

EDMONTON NEWS

WEATHER REPORT FOR MAY.

Highest maximum, 81 degrees on 24th. Lowest minimum, 14 degrees on 1st. Mean temperature for month, 51.3. Precipitation, 1.20 inches. Hours of bright sunshine, 242.4.

NEW RECORD ON ST. RAILWAY.

The number of passengers carried on the Edmonton Radial railway in May was 292,714, and the revenue \$12,865.65. This is the biggest month in the history of the operation, the passengers being about 15,000 in excess of April, which was the largest previously.

EAST END RAILWAY EXTENSION.

Commissioner Beaulieu is now engaged in rushing ahead as fast as possible the work for the street railway extension to the Exhibition Park. Tenders have been let for the street rails to the Algoma Steel Company, and the plans for the extension are now being prepared.

HOSPITAL UNDER QUARANTINE.

The general hospital was placed under quarantine for smallpox Tuesday afternoon, and the patients were vaccinated Wednesday and the whole institution disinfected. The disease was brought into the city by a negro. This man was confined in the isolation hospital under a diagnosis of measles. He died some days ago. Following his death one of the nurses at the hospital developed smallpox and was placed in the smallpox ward. There was another patient in the isolation hospital during the time the negro was confined there. This patient had measles. He recovered and was discharged. A few days later he became ill and went to the general hospital, his physician thinking that he was developing typhoid fever. He, however, developed smallpox. Neither he nor the nurse are seriously ill, the type of the disease being very mild.

RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE.

At the annual meeting of the St. Jean Baptiste Society on the 29th ult. the following resolution of condolence was passed: 'The members of L'Association St. Jean-Baptiste d'Edmonton, assembled at their annual meeting, being gratified by expressing their deep sorrow at the death of our lamented Sovereign, His Majesty King Edward the Seventh, convey to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada, the expression of their most respectful sympathies, and at the same time, wish to assure His Excellency of their sincere affection and loyalty to His Majesty George the Fifth.' The resolution was forwarded to the Lieutenant Governor.

CHANGES IN C. N. R. SERVICE.

Further details of the changes coming into effect on the C. N. R. system on June 5 are now to hand. Owing to the very large passenger traffic that the company has now to handle throughout the West, the services have been very much improved. The Alberta express will leave Winnipeg at 2:15 K., arriving in Edmonton at 10:15 K., and returning leave Edmonton at 10:40 K., returning leave Winnipeg at 11:30 K., arriving in Edmonton at 11:40 K. Connections will be made at Warman both east and westbound to and from all points on the Regina-Prince Albert line and the Saskatoon-Kinderley extension. On the two branches north and west from Edmonton the train service will remain as at present, leaving Edmonton for Stony Plain at 8:30, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, arriving Stony Plain 10K, and returning leave Stony Plain 14K, arriving Edmonton 15:30K, and on Monday, Wednesday and Friday leaving Edmonton 9K, arriving Morinville 10:40K, returning leave Morinville 13:30K, arriving Edmonton 15:30 same day.

STATISTICS FOR MAY.

Statistics for the month of May, 1910, show that Edmonton continues to make substantial progress. The customs house returns for May, 1910, are \$24,179.65, as compared to \$19,123.87 for May of the preceding year. April, 1910, has been the record month so far, the returns being \$27,513.35. There is also a large increase in the bank clearings for the month over those of last year. The clearings for May, 1910, amounted to \$5,268,876, those for May, 1909, being \$3,794,559. 'It cured me,' or 'it saved the life of my child,' are the expressions you hear every day about Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. This is true the world over where this valuable remedy has been introduced. No other medicine in use for cholera has general approval. The secret of the success of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is that it cures. Sold by all druggists.

MAY IN POLICE COURT.

During the month of May there were 98 cases before Magistrate Cowan in the police court. The offences which they were charged were as follows: Creating disturbance, 52; Exhibiting stud horses, 2; Leaving horse unattended, 10; Non-payment of license, 1; Non-payment scavenger's license, 2; Overcrowding wagons, 2; Riding bicycle on sidewalk, 7; Setting off fireworks in class limits, 5.

Cases Under Criminal Code.

Assault, 1; False pretences, 2; Non-payment of wages, 2; Theft, 5.

The following amounts were paid to the general treasurer:

Fines, \$44.00; Licenses, \$36.55; Dog tags, \$121.40.

LURED TO HAWAII ISLANDS.

