

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Moderate to fresh southerly and southwesterly winds, occasional showers. Toronto, Ont., June 12.—The depression which covered the States to the south of the lake region during the latter part of last week moved northward on Saturday causing rain in Ontario, and today has given rain in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces. The weather continues fine throughout the western provinces and is decidedly warm in Manitoba. Minimum and maximum temps. Winnipeg—54, 86. Port Arthur—58, 78. Parry Sound—52, 60. London—50, 70. Toronto—51, 68. Ottawa—54, 64. Montreal—56, 64. Quebec—50, 56. Halifax—50, 58. Forecast for New England Washington, June 12.—Forecast for New England: Fair Monday, except showers in Maine, warmer; Tuesday, fair, rising temperature; light to moderate west winds.

AROUND THE CITY

Slight Fire. A slight fire broke out in the house of a colored man named Nickels in Sparr Cove road, Indiantown, about 5.40 p. m. on Saturday. The blaze which was in a bedroom was extinguished before the fire brigade arrived.

Excursion to Green Head. Members of the Y.M.C.A. spent an enjoyable day at Green Head Saturday under the leadership of W. H. Moore, boy's secretary. They started about 10 o'clock in the morning, had dinner out there and returned about 5 p. m.

To Join Western Conference. Rev. John Beazley of Amherst is in the city on his way to the west to join the Alberta Methodist conference. He will be stationed in the town of Acton, fifty miles east of Calgary. The degree of M. A. was conferred upon him at the recent closing at Mount Allison.

The Pejepecot Disaster. A despatch from Portland, Me., says: "The tug Alice D. of St. John, arrived Saturday with barge No. 4, which was sunk with barge No. 2 and the tug Pejepecot of Bath, at Spencer's Island, June 1. Barge No. 2 has arrived at Bath in tow of the tug Lord Kitchener. The tug Pejepecot, which is owned by the Pejepecot Paper Company of New Brunswick, will probably not be raised.

Child Died from Violence. The body of a male child which had apparently lived two or three hours was found by Mrs. John Phillips on Saturday morning, below the dump at the eastern end of St. James St., fronting on Courtenay Bay. The body bore marks of violence, which in the opinion of Coroner Berryman, who viewed the body, had been made before death and in consequence of which it could not survive. The body was removed to the morgue and an inquest will be held.

Subscriptions Acknowledged. The following subscriptions are gratefully acknowledged by the board of management of The St. John Protestant Orphan Home, H. C. Rankine, treasurer: Almoners' Fund Scottish Rite of Freemasons, Jas. S. Gregory, G. S. Mayes, each \$10; Struan Robertson, Mrs. Jas. Fleming, Henderson and Hunt, Geo. H. Waterbury, J. A. Tilton, Geo. A. Knodell, R. W. W. Frink, Well Wisher, each \$5; F. R. Murray, G. D. Otter, Mrs. Frank A. Godsoe, each \$3; Dr. A. H. Merrill, Florence McCarthy, Mrs. Jas. Gillespie, A. G. Gregory, F. E. Day, Mrs. Annie E. Brock, Francis F. Burpee, Hobi, S. Ritchie, Jas. Patterson, T. Fred Powers, Mrs. C. J. Jones, Chas. Robinson, Rev. G. Kuhring, each \$2; W. W. Clarke, A. R. Melrose, Wm. Magee, T. F. Archibald, A. B. Holly, J. R. McFarlane, "Cash", N. A. Seely, Friend, each \$1.

REV. DR. C. W. GORDON IN ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

Preached to Large Congregation Yesterday Morning on Christ's Message to Peter—The Forgiveness of Sins.

Rev. Dr. C. W. Gordon (Ralph Connor), preached in St. Andrew's church yesterday morning before a very large congregation. His sermon was based on the text of St. Mark 16:7. "But go your way, tell His disciples and Peter that He goeth before you into Galilee; there ye shall see Him, as He said unto you."

After Peter had denied his Lord, said the preacher, he was seized with compunction and suffered agonies of shame and remorse. Quite probably he had seen Judas Iscariot go out and hang himself, and had been afraid that he might destroy himself in the same way. So a great load must have been lifted from his shoulders, when the message came to the disciples, showing that Christ had not been changed, and that as of old He singled out Peter, the strong man among the apostles, for special reference.

