

THE WEATHER

Toronto, May 15.—Pressure is high from Manitoba to the Mississippi Valley, and lowest in the Pacific States. The weather has been fair today over the Dominion with a change to milder conditions in the west.

Victoria	48	60
Calgary	34	80
Edmonton	32	80
Prince Albert	32	80
Winnipeg	32	80
Parry Sound	34	64
Toronto	43	69
Ottawa	46	58
Montréal	50	62
Québec	50	64
Halifax	48	74

Maritime — Moderate south and southwest winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

Northern New England — Partly cloudy Monday; cooler in interior; Tuesday fair, fresh southwest and west winds.

AROUND THE CITY

FEDERAL PERMIT REFUSED. Word was received Saturday by J. Willard Smith that a federal permit for the storage of liquor here had been refused by the government.

CLEARED THEM OUT. Following an early morning fire Saturday, Chief Blake visited the back yards and alleys on King Square and had them all cleared out.

DOG LICENSES. Up to Saturday at noon there had been issued 380 dog licenses. This is far in excess of the number at the same date last year.

AUCTION SATURDAY. A summer house, leasehold, owned by John McDonald, at Baywater, partly furnished, was sold by Auctioneer Potts at Chubb's Corner, Saturday at noon. The property was knocked down to H. J. Gibbons for \$710.

WITHIN THE LAW. One of the prominent refreshment emporiums of the city, in order to keep open Sundays, now has a restaurant permit and is serving sandwiches and salads. It did a thriving business yesterday.

MANOEUVRES POSTPONED. Saturday's manoeuvres unfavorable to the display which was to have been given by No. 1 company of the 7th machine gun brigade and No. 8 company of the signal corps. The manoeuvres have been postponed for two weeks.

NO SETTLEMENT YET. A further conference was held at city hall on Saturday morning in connection with the Douglas Avenue paving matter, between the commissioners and P. W. Thomson, representing the Power Co. After the meeting, Mayor Schofield said he expected to present a report at the committee meeting this morning.

THEIR FIRST COMMUNION. In the Catholic Saturday morning, 130 girls and boys received their first Holy Communion. Rev. William Duke, who prepared the children for the reception of the sacrament, celebrated mass, and also spoke to them regarding the ceremony. There were a large number of people present at the mass. The children made a deeply impressive sight.

SETTLEMENT ARRIVED AT. It was announced Saturday by William M. Ryan, counsel for Mr. and Mrs. John Randon, that a George Morse had agreed to settle the claim for compensation for the death of their son, Charles Randal, who was killed in a dynamite accident at Newmarket about two weeks ago. The amount decided upon, Mr. Ryan said, was satisfactory to the rents.

CAB AND AUTO COLLIDE. The automobile of E. J. Terry, containing a party of gentlemen and operated by its owner, was smashed into by a cab at the intersection of Germain and King streets Saturday evening. Two of the plate glass windows of the car were smashed, one of the occupants cut by flying glass and the horses attached to the cab were badly injured by glass.

VITAL STATISTICS. Ten deaths were recorded in the city during the week ending Saturday from the following causes: Meningitis, pneumonia, drowning, malnutrition, heart disease, premature birth, cerebral hemorrhage, carcinoma of uterus, carcinoma of breast and cancerous degeneration of fibroid tumor.

Twelve marriages were performed in the city during the week. During the same period there were fourteen births, eighteen boys and six girls.

PAINFULLY INJURED. Miss Maebel Smith, daughter of William H. Sande, the experienced 260 Millidge Avenue suffered a painful, though fortunately not serious injury recently when she was knocked down by a motor car at the corner of Mill and Pond streets. Almost as soon as the accident occurred she was taken to a doctor where it was found that beyond being shaken and bruised, she was no worse for her experience. The young lady completely exonerated the driver of the car from all responsibility.

FESTIVAL OF WHIT-SUNDAY HONORED

The festival of Whitsunday was celebrated yesterday in the Anglican and Roman Catholic Churches. Whitsunday or Pentecost is commemorated the descent of the Holy Spirit as described in the second Chapter of Acts. The name "Whitsunday" is supposed to be derived from the white garments worn by those present for baptism for which outlandish Pentecost was regarded as an appropriate name.

