

THE WEATHER

Maritime - Week's weather to be mostly mild, but a slight snow storm is expected on Tuesday, Mar. 22. The weather will be mostly mild, but a slight snow storm is expected on Tuesday, Mar. 22.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:

| City | Min. | Max. |
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| Calgary | 24 | 34 |
| Edmonton | 28 | 32 |
| Battleford | 28 | 30 |
| Prince Albert | 28 | 30 |
| Noonawauk | 28 | 30 |
| Regina | 18 | 24 |
| Winnipeg | 18 | 24 |
| Fort Arthur | 18 | 24 |
| Parry Sound | 18 | 24 |
| London | 18 | 24 |
| Toronto | 18 | 24 |
| Ottawa | 18 | 24 |
| Montreal | 18 | 24 |
| Quebec | 18 | 24 |
| Halifax | 18 | 24 |

AROUND THE CITY

The Old Metropolis.

R. N. Dean has made a very successful job of pulling down the walls of the old Metropolis. The sidewalk critics who said it could not be done without interrupting traffic were wrong. Mr. Dean did the work without difficulty.

Dental Society.

The regular monthly meeting of the St. John Dental Society was held last evening in their rooms 13 Gormain street. A very interesting paper on "Vascular Dentistry" was read by Dr. G. O. Hamak, and arrangements were made for the annual banquet of the society which takes place on April 15th.

St. Stephen's Guild.

An entertaining musical programme was carried out at the meeting of St. Stephen's Guild last evening. Rev. Gordon Dickie occupied the chair, and Miss Anderson and Mr. Guy assisted with the entertainment. Rev. J. C. Mortimer, of Hampton, who only recently came to this country from Scotland, gave an interesting address on "Early Scotch History."

Sellers' Concert.

The concert troupe from the Canadian Northern line steamer Royal George, entertained a large audience in the Seaman's Institute last night. There was a number of very good entertainers in the troupe and the performance given by the company was one of the most enjoyable that has yet been put on in the institute.

PERSONAL

Miss K. M. McArthur, who has been visiting friends in Fredericton, returned to the city on Saturday.

EXHIBITION ASSOCIATION MAKES A BID

Want Exhibit of St. John Industries at this Year's Show - Slim Attendance at Meeting.

There was not so large an attendance as was expected at the meeting held in the Board of Trade rooms last evening to consider the question of arranging for a collection of exhibits to be sent around the country and to Great Britain for the purpose of advertising St. John. A. H. Wetmore presided and the members of the committee appointed by the Board of Trade were on hand, but the attendance of manufacturers did not argue any particular enthusiasm in the exhibition.

A delegation from the St. John Exhibition Association appeared before the meeting and argued that it would be more in the interests of the city if the manufacturers and merchants devoted more attention to helping make the local exhibition a success, rather than dissipating their energies by supporting exhibitions in other places. The members of this delegation were Richard O'Brien, G. B. Allan and Horace Porter.

A letter was received from Lord Southworth, president of the association, in which he is promoting the all-British exhibition in London stating that as yet no allotments of space had been made, and the meeting decided that it was hardly within their province to consider the matter of arranging for an exhibit at the London Exhibition until they knew what space might be available.

In regard to the project of organizing an exhibit of St. John industries to be sent to exhibitions in different parts of Canada, the committee decided to refer the matter to the Industries Committee of the Board of Trade with a request to frame a proposal for having St. John property represented together with an estimate of the cost of organizing such exhibit and transporting them from one city to another and displaying them.

LONDON MILLINERY NOVELTIES TODAY

AT HARRIS.

A select gathering of the most popular London millinery novelties, best to name, are being shown today by the Harris Millinery Company.

PARK HOTEL, KING SQUARE.

METHOD

Rev. Mr. Bonron, of Hamilton, Ontario, Accepts Call - Rev. Mr. Pierce III.

Word was received in the city yesterday that Rev. Mr. Bonron, of Hamilton, Ontario, had accepted the call extended to him by the congregation of the Portland Methodist church of this city. He is expected to arrive early in the summer.

Through ill-health Rev. H. Pierce, the present pastor of Portland Methodist church, was obliged to ask for an acceptance of his resignation, and an effort was at once made to secure a pastor well qualified to fill the pastorate of the church. A call was extended to Rev. Mr. Bonron, of Hamilton, Ontario, some days ago, as it was known that he was a man of recognized ability in the ministry, but these in the city, dubiously about the acceptance of the call. A telegram received in the city yesterday, however, bore the information that the Upper Canadian man had accepted the call and was prepared to become pastor of the local church. For the past three years Rev. Mr. Bonron has been pastor of Calvary church, Hamilton, Ontario, and according to the reports which these in the city have received, he is a scholarly and able clergyman, and in addition is recognized as one of the leading lights in the ministry. It is expected that the new pastor will arrive in the city on or about the first week of July.

INSTRUCTIVE ADDRESS BY COM. WIGMORE

Speaks on His Department before Members of North End Conservative Club - Routine Business.

Members of the North End Conservative Club convened in their hall in Simonds street last evening in their regular monthly meeting, when an interesting address was delivered by Commissioner Wigmore of the Water and Sewerage Department of the City.

The attendance at last evening's meeting was very large and those present showed much enthusiasm. Little discussion, however, was brought up during the business meeting and routine matters were transacted.

After the business had been concluded Commissioner Wigmore was introduced and for an hour and a quarter he discussed the situation in the city as regards the department of water and sewerage. Principally, in his remarks, the commissioner dealt with the water system and the problems which confronted the city in respect to the same. He spoke of the conditions in the city some years ago before the introduction of the present water system and told interestingly of the manner in which the water was secured and the long existing difficulties overcome. The speaker began from when the water for the city was first secured from Lily Lake and, telling of the numerous changes and experiments since then. He spoke of the improvements carried on each year until the present time. The work of the water department during the past ten years was gone into quite thoroughly by Commissioner Wigmore. He also touched on the present plans of the department. Some mention was made of the intended changes in the sewerage department.

