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THE WEATHER
Light to moderate winds, fine today and on Tuesday, not much change in temperature.

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EVANGELICAL ALLIANCE AGAINST SUNDAY TRAINS

At a Largely Attended Meeting This Morning a Strong Resolution Was Passed Protesting Against C.P.R. Proposal

The last regular monthly meeting of the Evangelical Alliance was held this morning in the school room of St. Andrew's Church.

The matter of changing Thanksgiving Day was discussed. Regarding the running of Sunday trains; a strong resolution was drawn up and unanimously adopted protesting against them.

Rev. James Crisp, the president, called the meeting to order, and there were present the following clergymen: Ven. Archdeacon Raymond, Rev. Gideon Swin, Rev. W. R. Robinson, Rev. J. C. MacLaughlin, Rev. Neil MacLaughlin, Rev. Geo. Titus, Rev. J. H. A. Anderson and Rev. J. C. B. Appell.

The meeting was opened with the customary scriptural reading by the secretary, Rev. J. C. B. Appell, followed by prayer by Rev. Gideon Swin.

The first business was the granting of the annual sum of ten dollars to the section of the church. It was decided to follow the custom of previous years.

The secretary stated that the terms of office of chairman of the Industrial Home had now expired, and some action should be taken regarding the appointment of another.

The question of changing the observance of Thanksgiving Day from Monday to Thursday, was brought up. Considerable discussion ensued on this point.

The chairman stated that at a special meeting of the Methodist church on Monday, June 7, 1909, they passed a resolution in favor of changing the day from Monday to Thursday.

MONCTON NEWS

Man Killed by Train in Maine, Was Jude N. Cormier of St. Mary's—Other Deaths.

Moncton, June 7.—(Special)—Word was received here early this morning of the death of Jude N. Cormier, who was killed by a train at Oakland, Me. He was a son of Napoleon Cormier, of St. Mary's. Identification was made through a letter from Alma Lewis, 126 Beattier street, Moncton, and on inquiry his name became known.

Death came suddenly to Mrs. Dolphus Mitts, at her home on Dominion street, here this morning. She was hanging out clothes when she was seized with a fainting spell and fell to the ground.

Two shunting engines had a warm dispute in the morning. Both were running in the same direction, but one got in first, with the result that the cab of the engine was lifted from its position on the tender. The other engine was not damaged.

POLICE COURT

In the police court this morning, the magistrate advised the police to question intoxicated men on Saturday nights and Sunday, and obtain clues if possible to illegal liquor selling.

John Shea, who was enjoying a nap in a yard of Nelson street, and was partially disrobed, was fined \$5 on thirty days, and Joseph McQuade, who was taken into custody on Haymarket square was fined the same sum.

THREE BALLOONS NOT HEARD FROM

Indianapolis, June 7.—Six of the balloons that started in the race here Saturday have been heard from, but no word has been received from the Hoosier, the Copland, the New York, and the St. Louis.

ROTHESAY COLLEGE CLOSING

The eighteenth annual closing exercises of Rothesay Collegiate School will take place on June 15th and 16th. The programme will be as follows:

SUNDAY, JUNE 13TH

3.15 p. m.—College Sunday Service. Preacher, Rev. Canon Scofield Neales, M. A., Rector Sussex.

MONDAY, JUNE 14TH

2.30 p. m. Preliminary Athletics. TUESDAY, JUNE 15TH 2 p. m. Final Athletics.

RAIN WOULD BE BOON TO FOREST FIRE FIGHTERS IN THE BRUNSWICK NOW

Rain Yesterday Morning Helped the Forest Fire Situation in Carleton County—Charlotte County Still Suffering From Fires and Much Damage Done—Serious Fires on the Keswick Streams.

Woodstock, N. B., June 7.—(Special)—Forest fires have been raging in the neighborhood of Woodstock since Wednesday. One started at Tapley's Mills, six miles away, and worked northward.

The fire reached the residences of the last three named on Saturday and about 400 men from the town carrying water in pails, as the flames could not be reached with hose attached to the hydrant.

At two o'clock on Sunday morning, the Keswick streams were again drenched with rain, and the fire was extinguished. The loss is estimated at \$2,000 and Haines only carried a small insurance.

PASSENGERS ARE BOTHERED

The inauguration of the C. P. R. summer time-table today occasioned bewilderment to many passengers who arrived to find their train far on its way.

CHEAPER CABLES NO NECESSITY

London, June 7.—The question of cheaper cable rates between the colonies and the Motherland, was debated with enthusiasm at the meeting of the Imperial Press Congress.

JUDGE WELLER DEAD

Peterboro, Ont., June 7.—(Special)—Charles Alexander Weller, county court judge at Peterboro, died at his residence here Saturday evening at the age of 79 years.

MISS ANGLIN IN TORONTO

Toronto, Ont., June 7.—(Special)—Miss Margaret Anglin, the Canadian actress, is in Toronto visiting her brother.

WELL KNOWN MAN DROWNED IN A LAKE NEAR McADAM

Arthur Moffat, an Employee of the C. P. R., Fell Out of Row Boat on Saturday and Was Drowned.

Word reached the city today from McAdam Junction of a drowning accident near there, on Saturday, that has cast a gloom over the place.

Arthur Moffat, an employee of the C. P. R., was drowned from a row boat in Waucesau Lake on Saturday evening.

The accident was a peculiar one, and it all happened so quickly that Moffat's companions in the boat were horror-stricken, but unable to help him.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES

St. Petersburg is on the eve of a new and serious epidemic of cholera, according to the published views of the chief sanitary physician of the city.

WILL TRY COLLINS ON WEDNESDAY MORNING

Case Was to Have Come Before Judge Forbes This Morning But Witnesses Were Not Present

BALL GAME TONIGHT

Marathons and Clippers Will Play Second Game of Series on Every Day Club Grounds

LATE LOCALS

A wire has been received from President Lithgow, of the P. A. A. A., that he will not be here for tonight's meeting.

PROBATE COURT

Judgment Delivered This Morning in the Case of the Estate of Emma Jones.

ST. JOHN MAN HONORED

The highest academic distinction which can fall to a student was awarded on Friday to F. Rutherford Barker, of St. John, N. B., a senior in Phillips Exeter Academy.

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