

THE WEATHER

Toronto, May 1.—Pressure is lowest in the Pacific States and British Columbia and very high over the Upper Lakes and in Manitoba. The weather has been fair in nearly all portions of the Dominion, and for the most part cool.

Vancouver	44	50
Kamloops	43	50
Calgary	26	53
Brice Albert	30	56
Toronto	41	48
Ottawa	50	46
Montreal	50	62
Quebec	42	56
Halifax	34	58

Forecast

Maritime—Moderate to fresh northeasterly to northerly winds fair; not much change in temperature.

Northern New England—Fair Monday and Tuesday; no change in temperature; fresh northeast to north winds.

AROUND THE CITY

CUSTOMS MEN AWAY.
Wm. Campbell and W. G. Haslan left Saturday afternoon for Ottawa to attend a meeting of the Dominion Customs Officers' Association.

WEEK END ARRESTS.
Three drunks were arrested by the police Saturday and two protectionists enjoyed the hospitality of the city. Two more drunks were arrested on Sunday.

SPRING CLEANING.
The annual spring house cleaning has begun at police headquarters and the chief's office, and the hallway leading to the guard room is gleaming under a fresh coat of paint.

APRIL BANK CLEARINGS.
St. John bank clearings in April were \$12,283,310; last year, \$14,952,029. Halifax clearings this month were \$17,331,622. In Moncton they were \$4,945,521.

AT STONE CHURCH.
Rev. E. P. Wright, of St. Luke's church, conducted the service at St. John's (Stone) church last evening. Rev. Canon Kilgus was the preacher at St. Luke's church in the evening.

WON SOFA CUSHION.
The sofa cushion donated by Mrs. H. B. Curry for the benefit of the Memorial Home on Wright street was won by Miss Rita Tapley, Holley street, ticket No. 75. The sum of \$20 was realized through the lottery.

PANTRY SALE.
The Ladies' Aid of the Central Baptist church conducted a very successful pantry sale Saturday in the lobby of the Imperial Theatre. The sale was under the general convener'ship of Mrs. J. H. Bond, who was ably assisted by a committee composed of Mrs. Z. G. Allwood, Mrs. L. A. Bell, and Mrs. M. E. Campbell.

VITAL STATISTICS.
The number of deaths in the city during the week ending Saturday is less than for the same past, there being only sixteen, from the following causes: Senility, three; diphtheria, three; myocarditis, three; pneumonia, chronic nephritis, cardiac renal disease, acute stenosis, cancer of liver, broncho pneumonia, pulmonary tuberculosis, one each.

Six marriages were solemnized in the city last week. During the same period twenty-three births were reported—twelve boys and eleven girls.

SATURDAY'S MARKETS.
Prices obtaining at the city market Saturday morning were about the same as those of last week with a few cents variation here and there. Beef was 18c to 20c; pork 20c to 22c; ham and bacon 25c to 28c; chicken 70c; fowl 60c; turkey 60c; eggs 30c to 35c; potatoes 40c; turnips 25c; parsnips 40c; carrots 30c; apples 40c to 45c; lettuce 30c to 35c; parsley 30c; tomatoes 40c; cucumbers 25c; each; egg 30c to 35c; rib 15c; maple sugar 45c; maple syrup 40c.

AUCTION SALES.
Twelve shares of Bank of Nova Scotia were sold by auction at Chubb's corner Saturday morning at \$25.50 a share. The purchaser was Dr. F. K. Taylor, K. C. The par value of the shares is \$100 and they pay 16 percent. The latest market quotation was \$25. This is considered one of the highest quotations for bank stock on the continent.

A bid of \$3,000 from the window of the Pagley Building by L. P. D. Tiley purchased the freehold property in Garden street belonging to the estate of the late Mr. James Gerow. The sale was made by Auctioneer Potts at Chubb's corner.

WATER TRUCK BROKE THROUGH BROAD ST.

The new city motor water truck performed excellent work Saturday night when it flushed all the paved streets, putting them in a very clean appearance for Sunday. Not contented, it started out yesterday, not as a flusher, but as a sprinkler and was doing great work laying the dust until 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon when it came to the corner of Broad and Sydney streets. At this place the street had been under repair, and a sewer manhole, and without warning the rear wheel on the right side broke through the surface and sunk in a hole about four feet in circumference and much deeper. The body of the truck prevented it from going further. The driver and assistant jumped to safety, as it was feared the truck would be turned over. A crowd of public works employees were soon on the scene, and with jacks and lumber, the machine was lifted out of the hole, but was not able to proceed to the repair shop before six o'clock. Very little damage was done to the truck and it will be in commission again today.

