

## THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Fine, higher temperature.  
 Toronto, Ont., March 11.—Fine weather has been general today throughout Canada with unusually mild conditions prevailing in the Western Provinces.  
 Winnipeg—28, 35.  
 Port Arthur—28, 35.  
 Parry Sound—10, 36.  
 London—17, 37.  
 Toronto—20, 38.  
 Ottawa—16, 32.  
 Montreal—16, 32.  
 Quebec—1, 30.  
 St. John—16, 32.  
 Halifax—16, 34.  
 New England Forecast.  
 Washington, D. C., March 11.—Forecast: Fair in North, unsettled in South portion Saturday and Sunday probably fair, moderate each and southeast winds.

## AROUND THE CITY

## Injured at Sand Point.

John Cook, a longshoreman employed at No. 4 shed, was slightly injured by some iron falling on him yesterday. He was treated by Dr. P. L. Kenney at the emergency hospital and was able to proceed to his home on Short street.

## Courtenay Bay Harbor Line.

Owners of property in Courtenay Bay who claimed that their rights were being interfered with by the bill promoted by the Maritime and Inland Navigation Company, received word from Fredericton yesterday that owing to the measure not having been introduced in time it would probably not be considered at this session of the legislature. They feel confident of being able to kill the bill.

## Dividend of 16 Cents.

At a meeting of the creditors of Mr. Joseph Danaher, held in the office of Mr. G. H. V. Bolyard, assignee yesterday afternoon, a statement was submitted showing a dividend of 16 cents on the dollar. Mr. Geo. S. Shaw represented the Money Penny Company, of Montreal, and Mr. E. S. Ritchie, the McDougall Company, of Toronto, the principal creditors.

## Berrymans' Hall Transfer.

Mr. F. G. Spencer has completed negotiations to secure a ten years lease of the Berrymans' building, corner of Charlotte and Princess streets. Extensive alterations will be made and it is expected that tenders will be called in a few days. The hall now occupied by the Women's Exchange will be taken to provide an entrance to the theatre.

## Y. M. C. A. Entertainment.

An excellent programme has been arranged for the entertainment to be given in the Y. M. C. A. on Monday evening, under the auspices of the Ladies Auxiliary. The programme will include musical numbers, torch swinging pyramids and an Indian hutches drill, the latter to be given by young ladies in Indian costume. There will also be 40 tableaux representing scenes from Longfellow.

## In the Police Court.

In the police court yesterday Harold Olapay and Louis Gorman, two boys charged with stealing a quantity of lead from the team of Louis Drita yesterday pleaded guilty and were allowed to go on suspended sentence. Geo. Scott was arrested on a charge of being a stowaway on the C. P. R. steamship Monmouth. Ernest Howes, proprietor of the Park Hotel, has been reported for selling liquor during prohibited hours. Owing to the illness of Mr. Howes the case has been postponed until Monday.

## Fell and Lay Unconscious.

Mrs. John H. Walker, 149 King St. E., is confined in her home as a result of injuries sustained by falling in her yard some days ago. Mrs. Walker was the first to rise in the morning and went into the yard for some reason. Falling she was rendered unconscious and lay for some time before she revived. At length she attracted the attention of her husband who was in the house and medical assistance was at once summoned. It was feared for a time that Mrs. Walker would be paralyzed, but that danger is now past and she is on the road to recovery.

## Following up the Campaign.

The service at the Waterloo street Baptist church last evening marked the close of a series of meetings following the evangelistic campaign at this church. On Sunday a number of converts will be baptized. The meetings at the Charlotte street during the week have shown the interest of a large number of conversions have been reported. Tomorrow the Rev. Dr. W. C. Keirstead, of U. N. B., will occupy the pulpit at both morning and evening. Baptism will be administered at the evening services.

## Mr. F. A. Gallop Assigns.

Mr. F. A. Gallop who carried on a large general business at Arthurette, Victoria county, has assigned to Sheriff Tibbets, of the same county. The liabilities amount to \$10,000 and the assets, consisting of real estate and general merchandise, are estimated at \$7,000. Among the St. John creditors are the firm of Hall and Fairweather, J. M. Humphreys and Co., the M. R. A., Ltd., and Oak Hall. Mr. Gallop was in St. John yesterday in connection with the winding up of the business.

## Teachers Hold Irish Night.

The St. John Teachers Association held an "Irish Night" in Foresters Hall last evening. Mr. W. L. McDermid presided. There was a good attendance of teachers. Mr. Thos. Stothard gave an interesting talk on Plant Life, with special reference to maples, and Dr. T. L. Limer gave a graphic description of his recent trip through Ireland. Mr. N. S. Mills spoke briefly on teachers' pensions. St. Vincent's orchestra was in attendance and rendered several Irish selections.

## C. N. Beal Fined \$50 and Costs.

Dr. L. A. Curry, counsel for Mr. C. N. Beal, in a Scott Act violation case before Magistrate Peck, at Albert, received word yesterday that judgment had been entered finding Mr. Beal \$50 with \$23 costs. In case the fine is not paid before April 9th a sentence of 85 days in jail will be imposed. Dr. Curry said last evening that he had applied for a copy of the evidence and would appeal the case. He would also forward a copy of the evidence to the provincial and dominion governments. If the judgment was sustained by the higher courts, he said it would mean that the exception to the act allowing liquor to be sent to Scott Act counties for private or family use was unlawful.

