

THE WEATHER.

Gulf and Maritime—Moderate to fresh westerly and northwesterly winds, generally fair; no decided change in temperature.

Toronto, April 10.—The weather today has been fine throughout the Dominion except in British Columbia, where rain has fallen heavily in most localities.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson—18, 42. Victoria—38, 52. Kamloops—48, 58. Calgary—26, 56. Edmonton—28, 58. Battleford—22, 58. Moosejaw—30, 59. Qu'Appelle—26, 54. Winnipeg—36, 54. Port Arthur—32, 44. Parry Sound—34, 54. London—27, 61. Toronto—30, 54. Ottawa—26, 48. Montreal—30, 46. Quebec—26, 44. St. John—30, 46. Halifax—30, 52.

Lower Lawrence—Fine stationary or a little higher temperature.

AROUND THE CITY

A Key Found. The police report finding a key on Coburg street yesterday afternoon.

Concert in Provincial Hospital. An orchestra consisting of 20 ladies and gentlemen from Ladies' vocal school, will give a concert to-night in the provincial hospital, under the direction of M. Goudie.

Grand Farewell Concert. A grand farewell concert will be given in the Seaman's Mission to-night, by the ever popular troupe of the S.S. Tunisian. The troupe will appear in their attractive Pierrot costumes and an excellent programme is assured.

Presented to St. Rose's Church. On Sunday last the children of St. Rose's church, Fairville, presented the church with a set of Adoration Angels. The statues were made in Chicago by the Daprato Statuary Co. and are the best artists in America. A statue is placed on each side of the altar and there was no formal presentation.

Waterloo St. Church Concert. The concert held in Waterloo street Baptist church last evening was most successful from every viewpoint. The programme carried out was of an excellent character and the several performers acquitted themselves very creditably. The entertainment which consisted of vocal and instrumental music and readings was largely attended.

Concert Thursday Night. Under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society, an entertainment will be held on Thursday evening in the Sunday school room of the church with a set of Adoration Angels. The committee in charge has prepared an excellent programme in which a number of local artists will take part. The entertainment evening is promised. The admission price will be fifteen cents.

A North End Fire. Yesterday afternoon shortly after three o'clock fire was discovered in John McAuliffe's house on Kitchener street, North End, which is also occupied by W. E. Nugent. The fire started in the kitchen and worked up through the floor to the bathroom. An alarm was sent in from Box 321, and it was with some difficulty that the fire was confined to the two rooms. About \$300 damage was done which is covered by insurance.

Y. M. C. A. Meeting. There was a meeting at the Y. M. C. A. last evening when a nominating committee of three were appointed to meet the members of the board of directors to act for the general annual meeting to be held on May 9th. The three chosen last night were: G. McKinnon, O. Arnold Burnham and J. T. McGowan. The three of the committee from the directors are A. H. Chisman, J. Hunter White and E. E. Church.

West End Concert. A large audience attended the entertainment held in the Carlton Presbyterian church last evening. The programme given during the evening was greatly appreciated. Among the various items the Sunflower chorus, by ten young ladies, was a feature, the leading part being taken by Miss Eldarkin. Two selections by Toy Symphony were enjoyable numbers. Solos by little Mary Long, Percy Crunkshank and Mr. Munro were well rendered as was a reading by Miss Mary Cougle. Rev. H. H. Held presided during the entertainment.

Young Deer for N. S. Woods. Six young live deer arrived on the Boston Express by the Dominion Express Co. last night. The animals are from Pleasant Brook and they were captured and are being sent to Yarmouth, N. S., for breeding purposes. Roy S. Kelly, president of the Yarmouth Game Association and secretary of the Guides Association, arriving in the city yesterday from Yarmouth to receive the consignment. The deer will be taken to Yarmouth this morning and after being placed on exhibition for a few days, will be liberated in the woods.

Declared For Working Girl. The Y. M. C. A. hall of the Portland Methodist church, was packed to the doors last evening by an interested and appreciative audience to hear the debate, "Resolved that the working girl is of more benefit to the world than the society girl." The affirmative was championed by Stanley Irvine, (captain) Mrs. J. Lang, Miss Etta Bell and Frank Whelpley; the negative by Percy J. Steel (captain) Misses Iola Branscombe and Mayme Irvine, Field Folkins. The judges were Miss Alley, president of the Young Ladies' Bible Class, Rev. H. D. Marr and F. S. Thomas. Each speaker was allowed six minutes and the captain ten minutes, to sum up. The judges decided in favor of the affirmative.

Rev. Samuel Howard of the Methodist church, St. Stephen, N.B., was in the city yesterday on route to Back Bay to attend the meeting of the board of regents of Mt. Allison University. L. F. D. Tilley will sail for England on the Empress of Britain on Friday as a business trip.

