

THE WEATHER.

MARITIME:—Moderately westerly and northerly, fine, not much change in temperature. Toronto, Ont., Sept. 14.—A few local showers have occurred today in Nova Scotia, otherwise the weather has been very fine throughout Canada.

AROUND THE CITY

Expressions of Sympathy. Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Higgins of Marble Cove in the death of their young children by diphtheria.

Removing Exhibits. Exhibitors in the women's department at the exhibition may take out their exhibits any time after ten o'clock this morning. A committee of ladies will be in charge during the day.

Exhibit of Hackneys. T. B. Macaulay of Hudson Heights, who has had a fine lot of hackney horses at the exhibition here will leave today for Ogdensburg, N. Y., where he will exhibit his string in the hackney classes at the fall fair there.

Donated Two Tons of Coal. The Dominion Coal and Steel Company have donated two tons of coal which has been on exhibition in their booth, to Mrs. Brundage, mother of Harry Brundage, who was shot and killed near the shooting gallery in the exhibition grounds last Thursday.

Rathburn—Puddington. A quiet wedding was solemnized on September 7 at Hampstead, when Caleb Rathburn was united in marriage to Miss Blanche Puddington. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride by Rev. C. B. Lewis. Miss Hailton of Westfield acted as bridesmaid, and the groom was supported by Hazen Rathburn. About fifty guests were present. After a trip to Shediac the young couple will take up their residence in St. John.

Mixing the Concrete. The city engineer stated yesterday that he had not decided whether to allow the Hassam method to be used on Smythe street, or to have the concrete foundation laid by some other method. A. R. Clark said it would make no difference to the Hassam people which method was ordered. He had a concrete machine mixer which was now being used on the Marsh Road, and this could be used on Smythe street. He did not think the engineer would order them to mix the concrete on a board.

St. John Ambulance Society. In addition to addressing the meeting in the board of trade rooms on Friday afternoon upon the question of organizing a branch of the St. John Ambulance Society, Colonel G. Carleton Jones will at 8 o'clock the same evening address a meeting of graduate nurses and those in training at the general public hospital upon the subject of army reserve nursing. Col. Jones is director general of the Dominion medical service and will doubtless handle his subjects in an entertaining as well as an instructive manner. A large attendance is hoped for at the public meeting in the afternoon.

Withdrawal Suburban Trains. The Canadian Pacific Railway announces that after Saturday, September 17th, the following suburban trains between St. John and Welsford will be withdrawn, viz., Trains leaving St. John at 9:15 a.m., 10:35 p.m., daily except Sundays and the 1:0 p.m. train on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Trains leaving Welsford at 10:45 a.m., 9:00 p.m., daily except Sunday, and the 2:30 p.m. train on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Until further notice train will leave Welsford at 6:45 a.m., as at present, and suburban will leave St. John at 6:10 p.m., as at present.

JURY'S CRITICISM NOT FULLY UNDERSTOOD

Capt. Kenneally, a Juror, Says Verdict Was Not Against General Methods of Street Railway Company.

Considerable discussion has arisen throughout the city as a result of the verdict of the coroner's jury in the inquiry into the cause of the death of the late Edward Lane, who was crushed between two cars on Rodney wharf, and there is some criticism of the jury's condemnation of the management of the Street Railway Company for not adequately providing for the safety of the public. Captain John F. Kenneally, one of the jurors when interviewed about the matter last evening, stated that their verdict was being misinterpreted. The jury, he said, did not criticize the general policy of the management. They were simply dealing with the facts of the case on Rodney wharf, which were clearly presented to them in the evidence of witnesses. They were not criticizing the general methods of the street railway throughout the city, but from their own knowledge of conditions, and from the evidence submitted at the inquiry, it was their duty to condemn the condition on Rodney wharf as inadequate and unsafe.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilson of Cambridge, Mass., who have been the guests of Mr. Andrew Fox, Fairville, leave by steamer Governor Cobb for their home. Rev. J. W. McConnell of Sydney, C. B., is visiting his father J. W. McConnell, Main street, North End. Mrs. J. W. Carter and Miss Laura Crandell of Salisbury, N.B., who have been visiting Mrs. A. C. Powers during the exhibition, left for home last evening by the Quebec express. Rev. Eugene Chapman of Bale Verte was a visitor at the exhibition. Mrs. Herbert R. Taylor and Mrs. Howard P. Boothie will receive their friends on Thursday afternoon 15th inst. at the residence of Mrs. Joseph Taylor, 24 Pitt street. Assorted Jelly Gum Drops made by Stahl of Boston at White's, King St.

