

**THE WEATHER.**

Toronto, Feb. 2.—Pressure is very high over the greater portion of the continent, but comparatively low over Florida, where a depression is apparently developing. The weather has been fair in nearly all parts of Canada, cold in the western provinces and mild from the lower lakes region to Cape Breton.

Dawson	46	22
Prince Rupert	24	40
Vancouver	38	44
Kamloops	32	42
Battleford	22	34
Medicine Hat	10	28
Moose Jaw	15	11
Winnipeg	24	32
Port Arthur	24	32
Port Soudan	10	38
Toronto	16	46
Kingston	20	36
Ottawa	22	32
Montreal	24	26
Quebec	24	22
St. John	22	32
Halifax	24	34

—Below zero.

**Forecasts**

Maritime—Moderate to fresh winds, shifting to northwest and north; mostly fair, turning colder by night.

Northern New England—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday; colder Wednesday in north portion; moderate to southwest winds.

**AROUND THE CITY**

**SAVINGS DEPOSITS.**

Deposits in the Government Savings Bank here during January amounted to \$64,102.55, as compared with \$67,000 in January, 1919. Withdrawals during the month reached \$45,531.15, compared with \$53,000 in 1919.

**DELIGHTFUL ADDRESS.**

At the Natural History Society rooms, yesterday morning, Dr. Thomas Carter addressed the pupils of Witanstede School, and exhibited to them his wonderful collection of views of the Holy Land. The gathering was greatly delighted with his address.

**LONGSHOREMAN INJURED.**

Allye Cormier, of Randolph, longshoreman, working on the Scania, at No. 1 shed, was injured yesterday morning when a deal fell, injuring his right foot. He was treated at the Emergency Hospital and taken to his home.

**VICTORY LOAN PRIZE.**

Miss Ina McCallan of Codr's, Queens County, received a check of \$10 Thursday afternoon, in recognition of her award of first prize in the Victory Loan competition held in the public schools. It was the first knowledge she had that she had won a prize.

**BOY SCOUT DRIVE.**

Boy scouts were busy yesterday distributing envelopes with a subscription card in each, and these will be collected by the ward captain who directs the arrangements in his district. It is expected that the financial response will be large.

**HALIFAX WINTER PORT.**

A passenger arriving in the city yesterday states that Halifax harbor was well frozen over on Saturday, and a view from Citadel Hill showed that the only clear water was a channel between Halifax and Dartmouth that was kept open by the S. S. Lady Laurier and the ferryboat.

**APPLICATION HELD OVER.**

An application from L. P. D. Tilley on behalf of A. S. Hart for a renewal of lease for city lot 930, on the corner of Wentworth and Mecklenburg streets, was read to the Council in committee yesterday morning. It was held over for further action, as there is some question as to the definition of lines.

**HOUSING COMMISSION.**

A meeting of the St. John Housing Commission was held yesterday when tenders were considered for the erection of 15 houses on Douglas Avenue. Members were surprised at the prices asked by contractors. They will meet again this morning to consider what to do as it was felt that the figures were too high to be worked under the Government scheme.

**FIVE CASES OF FLU.**

Yesterday the Board of Health reported four cases of influenza in the North End and one in Simonds. They are of a mild type and all necessary precautions are being taken to prevent spread. The members of the board held a meeting and arrangements were completed to take over a building from the Emergency hospital if needed. Other buildings are also ready if necessary.

**PRICE OF BREAD.**

According to a law which went into effect on Sunday local bakers yesterday began wrapping bread, and in consequence retail dealers were obliged to pay an extra cent per loaf, and the householder paid 16 cents, and in many cases where the grocer put another paper wrapper over the parcel one more cent was charged. With the advance of \$1.15 per barrel on flour a further advance in the near future is foreshadowed by some grocers.

**THE SCOUT DRIVE.**

The members of the Commercial Club interested in the Boy Scout Drive made a preliminary canvass yesterday, and found a number of citizens ready to become life members for \$25 each. The boys turned out after school and began the distribution of cards at the houses, which work they will complete today. Members of the Commercial Club will collect the cards later. The canvassers of the business district met last evening, and completed plans. It was felt that all should realize that even a child's contribution towards this drive will be welcomed, small sums helping to make up a large total.

