

THE WEATHER

Maritime—A few local showers or thunderstorms at first, but mostly fair and moderately windy with fresh northwesterly winds.

Toronto, July 21.—A shallow depression is centred tonight over the Maritime Provinces, and a trough of low extends from Manitoba southward to the Gulf of Mexico. Showers have occurred in some parts of Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, and also in a few sections of Manitoba and Saskatchewan. Moderate temperatures have prevailed generally except in the peninsula of Ontario, where it has been decidedly warm.

Temperatures

Place	Min.	Max.
Victoria	52	68
Vancouver	52	68
Kamloops	44	74
Calgary	42	62
Edmonton	44	70
Battleford	52	66
Prince Albert	52	66
Moose Jaw	56	76
Winnipeg	70	84
Port Arthur	58	82
Parry Sound	58	82
London	52	88
Toronto	60	89
Kingston	60	82
Ottawa	60	84
Montreal	60	74
Quebec	56	64
St. John	52	58
Halifax	50	78

DECIDE ON BRICK BUILDING FOR TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL TO ENQUIRE INTO TRADE

The lowest tender \$53,000 submitted by A. R. C. Clarke—Commissioners report—Matter of water supply taken up, may connect with Norton Griffiths main.

The St. John County Hospital Commission, having recommended the erection of a brick instead of a wooden building, on the Municipal Home property, the County Council at its meeting yesterday, agreed to this new proposition, and authorized the commission to go ahead.

The councillors were told that a brick building would only cost \$4,900 more than a wooden structure.

The Contracts.

The lowest tender for the complete building of brick was \$53,000, the tender being A. R. C. Clarke.

The commission's report was as follows:

Your Board of the St. John County Hospital called for tenders for a hospital to be erected of wood on the Municipal Home property lands set apart by you for Tuberculosis Hospital and received the following tenders:

John White, vacuum cleaner	\$ 1,025
G. M. Craigie, painting	2,448
R. A. Corbett, mason work	22,550
J. H. Burley, mason work	20,425
Geo. McArthur, mason and carpenter	51,000
Geo. McArthur, brick building	59,500
Geo. Lawson, carpenter work	25,000
Ed. Farren, carpenter work	27,800
Ed. Farren, carp. and mason work	49,250
G. E. Blake, plumb. and hgt.	17,780
J. H. Doody, plumb. and hgt.	17,500
A. R. C. Clarke, mason work	20,182
A. Dodge, carpenter work	23,525
S. A. Williams, carpenter work	25,790
S. A. Williams, carp. and paint	27,329
W. B. McDonough, plumbing	15,838
Fred H. Barr, heating	9,000
James Sproul, mason work	21,450
J. H. McFarland, plumb. and heating	16,450
J. H. Pullen, painting	3,200
F. S. Walker, plumb. and hgt.	14,825
Le Crech Co. plumb. and hgt.	19,500
R. J. Green, car. and mason wk.	45,625
B. Mooney and Son, mason wk.	23,380
B. Mooney and Son, complete building	48,700
Vaughan Co. lighting	1,594

After very careful consideration your board concluded that it would be better if buildings were of brick and then called for tenders for a brick hospital the same site, and received the following tenders:

James H. Pullen, painting	\$ 1,450
Union Iron Foundry, iron work	2,500
John Johnston, painting	3,182
Geo. M. Craigie, painting	1,749
B. Mooney and Son, complete building	59,500
B. Mooney and Son, mason work	27,100
James Sproul, mason work	35,500
R. J. Green, carpenter work and painting	21,178
A. R. C. Clarke, complete building	53,000
A. R. C. Clarke, mason work	29,454
Ernest W. Green, carpenter work and including 7 1/2 ft. of iron work	18,650
Stanley Williams, carpenter work	22,500
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GOOD WORK OF HON. J. D. HAZEN

Minister deeply interested in conversion of Fort Howe into a park—Are preparing plans.

Members of the Women's Canadian Club and other organizations which have taken an active interest in the project to convert Fort Howe into a public park, were much gratified yesterday over the news that the Dominion Department of Interior had been induced through the efforts of Hon. J. D. Hazen, to take action in connection with the development of the park, a matter about which the Interior Department has been somewhat dilatory.

Ven. Archbishop Raymond, who is actively interested in the project, received a letter from Hon. J. D. Hazen yesterday, stating that the minister had taken up the matter with the Interior Department and had received a letter from the department in response to his representations to the effect that on the 4th inst. instructions had been given to Messrs. Herries and Hall to take up the work of preparing plans, sketches, etc., for the development of Fort Howe park.

The landscape architects are expected in the city any time, and as soon as they complete the plans it is hoped the work of converting Fort Howe into a park will be undertaken and finished in as short a time as possible.

The Women's Canadian Club which plans to erect a memorial on Fort Howe to Lady LaFleur, are well pleased that the work is to be started, as the character of their memorial will depend on the plans adopted by the Department of Interior for beautifying Fort Howe.

AROUND THE CITY

Sergeants' Mess

The regular monthly meeting of the Sergeants' Mess, 3rd Regt., Canadian Artillery was held at the armory last night. Routine business only was transacted.

Police Court Improvements

The police court has been in the hands of the painters for the past fortnight, and it is expected it will be ready for the holding of court this morning or tomorrow. The walls have been painted, the desks and benches stained and varnished, the ceiling whitewashed, and with new blinds and chairs the old court surely presents a bright and clean appearance.

Police Court

In the police court yesterday afternoon Alex. George, a young Syrian, pleaded guilty to aggravated assault on Robert Crawford by throwing and cutting him with a knife Monday afternoon. He was fined \$25, which his father paid and the youth was set at liberty.