In the words "Tell Peter," the man who in the early morning hour when the spirit was weary and the heart weak had denied his Master, read that his guilt had been forgiven. Christ's message to Peter, continued Dr. Gordon, is the message that He extends to all men today. Understanding, as He does, the weakness of men, knowing that the stronger they are the greater their fall may be, He does not turn upon the sinner with contumely, but offers him forgiveness of sins.

Peter was probably a greater apostle because he had experienced the humiliation of sinning against his Master. In his martyrdom, the knowledge that he had once proved faithless became a source of strength to him.

Col. H. H. McLean, R. B. Emerson, H. B. Robinson and H. M. Hopper have returned from Montreal where they were attending the meeting of the Canadian Street Railway Association.

CRUSHED TO DEATH BENEATH TONS OF ROCK AND EARTH

Frank Carberry Killed While Excavating in Trench Saturday Morning—Charles Kane Extricated After Hard Struggle—Hundreds View Efforts of Rescue Party—Inquest to be Held.

As the result of a slide in the sewer trench where they were working, Frank Carberry of Clarence street was killed, and Charles Kane of Richmond street was seriously injured on Saturday morning. The trench was being dug by Kane and was intended for a sewer from the residence of Benjamin Holt on the corner of King street East, and Crown street. Kane was the contractor for the work and Carberry was employed by him. The men had almost finished the job and the actual laying of the pipe was to have commenced today.

Shortly before noon on Saturday, while the two men were in the trench, the bank slid in on them and they were buried under tons of earth to their necks. Carberry saw the slide coming and raised his hand to ward off the impending blow, but Kane was taken completely by surprise. As a result, when the men were buried Carberry had one arm free, but the other man was buried with his arms pinioned to his sides and only his head above the mass of earth and stone.

Worked For An Hour. Passers-by saw the accident and an alarm was sent in for the fire department. The firemen and employees of the water department worked valiantly to extricate the unfortunate victims but it was an hour before they were taken out and by that time Carberry's life had been crushed out by the awful pressure on his chest and body. He was taken to his home on Clarence street and an inquest will be held by Coroner Berryman.

Kane was taken to the hospital and on Saturday night was taken to his home at 30 Richmond street, where Dr. Thomas H. Lunney is in attendance. He was badly injured about the head, chest and arms, and it is feared he also received serious internal injuries.

In response to the fire alarm hundreds of people gathered at the scene of the accident and those who looked upon the faces of the entombed men in the ditch will not soon forget the sight.

Breathing His Last. When the salvage corps arrived they found Carberry breathing his last, and beyond all earthly help. With the sharp slaty rock and clinging earth pressed firmly about his body above his shoulders and almost touching his chin, he stood in mute appeal with the life crushed out of him. His dusty hat was still on his head, his face was

turned to the side of the ditch, and this fact was all that saved his death agony being revealed to the cluster of little children who gathered as close as the ropes stretched by the firemen would allow. Kane, not so deeply immured as his fellow workman, was showing active signs of life and was still an object of pity. Blood streaming from a four inch cut in his forehead trickled down his perspiring, pain drawn face and splashed on his shoulders and arms while all the time he strove frantically to free himself.

As the rescuers progressed his struggles grew more emphatic and with only one foot free he wrenched and swayed in an effort to get clear, but the treacherous rock held him fast.

A few blows with a combination hatchet and pickaxe and he was free. As he reeled from the trench in which his fellow workman was entombed in death, a mighty cheer arose from the bystanders. Kane was at once placed in the ambulance and hurried to the hospital.

The contract on which the men were engaged was secured by Charles Kane from Mrs. Lane, who was acting for the McCarthy estate, the owners of the property and their part of the work was all but completed. As stated the trench was down to depth and the laying of the pipes was to commence today. The work had been carefully done and Kane had, as he thought, taken precautions to prevent just such an accident.

Pain Almost Unbearable. In talking of the accident he said they looked out for themselves and did not have any thought of danger. The slide came too quickly for him to raise his hand and before he realized it he was buried to his neck. The pressure on his body and limbs caused almost unbearable pain, but he realized he had a better chance than his companion, who had been ill and was not particularly strong. Frank Carberry was about 55 years of age. He was married and leaves a widow and two children, a son and daughter who lived with him. He was originally a city employe and was engaged in the water and sewerage department, leaving the employ to engage in business on his own account. For a number of years he was engaged on excavation work by Ald. James Sproul. He was well known and generally liked as a man of kindly disposition and good character.

