

AROUND THE CITY
FAIR, TURNING COLDER

MORE FLU CASES.
Four cases of influenza were reported to the Board of Health authorities yesterday.

LILY LAKE ICE.
A large gang of men are engaged harvesting the ice in Lily Lake. The ice is reported thicker than last year.

ARE REPATRIATED.
Ottawa despatches yesterday report the repatriation of three St. John infantrymen, Ptes. W. A. Walsh, F. P. Lawson and H. H. Hamilton.

POLICEMAN RESIGNS.
Police Officer F. C. Hopkins, who has been deskman at police headquarters for the past few years, resigned from the force yesterday.

NEAT CALENDAR.
The Standard has received a very neat calendar from the Continental Insurance Company, Lockhart and Ritchie, local agents.

THE POLICE COURT.
Three men arrested for drunkenness forfeited deposits in the police court yesterday for non-appearance, while one other was remanded. A fifth prisoner arrested at Union Depot by C. G. R. policeman was sent to the Provincial Hospital yesterday morning after examination as to his mentality.

THE BOYS' CLUB.
Despite the counter attraction of splendid coasting there was a good attendance of the members of the Boys' Club last night at their rooms, Union street. The headliner of the evening was C. R. Wasson, had the bright breezy talk given by him held the attention of his hearers until the close. After the address a number of indoor games were played under the direction of the supervisor, Mr. Scott.

LONGSHOREMAN INJURED.
James Hillis, a longshoreman, suffered severe injuries to one of his ankles last evening, while at his duties on the West Side, when a box containing merchandise fell on his foot. Wiling hands picked him up, and he was conveyed to the emergency hospital, where he received attention. He was later removed to his home.

GERTRUDE WHALEN INJURED.
The numerous friends of Miss Gertrude Whalen of East Saint John, will be sorry to learn that she is confined to her home at the present time as the result of injuries received at T. Simms brush factory, Patville, when she fell down the elevator shaft. Fortunately her injuries are of a minor nature, and the young lady will be able to resume her duties in the near future.

ANNUAL SLEIGH DRIVE.
The annual sleigh drive of Dominion Lodge, 445, was held on Wednesday evening to Fort York, after which they returned to 26 Murray street, where a pleasant time was enjoyed by all, and a fitting repast was partaken of. The lodge is in a flourishing condition, nine new members were given the first degree, also seventeen new members were received into the Juvenile Temple.

CONCILIATION BOARD.
Common Clerk Wardroper received a telegram from the Minister of Labor, Ottawa, stating that James L. Surrin has been selected by the Policemen's Protective Association to represent them on the Conciliation Board which is to decide on the status of the organization. Mr. Wardroper wired the minister of the selection of Allan H. Vctorino as the city's representative. The next step is to have the gentlemen to agree on third member.

COURTENAY BAY WORK.
D. S. Pratt, general manager of St. John Dry Dock and Shipbuilding Company, arrived in the city yesterday and will spend a few days looking over the work in progress at Courtenay Bay. He said the work was progressing as rapidly as could be expected at this season of the year. Two steam shovels were now in operation, and a third would be working in the course of a few days. In the spring dredging would be commenced, and all the men obtainable would be put on the job.

JEWEL REBEKAH LODGE.
Officers of Jewel Rebekah Lodge, No. 6, were installed on Wednesday evening by District Deputy President Mrs. J. M. McKelvie, as follows: Miss Ella M. Robson, noble grand; Mrs. Charles Nelson, vice grand; Miss Effie Titus, recording secretary; Miss Emma Habbitt, financial secretary; Miss Mildred Long, treasurer; Miss Beatrice Hammond, warden; Miss Eva Robson, conductor; Miss Maud Read, R.S.N.D.; Miss Laura Parks L.S.N.G.; Mrs. Fred Long, R.S.V.G.; Miss Edwina Irons, L.S.V.G.; Mrs. A. Treese, inside guard; George Lewis, outside guard; Mrs. William Adams, chaplain.