The large hole in the street was fenced off for the night and will be filled in this morning.

Mother and Daughter Take Novel Voyage

"Hjeltenes" Has Two Passengers Besides Record Lumber Cargo from This Port.

When the big five-masted schooner "Hjeltenes," the vessel that had been lying at the McLeod wharf, foot of Duke street, for the last month, sailed for Queenstown on Saturday afternoon she carried two Chatham ladies, mother and daughter, who are taking a novel ocean voyage. The two were anxious to visit friends in the old land so they were signed on as members of the crew of the Norwegian vessel and sailed away on a schooner carrying the largest deck load of lumber that ever left the port. For the next twenty days or so they will have nothing to do but sit on the lumber pile and enjoy the ocean.

Return On Same Ship

When the schooner arrives at Queenstown they will go ashore and proceed to their friends in the usual way. Then the "Hjeltenes" will continue her voyage to some continental port to unload. She is to make a second trip to St. John this summer, and on the return she will pick up the two ladies at Queenstown and bring them home.

The schooner carried 1,135 standard of timber, 2,200,000 feet, and had a deck load of fourteen feet, or about 800,000 feet. She made a fine picture as she spread her sails beyond the island and started off on her ocean trip.

Central Baptist Had Banner Year

Rev. F. H. Bone Celebrated His First Anniversary—Reports Biggest Year.

The biggest year in the history of Central Baptist church was reported by the pastor, Rev. F. H. Bone, who yesterday celebrated the first anniversary of his pastorate at that place of worship. Special services were held both morning and evening with a large attendance at both. In the morning the pastor took as his subject: "Observations, Reflections and Conclusions." In the evening the subject was "Forward." Fine music was rendered by the choir, under the direction of Professor Brander.

A unique feature of the morning service was the presentation by a layman, Deacon W. Chase, of the Ministers' Annuity Fund. Rev. F. H. Bone outlined a programme for the ensuing year, requiring an income of some \$18,000, and expressed in the most optimistic way the possibility of such an attainment.

In his pastoral report, Mr. Bone gave the following figures:—Pastoral calls, 92; sermons, 92; prayer meeting talks given, 46; funerals conducted, 13; baptisms, 14; marriages, 23; received into membership by baptism and letter, 23. The total income of the church was \$17,798.65. This included: For current expenses, \$6,200; for missions, approximately \$1,600; for the parsonage fund in cash and pledges, \$3,600.

Scouts Paraded To First Presbyterian

Fourth Troop, Looking Smart in New Uniforms, Were Addressed by Pastor.

Presenting a very smart appearance in their new uniforms, the 4th Troop of Boy Scouts paraded to the First Presbyterian church yesterday morning where they were addressed by their chaplain, Rev. Dr. J. A. Mori. The troop, which was connected with the First Presbyterian church was under Scout Master Walter W. Allingham and Assistant Scout Master S. Williamson. They were accompanied by St. John's Anglican church troop, under Scout Master Stanley Olive. There was a splendid turnout of both troops. The offering at the service was taken up by members of the scouts.

The service included Scripture readings by the pastor, the first Psalm and the second chapter of St. Paul's Epistle to Titus. In his sermon Dr. Mori took for his subject "The Pine Tree." He pointed out that in the official handbook of the Scouts of the six hundred pages, over one quarter are devoted to nature and one page entirely taken up by the Pine Tree. The preacher drew lessons of courage and cheerfulness from this tree, illustrating by examples of great nation builders who were men of courage. In referring to the duty of cheerfulness as shown by the Pine Tree's evergreen, Dr. Mori said that it is a scout rule to be cheerful under ever ydismal pointment, to whistle and smile and overcome difficulties. In stating that it had been intended to hold the service last Sunday, he said that naturally he would then have dwelt upon the character of St. George the patron saint of the Boy Scouts, as well as of all Englishmen and essentially a man of courage.

Yesterday was Rev. Dr. Mori's first appearance in church after his recent illness, and he was heartily welcomed by his parishioners.

THE SQUAW'S HARVEST

Perhaps it is but fitting that the lordly Redman, who has been robbed of his inheritance by the interloping White man, should get back some of the things he has lost. This seems to have been what induced two of Indian maids who came to the city recently with large baskets of May flowers for sale. The average citizen approached with a stick or dime, to purchase some of the flowers, and a disdainful stare, one quarter of a dollar was what the maidens asked for the combined labor of themselves and old Dame Nature.

Salmon Pond To Be Discontinued

Fisheries Dept. Has Definitely Decided to Discontinue It Because of Disagreement.