Officers And Men On Church Parade

Crew of H. M. S. Valerian Heard Fine Sermon by Canon Kühring at Stone.

A large number of citizens were out yesterday morning and witnessed the church parade of officers and men from H.M.S. Valerian to St. John's (Stone) Church. The Naval men were headed by the Artillery Band (St. Mary's), who with their new instruments were highly complimented on the excellent music furnished. The tars presented a fine appearance and were accompanied on the march by His Worship Mayor Schofield, Commissioners Thornton and Jones, also R. E. Armstrong, president of the Navy League. The route of procession to the church was Prince William, Duke, Germain Street and Wellington Row, and returning to the ship, Wellington Row, Germain, King and Prince William Streets.

There was a very large attendance at St. John's Stone Church and a service, which was marked by heartiness of singing and splendid music by the choir, was held. In his address, Rev. Canon Kühring gave a warm greeting to the officers and men of H.M.S. Valerian saying that all who had been upon the sea themselves during the war and all who had loved ones at home felt deeply thankful to the Navy for protection. He had them an especial welcome to St. John's (Stone) Church. At first, Rev. Canon Kühring said, he thought of preaching a special sermon but later decided to embrace them in the church's family and speak to them upon the subject for the day "The Lesson of Whitsunday." In a short but powerful address, Canon Kühring then told of the circumstances surrounding the coming of the Holy Ghost to the disciples at Pentecost and drew lessons from this event.

Before service began, a short organ recital was given by Dr. Arnold Fox, organist of Stone Church, which was greatly appreciated. At the close of the service the National Anthem was sung and Rule Britannia played by Mr. Fox as a voluntary. The music was rendered by a large choir, including the offertory anthem, "Pilgrims of the Night," in which solos were sung by Mrs. G. K. Bell and Mrs. Harrison.

Impressive Service of Ordination

Two More Elders Added to Eldership of First Presbyterian Church, West St. John.

After the morning service in the First Presbyterian church, West St. John, Sunday, Walter B. Brown and John Montgomery were ordained to the eldership. After the sermon by the minister of the church, Rev. Dr. Morrison, these gentlemen, together with the church elders, were called to the Communion Table, and, after having taken upon themselves the vows, they were ordained by prayer and the laying on of hands after which they were given the right hand of fellowship by the Elders. They were then addressed by Rev. Dr. Morrison who explained to them the duties of their office.

Memorable Words

After pointing out to the newly ordained elders the duties pertaining to the office, Dr. Morrison concluded with the memorable words delivered by John Knox, the great Scottish reformer to the elders he had ordained in St. Giles, Edinburgh in the year 1562:

"Magnify God who, of His mercy hath called you to rule within His Church. Be faithful to your vocation. Show yourself zealous to promote virtue; fear not the faces of the wicked; but rebuke their wickedness. Be merciful to the poor and support them to the utmost of your power and so shall you receive the benediction of God in the present and in the life everlasting."

It was a beautiful service and a large congregation was present. This now gives the church five ruling elders as follows: James Scott, clerk of the session; J. R. Cameron, James McLeish, Walker B. Brown, John Montgomery.

Women's Rally Day At St. Philip's Church

Able Addresses by Rev. C. A. Stewart, Adjutant Usaki and Capt. Shepherd.

Yesterday was Women's Rally Day at St. Philip's Church of which Rev. C. A. Stewart is pastor. The morning service was conducted by the pastor, special music was rendered by the women's choir.

At two-thirty an address was given by (Mrs.) Adjutant Usaki who spoke upon the subject "Mary the sister of Lazarus" giving an excellent talk. Mrs. Jupon of the Salvation Army sang several solos. In the evening, before a large congregation, Captain Shepherd gave the address taking for his subject "Death" and drawing many helpful lessons from that Bible story. A doxology was sung by Miss Clara Sparks and Miss Marion Lane of the Salvation Army. The services all through the day were well attended, the music by the choir being greatly enjoyed. Many of the hymns and songs rendered dealt with the subjects, Home, and Mother.