**Carbide, Acetylene Burners, P. Campbell & Co.**

Kindergarten Tag Day, February 10th

**George A. Davis Dies After Stroke**

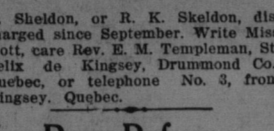
Former St. John Lawyer, Long Prominent in Honolulu, Fatally Stricken While on Street Car — Well Known in St. John City as Barrister and Alderman.

Many persons in St. John will be surprised to learn of the sudden death of George Anthony Davis in Honolulu, Hawaii, on Tuesday, December 16th last. George A. Davis was the adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel G. Davis of Union Street, Carleton, on the corner of St. John Street and is well known to the older residents of not only the West Side of the harbor but in St. John proper. He was admitted as an attorney on 17th June, 1880 and a barrister on 12th October, 1881. He served one term in the Common Council before the Union of the City of St. John and Carleton, and was also elected an alderman in 1892 when he served one term. His ability as a campaign speaker is well known to the older residents of Carleton when he ran for election in Brooks Ward, Carleton, he was very pointed in his remarks and was a lawyer well known in the city.

**SEEKS EX-SOLDIER**



Miss Peggy Joyce Mott, now in Canada, seeks the whereabouts of L.



R. Sheldon, or R. K. Skeldon, discharged since September. Write Miss Mott, care Rev. E. M. Templeman, St. Felix de Kingsley, Drummond Co., Quebec, or telephone No. 3, from Kingsley, Quebec.

**Joe Page Before The Rotary Club**

Prominent Baseball Writer and Promoter Gave Interesting Address Yesterday—Told of Great Possibilities for St. John.

Yesterday at noon the Rotary Club members turned out strong in numbers for their luncheon at Bond's at Queen's Hotel, the counsel for the United States in this city, was the chairman, and after all the good things had been partaken of he introduced Joe Page of Montreal, the well known sporting writer and promoter who was the chief speaker. Mr. Page who has been interested in sport, especially baseball, for many years, was welcomed with applause. He traced the game of baseball from 1808 up to the present time and as he was limited to the space of time in which he was to give his address he told his hearers a great deal in a short space.

**Dr. Carter Gave A Fine Lecture**

Talented Speaker Heard Last Evening Under Auspices of High School Alumnae at Germain St. Institute — Proceeds for Mission in India.

Dr. Thomas Carter gave an illustrated lecture in the Germain street Baptist Institute which delighted the large number present. His subject was "Old London and New India," and he showed the London of Elizabeth's time, the London of Charles Dickens and the city of today. With wonderful powers of description, Dr. Carter led his hearers through the romance and history of the great city making them see the events which occurred at the famous spots which were reproduced upon the screen. Speaking of modern London, he made it very clear that the Zeppelin raids were more serious than we, in this land had known.

**CLERKS' ASSOCIATION MET LAST EVENING**

Committee Appointed to Meet Common Council and Two for Publicity and Social Activities — Membership Greatly Increased.

The largest meeting since the organization of the Clerks' Association was held last evening in the Natural History Society rooms, Union street, with the president, A. C. D. Wilson, in the chair. The usual routine of business was discussed, after which a favorable report was read from the committee appointed at the last meeting to interview the leading merchants in regards to the Saturday night closing.

**WAR VETERANS' REGULAR MEETING**

Routine Business Transacted Last Evening—Decided to Bring Carnival Shows Here for Benefit of Association Next July.

A meeting of the Great War Veterans' Association was held last evening in the chair, Routine business was transacted, and arrangements were made to bring the Joseph G. Ferrar Carnival Shows here in July next to play for the benefit of the G. W. V. A. There was a stipulation made that two afternoons be set aside free of charge of all departments for all orphans in the city, when the veterans are to be looked after by an efficient committee and see all that is to be shown. It was decided that at a future meeting committees will be appointed to look after all arrangements.

**LADIES' HIGH CLASS SAMPLE SUITS AND COATS AT OLD TIME PRICES**

F. A. Dykeman and Co., have devoted their entire window front to a display of these travellers' samples. They are the very newest styles for early spring wear and represent the very pick of a well known manufacturer's stock. These were bought at a considerable discount so that the firm is able to offer them at real old time prices.

**NEW LABOR PAPER**

The Union Worker, a monthly journal devoted to the interests of labor in New Brunswick, is now in press and will appear the latter part of the week. It is in magazine form and will be on sale at all the news stands and on the trains the first Saturday in each month. The editorials deal with live subjects which concern labor and there are special articles by local writers, as well as a good selection of prominent writers on the subject. Altogether it is an issue that every union man and his friends should be in possession of.