In an interview with E. B. Elkin, M. P., who arrived in the City from Ottawa Saturday, he stated that, in view of the attitude of the St. John harbor fishermen, the Department of Marine and Fisheries had definitely decided to discontinue operations at the St. John Salmon Retaining Pond. The fish cultural operations at pond commenced about 20 years ago. The salmon were purchased from the St. John harbor weirs during the summer fishing and transferred to the pond where they were retained until the fall when they were stripped of their eggs and then liberated, the eggs being transferred to the St. John hatchery on the Loch Lomond road, hatched and the resultant fry distributed in the lakes and tributary waters of the St. John and Kennebecasis rivers.

Ignore Regulations.

Until last year, he said, the local fishery overseer held the dual positions of fishery overseer and officer in charge of the salmon pond and while it was contrary to the fishing regulations and without notifying the Department, these officers disregarded the regulations and permitted the fishermen to fish their weirs on Sunday, a fact, had it been known to the Department, would have meant summary dismissal of the officials.

Changes Made.

Last year, Mr. Elkin said, supervision of the salmon pond, was placed under the direction of the officer in charge of the hatchery and an experienced official was sent from Ottawa to effect the transfer of the equipment and to give the officer preliminary instructions. As the pond had been constructed before the question of Sunday fishing arose, the Department of Fisheries granted the fishermen the privilege of fishing their weirs on Sunday.

Regulations Now Clear.

The regulations prohibiting Sunday fishing in any manner or form are distinctly set forth in the Fisheries Act and are enforced throughout the country. Therefore, the Department takes the stand that it cannot and will not discriminate, and while it is endeavoring to close the St. John pond which has been operated so successfully for so long, the fact which prompted Chief Justice Hazen when Minister of Marine and Fisheries to have a first class hatchery erected and operated on the outskirts of the City for the sole benefit of the commercial fishermen, in view of the attitude of the harbor fishermen who, with one exception, refuse absolutely to sell their fish to the pond unless they are allowed to fish their weirs on Sunday, there is no other course left open to the Department.

Inspector S. J. Walker, of the Fishery Department, who has been here some days negotiating with the fishermen is registered with the hospital. He will direct the shipment of the equipment at the pond and proposes leaving for Ottawa Wednesday evening.

Cases Dealt With In Police Court

Woman Prisoner Ordered to the Hospital—Hearing of Opium Charge.

Five prisoners were charged in the police court Saturday; judgement was delivered in several cases, and others were set over for further hearing. Two drunks pleaded guilty and were remanded, the third of the trio of drunks who spent the night in the cells, a woman, did not appear in court, but was ordered to the hospital by Dr. Dunlop.

A fine of \$8 was allowed to stand against Arthur McLean and Edward Chisholm charged with allowing mud and straw to fall from their teams in Charlotte and Union streets.

William Ward, charged with exceeding the speed limit in Main street was fined \$10.

James Elliott and Stewart Campbell charged with lying and lurking in a field of Thorne avenue, and resisting arrest, pleaded guilty to the first charge, but denied any resistance. A further charge was preferred against Campbell, that of escaping from "lawful custody." Policeman Lindsay told of the resistance. Remanded.

Fred Roberts, charged with stealing from Chas. MacDonald; George White charged with obtaining money under false pretences, and the six young men charged with stealing a horse and carriage from James McCarthy, were all remanded.

Harry Roop, charged with acting in suspicious manner in Drury Cove and carrying a concealed weapon, was let go.

Chas. Donaldson was remanded on charge of trespassing on O.N.R. property and stealing coal therefrom.

A case against David Trachberg charged with having opium in his possession was stood over to Monday for judgement. M. V. Padlock stated that the bottle examined by him contained opium, 40 or 50 grains to the ounce. Trachberg took the stand and stated that he had been given the bottle by a doctor, and that it was designed to rid him of the drug habit. Dr. F. R. Taylor, K. C., appeared for Dominion Health department, and J. A. Barry for the accused.

CANADIAN CLUB

Tonight at 8.15, Hon. N. W. Rowell will address the combined Canadian Clubs on the subject, "The League of Nations" at the Pythian Castle, Union street. Members admitted by card; tables 50 cents.

Deposit Colors of 115th In Trinity

Ceremony Performed in Presence of Officers and Men—Dedictory Sermon.

The old colors of the 115th battalion were deposited for safe keeping in Trinity Church yesterday morning with all the impressive ceremonial prescribed for the laying up of flags of a British regiment in a church. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a number of the former officers and men of the old C. E. F. unit, and was witnessed by a large congregation.

The Ceremony.

