

Around the City

FAIR AND MILD

THOMAS ADAMS HERE
Thomas Adams, the town planning expert from Ottawa arrived in the city last evening.

WEST END GROUNDS.
West Side citizens are asking that the southwest corner of Queen Square be filled in to make a suitable play ground.

NEW SHAFTH ARRIVES.
The new shaft for the ferry steamer Governor Carleton has arrived from New Glasgow, and will be installed immediately.

A REPLACED MAIN.
The old four-inch main in Elm street is being replaced by an eight-inch and this will give the residents of that section a much better service.

ARRIVED FROM BERGEN.
Mrs. F. C. H. Arens arrived in St. John yesterday from Bergen, Norway, via New York. She is en route to her home near Moncton, after visiting her husband, who is in the navy.

FINGER AMPUTATED.
Mrs. W. Robertson of Rothesay, as the result of blood poisoning, had part of a finger amputated at the General Public Hospital yesterday.

THE BAND CONCERT.
A large crowd attended the band concert in King's Square last evening. The music by the City Cornet Band was all that could be desired, and the weather was ideal, although a shower threatened for a time.

KILLED BY AUTOMOBILE.
A small black dog was run over by an automobile last night about 10:30 at the head of King street and killed. The wheels of the car passed over its head and death was almost instantaneous.

WILL HOLD SESSION HERE.
Word was received here yesterday that the board of railway commissioners will hold a session in St. John on Tuesday, July 2. The board will meet at Mulgrave, N. S., on July 3, and Kentville, N. S., on July 4.

DREW ATTENTION.
Four men who arrived on a bay steamer yesterday were intoxicated and caused no little attention on the dock by their loud talk and actions. Three men drove away in a hack while the fourth, who was hatless, staggered through the streets.

IS A PRISONER.
A cablegram has been received stating that Major A. D. Carter is a prisoner of war at Karlsruhe, Germany. He left St. John with a famous New Brunswick unit, was wounded, invalided home and went overseas again. He won the D. S. O.

GOES TO ST. STEPHEN.
Ralph Brown, paying teller of the Royal Bank of Canada, Dorchester, has gone to the St. Stephen branch of the institution. He has successfully passed examination for entrance to the Royal Flying Corps and is liable to be called to the colors in September.

ON HIS VACATION.
Rev. F. E. Mortimer, New Jersey, was a visitor here yesterday and is en route to Smith's Cove, near Digby, to spend his vacation. He referred to the fact that he was an Englishman by birth and for the past 33 years has held the same position with a New Jersey firm. He left this morning on the Digby boat.

ST. JOHN BOY INJURED.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wye of this city have been called to Fredericton by an accident to their son, Gordon, who was visiting in North Devon. He was driving in a pony cart with a young friend when in some manner unknown he lost his balance and fell from the vehicle. He struck on the ground heavily, one of the bones in a leg snapping. He is now at the Victoria Hospital, Fredericton.

CONDITION IMPROVED.
Reports from the hospital late last night were to the effect that the condition of Aubrey W. Ervin was improved and there was hope for his recovery. The young man was badly injured Saturday night when run over by the C. P. R. suburban train at the Mill street crossing. The injured man's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Ervin, have arrived from Woburn, Mass., and are at the bedside of their son.

EVENING REGISTRATION.
In order to facilitate registration for those who cannot get out in the daytime, Sheriff Wilson has arranged to have registrars at the court house on Thursday evening from seven o'clock. He has had many enquiries from persons who could not get away in the daytime, and for their benefit is pursuing this course. It is also desirable that as many people as possible should register during the day before Saturday comes, in order to relieve the pressure of work and prevent delay on that day.

FUNERALS

The funeral of Archibald Craig took place yesterday afternoon from his late residence, Stanley street. Services were conducted by Rev. H. C. Fraser, assisted by Rev. J. C. Appel, interment was made in Fernhill.

The funeral of George Arnold took place yesterday afternoon from his parents' residence at 23 Wright street, St. John's church, where funeral services were conducted by Rev. Archdeacon Crowfoot. Interment was made in Fernhill. High School boys and Boy Scouts attended.

The funeral of Miss Kate Miller, who died in Campbell street and whose body was brought here for burial, took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of her brother in Randolph. Services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Bishop and interment was made in Cedar Hill.

The final examination of the N. B. Dental Association will be held at the office of Dr. Frederick D. Bonnell, 22 Germain street, city, on the 25th, 26th and 27th of June.