**FEBRUARY SUIT SALE.**

Among the desirable offerings are some dark grey cheviot suits, roughish surface, regular model coats. The price is \$25, which is less than the price at the manufacturers today, but we need the money they take for our spring stock. Gilmore, 48 King St.

**A Hot Bottle That Stays Hot Twelve Hours**

Just boil the Thermor Waterless Hot-Bottle for ten minutes and it will stay hot for twelve hours. It never needs re-filling, and will last a lifetime. The Thermor Waterless Hot-Bottle is indispensable in the home these cold winter nights, especially in cases of sickness. It is an excellent foot-warmer in the sleigh, the motor car, and for the aged. The Thermor is handsomely nickel plated, and comes in a neat pasteboard box, at \$1.50. We also have ALUMINUM HOT WATER BOTTLES, at \$4.50 each.

**HOUSEHOLD DEPARTMENT — GROUND FLOOR**

**W. H. THORNE & CO., LIMITED**

Stores Open at 8.30 a. m., Close at 6 p. m., Close at 1 p. m., Saturdays during January, February, and March.

**ONE DAY LUCKY PURCHASE SALE TODAY**

On account of our large business our buyer, Mr. J. H. Marr, who is now visiting the leading Millinery centres, was most fortunate in securing a number of trimmed, made Mourning Hats at a very special price. Today we will place these hats on sale at practically pre-war day prices.

Today Only **\$5.00 each** See Window

**Marr Millinery Co., Limited**

**The Range That Makes Cooking Easy**

One of the most efficient ranges ever offered for coal or wood.

If you haven't a satisfactory oven prepare beforehand by getting one of our

**ROYAL GRAND RANGES**

SUPERIOR BAKERS and you can depend on your cooking being a success. An easy range to operate, economical on fuel, durable because well constructed.

**Emerson & Fisher Ltd.**

**Big Special in Women's and Wool Serge Dresses**

Smart new design, made up in Navy, Copen, Black and Dark Brown. Only 28 Dresses in the lot. **Special Price \$16.95 each**

These becoming frocks are well worth your consideration. They are fashioned in loose belted style, with round collarless neck and trimmings of narrow rows of braid and buttons. Dresses fasten in back, with buttons from neck to hem.

Sizes 16 and 18 years for misses. 36 to 40 in. for women.

Showing Tuesday in Costume Section, (Second Floor).

**Men's Night Shirts and Pajamas At Very Special Prices**

These are made of best quality, specially selected flannelette, and are selling at values away below today's prices.

**NIGHT SHIRTS** in fancy colored stripes, made with or without collars. Extra roomy bodies. Sizes 14 to 19. Special prices \$2.00 and \$2.50 each.

**PYJAMAS**—Plain, white or neat blue and white striped shaker. Collars are in straight military style. Sizes 34 to 36. Special prices \$3.00 each.

Showing in Men's Furnishings Section, Ground Floor.

**Wrap The Boy Up Well In An M. R. A. Overcoat**

And he is bound to enjoy the fun of these crisp snowdays.

FOR SMALL BOYS, 2 to 10 years, we are showing full belted overcoats, Waist line effects and a variety of fancy styles in grey and brown chinchillas, fancy tweeds and plain colored, soft finished fabrics.

FOR YOUTHS, 11 to 16 years, Belters, Ulsterettes and Waist line styles, fashioned of heavy chinchilla, plain and fancy tweeds, also soft finished cloths. In these greys and browns predominate.

All the kinds that boys approve are here. Boys' Clothing Shop, Second Floor.

**Manchester Robertson Allison Limited**

KING STREET - GERMAIN STREET - MARKET SQUARE

**The Following Opportunities Are Available Until Tuesday at 6 p. m.**

Women's Raccoon Coats	Near Seal Coats	Woolen Street Coats
For \$282.50	For \$288.50	1 Coat, Fur Collar and Cuffs For \$51.00. It's Worth \$102.00
For \$322.50	For \$197.00	\$28.00 For \$41.00 Coats
For \$422.50	For \$132.00	\$30.00 For \$45.00 Coats
		\$35.00 For \$49.00 Coats
		\$40.00 For \$50.00 Coats
		\$58.00 For \$58.00 Coats
		\$62.00 For \$53.00 Coats

The Legitimate Prices are \$350.00, \$400.00, \$425.00

The Legitimate Prices are \$200.00, \$250.00, \$300.00

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