

THE WEATHER

Table listing weather forecasts for various locations including Toronto, Vancouver, Edmonton, and Halifax.

AROUND THE CITY

SILK STOCKINGS STOLEN: Twenty-four boxes of silk stockings were stolen at the west side wharves the other night. The lot was valued at \$400.

ON SAIL MISSION: Mrs. R. T. Weldon, 108 King street east, accompanied by Miss Gunn, left Saturday evening for the Boston train for Lexington, Mass., where Mrs. Weldon has been called by the death of her brother-in-law, George H. Brown.

THIRTEEN MEMBERS BAPTIZED: Thirteen members of the Sunday School were baptized in the Central Baptist Church yesterday afternoon. The address was given by the Rev. F. H. Bone, pastor of the church.

DIVING FOR STEEL: A diver was busy at the C. P. R. wharves on the west side of the harbor yesterday seeking half a dozen bars of steel that had fallen overboard while being unloaded from one of the vessels.

TROUBLE WITH ENGINE: Engine trouble developed on the ferry boat, a little after 8 o'clock last night, and for two hours there was a suspension of trips, until the Diesel Engineers arrived, located and remedied the trouble.

PANTRY SALES: Successful pantry sales were held on Saturday by De Monts Chapter, I. O. O. F., Central Baptist Philanthropic class, the Ladies' Aid of Portland Methodist Church and the ways and means committee of the Main street Baptist Sunday school.

YOUNG LION FOR PET: Strange pets are often to be found on the big ocean tramps but one of the oddest seen in this port in a long time was a young lion. A vessel that cleared from St. John recently had a fine specimen of the big cat kind as a pet of the crew.

AUCTION SATURDAY: A freehold property at 117 and 119 King street east was disposed of by Auctioneer F. L. Potts at Chubb's corner at noon Saturday. The property consisted of one, one self-contained house and one double tenement, and was knocked down at \$1250 to Freeman W. Ricker, lumberman.

ST. LUKE'S YEAR BOOK: In the Year Book of St. Luke's Church recently published the following statements were made. Total receipts \$18,825.48. A vessel that cleared from St. John recently had a fine specimen of the big cat kind as a pet of the crew.

THE POLICE COURT: A half dozen drunks pleaded guilty in the police court Saturday morning and were fined \$3 or two months by Sizing Magistrate George A. Henderson. They all paid up.

FROM PRESIDENT HARDING: John W. Bonnell, an orderly in Lennox Military Hospital and a returned soldier took occasion to send congratulations to President Harding of the United States on his successful election. Recently Mr. Bonnell received a letter from George E. Christian Jr., secretary to the President stating: "The President directs me to express his hearty appreciation of your kind message of congratulations and good will."

CONCERT AND TREAT AT THE INSTITUTE: A concert and treat, in addition to the usual picture, was given at the Seaman's Institute on Saturday evening by members of the Fundy Chapter, I. O. O. F. The programme was greatly enjoyed by the three hundred persons present. All performers were asked to respond to accolades. The following took part: Miss Nan Powers, reading; Miss Betty Cruikshank, guitar solo; Miss Jessie McKay, vocal solo; Miss Marie Borden; vocal solo; Miss Marion Cruikshank; Miss Simons and Miss McKay were accompanists. Mr. Williams, one of the sailors, and Master Dan McInerney gave vocal selections. At the close of the programme, which was arranged by the executive of the Chapter, with Miss Frances Alward as convenor, cake and coffee were served to those present, and was greatly appreciated. Miss Winifred Upham was in charge of the refreshments.

Beautiful Home Totally Destroyed

Geo. McArthur's Residence at Riverside Burned - Loss \$30,000.

A fire which it is believed was caused by a defective fuse completely destroyed the fine residence of George W. McArthur at Riverside Saturday afternoon. The building was a remarkably fine example of the old colonial style of architecture and was recognized as one of the most beautiful homes on Rothesay Avenue.

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Shortly after the seriousness of the fire was realized a call for help was sent into the city and the motor department from No. 3 Engine House responded, but the fire had gained too great a headway on its arrival to be of any use.

The McArthur house was singled out by the Prince of Wales when he motored from St. John to Bebessey during his visit here in 1919. A beautiful house at all times it was very attractively decorated and that occasion drew the admiring comment of the heir to the British throne.

Memorial Service In Portland Church

Rev. Harry Clark Preached Sermon in Honor of Nine Members of Congregation.

"How can we be worthy of the exalted company?" asked Rev. Harry Clark, in preaching a memorial sermon in honor of the nine men who made the supreme sacrifice in the great war, and who were members of the Portland Methodist church.

