

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Southwesterly winds; fair; not much change in temperature.

Toronto, April 10.—A disturbance which has moved down from the far north is centered tonight near Lake Superior, indicating unsettled conditions in the lake regions. The weather has been fair to day throughout Canada, except in the Lake Superior district, where light snow is falling tonight. It has been considerably colder in Ontario and Quebec.

Temperatures.

	Mfn.	Max.
Vancouver	46	62
Kamloops	36	70
Calgary	28	55
Edmonton	28	50
Battleford	24	44
Prince Albert	12	36
Medicine Hat	24	48
Moose Jaw	19	37
Regina	12	42
Winnipeg	20	39
London	25	45
Toronto	28	47
Ottawa	26	42
Montreal	24	42
Quebec	22	42
Halifax	34	44

AROUND THE CITY

Presentation.

Mrs. William J. Macaulay was waited upon by friends last evening at the home of Mrs. T. Burchill and was presented with a handsome gold bracelet. Miss Nellie Murphy made the presentation. Mr. and Mrs. Macaulay will leave shortly for Montreal where they will take up their residence.

Expect Good Season.

A. G. Turney, provincial horticulturist, was at the Victoria yesterday. Mr. Turney said there would be a good deal of planting of new trees in different parts of the province this year, and that apple growers were hoping for a successful season, as last year was an off season. Mr. Turney left for Fredericton yesterday evening.

Unravels Robbery Mystery.

Policeman James Sullivan unraveled an alleged robbery mystery yesterday. A citizen, who was moving his household goods from one dwelling to another, lost the fittings of a stove. He reported his loss to the police headquarters and Policeman Sullivan was sent out on the case. He traced the stove parts to a barn where two young boys had them stored away. They said they had found the iron on the street. The owner secured his property and the matter was settled.

IMPERIAL HEALTH CONFERENCE IN LONDON AN IMPORTANT EVENT

Subjects of Vital Interest to be Discussed by Prominent Hygienists—Canadians to Attend.

London, April 10.—Because of the vital questions to be discussed by hygienists from all parts of the Empire the Imperial health conference and exhibition to be held at the Imperial Institute from May 18th to 21st, promises to be of quite exceptional interest. Town planning, model dwellings and the care of child life form leading topics for discussion. Rt. Hon. Lewis Harcourt, secretary of the state for the Colonies will open the conference, following which an address will be given by Viscount Bryce, Dr. Helen McMurphy and Dr. John McCullough, of Toronto; Dr. Charles Hodgkiss and Mrs. Ninian Smillie, of Ottawa; Hon. Walter Scott, Premier of Saskatchewan, and Dr. John McLeod, of Sydney, N. S., will attend the conference as representatives of Canada, together with the agents general at London. The conference is being organized by the Victoria League, of which H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught is vice-president.

TWO CANDIDATES FOR THE OFFICE OF MAYOR

Ald. Falconer will be Opposed by Mayor Charles Morrissey—Lively Contest is Expected.

Newcastle, April 10.—James R. Brown, the single tax expert, lectured on taxation in St. James' Hall here last night under the auspices of the Presbyterian Men's Union. J. J. Anderson presided, and Mr. Brown spoke a little over an hour to a most pleased and interested audience.

Mr. Brown advocated abolition of all taxes but those on land, also public ownership of all public utilities that are or may possibly be monopolized, universal suffrage and abolition of all qualification for public offices, exactly the same platform upon which Ald. H. H. Stuart has for five successive years appealed to the people of Newcastle and on which he has been elected the past three years.

Ald. Falconer, nominated for the mayoralty a few days ago, will be opposed by Mayor Charles J. Morrissey, of the Minister of Public Works, who seeks re-election. A lively contest is promised.

BONDS

Special Turkey and Fish Supper at Bonds tonight, 5 to 7. Orchestral 8.30 to 11.30 o'clock.

ALLAN LINERS ARRIVE AFTER FINE VOYAGE

Victorian and Corinthian Report Heavy Fog off Cape Sable—Mail and Passengers Sent West.

