

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Fresh southerly and easterly winds, occasional showers and local thunderstorms.

Toronto, July 21.—Heavy local thunderstorms are occurring this evening in Ontario and there have been some light local showers in Southern Alberta and Saskatchewan, but elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fine and warm.

New England Forecast. Washington, July 21.—Forecast for New England: Partly cloudy, south, showers in northern portions Friday; Saturday fair, not much change in temperature; moderate south-west winds.

AROUND THE CITY

Recaptured Yesterday. The man who escaped from the Provincial Hospital on Wednesday evening was recaptured in Carleton yesterday. He was taken back to the hospital and turned over to his brother, who took him to his home in Westfield.

Carmerthen St. S. S. picnic. The above picnic will be held at Westfield Beach (Saturday) 23rd. Trains leave Union station 9.15 a.m., and 1.10 p.m. Tickets, adults 40c, children 25c. This will be a good opportunity to see the motor and sailing races at Westfield on the above date.

An Exciting Runaway. A runaway which caused a lot of excitement and which might have resulted in a serious accident occurred on Dorchester street about 9 o'clock last night. A horse owned by Peter Dolan while standing on Dorchester street suddenly became frightened and dashed away at a breakneck speed. In turning the corner of Union street the frightened animal fell to the street with a crash, but before it could be caught, regained its feet and dashed madly down Union street, colliding with a telegraph pole in front of O'Brien's saloon. The carriage was badly damaged while the horse received several painful cuts.

The Ludlow in Great Trim. Spick and span, fresh from the repair shop, and looking like a new boat, the ferry steamer Ludlow returned to the route yesterday. The Ludlow was off for 31 days and that time a great change has been made in her. The principal change is in the wet of the cabins which formerly projected to such an extent that there was often danger of them striking the piles at the entrance to the ferry slips. These have been shortened and rounded so as to remove any danger of this sort. The boat has been cleaned and repainted from stem to stern and presents a very creditable appearance. The boat davits have been brought in closer and other improvements made. Passengers on the ferry yesterday were unanimously of the opinion that the Ludlow never looked better than at the present time. She is a credit to the city and to the energetic superintendent of the ferry service.

TO HELP METHODISTS AT CAMPBELLTON. Special Committee of Conference Promises Assistance—Congratulations Extended to Alex. Gibson on 91st Birthday.

At a meeting of the special committee of the New Brunswick and P. E. Island conference of the Methodist church held here yesterday in the parlors of Centenary church, and called to consider the case of the Methodist congregation of Campbellton, whose church and parsonage were destroyed in the recent fire, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:—

"Resolved: That we, the members of the Conference Special Committee, desiring to console the members and adherents of the Methodist church of Campbellton, the expression of sincere and sympathetic sorrow on the occasion of the calamity which has come upon them in the destruction of their homes and church.

"That we hereby put on record our unflinching confidence in the faith and loyalty of our people in this time of their sore trial and our full expectation that they will stand true to each other, and faithfully guard the sacred interests of the Methodist church, which they and their fathers have loved and served for so many devoted years.

"That we beg to assure them of our determination to take immediate steps toward rendering them such practical assistance as may enable them to provide for themselves suitable buildings for the re-establishment and maintenance of the services of the church in Campbellton."

Congratulations to Mr. Gibson. The committee also unanimously adopted a resolution placing on record their appreciation of Alexander Gibson of Marysville, and congratulating him on the near approach of his ninety-first birthday.

The resolution follows:— "Whereas, we have become cognizant of the fact that on the first of August next, Alexander Gibson, Esq., of Marysville will celebrate his ninety-first birthday.

"Therefore resolved, That we desire to put on record our high appreciation of the ability and character of our friend and brother, our admiration for the public spirit and laudable enterprise which have marked his career as a successful business man, and our sense of the most generous and devoted service he has rendered the Church of Christ for many years.

