

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Moderate north-erly winds, fair and a little cooler.

Toronto, July 2.—The weather has been generally fine today from the lake region to the Maritime Provinces, with somewhat lower temperatures.

Table with columns for location (Victoria, Vancouver, Edmonton, etc.), Min. temperature, and Max. temperature.

Washington Forecast. Generally fair Thursday; Friday warmer eastern portion, light northwest winds, becoming variable.

AROUND THE CITY.

Notice to Choir Members. The members of the St. John (Stone) Church choir are requested to attend the funeral of the late George E. Fairweather at 2.30 p. m., today.

Violating Traffic Law. Arthur Ferris, Herman Ramsey, Alex. Fowler, Sterling A. Barle and Hugh McKnight have been reported by the police for violating the traffic laws.

George Henry is President. At a meeting of the Police Relief Association held yesterday afternoon Patrolman George Henry was elected president in the place of William Lee, who has resigned from the force.

Here to Attend Law suit. W. H. Parsons of Middleton arrived in the city yesterday for the purpose of attending a hearing before Judge McLeod of a law case in which the Drummond Iron Mines Company is interested.

Millfeeds Are Higher. Local feed dealers have been notified that the big millers have advanced the price of millfeeds such as bran shorts, and moullie \$1.00 a ton. It is reported that a few of the mills have put up prices of feed to \$5.00 a ton.

A Big Sturgeon. In the window of the fish store of McCormick and Zatzman, 122 Mill street, is displayed a large sturgeon which was caught in the waters of the Bay of Fundy. The fish which weighs about 100 pounds and is about seven feet in length was landed by one of the Lorneville fishermen. It is a rather unusual catch in the harbor.

NO SCARCITY OF FREE BAND MUSIC TONIGHT. Sons of England Band to Play Concert on King Square, and Carleton Band in West End.

The city authorities have arranged for two band concerts in the city this evening, one by the Sons of England Band on King's Square, and the other by the Carleton Cornet Band on Tilly Square, West End.

On King's Square. The Sons of England Band will give a concert on King's Square this evening. The programme is as follows: March—"Cheerful Chums," W. Rimmer.

Overture—"Norma," Bellini. Waltz—"Red Poppies," W. Rimmer. March—"Merrie England," W. Revell.

Selection—"Love's Triumph," W. V. Wallace. Interval. Waltz—"Home and Beauty," W. Seddon.

March—"Mascoot," Geo. Southwell. Waltz, (by request)—"Echoes of Killarney," H. Round. Selection—"Folk Songs of England," E. Newton.

March—"Marching Home," W. Revell. "God Save the King." Bandmaster, T. Horman. The Carleton Cornet Band will play the following programme.

March—"L'Estienne Cordiale. Overture—"St. Croix de Geneva. Selection—"Said Pasha. March—"Light Horse. Song. Selection—"On the Hi Ti Cl, by C. J. Hayes.

Intermezzo—"Flying Owl. Selection—"From Martha, arranged by C. J. Hayes. March—"The Privateer. God Save the King. Murray W. Long, bandmaster.

On July 4th the Carleton band will go to Eastport to take part in the Independence Day celebration there when it will repeat the programme given above.

PERSONAL. R. B. Vieta, private secretary to Hon. W. T. White, Minister of Finance, was at the Royal yesterday. He will leave this morning on the Prince Rupert to spend a vacation at his home in Digby.

ST. PETER'S SCHOOL FIRE. ANOTHER CASE OF "FIREBUG"?

Little Girls Declare they Saw Mysterious Man about School before Alarm was Sent in — Fire Confined to Roof and Damage Done was Slight.

Despite the assertions of some persons that many of the recently reported incendiary fires have not been set, there is good reason for believing that they have been and evidence is at hand that firebugs are still at work.

Yesterday afternoon a fire burned a portion of St. Peter's school of Elm street, and the incidents related in connection with the fire tend to convey the idea that it was intentionally set.

The blaze was first noticed shooting from the roof in the further end of the annex of the school, and an alarm was sent in from 143. The North End fire department quickly responded, but much difficulty was experienced in getting at the fire, and it was over three-quarters of an hour before the all-out alarm was rung in.