After experiencing fairly good weather with little to detain them from keeping up to schedule time the Allan liners Victorian and Corinthian arrived in port yesterday morning carrying heavy passenger lists for this time of the year. The big steamers arrived in port within a short time of each other. The Victorian carrying the Royal mail came up to the harbor about 5 o'clock yesterday morning and stayed outside the island until nine o'clock, when she swung into her berth at Sand Point. The Corinthian steamed up the harbor at about six o'clock and later tied up at Long Wharf. The officers of both steamers report that during the voyage across the sea was a little rough for this time of the year, but that no exceptionally heavy seas or strong gales were met with, and that they were only delayed slightly by the fog which was encountered during the last two days of the voyage.

The Royal Mail boat Victorian sailed from Liverpool on the evening of April the first and experienced fine weather till she was off Cape Sable Island, when she ran into heavy fog. This kept up till ten o'clock on Thursday evening, when the fog cleared and she was able to make better time. The Victorian carried 1065 bags of mail and 340 packages of parcel post. Good time was made in handling this cargo at twelve o'clock all was taken off. In the passenger list she carried 35 saloon passengers, 407 second class and 506 steerage. The log reports the following runs daily: Left Liverpool, Thursday, 286; Friday, 266; Saturday, 282; Sunday, 326; Monday, 356; Tuesday, 340; Wednesday, 358 and Thursday, 353. A general cargo was carried to this port.

The Allan liner Corinthian, Captain R. G. Bamber, sailed from Liverpool via Havre, left port on March 26th, and made good time with the exception of the fog which was run into off Sable Island. She encountered the same heavy fog which the Victorian ran into on her trip across and slow time was made for the last two days of the voyage. The officers on this boat report that they met with no storms or exceptional seas and that there was nothing to delay the passage save the fog, which kept with them for twenty-four hours.

The passenger list included 89 second class and 275 steerage. A general cargo was carried by the Corinthian. Both the Allan liners which arrived in port yesterday were not far apart on their voyage across the ocean.

Eighty-five of the passengers from the steamer Victorian went west last evening on the 6.35 train and two carloads of mail and one of baggage were also taken out.

NEW FRENCH LOAN TO TURKEY IS APPROVED

France to Receive Certain Economic Advantages, Nature of which is not Divulged.

Paris, April 10.—The French government today signed an agreement approving of a new French loan to Turkey, according to a semi-official announcement. In return for the loan France is to be accorded certain economic advantages the nature of which has not yet been disclosed. The amount of the new loan and the terms on which it is to be issued also have been kept secret.

David Bey, former Turkish minister of finance, who has been engaged in negotiations for the loan in Paris for the past six months, is to leave shortly for Constantinople to arrange for the issue by the Sultan of a decree authorizing the transaction.

REPEAL MAY NOT REACH SENATE FOR TWO WEEKS

Washington, D. C., April 10.—Consideration by the Senate Committee on Inter-oceanic Canals of the proposed repeal of Panama Canal toll exemption for American ships was interrupted today by lack of witnesses, and further formal discussion of the issue was postponed until Monday.

It was apparent tonight that the tolls controversy probably would not get formally before the Senate in two weeks, and the general opinion prevails that the vote on the repeal will not be taken before June 1.

RESIGNS AS PUBLIC PROSECUTOR, GETS NEW JOB

Paris, April 10.—Victor Fabre, the chief public prosecutor, who resigned office in consequence of his connection with the posthumous trial of Henri Rochette, the man who is alleged to have carried out extensive swindles in France, was today appointed vice-president of the court of appeals at Aix-les-Bains.

A ST. JOHN SCHOLAR ON SHOALS DESCRIBES WORK AMONG UNFORTUNATES

J. L. Conrad went Ashore at Grand Manan—Tug Wasson will bring Vessel here.

Word reached the city yesterday of the stranding of the schooner J. L. Conrad at Grand Manan on the night of the ninth. The vessel went ashore on Cannons Ledge. The tug Wasson went down from St. John and the ship was floated yesterday afternoon. The hull was badly damaged and there was twelve feet of water in her hold. She will be towed to this port for repairs. She was bound from Galveston with a cargo of hard pine for St. John.