"That we hereby extend to him our hearty congratulations on his signal attainment of a 'good old age,' and beg him to accept our warmest good wishes for his continued health and happiness. We earnestly pray that the blessing of Heaven may ever rest richly upon him in the guidance and comfort of that Good Shepherd, who leads by the side of still waters and through the green pastures."

THREE YEAR OLD GIRL WAS TERRIBLY BURNED

Annie Davis of Clarence Street Ignited Her Clothes While Playing With Matches --- Neighbor Saved Her Life.

While playing with matches yesterday afternoon, three year old Annie Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Davis, 9 Clarence street, ignited her clothing, and before her cries for help were heard, she was almost fatally burned.

The little tot was playing alone in a back room when suddenly her pitiful frightened cries were heard. Rushing into the room she was found lying upon the floor practically enveloped in flames.

Wm. Stewart, who happened to be near and who heard the cries for help, rushed into the building and gallantly removed the suffering child's clothing, which undoubtedly saved her life.

Mr. Stewart's hands were badly burned. Dr. S. H. McDonald was summoned and rendered all possible aid. After which the child was removed in the ambulance to the general public hospital. Although the burns are not considered serious, it is feared that the nervous shock sustained by the little girl who was not very strong, may prove fatal.

SENATOR KING LOOKS FOR GREAT HAY CROP

He Says He Expects New Brunswick Will Surpass Itself in Its Hay Production This Year.

"It's a good day for making hay," said Senator King yesterday as a reporter approached him in the lobby of the Royal Hotel. "The hay crop is in fine shape, and I believe that over the province it is going to be the heaviest ever known. In some districts, owing to the wet, cold weather this spring, other crops are a little backward, but I think they will come on all right. So far as I hear the indications are that the farmers generally will have a prosperous year.

"Chipman," he said, "is getting up quite a subscription for the Campbellton fire sufferers. About \$300 has been realized so far I believe, which is not bad for a small village."

CITY EMPLOYEES START SHORT-LIVED STRIKE

Men on the Pipe Line Demand 25 Cents a Day Extra--- Nothing Doing They Resume Work.

Early yesterday morning City Engineer Murdoch received a telephone message from the men employed on No. 2 section of the water extension, about forty in number, informing him that they would not continue working for \$1.50 per day, and demanding an increase of 25 cents. In reply to this demand Mr. Murdoch said he had no authority to raise their wages and could not consider their request. Their demand, it is said, was stimulated by a desire to go haymaking.

After a time they decided not to change their occupation if they could help it, and at 9 a. m. H. Phillips, caretaker at Little River was commissioned to wait upon Mr. Murdoch as an emissary of peace, conveying the request of the men to be allowed to return to work at the old rate of wages. The city engineer was quite agreeable and let it go at that.

MARITIME MEDICOS FINISH BUSINESS

Officers Elected Yesterday Morning and Annual Meeting of Maritime Medical Association Closed in Afternoon.

The 19th annual meeting of the Maritime Medical Association, which opened here Wednesday morning, was brought to a close yesterday afternoon. The meeting was conceded to be the most successful and profitable ever held by the association.

The morning's session opened at 9.30. The first business taken up was the report of the nominating committee, Dr. Ross, of Halifax, on behalf of the committee, put the following names in nomination: President—Dr. E. A. Kirkpatrick, Halifax.

Vice-President for Nova Scotia—Dr. G. E. DeWitt, Wolfville. Vice-President for New Brunswick—Dr. G. G. Melvin, St. John. Vice-President for P. E. Island—Dr. H. E. McEwan, O'Leary. Treasurer—Dr. G. G. Corbet, St. John. Secretary—Dr. D. C. T. Watson, Halifax.

By a unanimous vote the officers for the coming year were elected as above.

Dr. A. G. Ferguson, of Dalhousie, then moved that the association consider a motion, notice of which was given at the last annual meeting, providing for a change in the constitution, to the effect that the association should meet every fifth year in Prince Edward Island, and the intervening years in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia alternately. At present the as-

TWO ST. JOHN MEN WERE NEARLY DROWNED

Fred Peterson and George Burnett of West End Had Narrow Escape in Canoeing Accident at Montreal.

