

THE WEATHER.

Forecasts:
Maritime—Light winds, a few scattered showers but mostly fair and a little warmer.

Around the City

Many at Second Recital. There was a large attendance last night at the Knights of Columbus hall to hear the second of Wilmot Goodwin's recitals.

Old Ladies' Home. Lieut. Col. B. R. Armstrong submitted his report, giving the record of a successful year, at the annual meeting of the Old Ladies' Home.

St. John's Day. The members of Carleton Union Lodge, F. and A. M., postponed their St. John's day celebration from last evening until Sunday morning on account of the unfavorable weather conditions.

The River Steamers. The steamer May Queen arrived in Antigonish yesterday afternoon from Chipman and the Grand Lake district with a fair cargo of potatoes and livestock.

Governor Carleton Out. The ferry steamer Governor Carleton was put on the harbor service yesterday at noon. The steamer has been thoroughly overhauled and painted.

Retail Fish Market. The demand for fish during the week has been only fair, retailers saying that the wet weather has reduced sales.

For Tobacco Fund. If there is anything in the way of a comfort for the soldiers enjoyable in the trenches it is tobacco and the women of St. John who are banded together in different associations are striving hard to procure all the tobacco they can to send immediately to the brave men at the front.

PERSONAL. Miss Agnes Ross, B. A., St. John, received a diploma of the first class at the annual exercises of the Nova Scotia Normal School, Truro, yesterday.

MANY NEW BUILDINGS IN AND ABOUT ST. JOHN

Financial Stringency not Particularly Noticeable Here — More Dwellings being Erected in the Suburbs.

In spite of the financial stringency St. John has had a prosperous year. This has been particularly true in the building lines.

All along the Intercolonial Railway from St. John to Fairvale numerous dwellings are under construction. East St. John too has shared in the boom and over in Lancaster many residences have gone up.

Permits issued. Since the first of March the building inspector has issued permits for the erection of seventeen structures inside the city limits.

Four houses are under way in Champlain street, two on the Earle property and several more on Lancaster Avenue.

These Buildings. The permits issued by the building inspector for structures inside the city, since March 1, are as follows: Charles Robinson, dwelling, Bryden street; Mrs. George Kimball, dwelling, Elgin and Metcalfe streets; Good Templars' Hall, Westmorland Road; William Walsh, warehouse, Haymarket Square; J. Harold Wilson, dwelling, Seelye street; Helen G. Hannah, warehouse, Camden street; J. Harvey Brown, warehouse, Clarence street; Scovell Bros. Ltd., steel and brick building, 40 x 100 feet, King street; E. J. Thompson, dwelling, Ludlow street; John Emerson, dwelling, Guilford street; J. S. and W. H. Byron, dwelling, Lansdowne street; F. C. Jones, dwelling, Cranston Ave.; Mrs. Precilla Fisher, dwelling, Spar Cove Road; Mrs. John T. Kane, dwelling, City Line; Mrs. R. H. Cheyne, dwelling, City Line; George E. Holder, dwelling, Cranston Ave.

Besides the permits for erecting new buildings the inspector has issued permits for repairs to two properties in January; seven in February; eight in March; twenty-six in April; twenty in May and twenty in June.

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OUR BATTALION REQUIRES MEN

Three Hundred will bring Regiment up to Strength — Wanted at once.

The interest in recruiting for the 55th New Brunswick Battalion has fallen off during the last few days as far as St. John is concerned at least.

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ANNUAL CLOSING OF SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF

Interesting Features at exercises yesterday—The prize winners.

Yesterday afternoon the closing exercises of the New Brunswick School for the Deaf took place in the building at Lancaster Heights and proved most interesting.

The winners in the senior class were: 1st, Harold Sypher; 2nd, Beate Furlotte; 3rd, Paul Maddore.

The winners in the junior class were: 1st, Albert Leger; 2nd, Helen Hubbard.

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NEW MIDDY BLOUSES AT M.R.A.S. The Middy Blouses so many have been waiting for have just been received in the waist department, second floor.

BOLD THIEVES CLEAR WINDOW IN DAYLIGHT

Work in Charlotte Street in view of passers by — Other breaks about the city.

Two youngsters, one of them attired in a uniform, were seen at work on a bold robbery in the auction store on Charlotte street about opposite the Dufferin Hotel yesterday afternoon.

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ST. JOHN ORANGEMEN FOR FREDERICTON

Provincial Demonstration There on the Glorious Twelfth.

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PROBATE COURT.

Mrs. Harry L. Godson of Montreal has been appointed guardian of her infant children, Erma and Helen, who are legatees under the will of their grandfather, the late J. Amos Godson.

SPECIAL SHOWING AT M. R. A. S. OF HOLIDAY MILLINERY.

Mid-summer hats are now in demand and this special display for week-end shoppers will be found interesting considering the attractiveness of the values offered.

Dainty Summer Dresses at Popular Prices.

F. A. Dykeman has just received by express a large number of the latest creations in ladies' voils and girly dresses.

FIRE SALE OF WRINGERS With Frames Somewhat Discolored by Smoke. These wringers passed through the recent fire in the Eastern Steamship Company's warehouse, but are in perfect working order.

Macaulay Bros. & Co., King Street, St. John, N. B. Special Window Display and Sale This Friday Day and Evening — OF — Men's Neckties in all the New Shapes 50 cents each for choice of one of the best collections ever put on sale by us.

Emerson & Fisher Ltd. Stores Open 8.30, Close 6 o'clock; Fridays 10 p. m. Saturdays 1 p. m. Special Showing of Mid-Summer and Holiday Hats in the Millinery Salon.

Boys' and Youths' Furnishings SUITABLE FOR THE HOLIDAYS HIGH-GRADE SHIRTS, large and roomy bodies, carefully made and perfect fitting.

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