

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Moderate easterly and southeasterly winds, fine, a little higher temperature.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 2.—Showery weather has obtained today in the Lake Superior districts and local rains have occurred in southwestern Ontario, but elsewhere in Canada it has been fine and mild and unsettled weather is indicated for the lower lake region as the disturbances which were in the Missouri Valley last night are now centred over Lake Michigan.

Table with 2 columns: Location and Temperature. Includes Winnipeg, Port Arthur, Parry Sound, London, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, and Halifax.

New England Forecast.—Washington, Nov. 2.—England forecast:—Showers Tuesday except fair in Maine; cooler in south portions; Wednesday, showers and cooler; increasing south winds.

AROUND THE CITY

Poultry Association Meets.—At the monthly meeting of the Poultry Association last evening it was decided to hold a special meeting next Monday evening for the purpose of making arrangements for the second annual winter show.

Appointment Postponed.—A meeting of the congregation of St. James' church was held last evening for the purpose of choosing a successor to the Rev. J. E. Hand, who resigned a short time ago. After some discussion it was decided to postpone making the selection for a fortnight.

The Karen's Cargo.—The Norwegian steamship Karen, Captain Pederson, arrived here early yesterday morning from Boston. She will sail direct for Havana today with a large general cargo consisting of 150 tons of hay, 6 carloads of oats, 6,000 barrels of potatoes, 300 packages of fish, 500 barrels of apples. This is the second trip of the new liner. She is scheduled to sail from here again on November 25.

Delegates Chosen.—At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Archaeological Society held yesterday afternoon, Mr. R. W. W. Frink and Rev. J. J. McCaskill, president and secretary of the local branch, were elected delegates to attend the meeting of the General Committee at Baltimore the last three days in December. The matter of a hall at the Ashmolean Museum of Oxford on Nov. 25th, was left to a committee.

Death of Mrs. John O'Brien.—The death occurred yesterday evening at 294 German street of Mrs. H. O'Brien, widow of John O'Brien in her 77th year. Mrs. O'Brien was a resident of this city for the past 55 years and leaves three sons and four daughters, John V., Thomas F., and Joseph. Mrs. George Morgan, of Norwood, Me., Mrs. Henry Lahey of Boston, Mrs. M. Sullivan of this city, and Miss Nora at home.

Christian Endeavor Meeting.—At a largely attended meeting of the Young People's Society of the Christian Endeavor of the Baptist church last evening the vice president of the league Mr. George A. Whittaker, gave an interesting address on the work of the league in New Brunswick. He also spoke of the necessity of the different societies visiting one another for the purpose of becoming better acquainted with each other's work. Mr. Leslie Snowden also spoke on matters pertaining to the work of the society. During the evening a special programme of music was carried out.

Associated Charities.—A meeting of the Associated Charities was held yesterday afternoon for the purpose of electing twelve additional members to the board. Those chosen were Rev. David Lang, Adjt. W. M. Carter, Mr. S. D. Scott, Mrs. E. H. Dearborn, Mr. H. V. McKinnon, Hon. R. J. Ritchie, Mr. W. S. Fisher, Dr. W. F. Roberts, Mr. C. F. Sanford, Mrs. George A. Henderson, Mrs. Thomas Walker, Mrs. J. N. Golding. Speaking with the Standard after the meeting, Mrs. C. H. Hall, the secretary of the association said that the outlook was brighter for the coming winter than was the case last year. There appeared to be more demand for workmen and consequently less hardship was expected during the winter months.

An Expert on Boys' Work.—Mr. David R. Porter International Y. M. C. A. secretary for high school boys' work, arrived in the city last evening on the Boston express. At noon today he will address the board of directors of the local Y. M. C. A., and those in charge of the boys' work after luncheon in White's restaurant. In the afternoon at a quarter to three he will speak in the High school on the Rhodes scholarships. Friends of the pupils are invited to attend. Mr. Porter is well qualified to speak on this subject as he was the first Rhodes scholar from the State of Maine. While at Oxford he was prominent in scholastic and athletic circles, and was a classmate of Mr. Chester Martin, the first Rhodes scholar from the University of New Brunswick.

Hallowe'en at the Y. M. C. A.—The largest and probably the most enjoyable assemblage in connection with the Hallowe'en festivities took place last evening in the Y. M. C. A. building, when a reception was held for the members of the senior class and their friends. The guests were received by Mrs. David McLellan, president of the Ladies' Auxiliary and Mr. G. E. Barbour, president of the association. About 400 ladies and gentlemen were present. The building was specially decorated for the occasion with flags and symbols associated with the day. The decorations and arrangements of the programme were in the hands of the leader's class with Mr. Ed. J. Robertson, physical director, at its head and the committee was heartily congratulated on the success of their efforts.

Miss Josephine Hibbard will leave this morning for St. Andrews, N. B. to visit her parents.

SAME BERTHS AS LAST YEAR FOR WINTER PORT STEAMERS

Allotment Of Warehouses Made By Harbor Board Yesterday—No. 6 Berth To Be Filled As Required—City To Charge Steamers \$5 For Heating Warehouses 4-5 and 6—Head Of Wellington Slip Leased To Government Dredges.

