

THE WEATHER. Maritime—Moderate to fresh westerly to northerly winds mostly fair and a little colder. Toronto, Nov. 12.—The area of high pressure which was over Manitoba last night has spread eastward to northern Ontario, and a moderate disturbance is approaching the lake region from the westward. The weather is cold and unsettled over the greater part of the Dominion. Temperatures. Min. Max. Victoria... 28 44 Vancouver... 36 42 Kamloops... 34 38 Calgary... 26 34 Edmonton... 20 44 Medicine Hat... 32 40 Moose Jaw... 23 38 Regina... 23 28 Winnipeg... 20 32 Port Arthur... 24 40 Toronto... 31 40 Kingston... 30 42 Ottawa... 26 34 Montreal... 28 34 Quebec... 26 32 St. John... 20 42 Halifax... 34 50

Around the City. Residents of St. George, N. B. TAKE NOTICE that the Saint John Standard's agency in your town has been changed and that hereafter the Standard may be obtained each morning at Frauley Bros. store.

Loads Hay and Oats. The steamship Delmira, 2211 tons, Captain Brown, is expected in port within a few days to take in a cargo of hay and oats for the Imperial army.

Burglars Make a Haul. Messrs. Jacobson & Co.'s furniture and ready-made clothing store, Main street, was broken into on Wednesday night, and a considerable quantity of clothing and other articles stolen. The work was apparently that of boys, as they destroyed other articles which they did not consider worth taking. The thieves broke open a side door and in that way gained an entrance.

Stolen Goods Recovered. Detective Lucas has made a big haul of goods stolen from Jacobson & Company's ready-made clothing store, Main street. The break was made on Wednesday night and is thought to have been the work of boys. Entrance to the premises was through a side door. Up to early this morning there had been no arrests but the officers are on the hunt for the guilty persons.

Unfounded Rumors. Mayor Frimston, Commissioner Wigmore and McLellan visited the new sugar refinery at the Ballast wharf yesterday afternoon and inspected the big buildings from cellar to attic and were even out on the roof. No arms, munitions of war, or German arms were found, and the commissioners expressed themselves as being satisfied that the rumors concerning the plant and its alleged connection with German plans were absolutely unfounded. It is expected the plant will be in operation at an early date.

The Remounts. The steamship Anglo-Saxon took on board more than 800 horses from the remount station yesterday afternoon. There are three other steamships in port for horses and two of them are fitted for cargo. The only ship not altogether ready is the Donaldson liner Lakonia and she needs only the building of fifty-six stalls to complete her equipment. When other horses will arrive in the city is not being given out at headquarters, but from the present outlook it is certain that special trains will be arriving in St. John daily with remounts.

Appointed a Fish Inspector. A. O. H. Wilson of North End, who formerly represented Grand Bay, was appointed member of the City Council, and who for years has been well known as a successful fisherman, has been appointed inspector of pickled fish for the district, including Charlotte, St. John, Westmorland and Albert counties in this province and Digby, Annapolis and Kings counties in Nova Scotia. The appointment will give general satisfaction as Mr. Wilson possesses the qualifications necessary for a competent official.

Caring for the Belgians. The proposal of the provincial immigration authorities to bring out Belgian refugees and settle them in New Brunswick evidently meets with the approval of the people of the province. One gentleman at Woodstock has offered to make arrangements for handling 200 Belgians and placing them on the land. From other parts of the province there have come to the immigration authorities offers to assist Belgians in locating in the province. When in England J. B. Daggett, secretary of the Department of Agriculture, will try to make arrangements for bringing out parties of Belgians.

Open Meeting. The first of a series of open entertainments to take place during the winter under the auspices of Alexandra No. 6, Temple of Honor and Temperance, was held last evening at Temple Building, Main street. It took a patriotic form, and during the evening Rev. J. James MacCallum delivered an address on "England's Case," during the course of which he clearly demonstrated the justice of the position taken by the mother country in the present conflict. The Temple Band played several patriotic selections and there were songs by Miss Climo whose rendering of "Canada, My Home" brought forth an encore. "It's a Long Way to Tipperary" and "S. J. Holder, and Admit by Miss Gallop and H. Belding. There was a good attendance of members and their friends.

PATRIOTISM TO BE AROUSED BY PUBLIC MEETINGS HERE. Recruits for Overseas Battalion train in city streets—More men needed for service of the Empire—Loyalist spirit not dead in St. John.

While the number of recruits offering for the ranks of the 24th New Brunswick Battalion has fallen off during the last few days, the men, who have joined the ranks, have been put in active training and the city yesterday presented the appearance of a garrison town with squads of soldiers drilling and marching in many of the streets and open spaces. During yesterday afternoon the central portion of the city, particularly in the vicinity of King Square, was alive with soldiers. On the north side of a square a squad of men was being put through drill by an officer. Marching and formations were the chief parts of the drill but many citizens watched the proceedings and acquired themselves with the methods of producing British soldiers from raw recruits. The men in training seemed particularly intelligent and they soon caught on to the rudiments of the drill. Down in the armory the scenes were more intense and the military spirit was given full play there. Men in uniform were on every hand and drill of the more intricate varieties was indulged in by the men. The armory has the appearance of a real military colony and armed guards and pickets add to the scheme and give the civilian a more intimate feeling in regard to the war in Europe and its position in regard to Canada. From watching the scenes at the armory one becomes intensely impressed with the fact that this is Canada's fight and that her men are necessary for the bringing about of an everlasting peace. The men go about their

THE WINTER COURSE OPEN IN ART CLUB. "Chinese Art" discussed before large gathering last evening, by Rev. Dr. MacVicar.