"Wherefore seeing we are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses," Hebrews 12: 1, was the text chosen by the pastor, who said that the devotion to memory of such men as the Canadian soldiers is the duty of every loyal Canadian.

The way in which the Canadians carried on overseas was highly praised by the preacher who stated that their prosecution of war was as honorable as their cause was right.

The graveyards of Canada overseas is very large. Mr. Clark said, and went on to pay a fine tribute to the men of Portland street church who sealed their faith with their blood on the battlefields.

The pastor then read aloud the following names of departed heroes, the congregation standing: Thomas Corn, Edward Reid, Robert Tait, William Kirk, John Howe, Roger Chesley, Edward Brown, William McKay, John Wright. The last named died after returning home. The Last Post was then sounded by Sergeant A. E. Ricketts.

GARDENS OPEN THIS AFTERNOON: These will be opened at the Yacht Club Grounds this afternoon from four to six.

Smallpox Aboard Scandinavian

150 Passengers Placed in Quarantine at Partridge Island - Mild Case.

C. F. O. S. liner Scandinavia from Antwerp and Southampton docked at No. 2 and 3 berths at 12.30 yesterday afternoon, after a voyage, the initial stages of which were marked by very rough weather, followed by an event which caused some consternation among the 1,043 listed passengers.

A series of gales were encountered after the liner had gotten under way and continued for several days. Seas, mountains high, broke over the ship and made life exceedingly wearisome for passengers and crew.

When three days out from Antwerp two special trays were sent ashore with a case of smallpox. This threw fear into the hearts of the passengers lest it spread and all be tied up in quarantine fourteen days after reaching this port.

Arriving at Partridge Island yesterday morning the sick man was taken ashore to the hospital there and the isolated passengers put ashore and placed in quarantine. Dr. Brown, in charge of the quarantine station, reported to The Standard last night that the case is a very mild one, and because of the prompt methods employed aboard ship by the day preventatives measures, he does not look for any serious results to follow from this case.

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Akerley Case In Circuit Court

Witnesses Give Evidence in Case Where Woman is Alleged to Have Taken Money.

The case of Johnson Lodge, No. 23, La. O. B. v. Grace Akerley was continued before Chief Justice McKeown Saturday. The following witnesses were examined: Mrs. Emory, Mrs. Crock, Mrs. Besette, Mrs. Whalley, Catherine Johnson, James Moore and Francis Kerr.

The evidence showed that the thousand dollars claimed by the lodge was an estimated amount given out by the committee of three, Mrs. Logan, James Moore and Francis Kerr, who formed the committee appointed by the lodge to go to the accounts in the tea room held at the exhibition.

The witness described the system used at the tea room in reference to the amount of the checks in the nominations from five to fifty cents, fifty cents being the highest check.

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Easter Services in The Churches

Large Attendance at All Services - Special Sermons and Music.

With a day of bright sunshine the Spring festival of Easter was celebrated yesterday, unusually large attendances marking the services at all churches. Triumphant Easter music filled with the hope of the Resurrection and the victory over death was sung by all choirs throughout the city.

At the Queen Square Methodist Church Rev. Neil McLaughlin baptized four persons and received eighteen into membership, four by letter and fourteen by profession of faith.

At the Central Baptist Church Rev. F. H. Bone baptized thirteen persons at the afternoon service. Music was supplied by the children's choir and the pastor preached on the significance of baptism.

At the Waterloo Street Baptist Church Rev. L. B. Gray, B. A., pastor of Waterloo Street Baptist Church baptized one person at that church at the eleven o'clock service. A children's choir rendered special music.

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Advertisement for Vulcanite Roofing. Features text: 'Vulcanite Roofing Covers Every Roofing Need. For your home, barn or shed, you'll find Vulcanite Roofing will meet your requirements...' Emerson & Fisher, Limited.

Advertisement for Spring Suits and New Blouses. Features illustrations of a woman and text: 'Spring Suits CALL FOR New Blouses. The most fascinating New Spring Styles are here and in varieties large enough to supply your every need.'

Advertisement for Silk Underskirts and Purse and Hand Bags. Features illustrations of a woman in a dress and text: 'Silk Underskirts An Important Detail. These very attractive Underskirts were especially designed for wearing with the newest width of skirt.'

Advertisement for Manchester Robertson Allison. Features text: 'PRESENTED FLAG AT ST. PAUL'S, ROTHSAY. At St. Paul's Church, Rothesay, a beautiful silk flag was presented by Mrs. William S. Allison yesterday.'