

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Fresh west and northwest winds, fine with much the same temperature.

Toronto, Oct. 21.—The highest pressure has been transferred to the northward of the Great Lakes and a disturbance is now forming over the western states. The same weather has prevailed from Manitoba to the Maritime Provinces, while in Saskatchewan and Alberta it has become a little cooler and some showers have occurred.

Temperatures.

	Min.	Max.
Dawson	25	35
Victoria	46	54
Vancouver	48	54
Kamloops	38	54
Calgary	28	50
Battleford	30	46
Prince Albert	26	44
Swift Current	24	44
Woods Bay	31	41
London	42	75
Toronto	42	75
Kingston	42	68
Ottawa	50	76
Montreal	52	70
Quebec	42	58
St. John	42	58
Halifax	32	64

Around the City

Market Gardening.
The Board of Trade has received an enquiry from Hamilton, Ont., with respect to the opportunities for market gardening here.

The Breakwater.
The Globe last evening said: "The Maritime Dredging Company's tender for the breakwater extension to Partridge Island, is reported the lowest, therefore the successful one. Work will not likely be started until next year."

Fire Yesterday
Responding to an alarm from box No. 48 yesterday morning at 11.30 the fire department extinguished a fire in the city asphalt plant, Sheffield street. The fire started from a tower in which hot sand was stored. The damage was slight.

Will Come I. C. R.
In future all shipments of horses to the remount depot here will be made over I. C. R. The reason for the change is that the C. P. R. lines pass through the State of Maine, and the United States government objects to the shipment of horses for war purposes through their territory.

Exciting Runaway
An exciting runaway took place on Main street Wednesday morning, when a horse owned by Mr. James Belyea took fright and bolted. As it was rounding the corner of Main and Eight streets Edwin McCluskey ran out and risking personal injury caught the frightened animal's bridle and brought it to a stop. No one was injured and no damage done.

Trafalgar Day
Trafalgar Day passed quietly in St. John. Flags were displayed at the head of nearly every flagstaff in the city, but the demonstrations usual on the anniversary of the day on which England became mistress of the seas, were lacking on account of the war now in progress. Mention of the day and the battle of Trafalgar was made in the city schools but there were no special exercises.

Belgian Relief Fund
The following subscriptions to the Belgian Relief Fund were received by Mayor Frink:
Hove and Emery \$10.00
Master Ronald Mackinnon 2.00
Belgian Fund 1.20
James I. Vanars, Treasurer 1.00
Cove, Kings county, ple social 36.00
F. C. Lemmon, Plaster Rock 1.00
J. A. Caswell, N. D., Gasqueton 20.00
Miss Emily M. Goodwin 10.00
Mrs. George McGee, Back 1.00
Bay, N. B. 60.00

Looking for Adopted Son
A man named McDonald who resides in the county was in the city last evening looking for a youth who was adopted by him and has resided at his home for a number of years. He states that the young fellow left the home early yesterday morning and up till last night had not been heard from. Shortly after the young fellow left home it was found that \$58 had been stolen.

Returning to Canada
It was reported last night that another lot of soldiers will arrive in the city this week from Bermuda. It is said that these men who are returning are well fit for duty but have left the service owing to some misunderstanding after they reached Halifax. They are men who were taken from Camp Valcartier some weeks ago and stationed at Prospect Barracks at Hamilton to do garrison duty in place of the Imperial regiment, which was sent to the front. It was further said last night that the men who went to the West Indies were not sworn in for garrison duty and on account of this they cannot be held, and not being satisfied with the arrangements they are returning to Canada.

Dividends
Shareholders in the St. John Railway Company yesterday received checks for the quarterly dividend declared by the company. The amount represented six per cent. per annum. Shareholders in St. John of La Rose Consolidated Mines received checks for their quarterly dividends also yesterday. This company paid 2 1/2 per cent. this time. The report sent out with the checks showed the gross earnings for the first eight months of 1914 to be \$154,909, while the quarterly dividend amounted to \$130,500. Much new work will be undertaken by this company during the coming year. A new shaft will be sunk on La Rose extension and search will be made on the surface vein. After the present one underground works have been exhausted prospecting will be carried on.