## Sun Retires From Newspaper Field

Last Issue of Journal Started in 1878 Appears Today—For 27 Years Leading Conservative Paper in Province—Turned Liberal in 1906—Death Due to Party Competition.

Readers of the St. John Sun will probably see the final issue of that journal today. It is understood that the Telegraph Company, which has bought the goodwill of the paper, will not publish it after this week.

Thus disappears a journal which, for nearly thirty-two years, has been one of the institutions of this city and province. Today's issue will bear its number volume 34, number 60, indicating that the paper was established at the beginning of January, 1877. A statistical mistake has occurred somewhere. The Sun was established about the middle of the year 1875. It is therefore not quite thirty-two years old.

That was the last year of the MacKenzie regime. Sir Leonard Tilley was lieutenant governor of the province when the paper was established, but he was about to refuse a second term and resume the leadership of his party in the first national party contest. At that time the Conservative party was in somewhat the same position as thirty summers later. All the St. John papers were supporting the government.

## Starting The Paper.

It did not require so much money to start a newspaper in those days as it does now. The Sun was at first printed by contract. It was started as a campaign paper, and arrangements to make it permanent were not made until after the election in September. The Conservatives won before the city seat, electing Sir Leonard Tilley, who became minister of finance, and set about framing the national policy. His party in New Brunswick formed the Sun Publishing Company, acquired a plant and established themselves in the same building in which the Sun will be printed today.

Among those who were active in the establishment of the paper were Mr. S. P. Tuck, brother of the retired Chief Justice, the late Mr. Stephen King, afterward Post Office Inspector, the late Hon. T. R. Jones, and Mr. W. H. Thorne, whose business connection with the paper continued to 1906. It was expected that the late Dr. James Hannay would be the first editor, but at the last moment he decided to remain with the Telegraph. Mr. J. L. Stewart was the first editor in charge, and shortly after the late Mr. John Livingston became the editorial writer. Mr. Stewart returned to his other work as soon as he could. Mr. Livingston remained through one parliamentary term, and after the election of 1882, became editor of the Montreal Herald. The late Mr. R. A. Payne then became managing editor with Professor George Foster as editorial writer. Mr. Foster was elected to the House of Commons that year.

In 1885, Mr. Foster became a minister, and Mr. S. D. Scott, who had been editor of the Halifax Herald, became editor of the Sun. Mr. Payne remained in charge of the news staff. A few years later, Col. Markham joined the staff as managing director and business manager. In these days Mr. W. H. Thorne was president of the company.

## First To Use Linotype.

The Sun was the first paper in the Maritime Provinces to introduce the linotype machine. It was the first to abandon the blanket sheet and adopt the current size.

About the close of 1905, Hon. B. F. Pearson purchased the newspaper property. The transfer took place at the beginning of 1906. Mr. Scott resigned the position of editor two months later, soon afterward the Sun became a supporter of the Laurier government, under the editorial management of Mr. C. F. Crandall, who has recently been business manager also. In 1908 negotiations began for the purchase of the Sun by the Telegraph Company. An option was given, and a large payment made thereon. For some reason the transaction was not completed. Last year the Sun became at times a severe critic of the owners of the Telegraph, and the group whom the Sun described as "the machine." The Standard has frequently republished the terms used, but it would be ungracious to recall them here. Recently negotiations were again taken up, and after several interruptions, have finally succeeded.

## NO SUBSIDY FORTHCOMING

Percy Thomson Interviewed Regarding Statement That Munson Line Has Not Complied With Conditions.

Mr. Percy Thomson, who has been on a business trip to Ottawa, returned to the city yesterday. Asked whether the Hon. J. K. Flemming's statement, during the course of his recent budget speech, to the effect that the Federal government intended to refuse payment of the subsidy offered for a steamship service between St. John and Cuba, was correct, he replied that the specifications had not been complied with, applied to the Munson line. Mr. Thomson said that he did not care to discuss the matter at the present time.

"But it applies to your company?" "Well, I've been looking into the subsidy matter for the last ten days. I am not sure that the subsidy is not forthcoming."

"We have not considered that yet. We are still advertising our sailings to Cuba."

"Can the service be carried on without a subsidy?" "I don't think so," said Mr. Thomson. "It's not a profitable class of freight that we handle on that line." The Federal government, when agreeing to give a subsidy for a monthly service from St. John to Cuba, specified that steamers flying the British flag should be employed, that they should have a net tonnage of at least 1000 tons with a speed of 10 knots and accommodation for 20 passengers. It is stated that these conditions have not been complied with, and that reason the subsidy will not be forthcoming.