SAMUEL HOWARD IS BEING SEARCHED FOR

Visitor from Maine Mysteriously Disappears While on Visit to Brother-in-Law—Police Are Notified.

Considerable uneasiness has been caused by the mysterious disappearance of Samuel Howard, of Allan's Falls, Maine, who came to the city on Tuesday to visit his brother-in-law, Samuel Cunningham, of Carleton, went down to the Exhibition that evening and failed to return to the home of his brother-in-law. Mr. Cunningham waited for him to a late hour, but saw or heard no signs of him. Yet when he went out next morning the first thing he saw was the hat worn by Howard the preceding day lying in the alley way leading into the back of the house. Yesterday Mr. Cunningham made inquiries at all the city hotels and other places where the missing man would be likely to have gone, and failing to locate him, notified the police. Up to midnight his whereabouts was still a mystery.

TO DISCUSS MARITIME REPRESENTATION CASE

Premier Hazard of P.E. Island and Attorney-General McLean of Nova Scotia Visiting Premier Hazen.

A. K. McLean, acting premier and attorney general of Nova Scotia and Premier Hazard, and A. W. Warburton, M. P., of Prince Edward Island arrived in the city last evening. They will hold a conference with Premier Hazen today and consider what steps may be taken to prevent a further reduction of the representation of the Maritime Provinces.

It is feared that as the result of the redistribution of seats following the taking of the census next year, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick may each lose two seats and P. E. Island one seat. Accompanied by Premier Hazen the representatives from the sister provinces visited the exhibition grounds last evening. They will be entertained by Mr. Hazen during their stay here.

JAMES M'MULLEN'S BODY BROUGHT HOME

Remains of Victim of Accident at Junction Brought to City Last Evening—His Family.

The body of James McMullen, who was found lying upon the railway track in a badly mutilated condition about a quarter of a mile east of Fredericton Jct., on Tuesday night and who died in the Victoria hospital, Fredericton, some hours later, was brought to the city on the Boston train last night and taken to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McMullen, Rebecca street. Charles London, who is apparently the only person who can throw light on how McMullen lost his life, arrived in the city by boat from Fredericton last evening. He received a notification to attend the coroner's inquest at Fredericton as a witness. Mr. McMullen was very well known throughout the city. He was a plumber by trade and went to South Africa at the time of the recruiting for the Baden-Powell constabulary. He spent two years in South Africa, during which time he is said to have accumulated considerable money. Since his return home he has spent part of his time carpentering with his father. He is survived by a wife and one child also a brother, James and by a sister, who is married in Boston where his mother has been visiting. The funeral arrangements will be completed today.

DONALDSON LINE WILL OPERATE WEEKLY SERVICE

W. I. Gear Says Two Big Boats to Sail from St. John in December—Freight Business Dull.

W. I. Gear, the Montreal representative of the Donaldson Steamship Line, arrived in the city yesterday to confer with the local agents Robert Rford & Co. in regard to the arrangements for the winter season.

To a Standard reporter Mr. Gear said his company would operate its regular weekly service from this port during the coming winter if traffic conditions warranted it. In December two of their passenger boats will make a trip to St. John, after which they will be laid up for a general overhauling. One of these boats will be the Saturnia, the latest addition to the fleet.

Asked as to freight conditions, Mr. Gear said business was pretty dull at present and the outlook for the winter rather poor, owing to the fact that the Maritime wheat crop was 20,000,000 bushels short of what it was last year.

