

THE WEATHER. MARITIME—RAIN

AROUND THE CITY

Will Hold A Social. The ladies auxiliary of the Temple of Honor, North End, will hold a social and supper in the Temple hall, this evening between 4 and 6 o'clock.

Will Meet Tonight. E Company 62nd St. John Fusiliers, (Capt. L. W. Peters) will meet at their armory tonight for the purpose of returning clothing and equipment and receiving drill pay.

Called Out for a Bon Fire. The West side fire department was called out last evening by an alarm from box 115 for a bon fire which had been lighted on Middle street in celebration of a wedding.

Y. M. C. A. Bowling League. The Y. M. C. A. bowling alley was opened last evening for the season. Arrangements have been made for the members' league to commence on October 9th.

Called on Major Gordon. Last evening was very pleasantly spent by the friends of Major and Mrs. J. J. Gordon, at his home in Carleton. Major Gordon will soon leave for Calgary where he is to locate.

Royal Arcanum. In spite of the fact that many of the members have not yet returned from their homes in section places, the Royal Arcanum held a very successful meeting in Oddfellows' hall, Charlotte street, last night.

Search Was Fruitless. A number of the friends of Howard Camp who was drowned in the Kennebec on Sunday afternoon, went to the scene yesterday and worked all day in an endeavor to locate the body but were unsuccessful in finding it.

A Question For Mr. Bentley. The Standard is informed that at a Liberal meeting held at Great Settlement during the campaign just closed, A. P. Bentley, M. P., is reported as stating that those who voted against reciprocity were fools or idiots. Is this report true, Mr. Bentley?

Four New Knights Created. New Brunswick Lodge No. 1 Knights of Pythias held a very largely attended meeting in the Castle hall, Germain street, last night. J. E. Arthur, grand chancellor, raised four esquires to the rank of knights, the longest team being used. Following the ceremonies, refreshments were served and an impromptu programme was carried out.

W. H. Ennis Here. Among the arrivals in the city yesterday was W. H. Ennis of Boston, who is accompanied by Arthur W. Senter, who is superintendent of the Boston Elevated Railway, Mr. Senter is making a trip through the Maritime provinces with Mr. Ennis and they leave today for Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Commission To Meet Soon. Dr. McAvenny in answer to a question yesterday said that Dr. Townend, of Boston, who is to take charge of the Jordan sanatorium, had not yet arrived in the city. He is expected about Oct. 1. Dr. McAvenny thinks that now the federal elections are over, there will be a meeting of the commission of management in a few days.

Tried to Escape From Chain Gang. While working with the chain gang at Crouville, yesterday, Patrick O'Connor one of the prisoners attempted to escape. He ran a short distance when he was captured by guard Frank Boves and returned to the jail. O'Connor was arrested on the charge of drunkenness and profligacy. He now stands a chance of receiving a two years' sentence.

Directors Visit Fernhill. The directors of Fernhill cemetery paid a visit to Fernhill yesterday afternoon. The directors found the grounds in very satisfactory condition. A leakage in the water system was examined and directions given to have repairs made as soon as possible. An inspection was made of the receiving vault and mortuary chapel under construction and the directors expressed themselves as well pleased with the progress that is being made in the work.

Presentation to Roy Longard. A pleasing presentation took place last evening when Roy Longard, who is to be a principal in a happy event this evening was visited upon at his home by his associates of the power house of the St. John Railway Company who presented him with a handsome dinner and tea set of 102 pieces. B. C. Waring in brief address, made the presentation on behalf of the party. Mr. Longard in a fitting reply thanked his co-workers for their handsome tribute of esteem and goodwill.

Serenaded By Band. The marriage of Herbert J. Barton to Miss Annie Patterson, last evening was made the occasion of a serenade by the members of St. Mary's Band, of which Mr. Barton has been secretary for some time. In recognition of his services to the band, the members presented him and his bride with a handsome dinner set. Among the other presents was a sideboard presented by the firm and employees of the Christie Woodworking Company.