The adjutant, Capt. R. Ingleson, followed by the color party under the command of Lt. Col. G. S. Kinneer, of Sussex, seven officers of the unit, knocked on the door of the church and asked permission to enter. This was granted and the doors were opened by the church wardens. The adjutant then stated he had been commanded by Col. G. S. Kinneer, officer commanding the 115th battalion, to ask permission of the authorities to deposit the colors of the regiment in their church. The request was granted by the church wardens, and the band of the 62nd Fusiliers, the majority of whom formed the old 115th band, under the direction of Bandmaster Perdue, then played the National Anthem in slow time after which a procession consisting of the choir, the corporation, the officers of the regiment, the color party and the regiment, marched to the sanctuary.

Colors Accepted.

Col. Kinneer then requested the rector, Rev. R. A. Armstrong, to take the colors into safe keeping as a token of their gratitude to Almighty God by whom alone victory was secured, that in so doing the colors might provide a memorial to the men of all ranks who served under them, and that they might afford a patriotic inspiration to those who worshipped in the church. The rector accepted the colors which were handed to the majors, and by them to the church wardens who handed them separately to the rector, who after placing them on the altar, dedicated the flags in proud and loving memory of the fallen. The drummers then rolled and the drums and the buglers sounded the last post.

Dedictory Sermon.

A dedictory sermon by Canon Armstrong, was then preached and the service brought to a close with the playing of hymns used in the laying up of colors and standards. In deducing his sermon, Canon Armstrong took as his text "Lay it up before the Lord to be kept for your generations" Exodus 17:16.

He said that the underlying principle of the flag was lost in the dim recesses of antiquity. The most ancient traces of flags were found in Egypt, but they were also used by the Assyrians and the Israelites, amongst others. They were common with the Romans, and every legion had its own particular standard. The first flags of England were those worn on the banners of the Norman knights. It was not until the 12th century that the cross of St. George was adopted as the flag of England, and in the reign of James I the cross of St. Andrew was added. In 1801 the cross of St. Patrick was added, and the Union Jack was made the flag of the British Isles and Empire.

Aid to Religion.

Through all ages the powerful aid of religion was sought to give sanctity to national flags. The cross being introduced into the flag by the great Christian emperor, Constantine. It was eminently fitting, said the speaker, that our flag should have the distinction of a trinity of crosses, and that the church should be its depository. He drew the attention of those present to the many hallowed patriotic emblems housed in the sanctuary of Old Trinity, and said the other colors that had been laid to rest within its walls, the colors of the St. John City Militia laid up in 1890, and those of the 62nd St. John Fusiliers in 1903.

Canada's Part.

He spoke of the part taken by Canada in the war as an honorable and chivalrous one, and one in which the men of the 115th battalion played well their part. It was well that there should be thanksgiving now that the war was over, in perfect thanksgiving there could be no thanking but only goodwill. Having this in view he deprecated all references to slighting references to our neighbors to the south of us.

He reminded all present that in honoring the memory of the regimental standard, each one took upon himself a pledge to uphold the noble traditions and principles of those who enrolled beneath its folds, and fought and died for it.

Officers Present.

There were a number of former officers and men of the 115th present at yesterday's ceremony. Amongst the officers were Lt. Col. G. S. Kinneer, who through the death of the original commander of the battalion, Lt. Col. Wedderburn, has become its senior officer, the other officers present were, Major Scott of Fredericton, Major Short, Captain Warwick, Lt. Macdonald, M. O. Capt. Nisbet, Capt. Ingleson, acting adjutant, Lieut. McGowan, Lieut. Allingham, Lieut. Holder and Lieut. Furlong.

The colors of the battalion were originally presented to the battalion by the Daughters of the Empire, and accompanied the regiment overseas, after entraining at Valcartier, it embarked on the Olympic at Halifax and proceeded overseas, on the first trip the giant craft made after taking over the 140th.

On arriving in England the unit was sent to Bramshott camp where it was finally broken up and drafts from it sent to the various fighting units in France, a large number of the men being drafted into the 26th battalion and other N. B. and N. S. Units.

REAL MOVIES
in Your Home for \$9.90

Just think of it! Living Room and Nursery Movie shows to delight and instruct both juveniles and grown-ups alike. Same kind of pictures as in theatres—comedies, dramas, animated cartoons, travel pictures, in the home, with

THE PICTOGRAPH
which comes fully equipped, with three rolls of film, a strip of tickets, and everything ready to set up. Extra Films for you, anytime.

The Specially Reduced Price \$9.90
SEE OUR MARKET SQUARE WINDOW.

W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD. — HARDWARE MERCHANTS
Store Hours: 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Open Saturday (ill) 10 p.m.