All intending purchasers of typewriters would do well before placing their order to see Frank R. Fairweather, 12 Canterbury street, who has a new lot of Empire typewriters just in from the factory. He has also some excellent bargains in second hand machines which are well worth looking into. See his booth at the exhibition.

YARMOUTH TO TAKE ROUTE OCTOBER 1ST

Marine Superintendent of D. A. R. in City Last Night Says She Will Replace the Prince Rupert.

Among the visitors at the exhibition yesterday were Alexander McGregor, marine superintendent of the Dominion Atlantic steamship service; Chas. Pelton, stipendiary magistrate of Yarmouth, and Mr. Magee, local manager of the Bank of Commerce at Shelburne.

Speaking to a reporter, Mr. McGregor said the S.S. Yarmouth would be placed on the St. John-Digby route about the 1st of October, relieving the Prince Rupert which will be laid up for a general overhauling.

"The tourist and general traffic on the D. A. R. line, this summer has been very good," he said, "and we expect to do a good business for some time yet."

Asked whether the C. P. R. had made any plans in connection with the absorption of the D. A. R., he said he was looking for news on that point himself.

Mr. McGregor was much pleased with the exhibition and delighted with the Caledonia Pipe Band.

"The lady are wearing the McGregor tartan," he said, "and the sight of them stirs the Highland blood."

PRIZES AWARDED FOR AMATEUR PAINTINGS

Result of Competitions in Fine Arts Department at Exhibition—Three St. John Prize-Winners in List.

The list of prizes awarded in the fine arts department of the exhibition for amateur paintings and drawings has been received from the St. John Art Club, three of whose members were the judges. In the classes for oils the honors are divided between Henry B. Leahy of Sydney, N. S., and Miss Florence M. Bailey of Toronto, the former securing three firsts and one second and the latter two firsts and four seconds.

In the water color classes Miss Bailey also secures two first prizes. Miss Julia M. Reed of St. John is first in the class for copies. Miss Josephine M. Dean of St. John takes a special 1st prize for crayon work and Miss Kathleen R. Walker of St. John the second prize. Miss Walker is also awarded 2nd prize for decorative painting.

The awards are as follows:— AMATEURS. Original in Oil.

Portrait of figure (life)—1st, Henry B. Leahy, Sydney, N.S.; 2nd, Miss Florence M. Bailey, Toronto. Landscape—1st, Henry B. Leahy, Sydney, N.S.; 2nd, Miss Florence M. Bailey, Toronto.

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Still Life—1st, Miss Eliza G. Barker, Fredericton; 2nd, Miss Florence M. Bailey, Toronto. Water Color.

Original—1st, Miss Florence M. Bailey, Toronto. Copy—1st, Miss Julia Reed, Mount Pleasant, St. John.

Decorative Painting—1st, Miss Florence M. Bailey, Toronto; 2nd, Miss Kathleen R. Walker, St. John. Copies in Crayon.

Special prize—1st, Miss Josephine M. Dean, St. John; 2nd, Miss Kathleen R. Walker, St. John.

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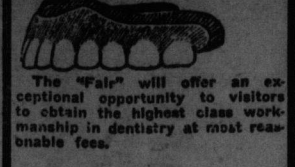
Miss Minnie Jones, Who Figure in Rossi Shooting Case, Asks Police to Rescue Her Brother.

Mrs. J. Crigor, or as she is better known Mrs. Minnie Jones, who attracted some notoriety as the central figure in the preliminary hearing of the charge against Andrew Rossi, who shot and killed Diego Siracusa in a house on North street on June 26 last, was a visitor to Central Police Station last night.

The events which led up to one of the Italians shooting his friend, seem to have imbued her with a general horror of all that race, and accompanied by her mother she called to seek the aid of the police in rescuing her brother, Joseph Jones, from the company of some Italians, with whom she claims, she spends the greater part of his time.

The police promised to look into the matter. The Jones lad is 18 years of age, and was one of the chief witnesses in the Rossi trial.

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