CHARITY BALL WAS BRILLIANT AFFAIR

Post Lenten Season of Festivity Opened by the Younger Society Folk with Delightful Ball, Last Night.

The charity ball given by the Daughters of the Empire in Keith's assembly rooms last night and which had been anticipated by society, inaugurated the post-Lenten season of festivity. The event was one of the most brilliant ever given in the city and was a decided success.

The ball was attended by about 65 couples. The chairmen of the evening were, Mrs. Harold Schofield, Mrs. Wm. Angus, Mrs. William Vassie, Mrs. Alexander Fowler, Mrs. W. H. Harrison, Mrs. W. A. Lockhart, Mrs. Homer Forbes and Mrs. George Mahon. The guests were received by Miss Mabel McAvity and Miss Katie Hazen. Mrs. W. A. Lockhart was in charge of the refreshment committee. Seldom have the assembly rooms presented a more attractive appearance than they did last evening. A committee of ladies supervised by Miss Katie Hazen had attended to the decorative work and the result of their efforts was entrancing. The rooms were prettily and artistically decorated with flags, bunting and other trimmings. One of the features of the mural decorations was the shield, the work of Miss Winnie Raymond, and the accompanying motto by David E. Lynch, of M. R. and A.'s. The flag which the Daughters of the Empire will present to the Scotch cadets of St. Stephen's church next month was conspicuous among the decorations.

A delightful dance programme consisting of 12 numbers was enjoyed, the Nickel orchestra furnishing music. The gowns worn by the ladies were elaborate being both beautifully and artistically designed and lent added brilliancy to the scene.

CASE AGAINST JAMES MILLER IN THE COURT

Proprietor of Sailor's Boarding House Arrested for Assault, is now Charged with Selling Liquor.

Yesterday morning James Miller, the keeper of a sailors boarding house on Britain street, was charged with aggravated assault on Morris Reid, a fireman from the steamer Indrani. The complainant gave evidence that while others he called at Miller's house on Monday night in quest of liquor, that Miller took his money and then hit him on the forehead with an iron bar causing a deep wound. The case was continued in the afternoon and in addition to the assault charge Miller was charged with selling liquor without a license. George A. Henderson prosecuted and J. A. Barry appeared for the defendant. Reid gave evidence that on Saturday night last he was at Miller's house and purchased liquor and that Miller had been on board the ship and told the men if they wished to procure any liquor they could call at his house. Robert Faughlis also gave evidence of purchasing liquor from Miller. The defence asked for an adjournment for the purpose of procuring witnesses and the prisoner was remanded to jail until this morning at 10 o'clock when the case will be resumed.

BURGLARS LOOT AN L.C.R. FREIGHT SHED

Freight Shed At Jacquet River Raided And Quantity Of Goods Stolen—One Man Arrested On Suspicion.

Special to The Standard. Moncton, April 10.—A. & W. D. Whetton, the well known railway contractor, passed through here today for Renfrew, Ontario, where they have a contract for double tracking twelve miles of the C. P. R.

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ELECTIONS IN CHATHAM

Scott Act Party Defeated In Civic Elections In North Shore Town Yesterday—Campaign Was Spirited.

Special to The Standard. Chatham, April 10.—The civic elections which took place today resulted in the absolute annihilation of the Scott Act party, who were defeated by a two to one majority. The new mayor is Dr. Thomas Ives Byrne, and his colleagues on the council are J. Fred. Benson, Cassidy, Williams, Carvell, Kerr, McLennan, Stewart and Hay. Of these the first four have already had experience at the council board.

The defeated candidates, M. F. Hiley, for mayor; R. A. Snowball, R. A. Loggie, Abbott, Groat, Barry and Mesureau, made the enforcement of the Scott Act the sole ground of appeal for support. The victorious candidates took a broader ground and advocated better methods of civil government generally. The campaign has been a very spirited one and never since the town was incorporated has so much interest been displayed in an election before. The voters were plentifully supplied with campaign literature by both parties and no effort was spared by either to ensure success.

NEWCASTLE ELECTIONS

Small Vote And Little Interest Features In Yesterday's Contest—Dr. Pedolin The New Mayor.

Special to The Standard. Newcastle, April 10.—At the town elections here today Dr. F. L. Pedolin defeated S. W. Miller for the mayoralty with a vote of 153 to 130. The following aldermen were chosen: John Clark, John G. Kethro, S. A. Russell, C. M. Dickson, George Stables, Charles Sargeant, T. W. Butler and H. H. Stuart. All of the old aldermanic board offering with the exception of Ald. Falconer, were elected. The election was very quiet, and was phenomenal in the smallness of the vote cast. Scott Act played a prominent part in the campaign, and the local voters consider the result very satisfactory. Speeches were made this evening by the victorious candidates and others, and the band serenaded Dr. Pedolin. The new mayor is manager for the Chatham and Newcastle exchanges of the N. B. Telephone Company.

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