

THE WEATHER

Maritime—Strong east and northeast shifting to westerly winds; partly fair and becoming milder, but some local rain.

Washington, April 18—Forecast: New England—Fair Monday and Tuesday; fresh to strong northwest and west winds.

Toronto, April 18—A marked disturbance is situated tonight off the Nova Scotia coast, attended by stormy conditions, while a shallow depression covers Lake Superior, giving a few showers in Ontario.

Temperatures

Table with columns: Min., Max., Prince Rupert, Victoria, Vancouver, Prince Albert, Calgary, Regina, Winnipeg, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Halifax.

C.P.R. LINER HERE SUNDAY

The Missanabie Passengers Thought They Saw Submarine, but 'twas Fishing Boat.

The C. P. R. steamship Missanabie, Captain Evans, arrived in port yesterday afternoon, about 3.30 o'clock, from Liverpool via Halifax and docked at No. 3 berth, Sand Point.

The passengers on board the ship were given a little fright while the ship was making the circle to clear the watercraft, but the fears were all quelled when it was learned that instead of a German submarine it was a fishing vessel.

Among the passengers returning to Canada on the ship were Mr. and Mrs. F. Freshwater of St. Andrews, N. B., Lieut. Darling, Ottawa; Capt. M. O. Cummings, Ottawa; Lieut. A. G. Curran, London; Lieut. W. K. De Kappelle, Montreal; Lieut. E. F. Fanning, London; Lieut. D. M. Fell, London; Lieut. C. W. S. Gibson, London; Col. J. Hammond, London; Lieut. E. R. M. Lane, London; Lieut. W. B. Pearson, Hartney, Man.; Lieut. C. A. Robinson, London; Lieut. W. B. Pirie, London; Lieut. H. E. Smythe, London; Major Starling, London; Lieut. Com. W. C. Tancred, London; Captain C. S. Wilkie, Toronto; Capt. A. H. Williamson, R. N.; Lieut. A. M. Winsor, Bridgewater, End. and eight sergeants C. E. F.

The passengers for the west were sent away on a special train last evening. In addition to a large general cargo the ship brought over a large quantity of English mail.

SECOND ANNIVERSARY OF THE BROTHERHOOD OF CENTENARY CHURCH

Dr. G. M. Campbell Addressed Special Services in Celebration of Event—Duty of Young Canadians

Yesterday was the second anniversary of the organization of the Centenary Brotherhood, and the occasion was celebrated by special services at the church morning and evening, at which Rev. G. M. Campbell, D. D., a former pastor, and now principal of Mt. Allison's Ladies' College, was the preacher.

Quoting Tennyson to the effect that self-knowledge, self-reverence and self-control carried life to sovereignty, the preacher said that the only self-sacrifice as an essential in developing the powers of the spirit of life, Young men must have ideals, and the supreme ideal should be that of Christ. Religion emphasized the worth of the individual life, and the necessity of purity.

Referring to the war Mr. Campbell said it was the duty of every young Canadian, not having any physical disabilities, to rally to the defence of the Empire and help uphold the banner of England. If the Empire fell those ideals of justice and righteousness for which it stood would fall, and the blow to Christian civilization would be irreparable.

In all walks of life men with noble ideals, and pure hearts were needed. Politics always rose to the level of the character of the average citizen. At the morning service Dr. Campbell gave an eloquent and instructive address on the question of character building, pointing out the conditions of character.

Dr. Campbell whose eloquence can always be trusted to draw a large St. John audience, spoke to big congregations at both services, and his sermons were greatly appreciated.

THE SUDDEN DEATH OF JAMES MURPHY

C.P.R. Official Found Dead in His Room in West End Hotel.

Yesterday morning about 9.30 o'clock James Murphy, aged 59 years, who has been engaged as head cooper for the C.P.R., at the West End docks, was found dead in his room in the Western House on Rodney street West St. John. The deceased had not been feeling well during the past couple of weeks and had been under the care of a physician, but was able to be around. He retired to his room Saturday evening early, and when he did not put in an appearance at breakfast yesterday morning persons in the house investigated and found him lying on the floor of his room dead.

Mr. Murphy was fully attired with the exception of his hat and coat, and when found had his head resting on a pillow. Coroner P. L. Kenney was notified and after viewing the remains decided that death was due to heart trouble, and an inquest was unnecessary. The remains were given in care of Undertaker Brennan and will be sent to Montreal today for interment.

When the clothing on the dead man was searched yesterday morning by Coroner Kenney that official found a pocketbook in one of the deceased's pockets which contained \$75.00. The deceased is a single man and is said to have a couple of nieces in Montreal, which was his home. Jas. Murphy was very well and favorably known by nearly all the men about the harbor front. He was an exceptionally large man weighing 350 pounds and has been working as cooper here every winter for the past fifteen years and was engaged in that work for the steamship lines in Montreal during the summer months.

WINDOW DISPLAY OF SOLDIERS' SOCKS AT M. R. A.'S

As different societies will on Tuesday and Wednesday hold sock days for the soldiers, the window display of hand knit country socks at M. R. A.'s will be of interest and the socks will be on sale in the Men's Furnishings Department at twenty-five and thirty-cent a pair.

OUR GREAT SALE OF CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS

Has Met With Phenomenal Success. We sold a wonderful amount of goods on Saturday and we feel sure that everyone is satisfied with their purchases. A most noticeable thing about this sale is the liberal patronage accorded it by the business men of the city. Hard-headed, shrewd men who know a good thing when they see it came on the opening days and bought not only for immediate use but in anticipation of their clothes needs for many months to come. You have two full weeks to share in this bargain event, but we urge you strongly to come as soon as possible while the assortments are still at their best. Come expecting much for your money and we will not disappoint you. Donaldson Hunt, 17-19 Charlotte street.