Russians Claim They Are Being Maltreated in Plantations. Honolulu, June 2.—As a result of complaints by Russians, imported from Siberia to work on the sugar plantations, that they had been lured to the islands by false representations and since their arrival had been maltreated by the police because they refused to work, U. S. Attorney R. E. Beckens has been instructed from Washington to make an investigation. The Federal Grand Jury recently made an investigation of the charges of ill treatment made by the immigrants and decided there was no truth in the complaints. The Russians, who counselled their followers not to work, are serving sentences for vagrancy. Nearly all the other Russians have accepted work on the plantations.

DENTISTS ARE HANDICAPPED.

In Securing Stimulants in Local Option Districts. Toronto, June 3.—An important recommendation will be presented to the provincial assembly at the next session of the legislature with reference to the liquor law as applying to dentists. As the legislation stands now dentists desiring whisky for use in practice are handicapped. Patients cannot, on their own prescription, obtain whisky from druggists, and the process of procuring licensed liquor dealers in local option districts is particularly difficult for dentists to get the stimulants. The Dental Association of Ontario recommends that the provincial secretary be asked for a change in the liquor law, so that dentists may buy liquor from druggists. Officers elected by the Canadian Dental Association are: President, Dr. W. D. Cowan, Regina; Secretary, Dr. F. F. Booth, Winnipeg; Treasurer, Dr. Barbour, Fredericton, N.B.; Vice-presidents, Dr. R. H. Abbott, London, Ont.; Dr. W. D. Cowan, Regina.

Need Canadian Commission House.

Ottawa, Ont., June 1.—Mr. Pasette, trade commissioner at Durban, calls attention to the fact that Canadian manufacturers have to depend upon New York commission houses for their orders from South Africa. He says that if there was a commission house in Canada to whom buying orders could be given that Canadian exports to South Africa would largely increase. Again Postponed. Ottawa, May 31.—The postponed meeting of the Hudson Bay and Jasper Grand Jurors will be postponed again indefinitely, as the injunction secured recently by Ralph Jones was extended on May 21st for a further period of three weeks, and a meeting cannot be held until the expiration of the injunction.

BOODLER WHO COULDN'T LIE.

He Took Booze Money Because It Was a General Custom. Iuka, Miss., June 2.—'I'd rather be known as a boodler than a liar,' said State Senator Daniel Heister in an interview at his home today, speaking of the period of three weeks, and a meeting cannot be held until the expiration of the injunction. Boodler who couldn't lie. He Took Booze Money Because It Was a General Custom. Iuka, Miss., June 2.—'I'd rather be known as a boodler than a liar,' said State Senator Daniel Heister in an interview at his home today, speaking of the period of three weeks, and a meeting cannot be held until the expiration of the injunction.

Oil Monopoly in Russia.

St. Petersburg, June 2.—An oil trust, which monopolizes the sale of petroleum products in Russia, is being formed at Baku. The producers propose to operate in the guise of a selling agency which will be utilized with a syndicate of oil tank and shipping concerns.

CROP CONDITIONS ARE EXTREMELY PROMISING.

Winnipeg, June 3.—The crop is all run to seed, 'said one of the biggest grain growers in the west this morning, and he added that with warm weather from now on conditions would be particularly promising. It was a good deal milder in Manitoba and Saskatchewan in some parts of Saskatchewan. Rain fell almost everywhere with some snow. Temperatures are rising and prospects are for more settled and temperate weather. While there has been no general prospect of a good ground the last fortnight, the wheat plant has stood out, and is unusually sturdy. Dew is welcome and should be rapid from now on.

RILEY RESIGNS HIS SEAT IN LEGISLATURE

Member for Gleichen Criticizes His Honor's Action in Propagating Legislation Without Giving Members Opportunity to Discuss the Matter. Calgary, June 3.—Political conditions here are again upset by the resignation of E. H. Riley, one of the ablest of the intransigent Liberal members of the administration as a protest against the ignoring of Hon. W. H. Cushing in the formation of the new government. In a letter to his constituents Riley says that from the time the legislature met he had been a member of a judicial committee to investigate the Waterways contract and the house adjourned, certain influences began to work with a view of frustrating the will of the people, and it will be an everlasting stain to the province and to the last day of the legislature.

