

THE WEATHER

Maritime - Moderate to fresh easterly to southerly winds, mild and becoming showery, chiefly towards evening and at night.

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Around the City

Funeral this Afternoon. The funeral of John McDickrick will take place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his late residence, and not this morning, as one of the evening papers said yesterday.

Mission Closed. The mission which has been in progress during the last week in St. Jude's church, closed last evening after a successful week.

Banker Transferred. Percy S. Vradenburg, of the Bank of British North America in this city, has been transferred to the bank's branch in St. John, and will leave for there this evening.

The Honor Roll. James Gaulton, who has been a valued member of the mechanical staff of The Standard, yesterday joined the 26th Battalion for overseas duty.

For the Funds. The people of Queens county have taken a deep interest in the raising of the patriotic fund and in all parts of the county entertainments of various kinds have been held in aid of the funds.

New Publicity Commissioner. The publicity committee of the Board of Trade today announced the appointment of R. H. Simonds, formerly of this city, and lately of Montreal, as publicity commissioner.

Epworth League Rally. There was a large attendance at the rally of the Epworth League in Portland St. Methodist church last evening.

Sidewalk Completed. The work of repairing the sidewalk in Garden street has been completed by the public works department.

PERSONAL. Miss Ethel F. Bradley arrived in the city yesterday, from Montreal, and will spend some weeks as the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. E. McGinley.

Children's Dresses. About one hundred samples ranging in sizes from six months to sixteen years have been reserved at F. A. Dykesman & Co's, and they are marked at just a little more than the half price.

HOW ENTHUSIASM AND BORDEN CLUBS BROKE THROUGH BRANS GOT RESULTS BIG SUCCESS

The story of a strenuous week on the part of young business men—How the "War Council" in Howard Robinson's office supplied the ginger for the work of recruiting.

The military headquarters for New Brunswick during the past ten days have not been at the St. John armories nor at any of the various recruiting stations. This important department has been located on Prince William street at the corner of King street, St. John, a location which would never have been guessed by the ordinary observer.

On Saturday, November 22nd, the actual strength of the New Brunswick regiment was somewhere in the vicinity of 400. The time for recruiting had about expired. A warning was received that unless the regiment filled up immediately the men would be switched to one of the western battalions and in this unit New Brunswick would lose its identity.

Throughout the province there seemed to be a feeling that mistakes had been made in the early arrangements. That allowances had not been passed for legitimate expenses in recruiting, and that appointments were being held back for which there was no cause.

Some days previous to this a committee had been organized at City Hall, called together by T. H. Estabrooks. This committee, with the governor at its head, undertook to assist in the organization of meetings throughout the province.

On top of all this, Howard Robinson, who is a slave-driver, to say the least of it, when any good can be accomplished, telephoned half a dozen of the boys and got them together in his office on Sunday, November 22nd.

Various papers in New Brunswick acting on very short notice and for only six days, carried a total of more than 50,000 lines of advertising worth at least \$1,000. This was the Press contribution to the campaign and it may be said that the newspapers had completed arrangements for just as much more during the present week.

How the Papers Helped. The military headquarters for New Brunswick during the past ten days have not been at the St. John armories nor at any of the various recruiting stations.

Enthusiastic Gathering of Young Men Hear Eloquent Addresses. A grand patriotic meeting was held in the Temperance Hall, Fairville, last evening. The meeting was for the purpose of stirring up patriotic sentiment and the speakers were successful in securing a good response to their appeals.

Even the work of the Citizens' Committee headed by the Mayor took second place to this other troop who got down to brass tacks and did business with little or no talk.

Resolution of Thanks to Hon. J. D. Hazen For His Work for St. John—Fine Programme of Speeches and Songs.

Great enthusiasm marked the opening meeting of the R. L. Borden Club for the winter and the 150 members and friends of the club who attended at the comfortable rooms last evening were treated to an interesting and varied programme.

Mr. Robinson observed that the Borden Club had been founded in 1900, and had taken an active part in the promotion of good government ever since. When St. John had no paper supporting the Liberal-Conservative Party the Borden Club had been instrumental in starting one which, though not as successful as it had been a powerful help to the party.

The president was instructed by a standing vote to send the following message to the Minister of Marine and Fisheries: Hon. J. D. Hazen, Ottawa: "At a smoker of the R. L. Borden Club it was resolved that the thanks of the Borden Club and the citizens of St. John are due to the Minister of Marine and Fisheries for securing the establishment of the remount depot here, and for the many public works being carried on in this city, including the provision of additional wharf facilities on the West Side, as such works afford a great help to the people of the city."

The speakers of the evening were Senator Daniel, C. B. Lockhart, M. L. A., H. W. Woods, M. L. A., and Com. R. W. Wignome. Mr. Lockhart spoke of the struggle for the province of the war being carried on at Courtenay Bay and West St. John and pointed out that Mr. Hazen had been mainly instrumental in having these works started here.

This informal committee met last evening and decided to suspend activities until further orders. Yet Howard and Will, and Walter and Ted and Sandy and the Hon. and Ralph and "Bumps" and Edgar and Don and Jim and the rest are ready to do what is needed whenever the call may come.

Our store is closed today. We are getting ready for the Big Dissolution Sale of Clothing and Furnishings. It starts tomorrow morning. Donaldson Hunt, 17-19 Charlotte street.

THE MARITIME COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS' ASSOCIATION. The annual meeting of the members of this association will be held at the Board of Trade rooms, Halifax, N. S., December 11th, at 8 p. m., to receive the report of the board of management for the year, and the report of the result of the ballot for officers and directors for 1915, and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

PARK HOTEL, KING SQUARE. The history of its adoption and defence. Rev. E. B. Hooper regretted that he had not been appointed chaplain for the 26th Battalion. He had offered his services early and believed that he would be selected. If he were ten years younger he would shoulder a rifle and join the ranks.

Those who occupied seats on the platform were James E. Bryant, William Golding, James L. O'Brien, Rev. W. H. Dusham, Rev. E. B. Hooper, W. T. Nelson and Judge Ritchie.

Headquarters for TOYS. We have a specially good line of DOLLS this season. Everything from the tiniest baby doll to the full grown elegantly dressed young lady. Undressed Character Dolls at 50c., 75c., \$1, \$1.25, \$2, \$3.50, \$5.

Before You Purchase a New Range SEE The GLENWOOD. The range that "makes cooking easy." It's sheer extravagance to be without one. GLENWOOD means Economy, durability and satisfaction in a range.

SKATING DAYS, ARE "AUTOMOBILE" DAYS. High quality materials and efficient manufacturing methods make "AUTOMOBILE" SKATES always winners.

Emerson & Fisher Ltd. Do Your Christmas Shopping Early. While holiday assortments are most complete. Come during the morning hours and avoid the afternoon rush.

Useful Christmas Gifts in Men's Furnishings. There is no more appropriate gift for a man than some article of furnishings. The presentation of useful things is growing in greater favor every year and to those who are practising economy our exceptionally attractive values will prove most interesting.

LINENS That Afford Delightful Christmas Gift Suggestions. Our linen department offers a most attractive variety of staple and fancy lines, and there will be found innumerable suggestions for appreciative gifts. The beautiful patterns and the newness and brightness of the exhibit will appeal to all shoppers.