

**THE WEATHER.**  
Maritime—Westerly winds, fine and warm.

Washington, June 10.—Forecast: Northern, New England—Fair Thursday; slightly cooler, except warmer extreme eastern Maine, Friday.  
Toronto, June 10.—A few light showers have occurred in the Maritime Provinces but the weather in Canada has been mostly fair. It has been warm in Ontario and Quebec and comparatively cool in all the other provinces.

**Temperatures.**

Victoria	45	60
Vancouver	48	66
Kamloops	34	72
Calgary	46	64
Edmonton	40	66
Battleford	40	70
Prince Albert	40	64
Medicine Hat	40	68
Regina	40	63
Winnipeg	50	72
Port Arthur	52	84
Parry Sound	54	78
London	62	87
Toronto	70	88
Kingston	74	86
Ottawa	66	86
Montreal	62	88
St. John	44	48
Halifax	35	62

**AROUND THE CITY**

**Heavy Cargo**  
The steamer May Queen arrived down river yesterday afternoon about half past three bringing a heavy cargo of freight and passengers from Chipman and intermediate points.

**Russians Arrested**  
Gregory Micklovitch and John Micklvitch, two Russians, were arrested on warrant yesterday afternoon charging them with assaulting and beating Stephen Procopuk. The two prisoners were allowed out on depositing the sum of twenty dollars each for their appearance in the police court this morning.

**Morning Police Court**  
In the police court yesterday morning David Bais, charged with conducting a junk business without a license was fined forty dollars. James Campbell, charged with violating traffic laws, pleaded ignorance and was cautioned and excused. Several offenses against the by-laws were reported by the police.

**More Interest**  
"People in St. John are taking more pride in the appearance of their city every year," said a local painter yesterday. "Dealers in paint say they have sold more paint this spring than usual. This is interesting in view of the fact that general business conditions are none too bright. It shows that the agitation in favor of brightening up the city is producing results."

**Successful Fishermen**  
Among the guests at the Dufferin yesterday was F. H. Paley of Holyoke, Mass., who has been trying his luck with rod and line in the provinces. Mr. Paley was unusually pleased with the results of his trip and hopes to come back this way next season. He expressed surprise that the game fish opportunities of these provinces were not better known.

**Wiped Out by Fire**  
Cornelius Rogaz, Elm street, has returned from a fishing trip to Loch Ailva, Muskash. He reports that the woods throughout that district have been wiped out by forest fires, and that several valuable camps have been destroyed. The club houses at Loch Ailva, both owned by the members was also destroyed. Stetson, Culler & Co's camp at that place were burnt down. The club house at Caribou Lake, and Hogan's camp, at West Lake, were among the places wiped out by the fire.

**Civic Cleaning**  
Inspectors of the Board of Health report that in most sections of the city backyards and alleys are in a better condition this Spring than usual, indicating that the attention which has been directed to the matter of civic cleaning has borne some results. It is not likely there will be a general civic cleaning day this year. St. John was the first city in Canada to hold a civic cleaning day, an idea which has been taken up in many Canadian cities this year. Montreal had a civic cleaning week, apparently with good results.

**Last Day for "Officer Jim."**  
The Imperial's strong three-part police melodrama "Officer Jim" which created so much comment yesterday, will be concluded today. In addition there will be the Vitaphone juveniles in their exceedingly funny kid story "Buddy's First Girl Call," and Pathe's interesting trips to India, China and a scientific study of strange sea creatures. Today and for the remainder of the week Miss LeRoy and Signor Pottini will sing in duo, choosing for their number the favorite Neapolitan song "Funtouli-Funtouli." This will make a sure hit for they are both grand opera singers. Friday and Saturday the Kathlyn series—"Garden of the Princess"—will be resumed and in addition Kalem's Indian war story "Grey Eagle's Last Stand" in two thrilling reels.

**Steamer Elaine.**  
Leaves Indiantown, Old May Queen wharf, foot of Hammond street, every Wednesday and Saturday morning at 8 o'clock for Chipman and intermediate points. Returning leaves Chipman, every Monday and Thursday at 6 a. m.

**CAPT. R. H. WESTON,**  
Manager.  
Commencing on next Monday, May 15th, the steamer May Queen will commence sailing on her regular runs to Chipman, making two instead of three trips a week, leaving the city on Wednesdays and Saturdays and returning on Mondays and Thursdays.

**A PROMINENT ST. JOHN LADY PASSED AWAY**

**Mrs. H. H. McLean Died Suddenly at Horsfield Street Residence Last Evening—Sincere Regret Felt.**

Friends in the city and throughout Eastern Canada will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. McLean, wife of Colonel H. H. McLean, M. P., which took place early last evening at her home, Horsfield street.

Mrs. McLean had been in good health until yesterday morning when she suddenly became ill. Her condition steadily grew worse as the day advanced and she passed away shortly before seven o'clock last evening.

