

AROUND THE CITY

Drunk and Profane. Yesterday afternoon about 2:30 o'clock John McDonald, aged 59, was arrested in the I. C. R. depot by Detective Killen on the charge of being drunk and using profane and obscene language.

An Habitual Truant. Redera Speight, aged 12 years, was locked up yesterday morning by Officer Briggs on a commitment issued by Judge Forbes, and the boy will be sent to the Industrial Home to serve a year for playing truant from school.

Boys Reported. The police have reported Charles Conway, Charles O'Brien, and Arthur Kennedy for breaking windows in the boat Maggie Miller, on last Saturday, and Lewis Thorne, of Harrison street, for breaking glass in fire alarm box 135 on last Sunday afternoon.

Still Talking Street Car Extension. The city commissioners held a private meeting yesterday afternoon and discussed the proposition of the street railway relating to the conditions under which it is prepared to proceed with the extension to Kane's corner. They came to no decision and will give the matter further consideration.

Seaman's Institute. A successful temperance meeting was held in the Seaman's Institute last night. Mrs. J. Seymour presided. The Rev. W. Gaetz delivered a stirring temperance address, and greatly impressed the sailors. A short musical programme was provided and coffee and cake served at the close of the meeting.

County Employees Want it Too. Following the action of the city authorities in making provision for increasing the pay of the police, firemen and other civic employees, the men employed by the county are making a move to have their wages increased too. The officials at the county jail have already sent in an application for an increase of pay, and it is said that other county employees are looking for higher wages.

Injured at Sand Point. While working on the steamer Mount Temple yesterday afternoon, Robert Davis, of 14 Prince street, West End, was struck in the head with a heavy steel beam and was seriously injured. He was working in the hold at the time and the case on being lowered, struck him. The unfortunate man was removed to the hospital where on examination he was found to be suffering with a fracture of the skull. Late last night he was in a critical condition.

Disorderly Crowd Dispersed. About 10:30 o'clock last night Patrolman Crawford was called to the foot of St. David's street in response to a telephone message from one of the residents in that locality who stated that there was a gang of young men there drinking from bottles. They were partying and making noise and the liquor and were making ready to fight. When the officer arrived the disorderly gang had left the place and peace and quietness reigned.

Union Club's New Officers. The annual meeting of the Union Club was held last evening when the officers in their annual reports showed the club to be in an excellent condition both financially as well as in membership. The membership has increased considerably. The following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Col. J. L. McAvity, president; Col. F. S. Wedderburn, vice-president; J. T. Hart, secretary-treasurer. The following were named managing committee: A. E. Massie, F. A. Peters, W. Fraser, A. McMillan, L. W. Peters, A. C. Skelton.

Fighting On The Street. About 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon Clare Spenser, aged 26, of Nova Scotia, and John Moran, aged 21, of Scotland undertook to take charge of the Seaman's Institute on Prince William street. They wound up by assaulting John Kilburn who is connected with the institution. The men were ejected and on the street they again assaulted Kilburn. Patrolman Ross, Sgt. and Baxter happened along and Kilburn gave his assailants a charge. The affair caused considerable commotion along the street at the time.

North End Concert. There was a good attendance in Temple Hall last evening when a concert was given under the auspices of the orchestra of the Douglas Avenue Christian church. Rev. J. C. B. Appal presided, and the following programme was carried out: Selection by orchestra; vocal solo, Grenville King; piano duet, Miss Mills and Thomas Roberts; male quartette; vocal solo, Bruce Holder; violin and piano duet, Miss Appleby and Mr. Bailey; selection, orchestra; recitation, J. C. Bond; Ballet trio; vocal solo, Miss C. Marsh; all; vocal solo, Samuel Holder; selection by orchestra.

Disturber Ejected. Policeman Crawford was called into the Seaman's Institute on Prince William street last evening shortly after eight o'clock to eject a man who was creating a disturbance. These men who visit the institute and cause trouble are not seamen but are generally roughs. The institute is a home for the sailors while in port. They are entertained, given stationery and receive a great number of comforts. Generally these are appreciated by the followers of the sea, and it is only once in a while that some disturber of the peace visits the building and starts in to take charge.

