

THE WEATHER.

Forecast. Maritime—Fresh to strong easterly to southerly winds with occasional showers or thunderstorms.

Table with columns: Location, Min., Max. Includes Vancouver, Medicine Hat, Moose Jaw, Regina, Winnipeg, Parry Sound, London, Toronto, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Halifax.

Around the City

Disorderly Boys. Mounted Policemen Donohue made a hurried call to Milligan's Lake, off the Sandy Point Road, yesterday afternoon, to disperse a disorderly crowd of boys.

Willfully Breaking a Door.

Friday night Thomas Keating was given in charge of the police by Mary Lewis on the charge of willfully kicking and breaking in the door of her house, 17 Brunswick street.

Preached Farewell Sermon.

There was a large congregation in the Methodist church at Welsford last evening when Rev. J. H. Gregg preached his farewell sermon. Rev. Mr. Gregg has accepted a call to the church at Pettitodine.

Qualified For Commission.

Louis Ritchie, son of Joseph Ritchie of the post office, returned yesterday from Aldershot, where he successfully completed his qualifying course as lieutenant. A number of other New Brunswickers also passed the examinations.

Deserter Discharged.

On Saturday Julius Jensen, a sailor, was taken into custody by the police for being absent without leave from a ship in port. He was detained at police headquarters for a time until it was found out that his ship had sailed without him and he was then allowed to go.

A Liquor Raid.

Yesterday morning about 9.30 o'clock Detectives Barrett and Briggs made a raid on a Main street house kept by a man named Burke and found a case of whiskey. The police have suspected Burke of selling illegally and having found the liquor will now charge him with having liquor for sale without a license.

Walter Brown in the City.

Walter Brown, terminal agent for the C.P.R. at Montreal arrived in the city on Friday accompanied by Mrs. Brown, and they are the guests of Mrs. Brown's mother, Mrs. J. O. Beatty, Prince street, West St. John. After spending three weeks holidays here Mr. Brown will return to Montreal.

Presbytery of St. John.

The presbytery of St. John will meet in regular session in St. Andrew's church tomorrow at ten o'clock in the morning. The business to be transacted—Session Records; Report on Courtenay Bay Mission; Home Missions; Report of Assembly Commissioners; Communications; and any other business that may arise.

An Artist in Town.

Prof. Geo. Chavignaud, O.S.A., for the last four years in charge of the Victoria School of Art, Halifax, is in town on his way to his old home in Toronto. Mr. Chavignaud, who is a Breton Frenchman, has been in Canada some twenty-five years, and painted many valuable pictures. As the St. John Art Club have no rooms this summer, he has been persuaded to open an exhibition of paintings in the Royal Hotel sample rooms on Gorman St., open free to the public after Monday for a week. Mr. Chavignaud, who is accompanied by his wife and daughter, will make some drawings of local scenes which he thinks are most picturesque. Mr. Chavignaud is at the Elifton and will be pleased to meet any St. John art student and talk over local conditions.

Will Wed Today.

An interesting event will take place at the residence of Mrs. E. A. Pidgeon, 100 Main street, at six o'clock this morning when her daughter, Miss Hazel Pidgeon, will be united in marriage to Gardner Ellsworth of this city. Rev. Dr. Hutchinson will be the officiating clergyman. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth will leave for New York. On their return to St. John they will reside at 3100 Main street.

Gundry's is showing a strictly high grade lot of pants at most reasonable prices from \$1.00 up. Gundry's selections are different. You will rarely see the same goods in other stores. You will never be offered more up to the minute goods at better values.

MORE NEW BRUNSWICKERS FIGURE IN CASUALTY LIST

Pte. McCutcheon of Welsford Killed—Sergt.-Major Roy Armstrong of West St. John Also Killed—J. L. Killorn Wounded; Has Foot Amputated—Pte. McDonald of Welsford Missing.