EMINENT COUNSEL IN C.P.R. TAXATION CASE

Two Greatest Lawyers in Great Britain Will Argue the Case Before Privy Council. Special Bulletin Cable. London, June 3.—Two of the most eminent counsel in Great Britain will be engaged in the argument of the C. P. R. land taxation case before the privy council in the capital of the empire. The province of Alberta has retained Sir Edward Henry Carson, member of the British House of Commons for Dublin university since 1892 and solicitor general for the United Kingdom from 1906 to 1908, to present its appeal, and the Canadian Pacific Railway company have engaged Sir Robert Finlay, M.P. and former attorney general of the United Kingdom to act as their representative. Sir Edward Carson, who will be assisted by Sidney B. Woods, deputy attorney general of Alberta, in this case, in which approximately \$26,000,000 are at stake, was created a knight in 1905. He has represented the constituency of Dublin university in the British House of Commons continuously since 1892. He is a King's counsel, a member of King's Inn, Dublin, and a member of the Middle Temple. He was appointed solicitor general for Ireland in 1892 and from 1900 to 1906 was solicitor general for the United Kingdom in the Balfour cabinet. Sir Edward was born in 1854, and was educated at Trinity college, Dublin. He resides at 5 Eaton place, Rottingdean. Sir Robert Bannatyne Finlay, G.C.M.G., privy councillor, K.C., L.D., and G.L., was born July 11th, 1842, at Edinburgh. He was educated at Edinburgh academy and university and graduating in medicine and law was called to the bar in 1867. He is a member of the Middle Temple. From 1870 to 1876 he was solicitor general of the United Kingdom and from 1900 to 1906, attorney general. He retired from the House of Commons in 1906, but has since been re-elected. The argument in the C. P. R. land taxation case will not be held until the end of this month.

FIFTY MEMBERS WEST OF LAKES

This is the Prediction of Saskatchewan Member at Ottawa. Ottawa, June 2.—J. G. Turiff, M.P., who is here from Western Canada, thinks that after Canada's next census is taken, which will be next year, there will be fifty members of parliament from west of the Great Lakes in the House, instead of thirty-five as in the present parliament. He has a year from the great inrush from the United States, saying the Americans are just as contented as agriculturists and farmers and have realized that they, being experienced agriculturists, had taught Canadians in the west methods by which they were cultivating five hundred or six hundred acres of land where otherwise they would be cultivating but one hundred or two hundred.

ALMOST PANIC ON WALL STREET.

Government's Action in Restraining Foreigners Retards the Cases. New York, June 1.—Conditions closely approaching a panic were reported on Wall Street today, by the public, alarmed by the government's action restraining foreigners from selling stocks on the market, content to take the first price offered. In the first half hour of the session St. Paul sold of 1 1/2 points to the new record of 129 1/4, nearly ten points under the highest price yesterday. Settlers was down 2 points. The strongest of the issues was steel which lost one and three-quarters points.

MADAME ALEXANDER'S CLUB

Head of Alleged Questionable Resort Frequently by Cabinet Ministers. Arrested. Winnipeg, Man., June 1.—Madame Alexander, who made a visit to Minneapolis some three months ago and who was today fined \$50, was arrested by the police at the instigation of the institute at Raleigh, North Carolina, which she was given to by ministers of the crown in the provinces, was today fined \$50, and costs under a charge of vagrancy. The information read that she had kept a house to aid prostitution. G. H. Hallifax, N. S., June 1.—As was anticipated, the election of a new moderator at the general assembly resulted in the choice of Principal Forrest, of Dalhousie University. The name of Principal Forrest was introduced by Principal Patrick, of Winnipeg, and Lieutenant-Governor Fraser of Halifax.

Body of Unknown Man Found.

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CAPTAIN SCOTT LEAVES FOR THE SOUTH POLE

London, June 1.—The British Antarctic expedition set sail today. Captain Scott has announced December 1911 as the date for his arrival at the south pole. The Terra Nova sailed this evening from the Thames for Cardiff. Thence, after coaling, she will proceed to New Zealand, where Captain Scott will come aboard. The 10,000 mile voyage into the Antarctic will then be continued. Captain Scott and Lieut. E. R. Evans, second in command, claim that they have the best equipped expedition that has started on a polar search.

Fire Losses for May.

Toronto, June 2.—The Monetary Times estimate of Canada's fire losses for May is \$2,735,536, a decrease of \$622,540 from the same month last year and an increase of \$1,018,299 over the previous month.

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Edmonton Penitentiary Being Tried on Charge of Complicity. Calgary, who is acting in conjunction with E. B. Cogswell for the purpose of the defence is sworn in. The jury was sworn at 10 o'clock this morning. The jurors chosen were: H. H. Robertson, J. D. W. Johnson and T. Hutchings. Mr. Cogswell was sworn in. The jury was sworn in connection with the case of Joseph A. Hindahl, who had been murdered in Alberta, on March 10th, and formerly in different United States and came to Alberta, on March 10th, and was taken to the home of Hindahl and King in the town of Ponoka, occupied by a friend, Sw. Borg. Hindahl was seen at one time he had lived a period of three weeks in the home of Hindahl to identify photographs would be produced by the coroner. In the fall of 1906 Hindahl and King were in the Bopps. Early in 1908 he had taken a street west of Ponoka, occupied by a friend, Sw. Borg. 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