

THE WEATHER.

MARITIME:—Westerly and north-westerly winds, fair and cool. Toronto, Ont., March 20.—The disturbance which was north of Lake Superior on Saturday has passed eastward to the Gulf of St. Lawrence...

New England Forecast. Washington, D. C., March 20.—Forecast for New England: Fair and cooler Monday; Tuesday, fair with rising temperature; light west winds.

AROUND THE CITY.

The Late Mr. Gilmour Brown. The funeral of the late Mr. Gilmour Brown will be held from the station at Fredericton today on the arrival of the noon train.

Special Collections. The treasurer of the St. John Protestant Orphans' Home acknowledges with thanks the sum of \$20.25 being amount of special collections from Centenary, Queen Square, Carmarthen St. Methodist churches.

Will Be Forwarded to Germany. Through the efforts of the Salvation Army and the King's Daughters' Guild Mrs. Hedwig Luke, the demitted German woman, was placed on board the Lake Erie which sailed for London on Saturday. Upon the arrival of the steamer at London the woman will be taken in charge by Salvation Army officers who will arrange to have her sent to her home in Germany.

Tuberculosis Exhibit. The first tuberculosis exhibit ever seen in St. John has been arranged by Rev. T. Hunter Boyd at the free public library, and is open for inspection by the public today. It is intended that the exhibit shall prove a factor in improving the social conditions arising from the ravages of the disease. Charts and drawings are shown illustrating preventive measures and the proper ventilation of buildings.

City Life is Better. In St. Peter's Y. M. A. rooms Sunday afternoon the last debate of the season was held. The subject was City vs. Country Life. Mr. J. Gallagher, assisted by Mr. V. Shea, lead the city life side and Mr. George McClellan assisted by Mr. F. O'Connor upheld the delights of country life. After brilliant speeches had been made, Mr. M. Sweeney, the judge, gave his decision in favor of the city life.

Official Visit. This evening, Grand Chancellor Hunter of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will officially visit St. John Lodge, No. 30, K. of P., in their hall, Temple building, Main street. He will be accompanied by other Grand Lodge officers. During the evening the rank of page will be worked on two candidates by the ritual team of this lodge. All members of the order in the city and any visiting brethren are cordially invited to be present.

Nothing Doing. A large crowd gathered in Market Square, Carleton yesterday afternoon to witness a football game between teams from the Empress of Ireland and Tunisian. The teams had no more than lined up for battle when Sergt. Ross interrupted the play by saying, "What's to do?" "The law forbids this kind of sport on Sunday here." The sailors left the square and so did the crowd very much disappointed.

Pay Taxes to Vote Until April 5. The legislation promoted by the city to provide that all taxes must be paid three weeks before the date of the civic elections has passed the Legislature, but will not become operative until next year. Taxpayers have therefore, until April 5 to pay their taxes and exercise their franchise. A section of the act providing for additional polling places was made permissive and will go into effect this year. Its effects will be appreciated in Prince and possibly one or two other thickly populated wards.

Mr. Matheson in Temple Hall. Temple Hall, Main street, was crowded to the doors yesterday afternoon by men only, to listen to an address by Mr. Wm. Matheson. Rev. D. Hutchinson presided and after reading a portion of Scripture, introduced the speaker. Mr. Matheson delivered an earnest address, telling his experiences, before his conversion; also of his arrival back to his own home in Cape Breton, after an absence of ten years. His address was listened to with close attention, and at the close a number wished to be prayed for. These meetings will be held every Sunday afternoon at four o'clock.

An Up-to-Date Craft For the River. Among the new craft on the river this season there will be the Kineto, owned by Mr. Herman McArthur, local manager of the Kinetrograph Co. The new boat will be 24 feet long, 10 feet wide with a depth of 6 feet, and is reported to be one of the speediest and the best equipped boats on the river. Power is obtained from a 14 H.P. Knox engine, and a 12 kilowatt dynamo will furnish the electricity. There will be two systems of wiring, a high tension to be used when the boat is running and low tension for use when in port. The boat is also equipped with a powerful searchlight.

The Struggle for Home Rule. Mr. H. O. McInerney delivered his lecture "Some Men and Measures prominent in Ireland's struggle for Home Rule," in St. Malachi's Hall last evening under the auspices of the P. M. A. Mr. Daniel Mullin, K. C., was advertised to speak but was unavoidably prevented from being present. Mr. McInerney gave a scholarly review of Irish history since the days of Grattan's Parliament and explained the effect of different measures which had been advocated and won by various Irish leaders. At the close of the lecture a hearty vote of thanks was extended the speaker.

SAVED FROM SUICIDE.

Sergt. Campbell Rescues Sailor at Starr's Wharf Bent On Self Destruction—Was Waist Deep in Water.

