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THE WEATHER

Forecasts—Strong westerly and northwesterly winds, fair and becoming much colder. Saturday, westerly winds fine and cold.

Synopsis—The weather is moderating again in the western provinces. The temperature is below zero this morning throughout Ontario and Quebec. To Banks and American ports, strong westerly and northwesterly winds. Sable Island, southwest wind, 12 miles, cloudy. Point Lepreaux, northwest wind, 28 miles at 11 a. m.

Highest temperature during last 24 hours, 42.

Lowest temperature during last 24 hours, 4.

Temperature at noon, 6.

LOCAL NEWS.

An epidemic of measles prevails at Milltown, and the attendance at the schools has been materially lessened in consequence. In one department with forty-seven pupils enrolled, only ten were able to be present on Friday last and in another only twenty-nine out of a possible sixty appeared.

The latest story of great work accomplished in a lath mill comes from out in Charlotte. On Friday last, at the Hanson mill, Wiley's crew turned out 36000 laths, after contending with a "break-down" of two and a half hours caused by a broken pulley. They claim an average output of 39000 a day for the last two months.—Courier.

The pretty cottage on Prince William street erected last summer by G. W. Daniel, has been purchased by Fred S. Hutchinson. Mr. Daniel came here as manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, but has had to relinquish his position on account of ill health and is to return to Toronto. The departure of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel will be greatly regretted. Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson are generally congratulated on securing so desirable a home.—Courier.

Last evening the members of St. George Division, S. of T., enjoyed a sleigh drive to Lancaster Heights, where they were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Damery. The occasion was the celebrating of Mrs. Damery's anniversary of her birth. During the evening D. C. Fisher on behalf of those present, presented to Mrs. Damery a handsome parlor lamp. Refreshments were served.

The western fever has broken out again and from various sections of the city word comes of intending departures immediately the weather shows permanent signs of breaking up. Several clerks in a large mercantile house are leaving shortly, a couple to proceed directly to the Pacific coast. It is tated a western employment agent arranged for some of these new positions when here a few months ago. An Indiantown resident is going to take his wife and four children to the prairies with him, where he and his two grown sons are assured of plenty of work.

ART UNION PRIZES ARE ON EXHIBITION HERE

St. John Men Lucky in the Drawings—A Group of Valuable Works.

Picture lovers will be well repaid by a visit to Messrs. Holmans' on King street in whose windows the prizes recently drawn by St. John subscribers to the Art Union of London are on exhibition. There are some sixteen articles and all are gems in their way. There are very handsome water color paintings for Messrs. C. H. Peters, F. A. Jones, Dr. Maher and the Union Club, large Doulton ware vases, each two or three feet high, for Major Baxter, C. H. Peters, H. D. Troop, and H. Calder, Fredericton, a bronze statuette also for Mr. Peters, an electro silver bas relief for Mr. McGaffigan, and five portfolios of etchings for Messrs. G. A. Beattie, A. M. Irvine, C. H. Peters, H. D. Troop and Lt. Col. Sturdee. There is also a water color for a few year's accumulations of Mr Troops', and which is by Pinhorn Wood, the artists of the remainder are such well known names as W. P. Watson, R. B. A., Miss Hagarty, and others. The whole make a fine collection and are well worth a visit. There is also shown the picture for the year, which is presented to each subscriber by the Art Union. It is called Day Dreams and is a amost fascinating work, a child with a dog on her lap. It is engraved in mezzotint by E. M. Hester after the original oil panting by W. R. Symonds, exhibited at the Royal Academy in 1904, and at the next drawing in April this painting valued at two hundred guineas or $1,000, will be the first prize open to all subscribers. Mr. E. T. Sturdee is the hon. agent in St. John.

DOUGLAS AVENUE CHANGES.

Demand for Property, Land and Apartments on This Swell North End Thoroughfare.

The transfer of the Henry Niles house on Douglas avenue to Fred D. Miles, the tugboat company manager, is quite an important change. The building is a beautifully situated one and exceedingly commodious. It is understood that Mr. Miles will make some slight changes in its interior arrangements. Mr. Niles, who lives a retired life, has arranged to take up his residence in Lancaster, where several handsome new houses are in course of construction.

Douglas avenue is becoming more desired than ever as a residental locality. The beautiful new houses built last year have done much towards filling in the vacant lots which punctuated the long rows of dwellings and what land remains to be sold has become very much more valuable in consequence.

Among those who will take up their residence on the avenue after May 1st are Gilbert C. Jordan, R. S. Orchard and Archibald Tapley, jr.

DEATH BY DROWNING, CHAS. McGINN'S FATE

Fell Into the Harbor Early This Morning

While at Work at the I. C. R. Pier—Body Has Not Yet Been Recovered.

Death by drowning in the cold waters of the harbor at 3.45 o'clock this morning, was the fate of Charles McGinn, of the West End, who was employed doing 'longshore work on the Head Line steamer Bengore Head, lying at the I. C. R. pier discharging her cargo.