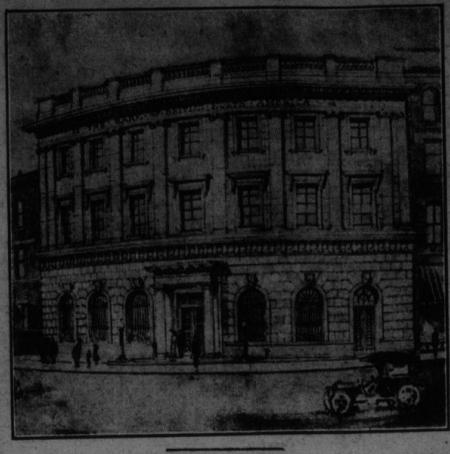
She was the daughter of the late James Porteous and was born in Prince Edward Island but came to St. John with her family when about two years of age. She was a niece of the late W. Girvan of this city.

Mrs. McLean was prominent in many of the activities of St. John life and she was held in high esteem by everyone who knew her. She was closely connected with the work of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church and was interested in charitable work among the poor of the city.

She is survived by her husband, Colonel H. H. McLean, M. P., of Queens-Sunbury, two sons, Captain C. W. Weldon McLean of the Royal Horse Artillery at present in Ambala, India and H. H. McLean, Jr., at home, and one daughter, Miss Jennie Ellis, at home.

The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon from St. Andrew's church where service will be held at three o'clock.

**New Bank Building Is A Splendid Structure**



**Bank of British North America, on Corner of Dock Street and Market Square Will Be Open for Business Monday.**

The Bank of British North America, thick and three layers of steel, the central layer being insulated, charged with electricity and connected with an automatic burglar alarm. To open the boxes in the vault two keys are required, one of which is held by the manager of the bank and the other by the renter of the box. Outside the vault and in the basement are a series of small rooms where patrons of the bank may examine their securities or clip coupons in private.

The treasury vault which is similar in design to the ground floor. The vaults are bomb proof as well as fire proof.

**Splendid Furnishings**  
A heavy oak counter, surmounted by oak pillars, and bronze cage work encloses the space reserved for the cashier and teller. The lobby is large, beautifully fitted with quartered oak finishing and Tennessee marble, the floor being of terrazzo, a combination of cement and marble highly polished. The manager's office is located at one end of the lobby. All the desks and furnishings are brand new, being supplied by the Office Specialty Co. of Toronto. They are of quartered oak to harmonize with the oak panelling and fixtures.

The lighting system which was installed by an American contractor is very elaborate, with many ornamental features. Arrangements for receiving coal and removing ashes connect the basement with the street in such a way that no dust or dirt is carried into the bank quarters or offices. In the basement reached by separate stairways are lavatories and wash rooms for male and female employees, and also store rooms for various purposes.

**Upper Stories**  
In the two upper stories there are eighteen offices. The Sun Life and the Dominion Trust have commodious suites of offices on the second floor and the third floor is occupied by Jardine & Fife. A passenger elevator serves the office people. It was installed by the Otis Fenton Company and was recently tested by loading it with the weight of a ton and letting it fall from the top story. The device for automatically stopping the elevator worked before it had dropped many feet.

The roof of the building is so constructed that it can be converted into a roof garden. The architects who designed the building were Barrett, Blackader and Webster of Montreal.

**DOG'S NOT SO NUMEROUS**  
Only 774 Licenses So Far This Year—Many Apparently Have No Owners.

The northern and western parts of the city have not so many dogs as formerly if reports recently received at City Hall are correct. Clarence Ward, mayor's clerk, said yesterday that the reports he had received so far indicated that the number of dogs in the parts of the city mentioned had fallen off considerably since last Spring. So far only 774 licenses have been issued but in order to come up to the number licensed last year more than five hundred more owners will have to come across with the license fee.

Mr. Ward thought that people, who were keeping dogs, should secure their licenses as early as possible and thus avoid the trouble of appearing in the police court and paying practically double the present amount. Comptroller Potts has also taken up the matter of stray dogs and he will endeavor to regulate the number and if possible have all stray dogs destroyed. Serious damage has been done some of the public squares and gardens by the canines, which apparently have no owners.

Mr. Potts secured the authority of the common council to establish a pound and employ a dog catcher and there was a general feeling that his efforts should be backed by the citizens in general.

W. B. Dickson, M. L. A. of Hillsboro, who has been seriously ill, was reported to be resting comfortably yesterday.

**WEDDING PRESENTS**

Every June has its brides and every new household needs new fittings. Our display of articles suitable for wedding presents is most comprehensive. Silver, Glass, Cutlery, Leather, Brass. We have it all. See our King street window display.



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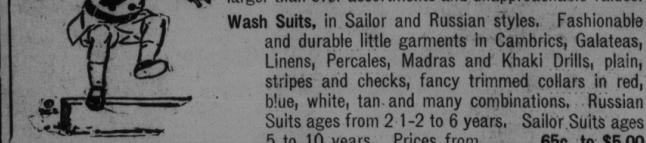
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**New Tapestry and Velvet Squares**

We have just placed on display another large arrival of English Tapestry and Velvet Rugs. These are all woven in one piece and will cover the floor without a wrinkle. Newest designs and colorings, bright and snappy woodshades predominating. Medium and best qualities are offered.

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