Driven to desperation by drink, a Norwegian sailor jumped off Starr's coal wharf yesterday morning with the apparent intention of ending his life. Luckily, however, the tide was out at the time, and he landed on the soft mud. Covered with slime and in a somewhat dazed condition, he rose to his feet, and started to wade out into the water, when the timely arrival of Sergeant Campbell quickly effected his rescue from a watery grave.

When the sergeant, who was on the wharf, saw the sailor dashing towards the water, he called to him to come back. He was apparently deaf to the sergeant's cries, however, and was evidently bent upon getting into the water. Sergeant Campbell promptly realized what the man's purpose was, and reaching down the side of the wharf reached him when he was almost waist deep in the water.

It was found that the man was apparently in the "choppers" from drink, and he was taken to the Central Police Station, and placed in a cell. A watch and over \$5 in cash was found on his person. Last night he had not sufficiently recovered to tell his name.

FELL OVER RODNEY WHARF.

Sailor on Tunisian Victim Last Evening of City's Do-nothing Policy—Street Railway Men Effect a Rescue.

A sailor belonging to the Tunisian, while on his way to his ship about 9.30 o'clock last evening, tumbled over the wharf at the head of Rodney slip. A girl who was passing near him splashing around, and shouted for assistance. Happily a car had just stopped near by and the conductor, motorman and a number of passengers were soon on the spot and managed to fish Jack out without much trouble. The sailor was little the worse for his impromptu bath, and he went off to his ship, calling down left handed blessings upon the city fathers because he thought they loved darkness rather than light.

400 LITTLE IMMIGRANTS.

Barnardo Children on Tunisian Centre of Attraction at Sand Point Yesterday --- Left in Special Train For the West.

The Allan liner Tunisian, Captain J. A. Fairclough, arrived in port Saturday evening from Liverpool via Halifax and docked at No. 6 berth. Among the passengers who landed here were 400 children from the Barnardo homes. When they left the ship yesterday morning at 10 o'clock the wharves were crowded with people eager to see the children. The immigration officials who boarded the steamer were warmly welcomed by the 400 youngsters who were lined up along the rails of the ship. The party, consisted of 320 boys and 80 girls, and they were the first to disembark. The boys were in charge of Alfred B. Owens, superintendent for Canada, and Mrs. Loyd looked after the girls. The youngsters lined up in three deep in the shed and then headed by the officers from the steamer and immigration officials the procession wended its way to the immigration building at Sand Point. At 11 o'clock the children boarded a special train made up of eight cars. The boys will go to distributing homes in Toronto and the girls to Peterboro. This is the first party this season. A number of the Tunisian's passengers were successful Canadians returning after a visit to their former homes in the old country and bringing friends with them to try their luck in Canada. The saloon and second class passengers were forwarded West by a special train which left Sand Point in the afternoon at two o'clock.

A Drop Too Much.

While under the influence of liquor, John Leathervarrow, a sailor on board the Empress of Britain, yesterday morning drank the contents of a bottle of carbide of lime, which it is thought he had mistaken for whiskey. Some time later he was discovered by one of the sailors in an unconscious condition, and believing that he was dead the ship's doctor was summoned. Realizing that the man's condition was serious, the ambulance was sent for and he was sent to the General Public Hospital. He soon regained consciousness under treatment and early this morning was reported to be resting easily.

Social Evening at Y. M. C. A.

A most enjoyable time was spent at the senior social in the Y. M. C. A. reception rooms on Saturday evening. A large number were in attendance and an excellent programme was carried out. Mr. F. G. Kenney and Mr. S. F. N. Ruerhaus, were the committee in charge. Vocal solos were given by Mr. J. D. Wood and Mr. Connell; piano solos by Mr. R. Dobson and J. L. Brown; mandolin solo, J. B. Vincent; reading, J. H. B. Burroughs; piano duo, V. Lee and R. Dobson. A fine chorus joined in college songs around the open fire. Next Saturday the social will be in charge of Mr. L. Brown, Mr. D. K. Hasen and Mr. M. M. Jarvis. While the seniors were making merry in the main reception rooms the high school boys were being entertained at a social in the boys' department to which lady friends were invited. This affair also proved very successful.

Nuisance to the District.

For some Sundays past it has been the custom for a number of the Point youths to assemble, and board one of the I. C. R. freight cars, opposite the four sheds, to drink liquor, and carry on a general carousal. This has become a nuisance to the district and the police say they will make a determined effort to break up the gang.

FOUR FIRES IN TWO DAYS.

City and Carleton Departments Busy Extinguishing Slight Conflagrations --- Boarders Roused by Dinner Bell.