**POTATOES FOR MOTHERLAND
BEST PROVINCE COULD GIVE**

All packed and ready and will be shipped Saturday or Monday—Carefully selected and represent the best New Brunswick can produce.

New Brunswick's contribution to the Empire, one hundred thousand bags of potatoes, is now practically ready for shipment. The vessel carrying this gift to the old country will sail on Saturday or Monday loaded with the entire consignment. In addition to this the provincial government, through the Department of Agriculture, has already forwarded to Halifax fifteen thousand bags of potatoes as a gift to the suffering Belgians, these potatoes to be loaded on the steamer which sails from Halifax with the goods from Nova Scotia. A representative from the department went along with this shipment to see that it is properly handled.

New Brunswick's gift to the motherland is unquestionably the finest shipment of potatoes ever sent out of this province, from St. John or any other port. The potatoes were purchased through the efforts of the department from different parts of the province, although naturally, quite a large proportion came from St. John river points. The Department of Agriculture outlined to all potato growers and dealers the kind of goods required and the result has been a collection of potatoes which any agricultural province might be proud. Certain shipments were received here from various parts of the country which on inspection did not come up to the requirements of the department, and have been returned to the senders.

Hon. J. A. Murray, Secretary for Agriculture, spent all day Tuesday at the potato warehouse in St. John inspecting the potatoes and the methods of handling them. From what he observed that day Mr. Murray unhesitatingly declares that no finer shipment of potatoes ever went out of St. John, and he doubts very much whether a better lot could be got together anywhere. "The people who sold these potatoes to us," said Mr. Murray, "knew very well what was required, that our department would accept nothing which was not absolutely first class. The result was that by far the greater portion of the stock received was well up to the standard, although in a few cases certain inferior stock was submitted to us and refused. The potatoes have been received in St. John in bulk. They have been handled in our warehouse by the employees of our department, have been graded, all the small ones taken out, and through a series of inspections every faulty potato has been removed. They have been packed in barrels or bags and stored in the warehouse. At intervals selections have been taken from these bags and barrels, unpacked and if any of the potatoes appeared to be faulty they have been gone over a second time and such potatoes removed. On Tuesday I spoke with a number of expert potato men on the West Side, and without exception, they expressed the opinion that the work done by the staff of the Department of Agriculture in bringing this shipment together is deserving of praise and that the shipment itself is beyond criticism. New Brunswick should be proud of the fact that it is able to produce and to send to the old country such a shipment of potatoes as is now going forward."

**FISH INDUSTRY IS
FLOURISHING**

Action of Government tended to greatly increase markets in interior—Charlotte and St. John Counties.

The sardine fishermen of Charlotte and St. John counties have had a very profitable season, and as for the fishermen of Nova Scotia, they have made about a normal catch, according to information said Wm. Found, of Ottawa, superintendent of fisheries for the Dominion who was at the Royal yesterday.

Mr. Found said that there had in the last few years been a great increase in the amount of fresh fish marketed in Canada, and while the department over which the Hon. J. D. Hazen presides did not claim that they alone were responsible for this development, they felt that the policy of the department in paying one-third of the express charges had contributed largely to the growth of this business, and had showed the fish merchants the possibilities of finding a market for fish in the interior cities of Canada. The Dominion Fisheries Department made arrangements a few years ago, with the idea of encouraging the fishing interests to increase their market in Canada, whereby it pays one-third of the express charges on fish shipped from Maritime ports to any point this side of the Manitoba boundary, and also makes the same payment on fish shipped from the Pacific coast as far east as the western boundary of Ontario. As a result of this policy the fish business has been on a scale to more than justify the policy of the department. Some companies have already established connections enabling them to ship fish to interior points by car load lots, and to that extent are independent of the assistance granted by the Fisheries Department.