TRUE BILLS FOUND.
Two criminal cases were given to the grand jury yesterday at the opening of the court for the consideration of Mr. Justice Barry. In both cases true bills were found, the former the King vs. Connell, Kane and Kelly; the latter, the King vs. Christianson, all charged with breaking and entering.

PERSONAL.
Whitman Haines, Fredericton, professor at Rochesay Collegiate School, arrived yesterday to resume his duties at the college, after a pleasant vacation at his home in the capital. Mr. Haines is a graduate in Arts of the U. N. B., and was on the professional staff of the Rochesay Institution last year.

A RETURNING OFFICER DEAD

Col. E. H. Bodwell, C. M. G., D. S. O. of Vancouver a Victim of Pneumonia—Remains Sent West Last Evening.

Colonel E. H. Bodwell, C. M. G., D. S. O., of Vancouver, who reached the city last Friday on the Scandinavian from England, and was returning home, died Wednesday in the military hospital, St. James street, from the effects of lobar pneumonia after a very short illness. The late officer was thirty-seven years of age, and a senior officer in the Canadian Engineers, Vancouver's quota. He spent over two years in France, and escaped deadly gas, coal boxes and all other weapons of destruction utilized by the Huns, coming to his native land to die. When on the Scandinavian he grew quite ill, and when admitted to the Military Hospital here on the tenth instant, the dread pneumonia had a grip on him, from which he did not recover. One of the doctors of the Military Hospital speaking last evening of the late officer, stated that the deceased was extremely popular. To add to the gravity of the sad occurrence, the wife of the deceased was at the present en route to visit her husband, having left Vancouver as soon as notified by the military authorities here. She is now at Ottawa awaiting the arrival home of the body. The late home in Vancouver on the Montreal express last evening, escorted by Captain Evans of this military district.

WEALTHY PARSEE INDIAN ARRIVES

Sahib Marshall Passenger from Liverpool Yesterday—Laxman Santaram, 14 Year Old Hindu Orphan Servant Held by Officials.

Kipling has said that "East is east, and west is west, and never the twain shall meet," but they met in the immigration shed, West Side, yesterday after the Metagama docked, and the result was the same as that produced when an irresistible force meets an immovable body.

Sahib Marshall is a wealthy Parsee Indian, who has large interests in Bombay, and permanent residence in London, England, and New York city. When he reached this port yesterday he had with him a fourteen-year old Hindu boy, but when he went before the immigration inspectors at this port yesterday, neither the Canadian nor the American officials would give him clearance papers.

His passports show that Mr. Marshall and this child have travelled on their present tour, from Bombay to Genoa, then to Paris, London and on to Liverpool, where they embarked for this port en route to his American home in New York city. The officials at London and at Liverpool knew where he was going, and also knew that he was taking a companion and servant this fourteen-year-old Hindu boy, but when he went before the immigration inspectors at this port yesterday, neither the Canadian nor the American officials would give him clearance papers.

Miss Polly Brown, housekeeper for the Marshall's New York residence, was on hand to meet her employer, and assisted greatly in getting food and accommodation for the native boy in the immigration shed, while he was detained, and in helping to settle the racial and lingual difficulties. The immigration authorities in sympathy last night allowed the boy to go back on board the Metagama, rather than be confined in the shed, and it is expected that within a few days proper credentials will come through and the entire difficulty will be straightened out.

Mr. Marshall, who is an English university graduate, and a man of extensive interests in the Indian empire, is naturally much excited over the vexatious delay.

ARMY HUTS WILL BE ESTABLISHED

John P. Dunne Here Relative to Establishing Catholic Huts in Different Provincial Centres.

John Patrick Dunne, of Ottawa, returned home last evening on the Montreal Express, after a short trip in this centre, relative to the establishing of the Catholic Army huts in the Maritime Provinces. Mr. Dunne was delegated here as assistant organizer of the Catholic Army Huts, and special representative of the central division at Ottawa, to consult with local officials of the Army Hut scheme in this city. While here, he was in consultation with the local Catholic lay officials, and as a result, preparations and arrangements were made for the opening of one hut in this city. This hut will be but one link of the Catholic Army huts extending from coast to coast in Canada, and the United States, and each will be established for the sole comfort of soldiers throughout the continent of North America, so as to better them morally, physically and socially. It is believed that with the opening of the new hut in this centre the ice will have been broken for numerous others in the Maritime Provinces.