WORKING FOR TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION

Dr. James W. Robertson, of Ottawa, Speaks of Need of Vocational Training - The Night Schools.

Dr. James W. Robertson of Ottawa, chairman of the Royal Commission on Industrial and Technical Education, was in the city last night on his way to Nova Scotia where he will deliver lectures in eight towns. Dr. Robertson who is generally known as the "most useful man in Canada," was seen by a Standard reporter at the Royal Hotel. He expressed the opinion that Nova Brunswick was advancing along educational lines. Up to the present the schools had been good and the curriculum was well suited for giving the proper training necessary for a college course. He hoped that the provinces would adopt a broader policy in regard to the schools and provide vocational subjects in connection with the school work.

"At the night schools held in St. John, I understand that there are only about 200 in attendance. Taking other

Irving G. Ludwick, of London, England, has Travelled 300,000 Miles in 19 Years - Has had Many Experiences in all Parts of Globe.

Among the passengers who arrived last evening from London, England, was Irving G. Ludwick of London, England, who is better known to his friends as "The Baron." Mr. Ludwick is a globe trotter, not of the class of globe trotters who are of a world's tour on a whim, but a man of means who delights in travelling, and there is perhaps no better known traveller in the world today than Irving G. Ludwick. He has spent twenty years in constant travel abroad and few travellers have a larger acquaintance with the world than he. He has travelled 300,000 miles, mostly on the North American continent, the South Pacific Islands, and the British colonies, being as much at home in New York, Chicago, New Orleans, San Francisco, Montreal, Halifax and St. John, as he is in Melbourne, Australia, or London, England. Perhaps there was not a more happy person on board the Letitia when she arrived in port yesterday afternoon than this noted traveller, as he immediately greeted friends on the deck. Hardly a man from Commodore McNeill to the deck boy on the ship, but were acquainted with him and he gave them all a happy nod as he left the vessel.

Future Bright.

Representing St. John, Mr. Ludwick stated that in all his travels he always enjoyed a visit to St. John. He thought that the prospects for the city were bright and there was not the least doubt but that St. John would develop into a very much larger and important city. Speaking of his voyage out on the Letitia he said that all the comforts were available on the ship and although he had travelled on a great many ships there was none that he liked better than the Donaldson liner.

Mr. Ludwick first made his visit to Canada 19 years ago, and since then he has toured Canada five times. He is a man who is thoroughly posted on Canadian development and said yesterday that the development and progress being made in Canada since he

COM. SCHOFIELD RESIGNS FROM CITY COUNCIL

Acting According to Doctor's Advice - Will Give Some Attention to Department until Election.

At the council meeting yesterday Com. Schofield said his medical adviser had advised him that it would be dangerous for him to resume the full work of his department and he was reluctantly compelled to resign from the council. When he abandoned the duties of his office it was hoped he would be able to resume them. He regretted his inability to take up his work, as he was identified with the commission movement from the start. The mayor having left Com. Schofield, who was in the chair, expressed regret that poor health should compel Com. Schofield to resign.

Com. Schofield - "I'm not an object of social sympathy. I've gained twenty pounds, but my physician says it is imperative that I should take a good long rest."

Com. McLellan said there might be two resignations, so he would not express his regrets at present. "I'll make up my mind by next week," he added. "I don't intend to take up my responsibility for a department that hasn't proper equipment. Besides I feel I should give my attention to my private business."

Com. Schofield said he would try to give some attention to his department until a successor could be chosen at the elections in April.

COM. SCHOFIELD WANTS VICE PRESSES IN ST. JOHN

At the meeting of the city council yesterday the following routine matters were dealt with:

The St. John Girls' Association wrote saying it viewed with favor the efforts being made to suppress vice, and suggesting that contributions in the city as well as the county engage attention.

A similar letter was received from a society connected with the St. John street Baptist church. Both were received and filed.

The Granite Street Paving and Construction Co. Ltd. wrote saying they were installing a stone crusher at Spem Island and would agree to deliver crushed stone f. o. b. stone at St. John at \$1.00 per ton. The letter was referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

The city was invited to send an exhibit to the city development exhibition in Toronto from April 9 to 15. The communication was laid on the table.

Two tenders were received for the purchase of a block of land in Lancaster and an open protest was made because the sale of the land was not advertised. It was decided to extend the time for receiving tenders till next Saturday.

Com. Starr moved that the time for receiving tenders for some supplies for his department be extended from March 23 to the 30th. He said a prominent contractor who had frequently tendered in the past had asked for an extension of time. The motion was carried.

The New Brunswick Telephone Company was given permission to place two poles on Vianhart street.

F. A. Dykeman & Co. are going to have a sale of Jewellery, watches, and some very desirable goods, consisting from one and a quarter to one and half yards long. Other lines of merchandise to be sold at from 10 to 30 cents each, for which undergarments that there are no two pieces alike, and these samples are produced in the handsomest designs and the finest materials. Many of the sets are just the thing for door panels, for cupboard fronts or sash curtains, while the curtain ends can be used for a hundred different purposes. He is on hand to get the sack of this lot Wednesday morning.

R. K. V. C. Smeggen, R. K. V. C. Smeggen tonight Royal George talent.

Very Desirable Apartments.

Apartments occupied by C. H. Campbell, 13 Gordon street, in West April 1st. Very desirable. Present tenant leaving city. See To Let Adv.

Girls' Sewing.

Miss Laura Young, Women's Christian Association Secretary of Toronto, will address the members of the order this evening at 7.30, at the Guild. Members please attend.

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