The Heart of a Refrigerator

The food compartments are the most vital, hence they are the "heart of a refrigerator."

The enamelled compartments of the "La Favorite" make it so easy to clean, so easy to wipe out, no corners or cracks to fill up with particles of food.

All parts are removable, and can thus be thoroughly cleaned and will last a lifetime.

Call and see them or send for circular.

Emerson & Fisher Ltd.

Stores Open 8.30 a. m. Close 5.55 p. m. Saturday 10 p. m.

Beginning This Morning Big May Sale of All Wool Serges

Hundreds of yards to sell—Guaranteed Black and Navy, 56 and 58 in. wide.

These are the qualities you have been paying such big prices for the last few seasons. Beginning Monday morning and continuing all the week these serges will be sold at two Enormous Bargain Prices

\$2.75 and \$3.25 yd.

See Window Display. Sale in Dress Goods Section—(Ground Floor).

NEW SPRING RIBBONS ARE IN READINESS

Plain and fancy; wide and narrow; a suitable kind for everything for which ribbon is used. Some are gilded with metallic threads, others are in rich and striking patterns and color-blendings.

Among the many varieties you will find:

TRIMMING RIBBONS in stripes and brocades, embroidered in gold and silver threads. These are also lovely for Hand Bags, Sashes, etc.

STRIPES—CHECKS and DRESSEN HAIR RIBBONS, 4 1/2 to 6 in. wide, .45c to .55c, to \$1.55 yd.

NECKWEAR and MILLINERY RIBBONS—Narrow width in silk and finest effects; these are in attractive new color combinations.

SATINS, TAFFETAS and GROS GRAIN RIBBONS in a fine assortment of widths and shades.

LINGERIE RIBBONS plain and brocaded; also Cash's Cambric Wash Ribbons in white, pink and sky.

SPECIAL SALE of Taffeta Hair Ribbons in all shades—3 in., 20c. yd.; 4 in., 25c. yd.; 4 1/2 in., 35c. yd.; 5 in., 55c. yd.

(Ribbon Department—Annex.)

NEW HAND BAGS AND PURSES

Delightful shapes and colors for using with Spring and Summer Suits and Frocks.

Many of the most striking models were Made in France.

BROCADE SATIN BAGS are among the newest. They are in Swag, Strap Hand and Bag Shapes and are beautifully lined.

CORDED SILK BAGS have colored pipings, inserts of metallic brocade or a touch of colored embroidery. Showing in brown, blue, taupe and black.

BEADED BAGS are in very new color combinations, including "blue and henna; taupe, green and amber; blue and Steel; also iridescent effects.

OTHER FASHIONABLE BAGS and PURSES are showing in plain and patent leathers. There are Swag, ger styles, Strap Handbags, and Coin Purses in many smart variations.

Fancy Goods Section (Ground Floor)

Manchester Robertson Allison Limited
KING STREET • GERMAIN STREET • MARKET SQUARE.

CLIFTON HOUSE, ALL MEALS 60C.

LEAVES FOR TORONTO
Rev. Dr. David Hutchinson of Main street Baptist church leaves today for Toronto to attend the Baptist Foreign Mission Board. Next Sunday he preaches in his old church at Bramford, from there he will proceed to New York, where he will visit his daughter, Miss Enid, who is studying nursing at Mount Sinai. Yesterday Dr. Hutchinson began his seventeenth year as pastor of the Main street church; the services were well attended.

The convenience of Borden's St. Charles' or Jersey Milk "with the cream left in" does away with waste. Four slices—one for every purpose. At all grocers.

FISKE MEMORIAL FUND
The Hon. W. S. Fielding has sent \$5 to the Emma Fiske Memorial fund, while Miss Louise Knight and Miss M. B. Doherty have handed the secretary of the fund \$40.25 for the same purpose, the money being the proceeds of a concert given in Mission Hall by the Saturday Night Club and the King George Club.

CONFERENCE TODAY.
A conference between the city and officials of the Power Co. re the rails on Douglas Avenue will be held today.

TODAY
To each lady customer at opening of our Sanitary Fountain, Rosebud, Imperial Pharmacy, next Imperial Theatre.

CANDY PLANT FOR SALE GOING CONCERN
Owners desirous of leaving city. A good investment for anyone possessing a small amount of capital. If interested, apply without delay, P. O. Box 151, St. John, N. B.

CADILLAC MODELS.
The Smith Foundry Company, Fredericton is prepared to meet all necessary repairs in connection with Cadillac cars, and would be pleased to demonstrate the 1921 models, both closed and open cars.