Speaking of the recent action of the Canadian government in making an announcement that it would not continue its offer of entering into an agreement with the United States in regard to the international regulation of certain phases of the fisheries, Mr. Found said it would make no change in the policy which Canada has pursued in the past. Some years ago a conference drew up a set of regulations mainly designed to promote the conservation of the fisheries, and the intention that the different governments should adopt legislation providing for the enforcement of these regulations among the fishermen of the different nations. The Canadian government adopted legislation which would have secured the enforcement of these regulations, but it was provided that these regulations should only be enforced when the United States government adopted similar legislation. Some years have passed without the United States government adopting legislation giving effect to the policies agreed to by its own representatives, and the Canadian government has reluctantly withdrawn its legislation ratifying that agreement.

Mr. Found has been on a trip through parts of the Maritime Provinces interviewing the fisheries inspectors who are under his general jurisdiction.

While declining to express an opinion as to the commercial outlook for the fisheries, Mr. Found said he did not think the recent slump of prices of fish in the West Indies was due mostly to local conditions. He thought the market would find the Canadian market this winter well worthy of any attention they could give it.

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At \$1.00.—Night Dress.—High neck and long sleeves, yoke of tucks, neck and sleeves and down front trimmed with fine Hamburg embroidery.
At \$1.15.—Night Dress.—Mercerized lawn, with wide Swiss embroidery, beading; wide wash ribbons on neck and sleeves.
At \$1.15.—Night Dress.—Cambric, high neck and long sleeves, yoke of tucks and Hamburg insertion; neck and sleeves edged with frill of embroidery.
At \$1.25.—Night Dress.—Something entirely new in allover embroidery, pointed low neck, yoke, ribbons; sleeves trimmed with embroidery.
At \$1.50.—Night Dress of fine mercerized lawn, trimmed with lace insertion, Swiss insertion, beading and wide ribbon, narrow beading and ribbon around neck; neck and sleeves edged with lace, bow of ribbon on sleeves.
At \$1.50.—Night Dress.—Fine Nainsook, buttoned front, low neck, tucks down front; sleeves finished with Swiss insertion, beading and ribbon.
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At 30c.—Corset Cover in Cambric, trimmed with pretty wide imitation Chiny lace with ribbons.
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At 55c.—Corset Cover—Nainsook, trimmed with Swiss beading, insertion, wash ribbon; sleeves edged with line lace.
At 75c.—Corset Cover—Allover embroidery, ribbon; sleeves edged with line lace.
At 75c.—Corset Cover—Trimmed with two rows Val. insertion, one row Swiss insertion, beading and ribbon; neck and sleeves edged with lace.
At \$1.00.—Corset Cover—Handsome design, fancy front of medallions, edged with Val. lace, wide Val. insertion, beading and ribbon; edged neck and sleeves with lace.
Many other Corset Covers at prices ranging to \$4.00.
Also Camisoles for the Sheer Waists, in pink, pale blue and white, made with wide ribbons and shadow lace; very attractive. Each \$2.50.
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At 40c.—Cambric frill, tucked, edged with line lace.
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At 55c.—Nainsook, tucks, with fine embroidery.
At 75c.—Nainsook, knicker legs, one row lace insertion, embroidery, beading, wash ribbon edged with line lace.
At 95c.—Very fine Nainsook, tucks, frill Swiss embroidery.
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We are now showing some very choice select Ten Aprons, the very latest novelties. Priced from 35c. to 95c.

**YOUNG MEN QUICKLY
RESPOND TO WAR CALL**

Officers of Artillery and 62nd receiving many applications for foreign service although instructions as to recruiting have not yet been received.

Since announcement was made at Ottawa that the Canadian government offers to raise a second expeditionary force had been accepted by the Imperial authorities, a large number of men have presented themselves at the armory and volunteered for foreign service. The officers of the 62nd Regiment have not yet received definite instructions as to the recruiting of men for foreign service, but they are taking the names and addresses of all who wish to volunteer, and will notify them as soon as they receive orders as to when they can be signed on and placed on the pay list.

The officers of the Artillery Regiment are receiving applications from men who wish to enlist for foreign service and are taking on all the men who present themselves.