OFFICIAL FAREWELL CONGREGATION OF ST. JUDE'S CHURCH

Rev. G. F. Scovill Presented With Purse and Address From Congregation—Gold-Mounted Umbrella From Bible Class.

The members of the congregation of St. Jude's church turned out in force last night to say an official farewell to their rector for the past eighteen years, Rev. G. F. Scovill, who is leaving in the near future for Guelph, Ontario, to take up the duties of rector of a much larger church.

The vestry was crowded with members of the congregation and friends of other denominations who wished in this way to publicly express their sense of the loss sustained by the removal from the city of the reverend gentleman. During the course of the evening Mr. Scovill was made the recipient of an address and purse of \$300 from the congregation, and gold mounted silk umbrella from the boys of the Bible class.

Charles F. Tilton occupied the chair. Addresses were delivered by Canon Armstrong, Rev. G. A. Kuhring and Rev. W. P. Dunham, on behalf of the Anglican clergy of the city, and all expressed the regret felt at the severance of the very pleasant ties which had existed between Rev. Mr. Scovill and his brothers in the ministry. They also congratulated him on the promotion to a larger church and predicted for him the larger field which had been his here.

Hon. J. B. M. Baxter spoke for the laity and paid a most graceful tribute to the part Mr. Scovill had played as a citizen. He had always been found on the side of the right and the city was losing a good man. He also referred to the great progress made in the parish under the leadership of Rev. Mr. Scovill, who was leaving it clear of debt and in good working order.

Miss Fenton sang a couple of solos in a most acceptable manner. E. R. W. Ingraham read the following address: Rev. G. F. Scovill—

"Viewed from the temporal standpoint only, you came to this parish when the question of ways and means was one of considerable difficulty and by the spirit in which you have worked among us you leave it free from debt and able to sustain itself financially."

"The spiritual work of a nature which cannot be measured or established in any place by exact results, but you must have the consciousness that your labors here have resulted not only in great increase during your incumbency but must also produce a harvest which will be reaped by your successor."

"You have entered into our lives and have been a welcome guest. While in the future, the distance of your new field will necessarily render personal contact rare for all of us and impossible for most of us, yet you can feel assured that the ties which have been formed will be enduring. In spirit we go with you to the scene of your future endeavor, and we trust that you may long be spared, together with Mrs. Scovill, to enjoy a happy life, numerous friends of the past."

Signed on behalf of the corporation, CHARLES COSTER, W. O. DUNHAM, Church Wardens.

Accompanying the address was a purse of \$300 which he asked the rector to accept. Rev. Mr. Scovill was visibly affected by the address, but returned thanks for the good wishes expressed in it and assured those present that he would always remember with feelings of pleasure the time spent as rector of St. Jude's.

Master Leslie Kendrick then stepped to the front and on behalf of the Bible class taught by Mr. Scovill, presented him with a handsome gold mounted silk umbrella, engraved with his monogram.

Mr. Scovill thanked the boys for the gift which he told them would be always treasured by him.

FREDERICTON HOME READY NEXT WEEK

Old Government House in Fredericton Ready For Convalescent Soldiers.

It is stated that the Convalescent Home at Fredericton will be ready for occupation next week. This building, which was formerly the old government house, has undergone extensive repairs and has been put in by the government, and now presents a grand building for the care of returned men. Every modern facility has been installed and nothing but the latest in scientific equipment has been placed therein. In fact the entire interior has been thoroughly gone over and renovated and put in first class shape for the use of which it is intended. It is likely that the convalescent soldiers who are at present at the armory, or the majority of them will be removed to Fredericton in the very near future. There are quite a large number of men stationed in St. John and the opening of the new institution will be greatly appreciated.

COUNCIL MEETING HELD YESTERDAY

Discount of Five Per Cent. on Taxes Paid Before August 2—The C. P. R. Track Matter—South End Playgrounds.

At the meeting of the common council held yesterday August 2nd was fixed as the last day on which the five per cent discount on taxes would be allowed. The matter of a playground for the south end was referred to the commissioner of public works for a report on the probable cost of putting the lot in shape; the resolution calling on the C. P. R. to remove their tracks from Germain street or submit a new proposition was defeated; and tenders were accepted for supplies for the water and sewerage department.

The council went into committee to hear the delegation from the south end and with reference to a playground. A. M. Belding presented a request for the use of a lot of land between St. James and British streets and suggested the use of a couple of lots owned by private parties might be obtained. The mayor suggested that the committee take up the question with the private owners and assured the delegation that the council would give their request sympathetic consideration. The matter was referred to Commissioner Bullock for a report on the probable cost of fixing up the field.