The fire department responded to no less than four calls during Saturday evening and Sunday. The fires were not of a serious nature, the damage in each case being slight. About 1.30 o'clock Saturday evening a still alarm was sent in for a fire on the dump at the lower end of Duke street. The blaze was extinguished without any difficulty.

The Carleton firemen were called out about 7.30 o'clock the same evening for a slight fire on the roof of a building in Protection street, owned by Mr. Louis Green. A spark from the chimney caught the roof and an alarm from box 117 was sounded. Mr. C. E. Vincent, who occupies the upper flat was awakened by the clouds of smoke which filled his room. When the fire fighters arrived the roof was in flames. The hose was attached to a plug in Protection street and a good stream of water soon extinguished the blaze. A report was spread that the C. P. R. elevator at Sand Point was on fire and Protection street was crowded in consequence.

Sunday's Fires. An alarm was rung in from Box 27 early yesterday morning for a fire in the Touraine Hotel on King street. The chemical responded and quickly extinguished the blaze.

The fire was started by the upsetting of a lamp in the kitchen. The table immediately caught on fire, and after sending the boarders, the boarders were aroused from their sleep by the loud clanging of the dinner bell. Several of them, thinking that the fire was of a serious nature were about to leave the building in a half clad condition, when they were told that the blaze had been extinguished. Between 3 and 4 o'clock yesterday morning an alarm was sounded from box 13 for a fire in a house on Erin street, occupied by Mr. P. C. Kinsman. The damage was slight.

MANY BAPTISMS HELD.

Further Additions Yesterday As Result of Evangelistic Campaign --- Admissions to Membership Next Sunday.

There were further additions to membership in a number of churches yesterday as the result of the simultaneous evangelistic campaign. In Silver Falls Methodist church, fourteen were received into membership by Rev. J. B. Champlin. At Tabernacle Baptist church ten were baptized. The special meetings in this church will now be discontinued. Seven were baptized at the Victoria street Baptist church by the pastor. Next Sunday, Rev. Jas. McLeod will preach the Easter sermon and in the evening about fifty candidates will be admitted into church membership. At the morning service in Charlotte Street Baptist church, Rev. C. T. Clark administered the ordinance of baptism to his sister and in the evening to an old school-fellow. Five others were baptized by the pastor. Twenty candidates will be given the right hand of fellowship at the evening service on Easter Sunday. Rev. W. R. Robinson in Ludlow St. Baptist church baptized six and received sixteen into membership. At Brussels street Baptist church nine boys and girls followed the Lord in baptism at the evening service.

HAD SUCCESSFUL TOUR.

Miss Harriet Smith, President of Rebekah Assembly, Home Saturday—Order Flourishing in N. S. and P. E. Island.

Miss Harriet Smith, president of the Rebekah Assembly of the Maritime Provinces, returned on Saturday after an extended tour through eastern Nova Scotia, and the island of Newfoundland. Miss Smith was assisted by Miss Easery, of Charlottetown, vice-president throughout the tour and visited many lodges in the district covered. She found the order in a flourishing condition and looks forward to a successful convention at Truro next August. Miss Smith expects to make two further trips, one through New Brunswick and the other through western Nova Scotia. She spoke particularly of her reception at New Glasgow where six of the eight assembly officers were present and assisted with the ceremonies. In honor of the event the ladies aid brought Mrs. Rigby a bouquet of 69 carnations, one for each year of her useful life. Mrs. Jas. McArthur on behalf of the W. O. T. U. also presented Mrs. Rigby with a pretty bouquet. Refreshments were served and the evening was pleasantly spent. With Mrs. D. Hutchinson acting as accompanist, all joined in the singing of gospel hymns. The gathering dispersed to the strains of God Be With You Till We Meet Again.

69th Birthday Celebrated.

Mrs. Rigby, who lives with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Ferris, at 214 Rockland Road, was given a pleasant surprise on Saturday evening, when a number of ladies representing the ladies' aid of Main street Baptist church and the North End W. O. T. U. called at her home to offer congratulations. In honor of the event the ladies aid brought Mrs. Rigby a bouquet of 69 carnations, one for each year of her useful life. Mrs. Jas. McArthur on behalf of the W. O. T. U. also presented Mrs. Rigby with a pretty bouquet. Refreshments were served and the evening was pleasantly spent. With Mrs. D. Hutchinson acting as accompanist, all joined in the singing of gospel hymns. The gathering dispersed to the strains of God Be With You Till We Meet Again.

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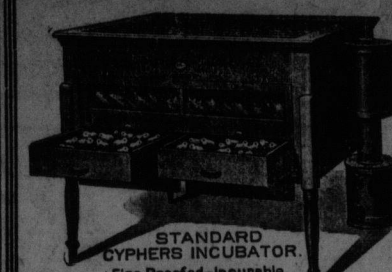
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