Rector And Wife Honored Guests

Supper, Entertainment and Presentations by Bible Class of Stone Church.

In honor of Rev. Canon Kühring and Mrs. Kühring, the Bible Class of St. John's (Stone) Church with teachers and officers of the Sunday School gave a supper and entertainment in the school room on Saturday evening. The programme arranged was a most enjoyable one. Presentations were made to Rev. Canon Kühring, Mrs. Kühring and to Miss Sadler, a valued worker in the Sunday School.

Tables in the supper room were arranged in the form of a St. George's cross. Supper was served at 6.30. The table decorations were very attractive, pink roses being used as a centre piece while silver candlesticks held pink candles with a pretty effect. At each place was an uncompleted quotation by the matching of which partners were found for a guessing contest. Prizes in this contest were won by Miss Sadler and Miss Katie Bates; Canon Kühring and Mrs. Harrison being awarded the consolation prize.

Presentations

During the evening Rev. Canon Kühring was called to the platform where Kenneth Price, superintendent of the Sunday School, presented to him a small case containing a sum in gold. Mr. Kühring, in thanking those present for the gift, said the kind affection shown to him and his wife in St. John was always a happy memory to him. Miss Grace Estey, then presented to Mrs. Kühring, who has been the teacher of the Bible Class, a handsome silk umbrella. Mrs. G. K. Bell and Mrs. Harrison and a reading given by Miss Ethel McKinley. Those in charge of the evening's programme were Miss Grace Estey, Miss Annie Hipwell, Miss Burnham, Miss Anderson.

BOLD HOLD-UP IN FAIRVILLE STATION

Two Masked Men With Guns Forced Operator and Clerk to Give Them Money.

C. P. R. operator Charles J. Hazel and Purdy M. Coughlin, night clerk in the Fairville station were given a surprise late Friday night when two masked men with guns ordered them to throw up their hands, robbed the station till of \$15.75 and made their escape. The city, C. P. R. and Fairville police were notified and hunted the yards and surrounding country for several hours, but were unable to locate the culprits.

About the time of the hold-up a freight train was on the siding and the trainmen's lunches were stolen. One of the culprits was short, wore a black mask and pointed a short barreled shot gun, while his companion was tall, wore a white mask and was armed with a rifle.

Up to last night no clue had been learned regarding the identity of the men.

Employees Reply To N. B. Power Co.

Will Insist on a Renewal of Present Working Agreement—Their Ultimatum.

The executive of local union of Amalgamated Street Railway and Electric Workers met Friday noon to consider the letter addressed to them by the New Brunswick Power Company, which appeared in Friday morning's Standard, in reference to the cancellation of the working agreement now in force between the company and the union expiring on June 14th.

In reply to the Company's letter, one was drafted and mailed to the Company on Saturday. When called on the phone last night and asked if he had received a reply Saturday from the Company, General Manager Thomson replied he had not.

Want Renewal of Agreement.

The Standard is informed by an official of the union that in reply to the Company, the Union has sent a letter discussing various phases of the letter received. The most important feature set forth in the reply of the men is the wage scale and working conditions which they will insist upon having embodied in the 1921-22 working agreement. The wage scale and working conditions are the same as the employees are now working under, and the same which the company declares, in its letter addressed to the Union, it will not renew.

WILL HOLD INQUEST NEXT WEDNESDAY

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Half Dozen Auto Speeders Fined

Fines of Five Dollars Imposed in Fairville, Renforth and Brookville.

Six auto scooters were before magistrates' courts Friday after being reported by Constable Robert Crawford and his assistant for speeding. Fines of \$5 each were struck against the owner of cars Nos. 1148 and 328 by Magistrate Aillingham, Fairville. He also extracted \$10 from the owner of car No. 478.

Magistrate Dalton's sitting at Renforth cost the owners of cars Nos. 10939 and 11,914 five bucks each and Magistrate Adams of Brookville asked for a similar fee from the owner of car No. 3280. More speed artists are to walk the judicial plank today.