News reached the city yesterday to the effect that George Burnett and Fred Peterson both of St. John, West, narrowly escaped drowning in the river at Point St. Charles, Montreal, on Wednesday afternoon. Both men were in a canoe about 200 yards from the shore, when a choppy sea suddenly capsized the little craft, and both men were hurled into the water. Peterson was unable to swim a stroke, and only the heroism of Burnett who bravely clung to his friend prevented a fatal drowning. Peterson had arisen to the surface for the third time and was just about to disappear when Burnett reaching him just in time seized him by the hair, and held him above the water until assistance arrived from the shore. Peterson was unconscious when brought to the shore and was removed to the hospital, where he quickly recovered, and is none the worse for his mishap.

TEMPERANCE MAN WHO RAN FOR GOVERNOR

E. L. G. Hohenthal, Elected Most Worthy Associate of Sons of Temperance, Was a Gubernatorial Candidate.

E. L. G. Hohenthal of Manchester, Connecticut, who was yesterday elected Most Worthy Associate of the National Division of the Sons of Temperance, is one of the most prominent men in the prohibition movement of the New England States.

He is chairman of the Prohibition State Committee of Connecticut, and during the session of the General Assembly in 1909 he represented the prohibition party at the State House until adjournment. In 1908 he was a candidate for Congress on the prohibition ticket of his state, and came within a few votes of winning the election. He was also the prohibition candidate for governor of the State of Connecticut.

Active, aggressive, public spirited, and a determined opponent of the liquor traffic, he commands the respect of the liquor men for his fearless advocacy and honesty of purpose. A characteristic incident and testimonial of his ability was shown when Brewer N. W. Kendall who has represented the liquor interests at the State Capitol, stated in the presence of others, that he would be willing to hire him for his brewery, as he had the qualifications necessary to fill the needs in the brewing business.

NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY OUTING

Pleasant Field Excursion to Kennebecasis Island Yesterday Afternoon -- About 40 Members Were Present.

About forty members of the Natural History Association attended the field meeting at Mrs. Grannans, Kennebecasis Island yesterday afternoon. Dr. G. F. Matthews was in charge of the expedition which left in busses from Scott's Corner, Main street at 1.15 o'clock. Arriving at Millidgeville they boarded the S. S. Maggie Miller which took them to the island.

Tramping to the home of their hostess, Mrs. Grannan, they reassembled and spent a busy afternoon, in the study of ground, hitherto unfamiliar to the majority of the excursionists. Their researches extended chiefly through the district west of Mrs. Grannan's home.

Toward 5 o'clock the party returned to the residence of the hostess, where the leaders in each branch of the work gave short talks about their "finds." Dr. Matthew dealt with the geology of the island, Wm. McIntosh with the trees and plants in the neighborhood and the president, Senator Ellis, with rocks and stone formation of the locality. Senator Ellis concluded his address by asking for a vote of thanks to Mrs. Grannan for her kindness in extending to them the invitation to meet at her home.

A lunch was served on the veranda of the house, after which the return trip was made in the Miller, reaching the city again about 7 p. m.

Mr. McIntosh reported a very large quantity of poison ivy on the island. The island itself is composed largely of slate and volcanic rock.

Association meets in each province in rotation. At the afternoon session Dr. Archibald, of Montreal, was present, and delivered an address. He referred to the convention of the Canadian Medical Association in Montreal next summer, and said that he hoped that as large a delegation as possible would be in attendance from the Maritime Provinces.

Several interesting papers on various medical subjects were read, after which the session was adjourned. The meeting next summer will be held in Halifax during the month of July.

A Concert at Seaside.

The City Cornet Band will give a concert at Seaside Park tomorrow afternoon.

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