

THE WEATHER

Toronto, April 4.—The depression mentioned last night has since remained almost stationary, with pressures one to three high from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces. The weather has been cold in the Western Provinces and by and by in many localities elsewhere it has been fine and quite warm over the greater portion of Ontario.

AROUND THE CITY

AGAIN POSTPONED. The case of Johnston Lodge, L. O. B. A., and Mrs. Grace Abbott was postponed till today at 11 a. m.

THE WATER RATES. The water rates for this year will probably be fixed in council this afternoon. No material change is anticipated.

ROBBERY BLIND MAN. Sunday night some person entered the store of Michael Kelly, a blind man at 35 St. David's street and stole about two dollars in coppers, some candy and fruit.

ROTARY CLUB. The speaker at the Rotary Club yesterday was S. B. McCready of Ottawa, who spoke on Public Health as Applied to the Schools. Dr. Spaulder gave an interesting report of his trip to New York, where he presented a motion head sent from the local club to the New York club.

MAY RECONSIDER. Mayor Schofield stated yesterday that he understood the School Board may reconsider its application to the Legislature for an increase in its assessment limit. At present the board may assess up to \$325,000 and a bill was prepared asking for a limit of \$400,000. The Mayor said a lesser amount may be petitioned for.

SMALLPOX PATIENTS. Dr. Brown, who is in charge of the quarantine station at Partridge Island reports that both smallpox patients off the C. F. O. S. liner Scandinavia, are doing well. One is on the road to recovery, but the second case has not yet fully developed. With the exception of slight colds the rest of the passengers are well. There are 110 cabin passengers under quarantine and twenty stewards and stewardesses.

REMODELLING. Yesterday workmen began remodeling the interior of a city shed on Water street for use as a memorial workshop under the D. S. C. R. The shed which is to be used temporarily was formerly held under lease by T. McAvily and Sons, Ltd. and is to be demolished when the C. N. E. is ready to continue their track extension in the Water street area. Plans for the operation of the workshop include arrangements for the manufacture of berry buses, crates, etc. Tools and other equipment are being purchased by Sergeant Ross, who will be in charge.

FORGETFULNESS. Over a week ago two young men in a fit of absentmindedness left two one thousand dollar notes on the soda fountain counter in John de Angolis Prince Wm. Street store. The lady clerks notified the young men by telephone of the find and they lost no time in retrieving the money and while they were thoughtful enough to request that their names not be given as they would lose their positions, they left the store forgetting even to thank the clerks for returning the money. A chaperone should accompany these young fellows in the future or their employees would do well to secure some reliable person to carry such a large amount of money.

Sussex Train And Daylight Time

Will the Sussex train be run this summer on daylight time? This is the question which is agitating the minds of the suburbanites between the city and Hampton and they have already taken the matter up with the railway authorities. Yesterday afternoon a conference was held at the Board of Trade by J. C. B. Robertson, superintendent of the Maritime district and F. W. Robertson, general passenger agent of the C. N. E. at which representatives of the suburbanites from every station between the city and Hampton were present and their side of the case presented to the railway men. Consideration of their request was promised. Yesterday the railway authorities themselves took a vote of the passengers coming in on the Sussex express and 121 declared themselves in favor of running the train on daylight time and 17 against.

Still Gives Old St. John Preference

J. Fraser Gregory Delivered Interesting Address to Board of Trade.

Keen powers of observation and the gift of clear expression, Mr. Gregory was responsible for the very entertaining address delivered before the Board of Trade last evening by J. Fraser Gregory who recounted observations made by him during a recent trip to Great Britain and the continent. What tickled the audience perhaps most of all was that the speaker candidly acknowledged that despite the many attractions he had met with abroad he still gave St. John the preference.

Applications

When the meeting was called to order by President Barritt, a resolution was introduced by Mr. Walker that the council be given equal powers with the board to receive applications for and nominate to membership. His amendment was approved and adopted.

J. Fraser Gregory

Mr. Gregory was then called upon to address the meeting. He said it was with pleasure he had returned to St. John after a very pleasant holiday. After travelling over North America and Europe he had returned convinced that St. John was as far advanced and as wide awake as any city of its size in either continent.

Wood Paving

He observed that London employed the wood blocks for paving that St. John had discarded. There was this difference, however, over these seven years was considered the life of the block in St. John they had been expected to last a life time.

A Modern City

Edinburgh was the most modern city visited during the trip, the streets were wide and well paved and faced with many large and modern buildings. Glasgow and the Glasgow-Wolf shipyards was going on and the speaker hoped the time would come when the like might be seen in Courtenay Bay.

The Unemployed

While in Great Britain Mr. Gregory remarked on the unemployed which were to be encountered several times in the day. They marched about headed by a brass band and carrying banners marked "Unemployed." While some marched others took up collection and probably got more out of the public than they would earn by working.

Beautiful Paris

Paris was described as a beautiful city with magnificent parks and squares. Nice in the south of France was beautifully situated on the Mediterranean and the height of fashion from Europe and America were congregated there. Monte Carlo was but twenty minutes distant and money was being spent like water. The roads about were wonderful.

Matters Before Hospital Board

Stringent Investigation into Free Cases — Superintendent's Report

Regulations regarding visitors to the hospital and a more stringent investigation into free cases in the out-door department, were matters of importance taken up at an interesting meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the General Public Hospital held last evening.

Dr. Hedden's Report

The superintendent's report given by Dr. Hedden contained the following statements: Patients remaining Feb. 28, 1921. Admitted during March, 1921.