VOTE FOR SIX CANDIDATES AT ELECTION

Error or Misprint in the Ballots being Distributed in Business Offices and Homes.

It appears that some one is in error in the matter of the ballots being distributed to the citizens in voting in the primary elections on Tuesday next, and some confusion in regard to the number each individual is allowed to vote for in the primaries is apt to arise on account of certain ballots which have been circulated in some of the homes and business offices.

The Standard was informed last evening by one who had received one of the ballots in question, that in casting their votes in the primary election on next Tuesday they were called to vote for three of those who were running for the office. Such is not the case, for in voting on next Tuesday the ballot can be marked so as six of those running can be voted for by those casting the ballot. If the primaries only three could be voted for it is difficult to understand what would be the position of the voters in the final election.

While the instruction on the ballot reads that only three can be voted for on Tuesday, it is evidently a misprint or error in getting up the matter distributed, for it seems hardly possible that one running for the office of commissioner above all would be in mistake in regard to the matter of how the voting should be carried on. It is considered, however, that the printed matter may tend to mislead some of the voters, and they are advised that six candidates can be voted for in the primary elections on Tuesday.

UNION DEPOT A BUSY PLACE

Increase in Traffic very Noticeable—Yesterday's Rush Unusual—Many Passengers from Steamers

During the last year a steady increase in traffic has been noticeable at the Union Depot. To those whose duty calls them to the station the increase has been particularly noticeable during the few months which have just passed but yesterday the increase was in greater evidence than ever.

Speaking with a representative of The Standard yesterday afternoon L. R. Ross, terminal agent of the I. C. R., said that in all the years he had been at the depot he had never seen such a rush at the Easter season. At this time of the year it is customary for the traffic at the depot to be heavy but such a rush as was yesterday in evidence was something unusual. Each train going to and from the city appeared to be well filled and there was a continual hum during the whole day from early morning. A number of passengers of the Victorian who were travelling west on the 6.35 train tended to crowd the depot lobby and train shed and altogether the station gave the appearance of being a very busy centre.

L. P. D. Tiller, M. L. A., C. B. Lockhart, M. L. A., and Phillip Grannan, M. L. A., returned yesterday morning from Fredericton. Rev. P. J. Stackhouse and Mrs. Stackhouse passed through the city yesterday on their way to their home in Amherst.

A gorgeous display of high class goods at Gundry's, 79 King street.

DEATHS.

MATTHEWS—In this city on the 9th inst. Mary Olivia Matthews, wife of John Matthews, in the 67th year of age.

Funeral from the late residence on Saturday afternoon. Service at 2.30. Friends invited to attend.

DESCRIBES WORK AMONG UNFORTUNATES

Miss Marie Ratti in Interesting Address—Points Need of Action—Many in Attendance.

An interesting address on social service work among women was delivered by Miss Marie C. Ratti before a large meeting held in St. David's church last evening.

Rev. J. H. A. Anderson presided and the meeting was opened by a short service of prayer and song, including a solo by Miss Blenda Thompson. Miss Ratti gave an interesting account of her religious experiences which led her to take up work among fallen women. She said the work of the Salvation Army among unfortunate women was a reproach to the churches. Every time they heard the Salvation Army drum church people should be reminded that they had long neglected an important work which they were bound by the Bible to take up, that of trying to rescue the lost. Not until 1871 had such work been undertaken in the States, and it was only in 1911 that the first rescue home for girls had been started by the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

The lecturer said most of the fallen women were victims of circumstances and that as our civilization was a pretty poor affair it was the duty of society to use their influence and brought home to men the need of better laws. Continuing, the lecturer graphically described some features of her work among unfortunate women, and pointed out the possibilities of extending this line of endeavor.

MAY BEGIN REFINING THIS YEAR, SAYS ANSON

Managing Director of Atlantic Sugar Refinery, in City Inspecting the Work of Construction.