DOMINION SOCK DAY, APRIL 20TH

In reply to the question what constitutes donating a pair or more of socks to the Red Cross Society on the 20th inst, kindly observe the following answer from the knitting department of the local branch: "Either two ways—first, the yarn loaned out from the Red Cross depot and on returning the socks (by a would-be donor) kindly enclose in each donation the name, address, and for each pair of socks 25 cents to cover the cost of yarn—or second, send in a pair or more of socks not knitted with yarn loaned from the Red Cross depot simply sending clearly name and address of donor. On this particular day machine or bought socks will also be most acceptable."

"PLAY BALL"

Spalding's Famous Baseball Goods. Base Ball clubs and individual players will find our sporting department particularly attractive with its big line of Spalding's Famous Base Ball Goods, the extensive variety of which will make easy the selection of supplies for the season's opening games.

Macaulay Bros. & Co., King Street, St. John, N. B. Stores Open at 8 a. m. Closes at 8 p. m. Saturday night at 10 o'clock.

If You Desire the Latest Fabrics in Wool Dress and Costume Fabrics. SEE OUR STOCK OF Gabardines, All-Wool Serges and Fancy Weaves in the latest production of British looms. All are at the low prices of last season, being bought at less than present war prices.

Facts of Vital Importance. Are the cause of the enviable popularity of THE ROYAL GRAND RANGE. Emerson & Fisher Ltd.

Stores Open at 8.30 — Close at 6 o'clock, Saturdays 10 p. m.

New Art Needlework. Our needlework showing has been made of much greater interest to the lovers of the beautiful by the addition of a fine selection of stamped and tinted articles ready for working as well as a handsome variety of finished pieces. Stamped and Tinted Articles.

Sale of Men's Colored Shirts At Only 79c. CONTINUED THIS MORNING.

Men's Colored Shirts. —Newest designs, latest colorings, popular styles, reliable makes, and the best value we have offered for many a day. Shirts with soft fronts, cuffs attached; all soft shirts with soft double cuffs. A large variety to select from. Sizes from 14 to 16 only.

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Around the City

Favor Prohibition. In the Queen Square Methodist church last evening Rev. Hammond Johnson, the pastor, preached a strong sermon in favor of temperance. At the close of the service the congregation voted unanimously in favor of the adoption of prohibition in the province during the war.

Damage From Gale. A young gale of wind that swept over the city yesterday morning caused considerable damage about the city. Limbs of trees and signs were blown down. About 30 feet of a fence was torn down on the Smythe street sidewalk, and a large bill board on Brussels street was blown down, fortunately at a time when no person was near.

Fulfilling His Conditions. John Abbott of this city, who has been an apprentice to St. John Pilots, and who is making ready to pass for a pilot for this port was a passenger on the C. P. R. steamship Missanabie yesterday from England. Mr. Abbott is making his necessary two round voyages across the Atlantic before he can pass for pilot. This is his first round voyage and he will make one more on the same ship.

Two Alarms. At eight o'clock Saturday evening an alarm was sent in from box 131 for a fire in a barn on Victoria street owned by Thomas Hastings and rented to Archibald Trearthen. The damage done was slight. Yesterday morning, at 6.45 o'clock, smoke was seen coming from the door of Patrick McDevett's barber shop on North Side of King Square, and an alarm was sent in from box 27. When the firemen arrived they could not find any fire, but the cause of the smoke was a back draft which blew the smoke down the chimney and out the stove door.

Young Girl Stole Sweater. Mary Hickey, aged seventeen years, was arrested early one morning last week while in the company of a soldier in an alley off North street and was also included in the raid on John Peck's disorderly house on that street. She was taken before the Police Magistrate and was sent to the Evangeline Home for a term in charge of Salvation Army officers. Mary did not appear to like the idea of being kept off the street and Saturday night she made her escape and when she left the Home she stole a sweater from a colored girl, also one of the bluecoats worn by a Salvation Army officer. The matter was reported to the chief of police yesterday afternoon. Special officers James McBride and Thomas Barrett called on a house on Ermouth street where they found the girl and the stolen articles in her possession. She was arrested and locked up on the charge of theft.

Runaway Boys Caught. Pearl Hampton and William Moore, two boys who were doing a term in the Industrial Home on the charge of stealing, made their escape from that institution Saturday night. They were seen on the corner of Pond and George street last evening by Sgt. Scott, but ran away before the officer could get close enough to capture them. About 9.50 o'clock Special Officers McBride and Barrett called at the Moore home and were successful in arresting the two boys. Moore did not make his arrest very seriously as he remarked that he did not care what was done to him. Moore, with his brother William was arrested last fall for breaking into a number of stores and stealing goods. William Moore escaped from the reformatory a few weeks ago and is now in the county jail awaiting sentence. The Hampton boy was one who broke into a number of places in Lancaster.

Rush Business. F. A. Dykeman and Co. are finding it hard to keep pace with the tremendous demand in their suit and coat department. The exquisite styles and their attractive prices have created such a demand for these garments that the business in the suit department is almost doubled. They have just received another large express shipment of the newest designs in suits and coats, and they have been priced in the usual attractive way. They are also showing a choice selection of children's coats, prices ranging from \$2.75 to \$10.00.