Last night's casualty list contained the names of the following New Brunswick boys: Infantry. E. A. Williamson, Moyside, N. B. Wounded—Previously reported missing, now unofficially prisoner of war—Lance Corporal David H. Berden, Sheffield Mills, N. B. Wounded—Sergt. Burke McInerney, Richibucto, N. B. Killed in action—Pioneer E. R. McCutcheon, Olivville, N. B.

Loss a Foot. James Leo Killorn, son of Mrs. Jennie Killorn of Erin street, who was reported as wounded on Wednesday last, has been admitted into No. 13 General Hospital at Boulogne, where it was found necessary to amputate his left foot. The many friends of the popular young soldier will regret to hear of the seriousness of his injuries.

The news that the doctors had to amputate the foot was contained in a message which reached Mrs. Killorn from the Militia Department at Ottawa yesterday morning. Young Killorn is 22 years of age and went to the front with the 26th Battalion, later transferring to the Pioneer Battalion and it was while fighting with the latter force at Hooge on June 17th that he was wounded. A brother, Matthew Killorn, is with the 140th Battalion at Valenciennes.

Sergt.-Major R. P. Armstrong. Word was received in the city yesterday that during the past five weeks upwards of 600 men had been recruited in Ontario and Quebec, while only ten were only landed within the past few days to include the Maritime Provinces in the campaign.

"We hope to secure about 100 men in the Maritime Provinces," said Lieut. Cross. "We plan to open office in St. John and Halifax and carry on an active campaign. We want bridge men, machinists, mechanics, carpenters and unskilled men as well as about ten cooks. The officers of the battalion are all qualified engineers, while the non-commissioned ranks will be given to the men according to their qualifications when fully mobilized."

Lieut. Cross will call on Lt. Col. Guthrie, Captain Tilley and Major Hayes today to discuss the arrangements for the recruiting campaign. It is expected that the new battalion will go overseas the first week of August.

Lieut. Cross is a well known C.P.R. man and for the past twelve years has occupied the position of general inspecting engineer of the Department of Natural Resources at Calgary. His assistant, Sergt. Smith, is also a C.P.R. man who has made good. He is a former Charlottetown boy and has been with the company at Montreal. While in the city Lieut. Cross and Sergt. Smith are guests at the Victoria Hotel.

Fat Man's race—Pilot F. McKelvie, 1st; J. C. Chesley, 2nd. Ladies' race—Miss Long, 1st; Miss Thompson, 2nd. Sack race—A. Cooper, 1st; F. J. Knodell, 2nd. Three-legged race—F. J. Knodell, 1st; Burton, 2nd. Girls' race—Isabel Jamieson, 1st; Carrie Holly, 2nd. Potato race—Burton, 1st; Smith, 2nd.

A feature of the sports was the tug-of-war match between teams from the Algerines and the St. John Power Boat Club, which, after an exciting contest, was captured by the latter. The water sports were equally exciting and provided much amusement. The results were as follows: Tender race—Geo. Lee, 1st; H. Sullivan, 2nd. Speed Boat race—Malcolm Logan, 1st; Howard Holder, 2nd. Six h. p. boat race—Toothpick, 1st; Sweepstake, 2nd. Board race—Marian K., 1st; Ideal, 2nd. Bang and go back—Rainbow, 1st; Albatross, 2nd.

An enjoyable programme of dances was carried out in the evening, while the winners of the various events were presented with their prizes before the closing number. The boats reached the city on the return trip about 10 o'clock.

The success of the cruise was due in a large measure to the work of Rear Commodore F. W. Tapley and Fleet Captain Stanley McMillin, who composed the committee in charge of the arrangements.

POWER BOAT CLUB CRUISE MOST ENJOYABLE OUTING

Seventy Boats Participated and Attractive Programme of Sports Was Well Carried Out.

About seventy boats participated in the annual cruise of the Saint John Power Boat Club on Saturday. With ideal weather prevailing the attractive programme of sporting events was carried out successfully and was greatly enjoyed by the large number who took advantage of the opportunity to spend a pleasant day on the river.

