

This is an unusual honor as the membership of the 'Prentice Boys is very strong in Ontario and the west, and although the order has made rapid strides in New Brunswick, it was hardly expected that a representative of this province would be successful in the race for supreme honors.

Mr. Sellen has been prominently identified with the order for many years, and has always taken an active interest in its work and progress. For the last two years he has occupied the position of senior deputy grand



HARRY SELLEN. Master and his elevation to the higher office is an evidence that he has well fulfilled the duties devolving upon him in the lesser post. He is also a member of the Royal Scarlet Chapter of the Loyal Orange Lodge of the county of St. John.

At the annual meeting of the 'Prentice Boys Grand Lodge this province was represented by eight delegates from York county and Messrs. Sellen, W. A. Smith, and R. Merryweather, of this city.

The Election Results. The election resulted as follows:—Grand Master, Harry Sellen, St. John, N. B. Senior Deputy Grand Master, H. Dempsey, Ameliasburg, Ontario. Junior Deputy Grand Master, W. Sands, Kingston, Ontario. Grand Chaplain, A. Arbuttle, Ottawa. Grand Secretary, C. O. Brickman, Belleville, Ontario. Assistant Grand Secretary, J. Fitzgond, Stella, Ontario. Grand Treasurer, G. Quackenbush, Trenton, Ontario. Grand Lecturer, C. Logan, Gibson, N. B. Assistant Grand Lecturer, F. Milligan, Toronto. Grand Director of Ceremonies, A. McElroy, Ottawa.

PERSONAL

Miss Julia Elliott has returned home after a six weeks' visit to her sister, Mrs. David Hutchinson at Glace Bay, N. S. Mrs. S. D. Scott will leave this morning on a two weeks' visit to Cumberland County, N. S. Wilfrid McIntyre returned from Wolfville last evening. Rev. Gordon Dickie returned home yesterday. Wm. Downie, superintendent of the Atlantic Division of the C. P. R., left for Migantic last evening. R. W. Jones of the St. John staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia, has been transferred to the branch in Montreal. Rev. Dr. John A. Morrison, formerly of St. David's Church here, and for the last six years in charge of the First Presbyterian church in Chicago, has resigned his pastorate.

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