The school doors had been locked by the janitor when the school was closed but when the firemen arrived the doors in the rear of the building were found open.

Three little girls playing in the vicinity of the school saw a man, whom they say they would be able to identify, going through the school, but thought he was working around the building.

The attention of the girls was later attracted to the man when he ran out of the building and hid behind a tree. As soon as the alarm had been rung in he ran towards Port Howe.

A woman living in the vicinity also said she saw a man running towards Port Howe at the time the fire was discovered. The description given by the girls is of a man of medium height wearing a blue suit and stiff hat.

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MACKEREL ON NORTH SHORE IN QUANTITY.

Dominion Fisheries Expert Says This Condition Falsifies Predictions.

MACKEREL FISHERY FAR FROM RUINED. Canada to be Represented at International Fisheries Conference in Belgium—Biological Station Doing Good Work.

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HAYING TOOLS.

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CARPENTERS' UNION INSTALLS OFFICERS.

Union has Doubled its Membership in Last Eight Months and is now Flourishing.

At the meeting of the Carpenters and Joiners Union, held last evening, the following officers were installed for the ensuing half year.

President, Chas. Steward; vice-pres., Benjamin Young; Fin. Sec., W. Williams; Rec. Sec., Harry Pratt; Treas., Geo. Redmore; business agent, James Sgrue; warden, Thomas Nixon; conductor, Thomas Moore.

TRIED TO SWINDLE DOCK ST. BARTENDER.

Slick Customer Bought Drink with \$1 and then Demanded Change for Ten Dollar Bill.

A bold attempt at fraud occurred yesterday in the saloon of Philip M. O'Neill, Dock street, when a smart American tried to work a bluff game.

BAPTIST MISSIONARIES AND THE WORK IN INDIA.

Reports Received by Baptist Foreign Mission Board Tell of 1000 Converts in Six Months.

A meeting of the eastern section of the Baptist Foreign Mission Board was held in the rooms on Prince William street yesterday afternoon.

There was nothing left for Captain Sanford to do but telephone for the police and the men who refused duty were locked up in the Central Police Station and this morning will appear before Magistrate Ritchie.

There was some commotion in the streets last night when the seamen were being conducted to the Central station in the patrol wagon.

MAKING MONEY WHILE THE MAKING IS GOOD.

New York Sugar Refineries Jump Prices—Fruit Season and Tariff Changes the Causes for Advances.

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FIREMEN HELD "SCULPTOR" UP.

Nine of them Refused Work Because Ship did not have Full Complement—Landed in Jail.

The steamship Sculptor, Captain Sanford, finished loading lumber at the Long Wharf and was ready for sea last evening when nine firemen refused duty and as a result the seamen were arrested and the ship is delayed for want of a full crew.

A few days ago one of the ship's firemen was removed to the General Public Hospital where he will be confined for some days and he was accordingly paid off.

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NORTH END COUPLE IN GOLDEN JUBILEE.

Mr. and Mrs. James McSherry were Wedded 50 Years Ago Yesterday — Receive Many Presents.

Mr. and Mrs. James McSherry, of Main street, yesterday celebrated the golden jubilee of their wedding which was performed July 2, 1868, in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception.

In the morning the happy couple attended St. Peter's church where a high mass of thanksgiving was celebrated by the rector, Rev. Father McCormick, C. S. R. He was assisted in the mass by Rev. Father Holland, C. S. R., and Rev. Father O'Regan, C. S. R.

Throughout the day many congratulations were showered upon the elderly couple and they were the recipients of numerous gifts as a mark of the high esteem in which they are held.

Mr. and Mrs. McSherry are enjoying the best of health and anticipate living to enjoy many more years of wedded life.

Synod Committee Meet. Meetings of the committee on Sunday Schools, the committee on finance and the committee on literature of the American Synod were held yesterday.

The business before the meetings was mostly of a routine nature. Dr. Lovelace, Bishop Richardson and Ven. Archdeacon Newham came to the city to attend the meetings.

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