Mr. McGinn was on a scow which was stationed on the port side of the steamer. No one saw the accident occur but it is generally supposed that McGinn stepped off the scow backwards into the water. It was known a minute or two later that he had fallen overboard as several men who were working nearby missed him. The alarm "man overboard" was soon raised and a number of men rushed to the scow on which McGinn had been working.

In the darkness nothing could be seen and it become apparent that the unfortunate man had gone to a watery grave. The Bengore Head was to move to the Pettingill wharf on the east side of the harbor as soon as daylight came, and it was thought by the 'longshoremen present that grappling for the body could be commenced as soon as the Head Line steamer moved out. The Bengore Head, however, had scarcely left the wharf when the Allan Line steamer Pretorian from Liverpool steamed up the harbor and took the Bengore Head's place at the pier.

At six o'clock the night crew of the Head Line went to their homes and nothing had been done towards recovering the body. None of the day crew knew anything of the accident until well on in the morning when the news spread.

At 10.30 o'clock three 'longshoremen procured a row boat and commenced grappling for the body. It is believed that they will be unsuccessful in their efforts, as it is quite probable that the body is beneath the Pretorian. Several scows which were placed alonside the Allan liner were ordered to be removed by Capt. McGiffin and the grappliers were given every opportunity to work.

Mr. McGinn was only nineteen years of age. He was highly respected by all who knew him. A sorrowing wife survives. Mr. McGinn was married in May last.

At noon the men who were grappling had not been successful in locating the body. They suspended work and will likely commence again this afternoon.

JAPANESE TEA IN ST. DAVID'S TOMORROW

Promises to be a Most Enjoyable Affair—All Attendants to Wear Japanese Costumes

What promises to be one of the most enjoyable entertainments of the season is the Japanese tea to be given in St. David's school room tomorrow afternoon. It will be in charge of the free kindergarten committee and will be held from four till six o'clock. Mrs. W. Frank Hatheway is superintending arrangements and nothing has been left undone to make it a success. At four o'clock there will be a demonstration of kindergarten work by a class from the Waterloo street school. This will be followed by a short musical programme. Tea will be served and candy sold. All the attendants will wear Japanese costumes and the decorations will be the same style. In addition to the members of the committee, there will be present the teachers of the different kindergartens with their assistants and a number of St. John young ladies who help with the school work in the mornings.

THE PRETORIAN DOCKED EARLY THIS MORNING

Brought Only a Few Passengers to St. John—Steamer Encountered Heavy Weather

The Allan line steamship Pretorian arrived in port at an early hour this morning. She docked at the I. C. R. pier at 7.35 o'clock. The Pretorian sailed from Liverpool for Halifax on Feb. 7th. She arrived at Halifax on the 18th. Captain Edward Outram reports having had a rough passage from Liverpool to Halifax. She landed forty-three second cabin passengers and about 150 steerage passengers at Halifax. Six second class passengers and eighteen steerage were brought here. The second cabin party is composed of Mrs. L. Ambrose, Mrs. Lucy Armstrong, John Daly, Harry Dennis, Robert Black and Mrs. Fatt.

The officers of the Pretorian this year are: D. Mowatt, chief officer; Dr. R. E. Knowles, surgeon; James Barclay, purser; K. McKenuzie, chief engineer, P. MacMaster, chief stewart; Mrs. Ford stewardess.

William Mitchell, a member of the crew of the Parisian, while getting out running gear on board the steamer this morning had a thumb very badly crushed. Dr. W. F. Roberts rendered the necessary surgical attention.

Three rinks of St. Andrew's club curlers left at noon today to play Hampton. The skips are H. G. McBeath, H. B. Robinson and W. Humphreys.

NEW N. E. BANK READY BY APRIL 1st.

Handsomest Structure in the North End.

Charlotte Street Branch of the Same Institution to be Commenced Soon.

The new Bank of New Brunswick branch opposite Douglas Ave., Main street, will be ready for occupancy about April first. The interior work is being rapidly completed by Contractor A. Dodge's men.

By long odds this new building will be the handsomest and most modern in the northern section of the city. Its architectural beauty will enhance the appearance of that busy junction-spot, and its only rival in all North End is the new Dufferin School on Elm street.

The Bank of New Brunswick's proposed new branch on Charlotte street will be started in a short while. As before stated it will be situated in the stores now fronting Charlotte street in the south-east corner of the City Market Building. It is understood Architect F. Neil Brodie is preparing the plans. The branch will be a very pretty establishment.

Charles A. Clark, grocer, whose stand at the head of the Market building has been more or less a landmark for years, will remove to the large store on Sydney street, near Princess, where Hatfield Brothers will shortly vacate. Mr. Clark, it is stated, received a monetary consideration for his surrender of a lease.

A special service will be held in St. Andrew's church this evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. A. M. Hill will preach.

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KENT MILLS, BEST FAMILY FLOUR, only $4.50 bbl.
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