FUNERAL UNDER MILITARY HONORS

Remains of Lieut. Commander Clapson Conveyed to Fernhill Yesterday—Deceased Died from Pneumonia After Short Illness.

The funeral of Lieutenant Commander Clapson, who died of pneumonia on Tuesday at Partridge Island, was held yesterday under full military honors, and interment made in Fernhill cemetery. The Seventh Canadian Garrison Regiment and the other several remaining sections of the various units in the city, under command of Captain March, Captain Smith, Lieutenants Cunningham, Veniot, McGowan and Kelly, marched in a body with reversed arms, accompanied by the band of the Depot Battalion. The men marched from the Armouries to the undertaking parlors of H. N. Powers, 81 Princess street, where the body of the deceased lay. Falling in again they escorted the remains of the gallant commander to Fernhill. The casket was draped with the emblem of liberty and justice "The Union Jack," for which the deceased had nobly paroled the high seas to keep it floating in the breeze. Six naval ratings acted as pall bearers, and the procession wound to the cemetery the Dead March in Saul was played. Numerous citizens gathered on the curbs to witness the solemn and grave procession. Reverend (Captain) G. A. Kuhring conducted the services at the grave, and as the body was being lowered into its resting place, the men stood with reversed arms, while the bugles sounded the "Last Post," then three volleys were fired.

HAPPY STANLEY STREET HOME

Cadet W. Kenneth Clawson Returned Home Yesterday After Three Years of Action at the Front.

Among happy parents in the city yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Clawson, 54 Stanley street, who greeted their son, Cadet W. Kenneth Clawson, who reached home on the Metagama, after his being four years in the service of King and country. Cadet Clawson went overseas with the "Tobin's Tigers," the crack Western unit, recruited in Vancouver, in the commencement of the war, but later was transferred into the Royal Air Force, in which unit he was granted the opportunity of seeing the scrap far off "Terra Firma."

His parents knew not of his arrival in the city by the Metagama, but happening to notice in the press of fifty cadets who were expected to reach here on that liner, they went to the pier, and were the first on the liner when she docked. Naturally they were speechless when they saw their gallant boy on the ship, and "seeing was believing" to them again, when they greeted the lad, whom they had not seen for a long time. Last evening the home on Stanley street was the scene of happiness and jollity, as the old home again sheltered their lad whose return they had awaited in daily suspense.

CARLETON ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER

Officers Installed Last Evening by Grand Excellent High Priest H. A. Porter Assisted by Staff.

The officers of Carleton Royal Arch Chapter were installed last night by Grand Excellent High Priest, H. A. Porter assisted by his staff of officers. After the installation the members adjourned to Bonds, where they were the guests of the newly installed officers at dinner and a pleasant hour was spent.

The following were installed: J. C. Earle, H. P. S. J. Parkhill, K. S. P. McCavour, S. H. A. Porter, Treas. H. A. Langstroth, Sec. W. R. White, C. of H. P. W. Hewitson, P. S. G. C. Cosman, R. S. C. J. H. Kelley, M. V. D. D. Betts, M. V. A. G. Hoar, M. V. R. Clerke, Tyler.

The new change of vaudeville programme opening at the Opera House tonight, offers Flolett's Monkeys, four real live monkeys, cute little fellows, that will keep you in roars of laughter; Dorothy and Buster, two classy kids who sing and dance; Joe Kamber, comedian, singer and story teller; Vardell and Sewall in a comedy skit with music and song; Louis Leo in a sensational ladder act; and the ninth chapter of the serial "The Woman in the Web." The evening at 7:20 and 9, tomorrow afternoon at 2 and 4.30. Popular prices.

Remember the date for Racy, Thursday evening, January 23rd at the Imperial.