## TALK TO BUSINESS BOYS

T. H. Estabrooks Gives Address at Y.M.C.A. Boys Social—Brains, Energy and Health Necessary to Success.

Mr. T. H. Estabrooks gave an interesting talk to the Business Boys' social at the Y.M.C.A. last evening on the "Opportunities of a business life." In choosing an occupation, he said, personal inclination, education and health should be considered. To succeed honesty was the most important factor. Salary at starting was not to be considered. It was rather the salary which would be received in ten years time. Capital was not essential but brains, energy and health were the qualities which achieved success.

An interesting programme was carried out by the boys. Mr. W. H. Moor, boys' secretary, presiding. Oscar Colwell furnished music and much amusement was provided by a blind boxing match in which the stars were W. Latham, W. Knodell and A. Belyea.

Design For Exhibition Medals. The design for the gold medals to be awarded at the Dominion exhibition has been chosen and is a very striking and appropriate one. One side of the medals bears a reproduction in miniature of coat-of-arms of the nine provinces ranged in a circle about the Dominion emblem on a larger scale. The reverse side bears the legend "Dominion exhibition, St. John, N. B., 1910."

## WILL SHIP ORE BY MAY 1

W. H. Parsons, Drummond's Engineer, Brings Favorable Report of Bathurst Mines—Staff To Be Increased.

Mr. W. H. Parsons, engineer of the Steel and Iron Works at Londonderry, N. B., who has been looking after the development of the Drummond mine near Bathurst, arrived in the city last evening. Speaking to a Standard reporter Mr. Parsons said that the work in connection with the development of the mines and the provision of shipping facilities was progressing rapidly.

The railway was now finished right up to the mine and though the track was not fully ballasted, they were able to run cars over it. Work on the wharf at Newcastle was being rushed, and it was expected that it would be ready for shipping ore by May 1. Blasting operations had been started the night before and the machinery was being installed as quickly as possible.

Mr. Parsons says that as soon as the company get all their machinery on the spot they will make large additions to their working staff. He hopes that they will be ready to ship ore almost as soon as navigation opens in the Bay.

## JOURNALISTS AS GUESTS

Executive of Exhibition Association Give Luncheon to Visitors at Union Club—Speeches and Much Enthusiasm.

A fitting close to the eventful visit of the provincial newspaper men was the afternoon luncheon given yesterday afternoon at the Union Club by the executive of the St. John Exhibition Association. Enthusiasm and a willingness to co-operate to make the Dominion Exhibition a grand success was the keynote of the speeches which followed the excellent report. In the absence of Mr. A. O. Skinner, the president, the chair was taken by Mr. R. B. Emerson and Mr. R. O'Brien occupied the vice chair. Those seated at the table were J. L. Stewart, C. B. Allen, L. B. McMurdo, H. B. Anslow, Dr. J. H. Frink, H. J. P. Good, W. H. Golding, E. M. McCready, R. O'Brien, J. D. McKenna, H. A. Porter, G. H. Young, R. P. Patchell, W. F. Burdett, A. M. Belding and J. T. Hawke.

After Mr. Emerson had welcomed the visitors, Mr. H. J. P. Good, the manager of the exhibition, spoke generally of the value of exhibitions, referring to the educational benefits and asking for the co-operation of the press of the provinces. He spoke of the warm enthusiasm which existed in St. John with regard to the exhibition and the active sympathy extended by the press.

It was rather an anomaly that Mr. J. L. Stewart, who as editor of the Standard has been one of the most ardent supporters of the exhibition, was the first speaker to respond to the toast, but he proved very much at home in a capital speech, assuring the executive that the North Shore could be counted upon to lend every effort to make the big affair the most successful yet.



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## TARIFF DIFFERENCES

U. S. Consul Says ad valorem Duty on Canadian Goods is Less Than on American Products.

Mr. M. K. Moorhead, the American consul, in an interview with The Standard yesterday stated that the impression prevailing here that the United States tariff was twice as high as that of Canada was erroneous, at any rate in so far as the trade between the two countries was affected. While it might be true that the duty on many articles entering the States was twice as high as the Canadian duty, it was a readily ascertainable fact that the average ad valorem duty on Canadian commodities entering the United States was lower than the ad valorem duty on American goods entering Canada.

Mr. Moorhead produced statistics showing that while the average duty paid on Canadian commodities entering the United States was a fraction over 11 per cent, the average on American articles entering Canada was 13 per cent.

successful ever held in New Brunswick. At one of the first exhibitions held in St. John he recalled that he had the honor of acting as superintendent of the art exhibit.

Mr. John T. Hawke, of Moncton, in an excellent speech threw out many valuable suggestions gleaned from observation of several noted fairs including the Shepherds Bush exhibition held in London a year or two ago. Messrs. W. F. Burdett, A. D. McKenna, L. B. McMurdo and H. B. Anslow also spoke briefly. Before the gathering dispersed a vote of thanks to the exhibition executive was heartily carried.

Previous to the dinner the newspaper men were taken for a drive about the city and the West Side as the guests of Schofield Bros., Ltd.

## DEATHS

Haslam—In this city on the 10th inst., Isabella Jane, daughter of the late John and Elizabeth Haslam, Mount Middleton, Kings Co., N. B. Funeral on Saturday, 12th inst., at 2:30 p. m. from the residence of her brother, J. J. Haslam Esq., Sussex.

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