

THE WEATHER

Tuesday, April 25.—The disturbance which was over Ontario on Saturday, has moved to the Atlantic coast and another is now approaching the Great Lakes from the westward. A fairly heavy rain has fallen over the larger portion of Manitoba and Saskatchewan and local showers have occurred in Alberta. In Ontario the weather has been fair and warmer.

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Forecast—Western portion winds becoming westerly, gradually clearing; eastern portion; strong southeast winds with rain.

Northern New England—Cloudy Monday and Tuesday; not much change in temperature; fresh shifting winds.

AROUND THE CITY

LITTLE LAMAGE DONE

The chemical engine was called out about 7.45 o'clock Saturday morning. A small fire in the rear of 230 Duke street was put out.

QUARTETTE OF DRUNKS

Four drunks were arrested on Saturday. Sunday was a white day at the station, for not a single arrest was jotted down on the register. One protectionist came in during the evening.

YACHT BADLY DAMAGED

Capt. A. J. Malachy, who returned Saturday from Head Harbor, where he had gone in connection with the damage done to the yacht Katrina, reports that he found it would amount to thousands of dollars.

AUCTIONS SATURDAY

A four room house and dancing pavilion on a fresh lot at Glen Falls owned by Mrs. John O'Neill, was offered for sale Saturday morning at Chubb's corner by Auctioneer Potts. The property was sold at \$200. A two story leasehold at 256 Millidge avenue was sold to Percy Steal for \$550.

MOVING TO STATES

Fred Wright who has been at Palm Beach all winter where he acted as head chauffeur for Mrs. W. K. Dick, formerly Mrs. Jacob Astor, arrived in town Saturday to move his family to the States. Mr. Wright is a veteran of the Boy and Scouter's wars. Before going South he was employed as chauffeur by the D. C. P. R. at Fredericton.

IN DANGEROUS FLIGHT

Three stewards of the Scandinavian now at Partridge Island started in a row boat for the City Friday afternoon. They were unable to back the stern current and side running at that time and were carried out to sea. The crew of the Custom boat Ephia, hearing of the situation, put out to the rescue of the stewards and brought them to shore.

SATURDAY'S MARKET

Prices in the city market Saturday morning were about the same as last week. They were: Beef, 15c; Mutton, 18 to 20c; Pork, 20c to 25c; Ham and Bacon, 35c to 40c; Chicken, 60c to 65c; Fowl, 50c to 60c; Butter, 40c; Eggs, 30c to 35c; Potatoes, 40c; Turnips, 25c; Parsnips, 60c; Beets, 60c; Carrots, 60c; Apples, 40c to 50c; Lettuce, 10c; Parsnips, 8c; Cabbage, 7c; Rhubarb, 12c; Maple sugar, 45c; Lard, 40c a pound, and cucumbers, 25c each.

DID ALL THEY COULD

In view of resolutions which have been passed by organizations in the province, requesting the Provincial Government to take steps to bring to justice the murderer of Miss Minnie Stevens, who was murdered in Edmondston, it was announced Saturday morning that the Attorney General had adopted all measures possible to trace the perpetrator of the deed.

VITAL STATISTICS

Twenty-three deaths were recorded in the city during the week ending Saturday from the following causes: Genitally, four; pneumonia, three; diabetes, uremia, hemiplegia, apoplexy, influenza, convulsions, peritonitis, prematur birth, acute nephritis, acute bronchitis, pericarditis, aneurysm, pelvic peritonitis, cardiac decomposition of bowel, shock and cerebral hemorrhage due to accident, injuries due to explosion of dynamite, one each.

Nine marriages were solemnized in the city in last week. For the same period there were thirty-four births, sixteen boys and eighteen girls.

Mrs. Anna M. Ryan.

The death of Mrs. Anna M. Ryan, widow of James Ryan of Elmfield, occurred yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. B. Day, 103 Waterloo Street. The deceased who was in the ninety-third year of her age had been residing in the city one year. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Day and Miss Georgia Ryan a nurse of Boston, also one sister, Mrs. S. Frazer of St. John.

The funeral services will be conducted at 6.45 this evening by Rev. Mr. Tedford at 103 Waterloo Street. Interment will be at Central Norton Cemetery on Tuesday afternoon at the arrival of the Hampton suburban train.

Manufacturers To Meet Here This Week

Maritime Branch of C. M. A. to Hold Annual on Thursday

The manufacturers of the Maritime Provinces will meet in St. John next Thursday in their annual convention and it is expected many will be present to consider the many serious problems facing the business world at the present time.