Presentation to F. M. A. Chaplain. A reunion of the members of the Father Mathew Association was held last night in their rooms, St. Malachi's hall. A number of the old members of the society were present, and a thoroughly enjoyable time was passed. The president, Fred Haxel, occupied the chair and during the evening presented to the spiritual director, Rev. David O'Keefe, a purse of gold. Addresses were delivered by Com. Gray and Daniel O'Leary, and the following programme was carried out: solo, L. London; piano solo, Frank McCall; vocal solo, L. Callahan; step dance, John O'Brien; reading, William Brophy; solo, Arthur Devine; piano solo, J. Mitchell.

STOLEN GOODS RECOVERED BY LOCAL POLICE

Articles Taken from Suburban Homes by Bruno Klingmann were Located by Detective Killen Yesterday.

Detective Patrick Killen was out on the hunt yesterday in connection with the robberies which have recently taken place at Grand Bay, and for which Bruno Klingmann, the German, has been arrested. The detective managed to locate a large quantity of goods that had been sold by the German and which are supposed to have been stolen but who the owners are has not yet been found out. The articles recovered by the detective include a leather valise with the initials G. G. P. on it, also some quilts, china, sofa cushions, napkins, rugs, a square box and a number of other articles. All the goods recovered yesterday are worth more than \$20. It is thought that more summer residences than those of Joseph Irvine and Mrs. Hamm which have been broken into and suburbanites would do well to visit their summer homes and make an inspection. They will perhaps find some of the articles which are now at the police station are theirs. Mr. Irvine states that the goods recovered by the detective yesterday are not his, because the German was captured as he was leaving Mr. Irvine's summer home with the goods.

The prisoner spent yesterday in the central police station and will be taken to Grand Bay tomorrow for a preliminary hearing before Justice Joseph Thompson, and it is expected will then be sent to Hampton for trial.

ODDFELLOWS SPEND PLEASANT EVENING

Second Anniversary of Fraternity Lodge, Fairville, Celebrated, Last Evening, with Banquet and Programme.

About one hundred and fifty attendants at the banquet held in Orange Hall, Fairville, last evening, in honor of the second anniversary of Fraternity Lodge No. 100, I. O. O. F. of Orange Hall, Ontario, presided and G. H. Allan officiated as toast master. After an excellent dinner a fine programme of speeches and musical selections was carried out. After the toast to the King was duly honored, the toast master proposed Canada. The gathering sang the Maple Leaf and Col. J. E. H. Baxter was called on to respond. In doing so he recalled Hon. James Bryce's observation that Canada was 3,000 miles long but in some places did not consist in its territorial length but in the breadth of mind and depth of character of its people. He remarked that instead of singing The Maple Leaf when the toast was proposed, he would have liked it much better if they had sung My Own Canadian Home, written by a son of St. John, E. G. Nelson. At the same time it would have been more appropriate to sing Rule Britannia, since the greatness of Canada lay in the fact that it was a part of the great British Empire.

Our Industries, was the next toast and in responding W. F. Hatheway gave some interesting statistics regarding the development of industries in St. John and the province. The Grand Lodge was responded to by H. E. Codner and Our Lodge by Rev. G. A. Ross. Our Guests evoked an interesting speech from Rev. W. H. Dunham, and M. D. Brown did justice to the toast to the ladies. A toast to the Fairville Board of Trade was responded to by the president, Wm. Linton. A brief speech was made by Dr. A. D. Smith and Wm. Lanyon and Stanley Stout contributed vocal solos, while Charles Betts and Frank Belyea entertained the gathering with instrumental selections.

PERSONAL

J. Waide, who is to assume charge of the local office of the General Film Company, arrived in the city yesterday to take up the duties of his position.

L. H. Higgins of Moncton is at the Royal.

Miss Edythe D. Maxwell left last evening for Fredericton to visit her brother, J. H. Maxwell.

