

THE WEATHER

Toronto, July 15.—Thunderstorms have occurred very generally today throughout Ontario, and a change to much cooler weather is now taking place. Scattered showers have occurred in the western provinces but the weather there has been generally fine.

AROUND THE CITY

County Council Meets Today. The quarterly meeting of the county council will be held this afternoon.

Domestic Coming. The superintendent of immigration expects a party of immigrants, mostly domestics, to arrive this week.

Police Assistance Called. The police were called into the Union Cafe on Mill street last evening to assist in ejecting a man who was not wanted there.

Cathedral Sunday School Picnic. The cathedral Sunday school picnic will take place this year on Tuesday, August 6th, at Torryburn. A meeting of the ladies of the congregation was held last evening when committees were struck and preliminary arrangements made for the picnic.

New Century Typewriter. We have an almost new machine of this reliable manufacture which we are willing to sell at low cost. The machine is in perfect order and has been very little used. We guarantee the machine, and at the price which we are willing to allow it to go, it is certainly a good bargain.

Midnight Excursion. The Victoria Street Church Brotherhood will hold a midnight excursion to Brown's Flat on the steamer Er May Queen on July 16th. The steamer will leave Indian town at 7 p. m. sharp and excursionists will have one hour at Beulah Camp grounds. The Victoria Street Orchestra will furnish a musical programme and refreshments will be sold.

Evidence of Appreciation. Three hundred and thirty-six (336) students were in attendance at the Saint John Business College during the year ending June 30th. The college is forty-five (45) years young and the last two years were the best in its history.

A Typewriter Bargain. The Empire typewriter on account of its strength in manufacturing, becomes a wonderful convenience for those having to do with a number of circulars to send out. This machine on thin paper will manifold nine or ten good copies. We are willing to allow the machine to go out on a free trial for a week or ten days without cost or any obligation to buy.

THE B. C. PERMANENT COMPANY.

In another column of this issue, the B. C. Permanent Loan Company notifies its shareholders of a dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum on the Permanent Stock of the Company for the half year ending June 30th, 1912.

MARR'S OFFER ANOTHER GREAT OPPORTUNITY

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SOME FACTS CONCERNING OLD HOME WEEK FUNCTIONS

Attractions Which Proved Successful and Others which Did Not Materialize -- Interviews with Members of Old Home Week Executive -- Who was Responsible?

Now that the Old Home Week celebration is over and the visitors, or most of them, have departed for their homes, it might be said that there is considerable complaint that the celebration was not as successful as it might have been, and there is a tendency to blame some, or all, of the gentlemen connected with making arrangements for the affair.

The Standard has made inquiries from the gentlemen of the 1912 club, who were named as being active in the preparations for the event, but few of them threw much light on the affair. It was, in fact, rather difficult to find anyone who was prepared to accept the responsibility for the programme, or of the events which did not materialize.

Sub-Committees Did It. Roy E. Crawford, who was chosen as chairman of the committee, when seen by The Standard, said he had attended a number of meetings of the committee and had presided at them. Sub-committees were struck to look after the different divisions of the work, and as far as he knew these committees transacted the business they had been appointed to handle.

Not Actively Associated. C. A. Atkinson, who was named as vice-president of the committee, said: "I was vice-chairman, and as far as I know, I am yet in that position, but I have not been actively associated with the Old Home Week movement for four weeks. Some of the members seemed to cut me out of the affair, as I did not receive notice of the meetings of the committee during the past four weeks. It was after I had stopped attending the meetings, that the arrangements were made."

Heartily Ashamed of It. "I do not think the city of St. John or the board of trade have any cause to congratulate themselves over the celebration. For my part I am heartily ashamed of it, but I want it understood, that I did not have any part in it for four weeks, and do not consider that I am responsible for the arrangements made. At the first meeting of the committee which is held, however, I intend to be present, and I will then ask some pertinent questions about it. I know nothing about the financial end of it, but I understand the money collected was paid in to Mr. Anderson."

Merely Did Advertising. F. J. Nisbet, chairman of the advertising committee, when seen said: "I was chairman of the advertising committee. Our business was to advertise the event, and keep it alive in the newspapers. I think we did our part. I had nothing to do with any other end of it. I think the less said about it the better."

Had Little To Do With It. W. Guy Tagley who was named as chairman of the financial committee, said he had had very little to do with it, as he had been in upper Canada for several weeks. He said J. Fraser Gregory had been appointed chairman of the finance committee and had done most of the work in connection with it. He knew nothing about any other end of the celebration.

Mr. Gregory's Statement. J. Fraser Gregory, when interviewed, said he had been chairman of the finance committee but had done comparatively little work on it. Most of the work had been handled by Mr. Thomas.

Meeting Will Be Held. W. E. Anderson, secretary of the Board of Trade, when seen said a meeting of the committee would be held when reports would be submitted. Asked as to the Cambridge board, he said the board was at the disposal of the Old Home Week committee.

Some Enjoyable Attractions. Some of the attractions during the week were well patronized and proved most successful and enjoyable. Chief among these were the ceremonies and functions at Courtenay Bay, which were under the management of the Norton Griffiths Company. The ceremonies in connection with the start of the work in East St. John were well carried out, the garden party was most enjoyable and the motor boat race as well as the land sports of Thursday last proved highly interesting.

The receptions held by the St. John High School Alumnæ and the St. Vincent's Alumnæ were also numbered among the successful functions of the week while the few open air band concerts were highly enjoyed.

Others Not So Good. Among the events which did not materialize or which were but indifferently successful although largely advertised may be mentioned the following extracts from the official programme which was circulated before the celebration took place: Tuesday, July 9, public reception by Mayor and Commissioners and big bonnet hop. For this function an admission fee was charged to citizens, visitors duly registered being admitted free, and there was no reception.

Not Part of Celebration. On Wednesday evening, it was announced that "No. 1 Company Salvage Corps and Fire Police would hold a reception in their rooms for visiting firemen." As one promoter had it, and for "visiting members," as another programme announced. As a matter of fact the function was held in celebration of the 30th anniversary of the corps, and admission was by invitation. These invitations were for members of the honorary members and guests, but there was no attempt to entertain visiting firemen, and members of the corps say the event had no connection whatever with the programme of Old Home Week celebration, in which it was advertised.

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