A feature of the convention will be the presence of J. R. Walsh, general manager of the Manufacturers' Association, Toronto, who will address the assembly on the problems of the day. Sessions will be held at 10 a. m., 2.30 p. m. and 8.30 p. m. The first two will be held in the Board of Trade rooms and the latter at Bond's.

While in the Maritime Provinces, Mr. Walsh is to visit the centres and hold conferences with the manufacturers. On April 28 he will be at Fredericton; 27th and 28th will be spent in St. John; 29th and 30th in Moncton and Amherst; May 1 to 3 will be spent at Halifax, leaving for Truro on the afternoon of the 3rd; the 4th will be spent at New Glasgow, and the 5th at Sydney.

Two Chinese Fined For Having Opium

Hum Fong Tung and Hum Wong Pleaded Guilty and Were Asked to Pay \$200.

The two Prince William street Chinese, Hum Fong Tung and Hum Wong, acting on the advice of their counsel, G. H. P. Boyle, pleaded guilty to having opium in their possession, and were fined the minimum amount under the act, \$200, by Magistrate Ritchie in the police court Saturday.

They were remanded to jail pending the production of their fine. Hum Fong Tung, alias Hum Seck, of Brussels street was fined a similar amount on the same charges a few days ago, and \$1,000 for selling the drug. He is being held in jail awaiting the \$1,200 which is to replenish the coffers of the law.

Theft Charges

James B. Gregory, Herbert Ring and Jeremiah O'Rourke, gave evidence in the case of Samuel Kierstead, charged with stealing junk, the property of Mr. Gregory. Policeman Kierstead also gave evidence and the case was postponed to Monday afternoon.

Clarence Burke, Alex Somerville and Wilfred Somerville, charged with stealing articles from C. P. R. freight cars at Fairville, pleaded not guilty. As the police court did not have jurisdiction in the matter the men were taken before Magistrate W. H. Allingham, Fairville, and remanded until next Friday. C. P. R. Policeman Costello, Detectives Hiddiscombe and Donahue and Provincial Constable A. Garraff made the arrests.

A case against David Trachberg of Montreal, charged with having opium in his possession unlawfully, was postponed until next Thursday.

Two juveniles charged with stealing a bicycle from Allen Hunt, appeared before the court. The case was conducted in private.

By-Law Case

A by-law case against the C. P. R. for obstructing traffic on Mill street last Wednesday was resumed. L. H. Ross, C.N.R. Terminal agent, said that the delay was occasioned by the late arrival of a party of soldiers from the Militia. The situation that resulted was a combination of circumstances that would be impossible after the proposed Bond street viaduct was built. Yoramson Thompson of the C. N. R. then testified and Policeman McNoshi corroborated Policeman McNosh's testimony regarding the duration of the hold-up in street traffic. The magistrate reserved judgment to Monday at 10.30 a. m. Dr. F. R. Taylor, K.C., for the C. P. R.

Exhibition of Hat Spearing Sunday

Dainty Miss Chases Gentleman's Hat Down King St., Spearing It With Umbrella.

A dainty looking young lady with short skirt, trim ankles, wearing high heeled pumps and carrying an up-to-the-minute long-handled umbrella gave an exhibition of how to spear a hat Sunday noon. The wind was blowing a gale at the time, whisking hats from the tops of shining domes, and lifting skirts to the annoyance of the ladies. A gentleman standing on the Charlotte street steps to King Square had his hat blown from his head and sent whisking down King street. The young lady was crossing King street at the time and tried to spear the hat with her umbrella when it reached the crossing. It got away from her and she gave it chase, making several ineffectual jabs with the umbrella to stop the hat. She persisted in her efforts, finally capturing the lid in front of Woolworth's, returning it to the owner amid the approving smiles and complimentary remarks of the onlookers.

Health Programme For This Week

Hon. Dr. Roberts and Dr. Fleisher in Moncton Today

—Dr. Royer at Rotary Club

A busy week had been mapped out for the Hon. Dr. Roberts and the visiting medical authorities who have come to help boost New Brunswick's Health Week.

Dr. Roberts and Dr. Fleisher leave for Moncton today, where the Provincial Hygiene Association will be formed.

In St. John Dr. Royer is to address the Rotary Club at their noon-day luncheon, and a meeting of the labor men tonight.

Dr. Bates of the National Association for Combating Venereal Diseases, will address the Canadian Club at six o'clock this evening.

Tomorrow Dr. Roberts and Dr. Fleisher are to speak in the Agricultural Hall at Sussex at 2.30 in the afternoon.

On Wednesday afternoon the Provincial Child Welfare Association will be organized at Fredericton, and Dr. Helen McMurchie, of Toronto, will be the speaker.