Have you seen those bargain white longcloth undershirts on display in F. A. Dykeman and Co.'s window marked 99 cents. They were made to retail at \$1.50, but during this whitewear sale they are selling them at the above attractive figure. There are many styles in the lot, but all are one price. Some have an eighteen inch collar over embroidered bands with nice lawn underlinings. Others have four and five rows of lace insertion and lace edging, making the most attractive undershirts that have ever been sold in St. John at this price.

Engagement Announced. The engagement has been announced at Ottawa of Miss Estie E. Haseo, daughter of Hon. J. D. Haseo, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, to Hugh MacKay, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. MacKay of MacKay. The wedding will take place in the spring.

God Roads Movement. A meeting will be held in the Board of Trade rooms at 6 o'clock this afternoon to complete arrangements for the big God Roads convention to be held in St. John on the 29th.

Appointed to Arbitrate. Frank DeClements of this city, was appointed third arbitrator in the case of the St. John and Quebec Railway Co. and Frank and Fred Boyd and W. Frank Hayden of Upper Gasquetown, Queens county, by Judge Wilson in chambers in Fredericton yesterday.

FIRE ENGINE IN RUNAWAY

Driving Accident in West End Yesterday - Driver Nichols Displayed Great Pluck and Prevented More Damage.

There was a bad accident on King street, West End, yesterday which might have resulted more seriously had it not been for the pluck of Joseph Nichols, the driver of No. 6 fire engine. Driver Nichols has his team of horses at the blacksmith shop on the corner of King street and Market place and had just finished hitching his team in the wagon when one of the horses made a jump and in an instant the team ran away. Driver Nichols, however, managed to grasp the reins but being unable to get a foothold he was thrown on the ground. He still clung to the reins, using every effort to stop the frightened horses and after being dragged for some distance along the street he was hauled under the wagon which went over him. Those who were looking at the runaway thought he had been killed. He escaped, however, with but a few bruises. The horses did not run very far before colliding with a telegraph pole. The shaft of the wagon was broken and the sharp broken end plunged into a shoulder of one of the horses and also broke his leg. It was found necessary to shoot the animal. Driver Nichols is being congratulated for the game manner in which he clung to the runaways when every moment was endangering his life.

MUCH BUSINESS FOR THE COUNTY COUNCIL

Estimates to Come Up at Today's Meeting as well as Bill to Provide for Tuberculosis Sanitarium.

The county council meets today and the docket is an extensive one. The estimates for the year which are somewhat in excess of last year will be considered. A report will be presented recommending measures to provide for the operation of a Child Protective Act. A large number of bills will have to be dealt with, among them being one for the creation of a commission to build and operate a tuberculosis sanitarium on Merritt street, for which has already been purchased by private parties who are ready to turn it over to the county. The matter of a prison farm will probably be under consideration. A number of county officials will have to be appointed for the year.

PROMOTING WORK OF THE Y. W. C. A. HERE

An effort is being made to develop interest in the organization of a Young Women's Christian Association in St. John. Miss Jamieson, Canadian secretary is in the east doing work in the universities and colleges, but because word had come to the Dominion Council of the Young Women's Christian Association that St. John was ready for such an organization, she was asked by that body to remain in St. John long enough to determine not only whether there was sufficient need for such an organization, but also whether there was "sufficient sense of co-operation and sympathetic interest on the part of the citizens generally to justify sending a national secretary who would remain long enough to go into the details of the organizing work of such."

WEATHER

Maritime - Strong winds and gales, southwesterly shifting to westerly and northwesterly, with rain today, turning colder by night.
Winnipeg... 26 42
Port Arthur... 22 44
Perry Sound... 24 34
London... 23 46
Toronto... 22 46
Kingston... 22 45
Ottawa... 13 30
Montreal... 12 33
Quebec... 2 24
St. John... 10 30
Halifax... 16 32
Toronto, Jan. 21 - Since last night an important disturbance developed over the great lakes attended by strong winds with rain and snow in Ontario and Quebec. In the Maritime Provinces the weather has been fair and comparatively mild, while in the west, excepting southern Alberta, it has been cold.
Min. Max.
Victoria... 28 42
Vancouver... 23 38
Kamloops... 12 19
Calgary... 22 38
Edmonton... 22 36
Battleford... 24 36
Prince Albert... 24 36
Mooselaw... 24 31
Regina... 24 31

EXPERT WILL BOOST LOCAL TOBACCO BOARD

"Live Wire" from United States Arrives to Carry on Aggressive Campaign-New Ideas to go into Effect.