Train Delayed By Wreck. The Boston express was 50 minutes late in arriving last night. The delay was caused by a train wreck on the Maine Central Railway about 6 o'clock last evening where 17 freight cars were derailed. The passengers who were bound to St. John and points east had to be transferred. It is stated that while the wreck was a bad one, no person was injured. A wrecking crew was sent out from Vanceboro by the C. P. R. to assist in clearing the wreck and the line will be cleared this morning enough to enable the express trains to proceed.

Reception Notice. Mrs. Mayes Case will receive on Thursday and Friday, Sept. 28 and 29, from 4 until 5 o'clock, at 174 Princess street.

After October 1st, the street car service to Resaside Park will be discontinued.

CONSERVATIVES HAD A PLEASANT EVENING

Electors of Victoria Ward Held Smoking Concert in their Hall - Good Programme and Ringing Speeches.

Victoria rink was the scene of jubilation last night when the Conservative electors of Victoria ward gathered to celebrate the triumph of their leaders on Thursday last. The speakers hall over the rink was crowded and enthusiastic ran riot, as in royal manner they expressed their confidence in Chief Borden and his government to make Canada a greater and more prosperous country.

The entertainment took the form of a smoker which was followed by an impromptu concert. St. Mary's Band and one of the pipe bands took part in the programme and contributed several selections of a patriotic character. The whole entertainment was informal and the evening was an enjoyable one.

While the gathering rejoiced in the victory at the polls, a marked feature last evening was the great spirit of absolute confidence expressed in Premier Borden and his government to raise Canada to the zenith of her greatness during his administration and hearty endorsement of the policy outlined a few days ago by the premier-elect for the development and advancement of the Dominion.

H. A. Powell on his arrival at the rooms was given a great welcome by the gathering and called upon for an address. In his eloquent style Mr. Powell expressed his gratitude to the electors of Victoria ward for their efforts on his behalf and his appreciation of the excellent fight by the electors all over the city. Although he had not been returned a victor, he felt none the less appreciative of the goodwill and efforts of his supporters who had worked for him in R. L. Borden. Mr. Powell said the country had found a premier who will prove untiring in his efforts to promote the welfare and prosperity of Canada.

W. Frank Hatheway when called upon addressed the gathering, expressing his pleasure at the result of the election and his confidence in Mr. Borden. Never before in its history had the people of this country realized as fully as now the great destiny of the Dominion. Appreciating the great future which is to be Canada's and the death blow which reciprocity would deal, the people had awakened to a realization of their responsibilities and besides throwing out reciprocity, had voted their confidence in Mr. Borden and the Conservatives to help Canada to realize her destiny.

Mr. Robert Maxwell expressed his confidence in Mr. Borden and his promises to nationalize the port of St. John and to make this port the Liverpool of America.

The smoker closed with the singing of national airs and cheers for Premier-elect Borden.

EXPECT LIVELY SESSION OF THE LABOR COUNCIL

Labor Men Angered at President Allingham's Political Activities-- But he has Precedent for His Actions.

A meeting of the Trades and Labor Council will be held this evening, and the session may be a lively one as there has been talk of moving a vote of censure on the President W. W. Allingham for speaking at the Conservative smoker in Queen's rink. While it is generally held that officers of trades unions should refrain from speaking on behalf of either of the old parties, there are few cities where prominent labor leaders do not actively support one or the other party. Mr. Allingham did not appear on the platform as a representative of organized labor, and it is hardly likely his action in yielding to the request of L. P. D. Tilley and address the smoker will seriously affect his position in the labor movement. It is only where labor has had a candidate in the field that the union have shown a disposition to deal severely with officials who publicly supported the old parties. Samuel Gompers himself was on the stump in number of United States constituencies, supporting democratic candidates at the last congressional elections.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Henry Niles, and the Misses Edna and Nettie Niles, Douglas Ave. have returned home.