Friday the Provincial Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis will be formed; the speakers will be Dr. George Porter, secretary of the National Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis, and Doctors Bates and Burnett, both of Toronto.

CHILD WELFARE WORK DISPLAY

Manchester, Robertson and Allison, Ltd., have devoted one of their King Street windows to a display of requisites for Child Welfare Work. An attractive display will call the public's attention to the benefits of such work to the community. A Victorian Order Nurse is to lecture in one of the children's departments of the work to mothers, on the beneficial clothing for children, and the correct manner of dressing infants and young children.

St. George's Society At St. Paul's Church

At Central Church

Rev. James A. White Secretary of B. Y. P. A. of America Dealt With Need of Leadership.

Sermon by Rev. Archdeacon Crowfoot—Boy Scouts and Guides Present.

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The Boy Scout Troops of the city, the Wolf Pack and the Girls' Guides also attended the service, and did honor to their patron saint. The troops present were: St. Paul's, St. Luke's, Coburg, Knox, Stone, Trinity, Europe, the Endeavour, the Wolf Pack of St. Paul's, Coburg and Trinity, and the St. Paul's Girls' Guides.

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England As a Rock

Think of England as a rock. First, where is this rock? Did you ever realize that a strong influence our surroundings have on our lives. Consider England, her history as a great power largely due to the fact that she is an island just off the mainland of Europe. Thus she, either pursue a policy of splendid isolation, as we did under Lord Salisbury, or she can intervene as effectively as she did in the recent war. In the realm of ethics and religion she has been saved from the extremes of the continent. England was never visited by the terrors of the French revolution, nor does it seem likely that English workmen will resort to the kind of strike of a Russian. To her geological position, England owes her great sea-power and the growth of her colonial empire.

The rock that is England, is a conglomerate, a sort of natural concrete. Saxon and Norman, Dane and Hollander, Hanoverian and Flemish have all helped to make the modern England. The English rock is conglomerate, and it has all the characteristics of this formation. That hardness which critics call pig-headedness, and yet it is this quality which helps to make the Englishman a conqueror. Reliability, which has made the Englishman's word trusted the world over, and a perseverance that was gloriously exemplified at Zorndorf, and made the world that the British navy still retained the Nelson touch.

Great Englishmen

From the English rock has been built a large portion of the church of Christ, especially that part which formed part of it of which we are members. From it, too, has been built the great school of English literature, from Shakespeare, born in England on St. George's Day, to Robert Browke, the last of the great of St. George, and was buried beside the Aegæan in a spot "which shall be forever England."

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Acreege To Potato Small This Season

Fertilizer Sales Below Normal and Speculator Not Anxious to Make Plunge.

It looks as though the acreage to potatoes in the potato growing sections of New Brunswick this season will be considerably reduced over that of last year, according to the view of a salesman for a well known fertilizer company of the province. The farmers who operate each year on a conservative and business like basis will plant as usual, he says, but the gambler and speculator in spuds will not be so anxious to plunge into an uncertainty. Many of the latter class were badly trimmed the past season because of the off market, and the prospects for a recoup this season are not encouraging.

Sales Below Normal

Fertilizer sales, he says, have not been up to normal this year. Many prospective purchasers last fall were led to believe by misleading statements in print, that commercial fertilizer would be much cheaper this spring. They put off buying, waiting for a price reduction this spring which failed to materialize. In fact the spring price has advanced over last year's figure. As a result of the delay in purchasing, farmers in some of the back district, where it is hard to deliver fertilizer only when there will be a market, will find it difficult to have the goods handed on their farms at the time should they desire to purchase.

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W. A. CONVENTION OPENS TUESDAY

The annual convention of the W. A. of the Anglican churches will commence in St. John's (Stone) church Tuesday morning at 9.30 o'clock, and representatives from all over the province will be present. A business session will take up Tuesday afternoon and a reception will be held at Trinity church that evening. Stone church will be the headquarters. Wednesday morning and evening will be taken up

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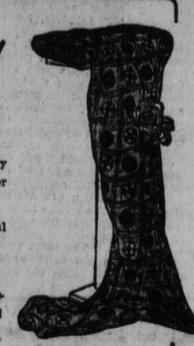
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Our Programme For Health Week

Ladies of St. John and Vicinity are Cordially Invited to Attend.

Talks On Infant Hygiene

by Victorian Order of Nurses, under the auspices of Provincial Board of Health.

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ANNUAL OVERHAULING.

The steamer Empress was taken off the Digby route on Saturday and placed in Lower Cove slip where for ten days she will be given her annual overhauling.