The report of the committee of the whole was then taken up and adopted as already published with the exception of the section relating to the C. P. R. and the Germain street tracks.

Commissioner Bullock said the company were not responsible for the delay in removing the tracks and some measure of leniency should be shown and he still believed that the time should be extended until two years after the end of the war. Commissioner Hilyard said the railway could appropriate the land and build the street and should be required to do so. Mayor Hayes expressed himself as not in favor of requiring the immediate removal of the tracks and suggested that the matter lay over until all the members of the council were present. Commissioner Fisher thought the motion all right and the C. P. R. should be required to either move the tracks at once or submit some other proposition instead of the extension of time.

On the motion being put it was declared lost by the casting vote of the mayor. Commissioner Fisher and Hilyard voted in favor and Mayor Hayes and Commissioner Bullock against.

A petition from the livery stable keepers asking that the vehicle bye-law be not passed was referred to the committee of the whole.

A communication from the Railway Freight Handler's Union asking for a conference with regard to the immediate removal of the tracks and the common clerk instructed to notify them that the council would hear them on Thursday.

On motion of the Mayor August 2 was set as the last day on which the five per cent discount on taxes would be allowed.

Commissioner Hilyard recommended the acceptance of the following tenders: James Fleming, 12 tons core castings at 8 1/2 cents per pound; Union Foundry, 25 catch basin covers side inlet, \$15.25 each; W. I. Catch basin cover gratings, \$4.00 each; 100 C. I. stop cock boxes, \$5.00 each; St. John Iron Works, 25 large S. C. vault covers, 12,000 pounds at 6 cents per pound; 25 small manhole covers, special, 2,500 pounds at 6 1/4 cents per pound; 25 vault covers, special, 7 1/4 cents per pound. Adopted.

Council then adjourned and went into committee to allow J. E. Marshall to explain some matters in connection with requests from the telephone company.

RETURNED MEN REACH HOME

Twenty-eight returned men reached the city last evening on the Halifax train. In the party were a number of St. John men, many of whom have seen much service on the western front. From the depot, the party proceeded to the Armoury, where they were given a substantial meal. After granting passes for the evening and without an exception all spent the evening at home. The band concert on the square attracted the provincial men, while the St. John boys lost no time in joining their relatives.

In the St. John party were: S. H. Penne, 375 St. Patrick street; J. S. Mitchell, 36 Manawagonish Rd. J. Northrup, W. London. J. McLean, 100 St. John street. J. P. Amburg, T. Brown, T. Morrison, G. R. Wright.

MILITARY NOTES

General Macdonell the officer commanding Military District No. 7 arrived in the city yesterday after enjoying a seven week rest. At the depot he was met yesterday by Lieut. Col. Powell and Major S. S. Wetmore.

Captain J. Edgar March late of the 26th Battalion, who has been in command of a wireless station has been attached to the Depot Battalion.

PHARMACEUTICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING WAS HELD

Sessions Yesterday Morning and Afternoon—Druggists Elect Officers—Delightful Outing At Lorneville—F. W. Munro President

The annual meeting of the Pharmaceutical Society was held yesterday. The morning session opened at ten o'clock, with F. W. Munro, of St. John, chairman.

Different reports were read including that of the president; the secretary's and the registrar's, after which a report, and general discussion took place. The meeting then adjourned until the afternoon.

At two o'clock autos were taken at King's Square and the party proceeded to Lorneville, to W. Dean's Hotel where the meeting was resumed. Different phases of the druggist's business was discussed and the president then gave his address after which the officers for the year 1918 were elected, resulting as follows:

F. W. Munro, St. John, President. C. A. Burchill, Fredericton, Vice-President. Geo. O. Spencer, Moncton, Secretary. H. J. Dick, St. John, Treasurer. T. Benson Mahoney, St. John, Registrar.

A new council was elected which resulted as follows: The previous names above, with the additional ones of: A. Staples, Fredericton; G. F. Coupe, St. John; S. M. Wetmore, St. John; J. H. Ivey, Newmarket; C. B. Hickey, Chatham; P. McKenzie, Chatham; H. A. Woodworth, Sackville.

Other local judges elected: E. J. Mahoney, W. B. Mahoney, M. B. Padlock, G. A. Cameron, W. Hawker, G. A. Riecker, R. Hunter, S. Robertson, A. Ross, Dr. W. Ellis, W. C. R. Allan, Jr., and N. B. Smith.