DECORATED MEN RETURNING HOME

Heroes Honored by the King for Gallantry Reach the City Yesterday from Overseas—Have Seen Plenty of Action.

Among the officers who reached this port on the S.S. Metagama yesterday was Captain E. B. Rattray of the Grenadier Guards, Montreal. Captain Rattray enlisted and went overseas with the 87th Battalion in command of a platoon, and later got another star added to his shoulder straps for gallant work in the front line.

He has been mentioned in despatches by his commanding officer, and his decorations include the military cross, which he won in the Amiens scrap, the Edward coronation medal, the Imperial long service medal and the South African medal. He has been twice wounded, at Amiens on Sept. 2, 1918, and at Cambrai on Sept. 30, last year, the latter casualty getting him his final Blighty and discharge.

Lieut. Sydney H. Robinson, of Toronto, went overseas in 1914 as a private in the 19th Battalion, and in his thirty months in the front line trenches was successively promoted from the ranks to the command of a platoon. As an original he wears the Mons star, and is also decorated with the military medal won while a private in the ranks for coolness under fire and successfully carrying out an important raiding party at the Hill 70 battle. He got his Blighty on April 12 last year at the Passchendaele fight.

Lieut. Blunham, of Winnipeg, went overseas with the 78th Battalion in 1916 as a corporal. He won the military medal at Hill 70, and added a showy mortar in the front line fighting. Cadet Aitkenhead, Vancouver, has not yet won the two up on the shoulder, but his courage was proved at Vimy Ridge in 1918, when he won the military medal for conspicuous bravery while attached to the 72nd High Lighters.

LECTURE WAS MUCH ENJOYED

W. Frank Hatheway Last Evening Delivered the First of a Series in C. of E. Institute.

The first of a series of lectures to be given in the Church of England Institute was held last evening when W. Frank Hatheway delivered a very fine address upon the Effect of Natural Objects Upon the Human Mind. Mr. Hatheway touched upon the glory of scenery, the wonders of creation and the beauties of birds and flowers. He instanced their effect upon the mind of the great poets and with many appropriate quotations from the poets of the world he influenced. The speaker told of seeing daisies in the graveyard at Rome and flowers upon the hill at Cordoba, where St. Paul preached to the people. The lecture was well thought out and enriched with a wealth of poetical allusion.

Rev. Canon Armstrong presided, and in his opening remarks spoke of the revival of the old custom of having lectures held at the Institute of which last evening was the first of those arranged. At the close of the address Mr. Hatheway was warmly thanked by the chairman and by the large audience assembled.

A SOLID CONCESSION IN MITTS AND WOOL GOODS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY AT DYKEMAN'S.

Misses' and Children's Mitts, sizes 2 to 8, in colors of red, castor, grey, and white, regular 69c per pair, for 55c per pair. Brushed Wool Gauntlet Knit Gloves in red, white, grey, and castor, regular \$1.65 per pair, for \$1.35. Skating Caps and Scarfs, white with green bands, two wool pomps, one on each side, also obtainable in white with rose, castor with green, plain grey, old rose, castor, green and cardinal with button, or wool pomps as trimmings.

Another line is Green Cap with wide band of white fastened on top with wool pomps. Obtainable in blue and white, rose and white, regular up \$1.25 for 89c. All Wool Tams, brushed wool effect, castor, green, blue, biscuit, at \$1.65 each. Fifteen patterns of Wool Coating 50 inches to 54 inches wide. Regular value up to \$3.00 per yard for \$1.95 per yard. Samples sent on request from the mail order department.

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CHAPLIN AND NEW BILL AT IMPERIAL TODAY.

Because of the tremendous success attending the Chaplin trench-life travesty "Shoulder Arms" at the Imperial yesterday again the laughable three-reel comedy will be repeated today. Shows today in addition J. Warren Kerrigan will appear in an heroic role in a splendid action entitled "The Turn of a Card," and the final chapter of the Vitaphone serial "A Fight for Millions" which has been shown because of the length of the programme the serial picture will be shown only once in the afternoon and once in the evening, namely at the close of the first show.

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