

THE WEATHER.

Table with weather forecasts for various locations including Vancouver, Kamloops, Edmonton, and St. John.

AROUND THE CITY

Board of Health. There was no quorum at the meeting of the Board of Health yesterday, but there was an informal discussion in regard to some routine matters.

ARTILLERYMEN READY TO SERVE; HUNDREDS ENLIST

Selection will be made today from those who have volunteered—Scenes of enthusiasm at the Armory—Practically all regiments up to war footing.

Officers and men of the 3rd Canadian Artillery Regiment made a ready response to the call for volunteers to mobilize a battery for permanent service, and there has also been a ready response to the call for recruits to bring the regiment up to war strength.

FIELD GUNS ARRIVE HERE FOR SERVICE

Advance Party of 3rd Regiment Returns, with Cannon.

ORDER MEN OUT FOR DUTY THIS MORNING

Royal Horse Artillery goes to Halifax to reinforce Garrison-Battery, on way to St. John.

The advance party from the 3rd Regiment Canadian Artillery which left here Saturday night for Peterborough returned to the city last night on a special order of the Intercolonial.

ADMIRALTY ORDERS TO BRITISH SHIPS

Following advice has been received from the Admiralty in London by W. U. Telegraph Co.:

"Advise all British shipping with which you may be in touch to abandon regular tracks, complete voyages without bunkering, if possible reduce brilliancy of lights. On arrival in United Kingdom, call early for orders, pass to British ships."

FOODSTUFFS NOT SCARCE

Dealers will not be able to supply goods usually secured from Europe.

There was a better feeling in regard to the flour situation in the city yesterday, but matters were still far from satisfactory.

It is expected there will be a shortage of sugar. The price of raw sugar has been advanced in New York, and Europe is said to be making heavy bids for American refined sugar.

Wholesale grocers hardly know what will be the effect of the war upon the grocery trade, but expect great difficulty in securing supplies of the lines of groceries generally imported from Europe.

Wheat failure in Southern Alberta due to unwise Waterway Treaty with United States.

THE STANDARD TELLS PEOPLE OF THE WAR

First St. John newspaper to carry Great Britain's declaration of war against Germany.

The special edition of The Standard announcing that Great Britain had declared war against Germany, placed on the streets at an early hour last evening met with a big sale, and in view of the prolonged suspense the people had been laboring under the action of The Standard in supplying the news of this momentous event was greatly appreciated by the citizens.

As soon as the news of the declaration of war was received no time was lost in getting the extra on the street, and hundreds of boys scurried about the streets, supplying papers to eager buyers, anxious to know the latest news.

St. John people received the news of the declaration of war rather quietly, as if they felt the declaration with its terrible possibilities was too solemn a matter for demonstrations.

But there were many expressions of opinion that now Great Britain had entered the conflict her forces on land and sea would give a good account of themselves, and that such support as Canada could give would be loyally provided.

RUSHING MEN TO HALIFAX

"Traffic on the I. C. R. has been very good this summer, all things considered," said H. H. James, traveling freight agent of the I. C. R., who is in the city Mr. James said that two detachments of regulars from Upper Canada with guns and ammunition were proceeding by special trains yesterday to do garrison duty.

JAPAN WILL NOT FIGHT

R. Saito, Japanese Vice-Consul, does not think his country will be drawn in.

R. Saito, vice-consul of Japan for Canada, arrived in the city yesterday, and will go on to Halifax today.

Speaking of the war he said he did not think Japan would be drawn into the conflict, but that the effect of the war upon business and commerce would be world wide.

Mr. Saito expressed himself as well pleased with what he had seen of Canada and said he hoped he would remain a long time in this country.

GOV. WOOD AWAITS WORD

His Honor Lieutenant Governor Wood, with his secretary William Cruikshank came to the city yesterday, and are at the Royal.

His Honor came here so as to be in a position where he could be in telegraphic communication with Ottawa twenty-four hours in the day, and to be at hand in the principal city of the province in case his services might be required.

Up to half past one o'clock this morning the Lieutenant Governor had received no official notification that Great Britain had declared war against Germany, but expects to be notified at any moment.

Work Progressing. A. R. Wetmore, provincial engineer, was in the city yesterday. He said the work on the bridge at the falls was progressing favorably.

COLONEL MACLAREN HAS VOLUNTEERED. Lt. Col. Murray MacLaren of the Army Medical Corps, has volunteered his services. Dr. MacLaren is the chief medical military officer of New Brunswick.

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