Outside druggists in attendance were as follows: J. Fairweather, Sussex. G. O. Spencer, Moncton. H. A. Woodworth, Sackville. G. L. Fairweather, Sussex. Judges were elected as follows: G. W. Smith of Park Davidson Co., P. Bacon of Frost & Co., E. and R. Gaudier, National Drug Co., A. B. Barnes, Walpole Co., W. Burke, Walpole Co.

After a few remarks and discussion of various questions the meeting closed.

Some of those attending then enjoyed a game of baseball; others went swimming; and others enjoyed themselves in games, etc., until tea time. A special meal was prepared for the occasion, and all spoke well of the untiring efforts of the management of the hotel to make their trip as pleasant as possible, and gave them an excellent spread.

Toasts were proposed—To the King, and to the President of the United States. Speeches were in evidence and all had a splendid time. After supper the party motored back to the city, arriving about 8 o'clock, somewhat fatigued, but amply rewarded by the outing.

STRUCK BY AUTO. DEATH RESULTED

Mrs. Liberti Died in Lewiston, Maine—Mrs. Wilfred Morrisett and Miss Laura Liberti of St. John Are Daughters.

St. John relatives have received the sad news of the accidental death of Mrs. Liberti in Lewiston, Me. Mrs. Liberti while crossing a street in the Maine city, was struck by an automobile and so seriously injured that death resulted.

She is survived by a husband and eight children, of whom Mrs. Morrisett, wife of Wilfred Morrisett of this city, Canadian Pacific baggage-man, and Miss Laura Liberti of the Elliot street, are daughters.

Miss Liberti and Mrs. Morrisett left yesterday for Lewiston on receipt of the sad news.

IRON SHIP FRIE TO BE BROKEN UP

Work Will Be Done By Capt. MacIntosh, Well Known Wrecker—Ship Was Lost on Sunday Point.

Capt. MacIntosh, a well known wrecker, formerly with the late E. Lantaulum of St. John, has made arrangements to break up the wreck of the full rigged iron ship Frie, which was lost at Sunday Point, N. S., during a great westerly gale May 29, 1913. This wreck was purchased by Charles Brister & Sons, owner of the steamer Sir Henry Harkness, of which Capt. MacIntosh is commander. The saved material will be delivered to a big Yarmouth iron concern.

The Frie was the largest sailing ship which ever loaded at Yarmouth. She registered 1,603 tons, and when she was lost she carried 1,852,000 feet of spruce boards and was just starting from the Bay of Fundy for Bahia Blanca, South America, when the storm struck.

A diver reports that the hull is covered by considerable depth of water, and the wrecking steamer will be able to operate at low tide. Work will soon be begun.

CONGESTION ON THE CITY WHARVES

The need of a mast to guide the trucks and slovens on North wharf is now almost imperative. In some cases teamsters are obliged to wait for several minutes until another sees fit to back his

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Bathing Suits—Boys' sizes, 50c, 80c and \$1.20; Men's sizes, 65c to \$4.50.

Men's Furnishings Dept.

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RUSH FOR THURSDAY-FRIDAY TICKETS

A steady rush continued until a late hour last evening for reservations for the big British military comedy drama "Seven Days' Leave" at the Imperial tomorrow and Friday. When the box office opens this morning only about 75 of the \$1.50 seats and 150 of the \$1.00 seats will remain on the orchestra floor for the opening night. These will doubtless sell quickly this forenoon. There are still choice locations on both floors. The 75 cent seats in the first balcony are also in sharp demand. For Friday there are good seats in all sections of the house. Matinee tickets may be reserved now as well. Large audiences are assured for both evening performances. Both the C. P. R. and Government railways will hold suburban trains until 11 o'clock. Curtain at 8.15, final curtain 10.40.

C. P. R. Suburban train No. 326 due to leave St. John at 10.30 p.m. will be held on Thursday, June 20th until 11 p.m. to accommodate parties attending "Seven Days' Leave."

NEW VOILE FROCKS FOR YOUTH AND SUMMER

A PART OF JOYOUS JUNE.

Like the blossoming flowers, and leafing trees, their fresh, colorful newness invigorates and inspires. The very styles have that air of the irrepressible that is youth.

Translated into fashion, it's a thing of fly-away aashes, foaming white tulle, an alert bit of ribbon, the art less placing of a bow.

Such an array of charmingly different modes, each bearing the name of "Dykeman's."

It will be minutes well spent viewing these new arrivals, many still in their tissue wrappings, moderation of price and such colors prevail, as Wedgewood Blue, Wisteria, Rose Buttercup, Raspberry/Pink, Mallow, Violet, Anzura, Spring Green. Allow us to show you them.

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