At a meeting of the Harbor Board yesterday afternoon the warehouses were allotted to the steamship companies for the winter season. The C. P. R. were allotted Nos. 1, 2 and 3, the same as last year, the company undertaking to heat the offices at their own expense, and to arrange the piping free of cost. The same agreement will be entered into as in previous years that the berths when not in use may be allotted to steamers of other lines by the harbor master, the company to furnish the vessels with grain from the elevator.

Warehouse No. 5 was allotted to the Allan Line provided the agreement is signed as usual. Berth No. 6 was left open for the harbor master to deal with and will be used by steamers of other lines as required. No. 4 warehouse was allotted to the Donaldson Line at a previous meeting.

A charge for heating the warehouses for the coming season has been made this year for heating the offices. The C. P. R. as previously mentioned, will heat warehouses 1, 2 and 3 for their own use and the city will make a charge of \$5 a day against all vessels using warehouses 4, 5 and 6.

It was recommended that the winter port rates for the coming season be the same as last year. The chairman, the mayor, Ald. Baxter and likely were appointed a committee to consider and report on the winter port rates for the season of 1909-10.

It is understood that there was an inclination on the part of some

members of the board to raise the rates this year, but owing to the near approach of the season, it was decided to make no change.

On an application from the superintendent of dredges of the Dominion of Canada, asking for the privilege of laying out dredges at the head of Wellington slip, it was recommended that a lease be granted for one year, subject to termination at any time on one month's notice, without payment of rent on condition that the city have access to the property and blocks when not in use. Permission was also given to put-up a shed for stores.

Dredging at No. 6 Berth.—A report of the city engineer on work being done by the Government at No. 6 berth was placed on file for reference with the correspondence with Mr. J. K. Scammell, C. E., attached.

The engineer was instructed to furnish the harbor master with plans of the soundings in No. 6 berth and the harbor master was authorized to take further soundings if deemed advisable.

The board recommended that the application of Mr. George McKee, to be refunded \$94.50 paid under protest for port wharfage on deals in July and August last, be complied with.

A communication from Mr. F. E. Fairweather with reference to the insurance at Sand Point was placed on file.

FELL FROM HEAD OF RODNEY WHARF TO MUD IN SLIP

J. C. MacKenzie Victim Of Latest Accident—Escaped Unhurt And Was Able To Proceed Home.

While walking around the head of Rodney slip, shortly after 6 o'clock last evening, J. C. MacKenzie, of 89monds street, slipped and fell from the wharf to the mud flats many feet below, but escaped serious injury. He was rescued by Police Sergt. Ross, and others, and was later able to proceed home without assistance.

The place where Mr. MacKenzie went over to the head of the ferry slip and not at the terminal wharf so many accidents have occurred. A railing protects the wharf at the end of the slip, but Mr. MacKenzie had passed this and thinking himself safe went over the edge.

It was just after the 6.05 trip of the ferry and as about 200 people were coming up the wharf at the time there was some excitement while the rescue was being effected.

With the use of ropes Sergt. Ross aided by a bystander, got the man on the wharf and later to Carleton City Hall. Dr. W. A. Ellis attended him but could find no serious injuries and he was then allowed to go. He is a picture framer by occupation.

REPORTS MADE OF SIX DIPHTHERIA CASES YESTERDAY

Four Members Of Family In Marble Cove Suffering From Disease—Fairville And Carleton Have One Each.

The diphtheria outbreak in Fairville threatens to spread to other outlying portions of the city. In Fairville, after some days of improvement, a setback in the extinction of the disease came yesterday when Dr. L. M. Curran reported a case in Main street. The most serious outbreak, however, is at Marble Cove, where four members of the Higgins family have been reported as suffering from diphtheria. These cases were reported by Dr. W. F. Roberts yesterday and will probably necessitate the fumigation of one of the North End schools.

The sixth case yesterday was reported from King street, West End, and from all appearances the Board of Health is facing an epidemic which threatens to affect a wide district. The cause assigned for the outbreak in Fairville is lack of sewage and the same complaint can be made of the Marble Cove district.

GOOD PROGRESS IN SAVING PART OF HESTIA'S CARGO

Weather Conditions Reported More Favorable—Inquiry Is Postponed As Shipwrecked Men Remain At Seal Cove.

Capt. W. R. Lugar postponed the preliminary inquiry into the wreck of the steamer Hestia yesterday afternoon owing to the non-arrival of the surviving seamen, who did not return on the last trip of the Lord Kitchener yesterday morning.

The Kitchener came into port early yesterday and was discharged by the Donaldson line who have finished with the tug. The men are still at Seal Cove and will probably remain there until the last of the week assisting in salvaging the cargo of the steamer.

Mr. H. C. Schofield, agent of the Donaldson line, stated last evening that he expected good progress would be made in saving the light cargo yesterday. The wrecking steamer Bridge-water, Capt. Landry of Halifax, is now at the wreck carrying on salvage operations.

PERSONAL

The many friends of Mr. John McCarthy will be sorry to learn that he is dangerously ill with congestion of the lungs, at his home on Simonds street.

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