H. V. Chase, publicity expert, and two assistants, F. W. Bender and A. D. McMillan, arrived in the city yesterday to carry on a campaign in the interests of the Board of Trade. The secretary of the board by experts in their line and the placing of the organization on a thoroughly business-like basis is one of the developments resulting from the decision of the board council, a few weeks ago, to make the board a live wire in the commercial and industrial life of St. John. The first steps in this direction were taken yesterday when Mr. Chase and his assistants arrived from New York and took up their duties in the Board of Trade rooms putting in a busy day arranging preliminaries in connection with the extensive plans which they have worked out and which have been tried out successfully in other large cities. The campaign which is to be launched in St. John in the interests of the Board of Trade is the outcome of the decision of the board after much thought on ways and means for bringing the organization to a standard of efficiency which a city of the size of St. John and of its possibilities warrant. The campaign will have for one of its objects the increasing of the membership of the board to at least 1,000. The scope of the campaign will be sufficiently broad it is understood, to bring in all citizens who will make the board a factor in the life of the community and consequently will not be restricted to the business men of the city.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Dufferin.
A Balfour, Montreal; F. L. Schwartz, Toronto; R. B. Keith, Campbellton; J. Anderson, Hamilton; W. R. Armstrong, Louisbourg; Toronto; W. J. Mills, Shediac; J. O. Pearson, Montreal; James Michael, Mablette Agnew, Ruth Gray, Mary Trywell, New York; H. M. Stawary, Edmonton, Can.; John Kennedy, J. W. Powers, Fredericton; S. F. Colbourne, J. C. Masters, Moncton; A. S. Smith, Sackville; Miss B. Hale, New Glasgow; S. H. Weldon, Boston; R. A. Cross, C. E. McCullough, St. George.

ROYAL

H. P. Bethel, Halifax; W. Murray, Toronto; J. A. Chiquette, Quebec; G. A. Munson, Truro; P. C. McCloven, Toronto; J. S. Hinton, Summerside; L. D. Brodhead, New York; A. W. Landers, Boston; Norman Steneau, Mansfield; H. O. Wales, New York; F. H. Lovitt and wife, Yarmouth; H. Van Rensselaer, Chas. F. W. Bender, A. O. Tracy, Montreal; New York; A. O. Tracy, Montreal; L. L. Pelton, Toronto; N. K. Cunningham, Antigonish; C. S. Sutherland, Amherst; J. C. Jones, A. H. Jones, Moncton; J. H. Dougal, Montreal; L. H. Higgins, Moncton.

HISTORIC BLED IN AMERICAN MUSEUM

New York, N. Y., Jan. 20 - Two battered sleds which have journeyed to opposite ends of the earth occupy a place of honor today in the American museum of natural history. Capt. Raold Amundsen, discoverer of the south pole today presented to the museum one of the three sleds used by his expedition and it was placed beside a sled which Admiral Peary used when he found the north pole. Capt. Amundsen and Admiral Peary have been elected to the honorary fellowship of the museum, an honor which is shared by only four others.

SOMETHING FOR WOULD-BE WESTERNERS TO PONDER

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 20 - Western Canada experienced the coldest weather of the winter last night, some parts of British Columbia going below zero, while Saskatchewan approached fifty below zero. Regina was forty-nine below, Prince Albert, forty-four, Battleford, forty-two, Moosejaw, forty-one, Edmonton twenty-eight, Calgary twenty-two, Winnipeg twenty-six, Kamloops, B. C., four, and Fort Arthur twelve.

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