Financial Report

Receipts, including... \$1,320.00 City Chamberlain... 10,197.00 Pay patients... 2,752.27 X-ray... 193.50

Donations at Easter

Patients had received fruit and home-baked bread from Mrs. Thos. Walker, representing the Church of England Institute. Nurses had also been remembered by Mrs. Walker.

Fire Inspection

A communication from Commissioner Thornton contained a number of recommendations following an inspection of the institution. After discussion, it was decided that the board are willing to carry out recommendations if the municipality will pay for changes, as the board did not consider such changes in their estimates.

Visiting Regulations Adopted

This report was adopted with exceptional cases left to the discretion of the superintendent.

Epidemic Hospital

The board went into committee to consider the report of Commissioners Roberts and Kelly on the Epidemic Hospital. The report was submitted by Dr. Hedden. On motion the report was laid on the table to be considered at a special meeting.

Free Treatment

A letter was read from Dr. Phillip Nasse asking that more supervision be exercised over out-door patients. Dr. Nasse stated that last month he had performed 680 operations and examined 154 out patients. The card system is not worked out and is of little use.

Tax Is Placed On Penny Goods

Ten P. C. Luxury and Two P. C. Sales Same as Bulk into Effect Yesterday.

The ten per cent luxury and two per cent sales tax has been placed on all penny candy sold and commencing yesterday is the same as the candy sold in bulk. Previous to yesterday without the tax, but now that the bill has passed, the grocers have cleaned out their stocks of penny goods and the kiddies who have enjoyed the two, three or four pieces of candy for a cent in the past will suffer in the future, or at least not as soon as the present stock of penny goods is exhausted.

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St. John Now Has Advertising Club

Idea is to Study Advertising as Applied to Individual and Community Enterprises

St. John now has an Advertising Club. It was hammered into shape for the time being at a meeting held at the Telephone building yesterday afternoon, and started with a small but enthusiastic membership. The purpose of the organization is not to bring about immediate civic reform. There are no particular uplifts involved. Rather is the idea to study advertising in all its forms, as applied to individual and community enterprises, and at the same time to form the nucleus of an organization which may be called upon by other bodies to assist in any matters affecting the well-being of the community. The need of such a group of workers, banded together in such a way has been strikingly made manifest in the past six or eight years, and it is to fill this gap that the Advertising Club has been formed. It is prepared to cooperate, to lend all possible assistance, to the publicity departments of other organizations in their public work. And it will also devote its time to the advancement of those affairs which form the immediate concern of its members.

Constitution Adopted

At yesterday's meeting a draft constitution was adopted. It was decided to seek immediate affiliation with the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, and to thus enjoy participation in the dissemination of educational matter along publicity lines. Meetings are to be held monthly except during the three summer months and it is anticipated that for these meetings programmes of more than ordinary interest will be prepared. Officers elected for the current year are:—

Pres.—R. A. Macaulay. Vice.—Stanley L. Emerson. Secy.—Thos. P. Drummond. Executive.—H. W. Watts, Stanley K. Smith, H. V. MacKinnon, H. H. Scovell.

Training School had stated that she found the out-door department guards were not followed up nor is their condition known as it should be.

On motion it was decided cards to be prepared requiring the signature of a clergyman and a commissioner of the hospital for all patients requiring surgical instruments required. Part of the requisition has been bought. J. T. O'Brien recommended the purchase of a scale to weight coal. The superintendent was asked to find out prices. Dr. Hedden recommended purchase of coal. It was recommended that 500 tons be bought from Colwell Coal Company.

Nurses' Meals

J. T. O'Brien asked if night nurses would get breakfast when they went to church as last Sunday several had missed breakfast and dinner, fasting from the night before until four o'clock next day. Dr. Hedden said he had frequently spoken of the length of time between breakfast at seven and dinner at one, which he considered too long for a nurse. It was decided that the nurses shall be told to ask the night before and arrangements will be made for their breakfast. Mrs. McLellan stated that the house committee inspecting the hospital found what she considered an almost perfect kitchen for an institution with everything in order.

Two Commissioners reported on bad condition of walls on Waterloo street and adjoining the Ritchie property. Action is being taken.

Mrs. McLellan told of two persons falling on the front steps of the hospital and asked that something be done to improve the steps. A portfolio had been suggested by another commissioner. It was said. The matter was left to the commissioner for the month. There were present: F. Flowering, who acted as chairman; Alex. McMillan, W. E. O'Brien, Dr. G. R. J. Crawford, Mrs. J. Vermer McLellan, J. T. O'Brien.

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EVANGELICAL ALLIANCE. The monthly meeting of the Evangelical Alliance took place yesterday morning. Rev. J. Heany in the chair. Devotional exercises were led by Rev. F. H. Bone, following which routine business was transacted. The committee on social service reported progress. The question of collections for the inter-denominational church to be erected at Vimy Ridge as a memorial to the Canadians who fell there was discussed. It was stated that reports had appeared in the press that nothing had been sent to St. John for this fund, and that the statement was incorrect as several churches had taken special collections for this purpose. The secretary was instructed to write to headquarters with regard to the matter.

CLIFTON HOUSE, ALL MEALS 60C. WILL BE HERE. The president of the New Brunswick Division of the Navy League, having made a request to the minister of the naval service department that the ships of the Canadian navy should call at St. John on their return from the Pacific, has received the following reply: Ottawa, March 23, 1921. Dear Mr. Armstrong—With reference to your letter of the 24th instant, I have to inform you that I have given instruction that H. M. C. Squadron now in the Pacific, is to visit St. John during the coming summer. It is not possible at present to give the exact date, as the programme depends on the condition of the ships on their return from the Pacific coast, together

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