The spectacle was a very pretty one as the boats started away from the club house shortly after 9 o'clock headed by Commodore J. C. Chesley's Elisabeth. The American launch Hossain with Mr. McDougall, of New York and party on board accompanied the local boats. Balyea's Point was reached about noon, and after lunch had been enjoyed the programme of land sports was carried out. The results were as follows: 100 yards dash—F. J. Knodell, 1st; A. McMurray, 2nd. 50 yards dash—A. Cooper, 1st; F. J. Knodell, 2nd.

CARELESSNESS MAY HAVE BEEN CAUSE OF FIRE

Piles of Dangerous Rubbish Found Under Floor of I. C. R. Warehouse—Incidental Theory Now Doubted.

It was ten o'clock on Saturday morning before the firemen were enabled to leave the ruins of the Government Railway freight shed at York Point. Even then a line of hose was left and men employed by the railway were at work all day pouring water on the piles of burning tea.

There has been considerable speculation as to the cause of the fire and many persons hint that it is the work of a firebug, the reason given being that there was no fire in the building when the warehouse men left it in the early evening. There is just as much reason to believe that the fire was accidental on account of the conditions under the warehouse when the firemen were enabled to crawl under the floor to put out the blaze there. The space under the floor of the warehouse varies from two to five feet from the ground to the floor, and in a number of places were found large piles of rubbish which included paper, straw and other inflammable material that could be swept up from a warehouse floor. This was found in piles reaching almost to the flooring. It looked very much as if planks had been raised in the warehouse floor and the sweepings thrown under the structure as an easy way of getting clear of it. It is just possible that a cigar butt may have been dropped in the warehouse and in the manner the rubbish was caught and smouldered for some time before breaking into flame.

When the alarm was given the first persons to arrive on the scene found smoke issuing from the eaves of the warehouse and it had all the appearance of coming from a fire burning in the floors. It did not present itself as serious at first, but in a very few minutes when one of the warehouse doors was opened it was seen that there was a big bed of fire under the floors, which spread with such rapidity that nothing could be done to check it.

RECRUITING SPEAKERS AT PICNIC AT MADAM

Col. Guthrie, Major Geggie and Daniel Mullin, K.C., Guests of Honor at Pleasant Outing.

Lt.-Col. P. A. Guthrie, officer commanding New Brunswick troops, spent the holiday at Madam Junction and in attendance at the annual picnic of the R. C. church of which Rev. C. J. McLaughlin, formerly of this city, is the pastor. The outing was most successful and the various attractions were liberally patronized.

An interesting portion of the program were the addresses by Daniel Mullin, K. C., Lt.-Col. Guthrie and Major Geggie. Mullin delivered a scholarly address on the significance of Dominion Day and traced the rapid development of the Dominion since Confederation in 1867.

Both Col. Guthrie and Major Geggie related some of their experiences at the front and were enthusiastically received by the large numbers in attendance. As a result of their addresses several recruits will likely be enrolled.

"PEG O' THE RING" AT IMPERIAL TODAY.

In addition to the Imperial's grand programme for the matinee today and tomorrow the new circus sensation "Peg o' the Ring" will receive its third chapter presentation. This instalment deals with the adventures of LaBelle (Grace Cunard) and Dr. Lund, Jr. (Francis Ford) in the hoodlums in the animal importer's premises where they are prisoners of the circus owner's jealous wife. Because of the school holidays this new story will be shown Monday and Tuesday afternoon. It is especially booked for the kiddies as it deals with clowns, circus acts, wild animals and is a regular weekly visit to Ringling Brothers, Barnum and Bailey's, Washburn's and the Wallace-Hagenbeck shows.

Engagement Announced. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McDowan announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Lillian, to Mr. Robert Melrose, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Melrose, of this city, the marriage to take place in July.

NOTICE. Will relatives of sick or wounded New Brunswick soldiers in English hospitals kindly send to The Standard the full addresses of the men and of these hospitals. If this is done The Standard will endeavor to see that copies of St. John papers are forwarded to these various institutions for the benefit of the New Brunswickers who may be there.

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