There was a number of motorists on the Roadway Road yesterday and the thoroughfare is reported to be in the condition. The majority of the drivers are giving safe and keeping their cars throttled down to within the limit of the law.

Ordination Service Held At Cathedral

Sacrament of Holy Orders Conferred on Three Young Men at Eleven O'clock.

The sacrament of holy orders was conferred upon the Reverend Roy M. McDonald, the Reverend J. Henry Milligan and the Reverend A. A. LeBlanc by the Bishop of St. John, the Right Reverend E. A. LeBlanc at a Pontifical High Mass in the Cathedral of St. John's Conception at 11 o'clock yesterday morning.

His Lordship Pontificated, and was assisted by the Rev. Louis Guertin, C. S. P. D., President of St. Joseph's Diocesan High School, Curate of Holy Trinity and Father Milligan was assisted by Father Oram, of the cathedral parish.

Reverend Father McDonald is a St. John boy, the son of John J. McDonald, district inspector of inland revenue, and of Mrs. McDonald, 216 King St. East. He is a graduate of the St. John High School and a graduate student from St. Joseph's University. He will celebrate his first mass in the Cathedral this morning at 9 o'clock.

Reverend Father Milligan of Milltown, N. B., was graduated in 1914 from St. Joseph's the same year as Father McDonald. He will celebrate his first mass in his home church, at Milltown, Tuesday morning.

LeBlanc is a native of Buctouche, N.B. and will celebrate his first Mass at Buctouche, Tuesday morning.

The three young men recently elevated to the dignity of the priesthood have just completed their courses in theology at the Seminary of the Holy Heart, conducted by the Parish Fathers at Halifax. They will be assigned to the St. John diocese.

Thousands Visit H. M. S. Valerian

Light Cruiser at Pettingill's Wharf Inspected by Many Visitors Yesterday.

H. M. S. Valerian, of the light cruiser squadron, under command of Capt. Hugh England arrived off the island at 12.45 Saturday, and later came up the harbor docked at Pettingill's wharf at 2 o'clock. She was met by Mayor Schofield, City Commissioners, representatives of Board of Trade and Capt. Mulochy. They extended to the officers and crew the freedom of the city while here.

The Valerian is a small cruiser of 400 tons and carries a complement of 104 officers and men.

She was inspected by a party of inspection and thousands of visitors swarmed over the decks inspecting guns, engine room, and crew's apartments. The visitors were at liberty to roam wherever they would and take themselves of the opportunity of thoroughly inspecting the ship.

The Valerian is out on a two-year's commission and left the home port in January. It came from Bermuda to St. John and will proceed to Halifax after a stay of three days at this port.

While in port the ship will be open to visitors from one to four o'clock each afternoon.

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MARTIN HARVEY IN GARRICK TONIGHT.

There are still choice locations in all parts of Imperial Theatre for the Martin Harvey premiere tonight as well as seats for the repeat performance of "Garrick" tomorrow evening and "The Burgomaster of Stillmonde" Wednesday afternoon and evening, all of which are reserved. The curtain will rise this evening at 8.15. Carriages may be called for 19.15. Sir John Martin Harvey and company of twenty-seven ladies and gentlemen arrive by the Montreal train at noon and have been located at various hotels. Sir John has his suite at the Royal. As there is a special musical programme preceding the play conducted by musical director Hudson of the company it is advisable that the seating of the house be earlier than usual.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Patchell will be at home to their friends at 88 Stanley street on the occasion of the 50th anniversary of their marriage on Tuesday, May 17, afternoon and evening.

CLIFTON HOUSE, ALL MEALS 60C.

LOYALIST DAY DANCE AND BRIDGE

Tickets for the dance and bridge at the Armories, May 18th, to be held under the auspices of the Fundy Chapter, I. O. O. F., and First Contingent C.E.F., may be obtained from members of the above and at Watmore's Drug store, corner Carmarthen and Queen streets; Bolt's Drug store, corner Charlotte and St. James streets; Dick's Drug store, corner Duke and Charlotte street, Phonicraph Salon and Imperial Pharmacy, King Square, and 5malls.

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