PORTLAND METHODIST CHURCH ANNIVERSARY Celebrated by Special Service Last Evening—Reports Show Substantial Progress in All Departments During Year.

The Portland Methodist church Sunday school celebrated its 82nd anniversary yesterday. At the special service in honor of the occasion last evening an interesting programme, including an address by the pastor, Rev. Nell McLaughlin, and songs, recitations and musical selections by the members of the Sunday school classes, was successfully carried out. The reports of the various departments were received, showing substantial progress in various directions. The treasurer's report showed that the total income was \$752.37, while the disbursements amounted to \$727.52, leaving a balance on hand of \$24.85. The contributions for missionary purposes were \$294.09, an increase over the preceding year of \$100.75. The report of the picnic committee showed receipts of \$131.29 and expenses of \$92.42, leaving a balance on hand of \$38.87. The Sunday school has 50 officers and teachers, with 236 members in the adult department, 36 in the senior, 90 in the intermediate, 40 in the junior, and 190 in the elementary, or a total membership of 684.

RESULTS OF MUSICAL EXAMS ARE ANNOUNCED Twelve-Year-Old Ronald Ritchie Wins Distinction—Pass Lists in Theoretical and Practical Music.

The results of the examinations in theoretical and practical music, recently held in St. John, have been announced. The practical examinations were conducted by Dr. H. C. Perrin, director of the McGill University Conservatorium of Music, and the theoretical examinations were presided over by Rev. Angus A. Graham. The papers being forwarded to Montreal to be passed on. In the pianoforte practical examinations, Eileen Gillis passed for grade I, the highest grade; Irene Frances Genter for Grade IV; and Ronald Arthur Ritchie, a lad of only 12 years of age, the son of A. Chip Ritchie, passed for Grade VI, with distinction. In the theoretical examinations, Miss Eileen Gillis passed for Grade II, with distinction; Mrs. J. Newton Smith passed for Grade IV; and A. E. Mabel Hooper, Irene Frances Genter, and Mrs. J. Newton Smith passed for Grade V. The maximum number of marks in each grade is 150; 100 marks are

SERIOUSLY INJURED BY CAVE-IN ON WATER ST. Alexander Evans Excavating Trench on Water Street Badly Bruised and Lacerated—Working on City Contract.

About the time the cave-in occurred on King street East on Saturday morning an accident of a similar nature occurred on Water street as the result of which Alexander Evans, of 103 Queen street, sustained serious injuries.

Along with another man named Ritchie, Evans was employed digging a trench on Water street, between Duke and the Custom's House, when the side of the bank gave way, precipitating three or four hundred weight of earth on top of him. He was knocked down and caught by one leg. His companion Ritchie summoned a vehicle and, at a distance, he was taken out of the trench.

A telephone call was sent in for the ambulance, but it was just leaving for the scene of the accident on King street, and it was half an hour before a vehicle could be secured to remove Evans to his home. Meantime he was suffering a good deal of pain and when he was taken to his home, Dr. D. E. Berryman was summoned to attend him. It is believed that he has sustained serious internal injuries, as he has been in great pain ever since the accident.

Last night the patient was a little better, and hopes are entertained that he will recover. He has a number of bad bruises about his body, and one of his legs is lacerated. Evans was working for the firm of Tobias and George, the contractors who recently secured a contract for trench work for water and sewerage pipes from the city.

PERSONAL Hon. J. D. Hazen returned to the city on Saturday from St. Andrews where he was counsel for the defence in the case of Boyd vs. Doyle in the Circuit Court.

R. J. Adam, the well known theatrical manager of Sydney and Gloucester Bay, passed through the city on Saturday on his way to Boston and New York in the interests of the Eastern Theatrical Managers Association, of which he is secretary. While away he will arrange for some good attractions for the theatres of the Maritime Provinces, and will also attend the Theatrical Managers Convention to be held in New York the first of next week.

John Kenny, Jr., factory inspector, will leave today for Chatham on a fortnight's inspection trip of the factories on the North Shore. Required to pass, and 130 for distinction.

Dr. Perrin will meet city music teachers and any others interested in musical educational work at the home of Miss Gillis, 109 Union street at 10.30 o'clock this morning. A fresh shipment New York marshmallows in 1/4 lb, 1/2 lb and 1 lb tins at White's, King St.

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