The men in the ranks of the New Brunswick battalion have taken up their work in creditable fashion and every man seems intent on getting into proper shape for carrying on the campaign in behalf of the people of Canada and the rest of the Empire, who find it impossible to get away from home and lend a hand themselves. The enthusiasm prevalent in other parts of Canada has evidently not yet reached St. John, although large contributions for both the patriotic and Belgian funds have been made by people here. It is felt, however, that a series of public meetings will help to show citizens in general their duty at this time. As pointed out by one of the recruiting officers yesterday there are many young men in St. John with no specialties to keep them at home but these men had not yet been apprised of their duty in the present crisis. It is hoped however that the public meetings will result in the young men of St. John showing the Empire that the strain of Loyalist blood so apparent in the founders of this city has not yet run out but is still as strong as when the Loyalist founders of the city first landed on the site of this city and endured almost incredible hardships in order to remain true to their king and the flag under which they were born.

LEATHER GOODS SOCIAL WORK MAY COST MORE THIS WINTER. Playgrounds Association will supervise and carry on the work.

At a meeting held yesterday in the Board of Trade rooms the executive of the Playgrounds Association decided to carry on social centre work amongst girls, as well as boys, during the coming winter. The Girls' Association has hitherto had charge of the social centre work for girls under the supervision of Miss Pitt, Miss Hether and Miss Hoyt, and has a hall in Union street. The two associations have been proceeding along similar lines and it has been thought desirable that they should be amalgamated, ten members of the Girls' Association being added to the executive of the Playgrounds Association. The following were present at the meeting: W. B. Tennant, Mrs. E. Colby Smith, Mrs. G. L. Wetmore, Mrs. D. P. Chisholm, Judge Ritchie, F. L. Potts, R. B. Emerson, Walter C. Allison, F. deL. Clements, George E. P. Armstrong, A. M. Belding and Superintendent Howard of the Y. M. C. A.

THE FUNDS. The Sixth Contribution. The Patriotic Fund received a check yesterday morning for \$50, from the Empire Novelty Co., who are conducting a chocolate campaign. This is the sixth amount, a total of \$310, contributed to this fund up to the present time.

C. B. ALLEN, Sec. and Treas. Employees of Provincial Hospital for November... \$51.00 Proceeds pie social at Lorneville by Mount Temple, N. B.,... 50.00 Willing Workers of German St. Baptist Church... 35.00 Canadian Oil Co... 25.00 Empire Novelty Company... 50.00 Belgian Relief Fund. The balance on hand to the credit of the Belgian Relief Fund now amounts to \$12,226.85. Receipts so far have been \$14,298.35, and expenditures \$2,171.50. The following subscriptions were received yesterday morning: E. T. French, Wathen, Harcourt, N. B.,... \$ 1.00 Fred Chipman Schofield... 1.00 Cash from sale of potatoes... 172.75 The local Belgian Relief Committee are to meet in the city office on Friday morning at 12 o'clock to consider ways and means to help the Belgians. In accordance with the decision of the Provincial Committee, supplies and funds on hand will probably be forwarded to the Belgian Consul at London.

PERSONAL. Councillor Palmer, of the Parish of Kings County, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Palmer has the distinction of serving 25 years as a councillor. For the Red Cross. Messrs. Weisel, who have already made generous contributions to the patriotic fund, have devised a new way of rendering assistance. They will, during next week, donate to the Red Cross Society ten per cent of their gross sales. This money will be devoted to the purchase of sleeping caps for the New Brunswick boys at the front. A local committee will be in charge of the expenditure. During next week all goods sold at Weisel's will be at the regular prices.

Ladies Coats. It would pay you to drop in and have a look at those handsome, new coats that F. A. Dykeman & Co are showing. They are very attractive, well made and up to the minute in style. They have a nice assortment of curl cloth coats in all sizes at \$10.75. They are also showing handsome curl cloth coats, plush trimmed and silk lined throughout, \$12.95. They come in black, navy, grey and brown.

Ask For Them. Eventually many thousands in this city will wear shoes that are made in our home town. PARK HOTEL, KING SQUARE.

CANADA TO BUY FOUR CRUISERS? Report says Government will buy fast boats from States for patrol service on coasts.

London, Ont., Nov. 12.—The London Advertiser in its issue of tonight says that it learns from "a London man with an official connection with the government at Ottawa," that the federal cabinet has practically decided to purchase four fast cruisers from the United States at once, two of these to patrol the Canadian Atlantic coast, and the other two to be dispatched to the Pacific. The success of the Australian cruiser Sydney in destroying the Emden has hastened the move, the article declares.

BORN. LOUNSBURY.—On Nov. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lounsbury a son.

DIED. LOUNSBURY.—On November 12th, at 27 Elliott Row, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lounsbury.

LONGON.—In this city at 140 Britain street, Jennie, beloved wife of John Longon, aged 42 years, leaving besides her husband, one son and three daughters, two brothers and one sister to mourn. Funeral Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from her late residence. McDONALD.—In this city on 11th inst. John, son of the late Edward and Sarah McDonald, leaving four sisters and two brothers to mourn, funeral from the residence of his brother-in-law, Edward Walsh, 142 Brussels street, on Friday, at 2.30 p. m. Friends invited to attend.

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