Considering the short time that has elapsed since definite word was sent out from Ottawa that a second Canadian contingent would be sent to the front, the local militia officers are very much gratified at the way the young men of the city have come forward and volunteered for service on the Empire's battle line.

**DR. HERRIDGE
SPOKE ON WAR**

Members of Canadian Club heard gifted speaker yesterday.

"Canada and the War" was the subject of an address by Rev. Dr. Herridge before members of the Canadian Club in Bond's Cafe at noon yesterday.

Seldom has the club listened to so inspiring a speech, and the members frequently testified their appreciation by hearty applause. In opening Dr. Herridge pointed out that England was not responsible for the war in Europe; that, indeed, she had tried to prevent it. Then he referred to the part which Canada is so well taking, and he showed that she is only doing her duty, for what did she not owe to the Empire at this moment? In glowing language he urged Canadians to maintain high ideals. He dwelt on the necessity of unity in this country, and as an illustration he pointed to the speech made by John E. Redmond in the British House of Commons, and the answer given by the Irish people. The greatest industry in Canada is the manufacture of men, he said, and he called upon Canadians to be upright and pure of heart. Dr. Herridge's peroration was very eloquent and evoked a burst of applause.

On motion of His Worship the Mayor, seconded by R. B. Emerson, a vote of thanks was tendered Dr. Herridge and after God Save the King had been sung the gathering broke up.

The attendance was unusually large. In the absence of the president, Mr. R. O'Brien occupied the chair.

PERSONAL

Miss May Lawson of Buctouche, is visiting Mrs. E. S. Hennigar, Orange street.

Mrs. Walter Morris of St. John is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Ryan.

J. Fraser Gregory of St. John is at the Queen Hotel—Fredericton Glenora.

G. A. Hilyard of St. John is in the city at the Brunswick—Moncton Times.

Rev. J. A. Francis, pastor of Clarence street Baptist church, Boston, came in on the Boston train yesterday.

Hon. William Pugsley removed yesterday from Rothesay to his town residence, at Chipman Hill.

Judge Landry was at the Royal yesterday.

Hon. J. A. Murray was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. A. R. Slipp of Fredericton was in the city yesterday.

**ANOTHER TRADE
OPPORTUNITY**

This week's report of the Department of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa, has the following to say with reference to Australia's trade in cement and plaster of Paris:

In 1912, Australia imported 2,602,792 cwt. (of 112 lbs.) of cement (Portland) to the value of £261,680. Of the quantity stated, Germany was the country of origin of 1,293,456 cwt., valued at \$144,564, while Belgium contributed 269,700 cwt., valued at \$25,879. Favorable freight rates and the quality of brands established on the market for many years were contributing factors to this trade. Australian manufacturers of cement have notified an increased output but when present stocks of imported cement are exhausted there should be a market available for Canadian manufacturers, established near shipping port, to exploit.

In 1912, the imports of plaster of Paris, approximately, were 251,051 cwt., valued at £33,204, of which Germany contributed 116,655, valued at \$17,184. This item is of particular interest to the manufacturers of plaster of Paris in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, one brand of which is being exported favorably recognized in Australia. The buyer must be dealt with to meet the requirements of the trade and any pink shade in the material will condemn it.

TRYING TIMES

With these trying times there is at least one firm in St. John that is endeavoring to enlighten the spirits of the people in the great sale of high class furs and high class tailored suits which are being disposed of at half price this week at F. A. Dykeman & Co.'s store. People who thought they would have to go without these necessities this fall are having their wishes satisfied at a very small outlay, and are really profiting by the extreme trade conditions which are prevailing in the manufacturing centers of Canada. \$85.00 muskrat coat of very fine quality for \$52.50, \$25.00 suits for \$12.50, and all others in the same proportion.

Pic Social and Dance.
A very successful pic social was held in the Orange Hall at Whitehead, on Thursday, October 15th. The sum of thirty dollars and thirty cents was realized, which sum is for the Belgian Relief Fund. After the pic were sold and eaten dancing indulged in. The money there was also a quantity of clothing and potatoes sent from the same place to the Belgians.

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