Miss Rosalie Waterman left last evening for Montreal where she will take a B. A. course in McGill.

Dr. Fred Johnston who has been judging the horses at the Fair in Woodstock, arrived in the city last night on the Boston express.

Miss Jennie M. Bell, graduate nurse of Lowell, Mass., who has been home spending a two months' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bell, 14 Peters street, returned to Lowell on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan R. Poole and son, of Cascade, B. C., left last evening on their return home after having spent the last four months the guests of Mr. Poole's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Poole, at the latter's country home on the St. John river.

The St. John Business College has better equipment, better accommodations, more prestige, more patronage than ever before. Evening classes begin Monday, Oct. 2nd.

DR. DANIEL CHEERED ON TRIP TO COUNT

Popular M. P. Visited His Constituents, Yesterday, and was Enthusiastically Received by Them.

Dr. J. W. Daniel, M.P., and G. Earle Logan paid a flying visit to the former's constituents in W. B. Tennant's car yesterday. Everywhere Dr. Daniel was enthusiastically received, particularly at St. Martin's, where the auto party was received with cheers.

At Black River, the Doctor inspected the wharf property which was built in 1897 and very few repairs made since, amount to make Canada a greater and more prosperous country.

On Saturday night at St. Martin's a large Conservative demonstration was held in honor of the great victory. A supper was laid at the Wishart House for over seventy. A large bonfire was lighted and a procession was formed, marching through the town singing patriotic airs and cheering Borden and Daniel.

Speeches were made by Capt. Robert Carson, chairman of the St. Martins Conservative Association, Squire Moore, secretary, J. P. Moshier, W. H. Rourke and others.

It was reported yesterday that there was a hitch in the negotiations for the sale of the York and Cornwall cotton mills to the Montreal syndicate known as the Canadian Cotton Ltd., and that it was probable the St. John interests would retain control of the mills.

A. P. Barrhill, one of the solicitors in the negotiations, admitted that the sale had not been completed, but offered no explanation beyond saying that the parties who proposed to purchase the mills declared that conditions in regard to the property were not as represented.

J. B. Cudlip, the manager of the mills said last evening that he had nothing to say in regard to the report of a hitch in the negotiations. It was a matter between the Montreal interests and the shareholders.

Condition of Union and Charlotte Streets Decidedly Discreditable to City Street Department - Dirty and Muddy

Complaints are being made about the condition of Union street and Charlotte street between Ouburg and King street. Both streets are full of holes, and in wet weather are very muddy. As they are situated in the shopping centre it is claimed the street department ought to keep them in better condition than they are at present.

Like many other streets about the city, they are littered with waste paper and other rubbish. Although the city placed receptacles for rubbish at various points about the streets, they are not patronized to any extent at the present time. It is supposed to be one of the duties of the police to prevent people from littering the streets with waste paper and other rubbish, but it appears to be more honored in the breach than the observance.

Public Playgrounds For St. John Children

Mayor Frink will Probably Call a Public Meeting of Citizens Interested to Discuss their Establishment.

Mayor Frink will probably call a meeting of citizens interested in the possibility of providing St. John with a system of public playgrounds in a few days. The matter has engaged some attention for years, but no great headway has been made. In American cities the playground movement has assumed great importance, and the results secured in improving the physical well-being of children have been highly gratifying. In many cases the establishment of playgrounds has been followed by such a marked improvement in the attitude of the children in the schools that the school authorities are taking an active interest in the extension of the playground movement.

At St. James Church last Sunday Rev. H. A. Cody, speaking of the advisability of using the waste places in the city pointed out that many of the vacant lots might be utilized as playgrounds with little trouble. At the last meeting of the Board of Works two complaints were made about the conduct of boys on the streets and in the parks, which provoked from the chairman the statement that they ought to get busy trying to provide public playgrounds.

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