P. H. Anson, managing director of the Atlantic Sugar Refinery Company, arrived in the city yesterday, and spent the afternoon inspecting the work on the big plant at Lower Cove.

Mr. Anson said the company is rushing the construction of the refinery as fast as possible, and that considering the severity of the weather last winter fair progress had been made. The company hopes to be able to have the plant ready for refining operations this year.

THE BARGAIN EVENT OF THE SEASON

Few bargain events presenting such extraordinary saving opportunities as those offered in Douglas McArthur's April clearance sale of modern wall papers have been known to local shoppers in many years. Seldom, if ever before, has it been possible for thrifty buyers to procure popular prevailing patterns in wall papers, of the better grades at a fraction of regular selling prices.

As the subject of this sale is to secure display space, at the earliest possible moment, for other lines of goods that have just come to hand. The vast array of wall papers offered during this sale embraces an unusual wide variety of designs, colorings and prices, thus making possible an entire change in home surroundings at a very small outlay.

As the choicer patterns are going rapidly, intending purchasers should pay an early visit to Douglas McArthur's Bookstore, 84 King street.

For The Easter Trade. Choice roast beef, spring lamb, chickens, turkeys, fowl; also a large assortment of early vegetables, including tomatoes, cucumbers, cauliflower, spinach and radishes. O'Neill Bros. City Market, Phone M. 207.

Everybody's after business, and it's the man who does it in a business-like way who gets it. Have your letters typewritten on a Smith Premier or Remington and be business-like. A. Milne Fraser, (J. A. Little, Mgr.), 37 Dock street, St. John, N. B.

For The Easter Table. O'Neill Bros. are displaying at their stall, City Market, a large stock of their special cured O. N. B. brand of hams and bacon. O'Neill Bros., City Market, Phone M. 207.

THE PRINCE WILLIAM HOTEL. Vote for Brown and free tolls on the ferry.

PARK HOTEL, KING SQUARE. Civic Election. See Candidate Fisher's card on another page. Examine his platform. Vote for him.

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2 lb. Tins,	- 24c	1-2 gal. Cans,	- 93c
		1 gal. Cans,	- \$1.80

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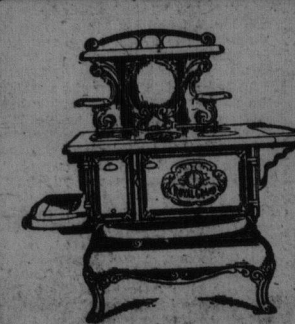
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REYNIER—One-dome, Pique, in white, white and black stitched, black, white stitched. Pair \$1.50

REYNIER—Three-dome, black and colors. Pair \$1.50

REYNIER—Suede gloves—Black, tans, greys. Pair \$1.40

PERRIN—CAPE GLOVES—Tans. Pair .. \$1.00

PERRIN—KID GLOVES—Black and colors. Pair \$1.35

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ENGLISH DOE GLOVES—Eight-button length. Pair \$1.65

Twelve-button length. Pair \$2.25

Sixteen-button length. Pair \$2.75

CHAMOIS GLOVES—One-dome. Pair \$1.10

CHILD'S CAPE GLOVES—Pair 60c, 65c.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' CAPE GLOVES. Pair 60c, 75c, \$1.20

MISSIE'S KID GLOVES. Pair 90c.

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THE

SYNOPSIS OF CHAPTER

Kathlyn Hare believes her life is in dire peril in Tilaha, a remote village in the mountains of the King of Allaha, has received the Colonel had once saved him as his successor. Umballa, throne of Allaha, loves Kathlyn, message summoning her to his throne in prison. She has thrown into prison. She has thrown into prison. She has thrown into prison.

On her arrival in Allaha she finds that her father is dead. An elaborate funeral is held. Kathlyn is a girl of great beauty and is the object of the admiration of many. She is married to a man named John. She is a girl of great beauty and is the object of the admiration of many. She is married to a man named John. She is a girl of great beauty and is the object of the admiration of many. She is married to a man named John.

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