Heavy Rain

Ideal summer weather was certainly not in evidence yesterday, it having been showery and rather cold for the time of the year. From noon until 3 p. m. the official record of rainfall was two-tenths of an inch. The temperature during the day remained almost stationary at 56 degrees, which is somewhat low record for late July. The maximum temperature on the corresponding day last year was 67 degrees, and the minimum 54. Southerly and southwesterly winds, of moderate velocity, prevailed yesterday.

Settled Out of Court

A man named Sherwood was the complainant in the police court yesterday afternoon, against Charles Osborne whom he claimed had stolen a quantity of oats from his barn. Osborne was greatly surprised at being summoned to the court, as he thought that he did not think he had been stealing the oats. He said that he and Sherwood occupied the same barn for the use of their horses and explained that he had a couple of feeds of hay belonging to him. A few days ago when he was short of oats he borrowed a few quarts from the Sherwood barn to feed his horse and thought nothing about it as his neighbors had borrowed horse feed from him. The complainant and defendant got together and after nearly an hour's conversation decided not to bring the matter before the magistrate.

Family Row

UP IN COURT

Edwin J. Thomas had had day at hands of Police Officers—His wife laid complaint.

Edwin J. Thomas, president of the International Longshoremen's Association, was arrested yesterday afternoon on a warrant charging him with assault on Mrs. Thomas at the central station in the patrol wagon he was without coat and hat and his clothing was covered with mud. It appears that Thomas' wife was the complainant, but Thomas says that he was treated in a peculiar manner by the officers. He said that he was talking to his wife on Brussels street during the afternoon when James McBride, a special officer who has only recently been sworn in, came along and took hold of him and after a time the officer threw him on the ground and placed the handcuffs on him. He was then dragged to the Brussels street lockup and placed in a cell. Some time after Policeman James Ross appeared at the lockup and there served a warrant on him charging him with assault and transferred him from this lockup to the central station.

The prisoner was kept in the guard room for some time when his wife appeared on the scene and after some conversation Mrs. Thomas did not press the charge and the case was dismissed.

INDIGNANT OVER REPORT IN TELEGRAPH

Councillor Thompson said people of Chance Harbor did not loot wrecked schooner.

Councillor Fred Thompson, who was in the city yesterday attending the meeting of the county council was indignant over an article in the Telegraph of Tuesday, referring to the people of Chance Harbor as beachcombers and freebooters, who ransacked and looted the schooner Jennie A. Pickles, which stranded there.

"They did not ransack the cabin," said the councillor. "The cabin had been gutted by the sea, and was nothing but a mass of wreckage. As for staving in beams of molasses barrels and puncheons and allowing the contents to wash out, that was done by the fishermen at the direction of the mate of the schooner with the idea of lightening the vessel. I was aboard and saw the performance. The vents being open in the barrels salt water had got into them. Some small barrels were salvaged by the fishermen and taken ashore, the mate telling them to do so.

"As for Captain Richards having his trunk looted of his scanty store of clothing on Saturday night, I heard nothing of it when I left home yesterday morning. The report says Captain Richards had locked his trunk in a Richard building, and the locks on the doors and trunk were smashed. I know there has been no lock on the building for twenty years.

"Beachcombers and freebooters! You would think Chance Harbor was in the West Indies, a hundred years ago."

Father Donovan's picnic is postponed till Wednesday.

Don't You Do It—If you've been over-persuaded to buy a second rate typewriter think once again—for you may have to buy two typewriters instead of one before six months are gone. Let me demonstrate one of the best machines—The Smith Premier of Remington. A. Milne Fraser, J. A. Little, Mgr. 37 Dock St., St. John, N. B.

FOXES AT HOME

Numerous advertisements of the fox company offering their stock for sale will no doubt attract investors. Why not invest in a home company? Here you can see the foxes and ranches, etc. The directors, the manager are well known citizens of standing and worth.

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"A MILLION BID" TO BE REPEATED TODAY.

Imperial Theatre Requested to Give Another Showing—Mary Pickford as Extra.

So many people were disappointed in not seeing this great picture last evening on account of the rain—although it was overfull business from 7 to 10 o'clock—that it will be continued today at the usual hours—3, 5, 7, and 9. The Mary Pickford Arthur-Johnston Biograph comedy will be shown in addition. New show with Mary Pickford also, on Thursday and Kathlyn Friday.

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MANTEL DRAPES, Japanese silk in red, green, white; silk fringe, very handsome floral border at bottom. Also in rose, green and red with quaint Oriental designed border at bottom. Regular \$4.00 to \$4.50. Special price. Each \$3.25 and \$3.50.

CURTAIN DEPARTMENT.

Summer Gloves for Ladies and Children

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LISLE GLOVES—(Short), in black, white, tan, grey, champagne. Pair 25c. to 85c.

SILK GLOVES—(Short), in black, white, tan, ponceau, green, navy, grey. Pair 50c. to 75c.

CHAMOISETTE GLOVES—(Long) in black, white, tan, grey. Pair 50c. and 60c.

LISLE GLOVES—(Long), in white, black, tan, grey. Pair 35c. and 70c.

SILK GLOVES—(Long), in black, white, tan, grey, ponceau, navy, pink, heliotrope, light blue. Pair 75c. to \$1.40.

CHILDREN'S LISLE GLOVES—(Short), in white, tan, grey. Pair 25c.

CHILDREN'S SILK GLOVES—(Short), white only. Pair 35c.

CHILDREN'S LISLE GLOVES—(Long), white only. Pair 25c.

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SILK CREPE—in pale blue, pink, old rose, cream; 35 inches wide. Per yard 85c. and \$1.00

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