

THE WEATHER.
Forecasts.

Maritime—Moderate winds, mostly northerly, fair and not much change in temperature.

Washington, April 20—Northern New England—Probably showers Friday and Saturday, moderate, variable light winds.

Toronto, April 20—The western disturbance has remained nearly stationary, and showers have occurred in many parts of Ontario, while fair weather has prevailed in the other provinces.

Temperatures.

Place	Min.	Max.
Dawson	16	52
Victoria	42	54
Vancouver	38	52
Kamloops	40	60
Medicine Hat	28	62
Edmonton	30	54
Battleford	26	54
Prince Albert	32	53
Moose Jaw	31	45
Winnipeg	34	49
Port Arthur	34	44
Parry Sound	36	56
London	29	73
Toronto	39	59
Ottawa	30	48
Montreal	34	50
Quebec	30	50
St. John	38	60
Halifax	36	52

Around the City

The Police Court.
John Gorman was fined \$50 yesterday morning for supplying liquor to soldiers in uniform. He pleaded guilty. Eight drunks were fined the usual amount.

Schools Close for Easter.
The schools closed yesterday for the usual holidays at Easter. The boys and girls were all delighted to think that books would be forgotten until next Wednesday.

Flags Will Be Flown.
In accordance with instructions from I. C. R. headquarters, all flags on the government's lines will be flown at full mast on Saturday, April 22, from sunrise to sunset, in commemoration of the heroism of the 1st Canadian Division at the second battle of Ypres.

An Inebriated Sextette.
The drunk crop is one that seldom fails, and six intoxicated men were locked up at police headquarters last night. The total number of drunks arrested during the past six days is 79, and if each one paid the usual fine of eight dollars, the treasury would be strengthened to the amount of \$312.

Y. M. C. A. Directors Meet.
The monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A. was held last night in the parlors. Reports of an encouraging nature were received from the various committees. It was decided to continue the physical culture classes through the month of April and have the closing banquet early in May.

St. James' Boy Scouts.
Members of the St. James' church Boy Scout troop held their meeting at headquarters last night, and added greatly to their knowledge of scoutcraft. Some thirty boys were present, and Scoutmaster Ellis instructed them in ambulance work and physical drill. While P. L. Tyler conducted a rehearsal of the band patrol. Some of the scouts from this troop were in attendance at the Blue Cross sale held in the Oak Hall yesterday, and rendered valuable assistance to the ladies who were in charge, their services being much appreciated.

Telephone Service Interrupted With.
Telephone service on and with the West Side exchange was interrupted for about twenty minutes yesterday morning owing to trouble with the batteries which supply the current for that exchange. A short circuit on the switchboard caused a serious and immediate leakage of current from the storage batteries, so they very soon became too weak to operate the apparatus with. The trouble was located by the company's experts and remedied as soon as the charging apparatus was started, so that service was soon again established.

Missionary Meeting.
The U. B. W. M. U. of the Main street Baptist church held their annual Easter meeting yesterday afternoon and evening. The topic of the afternoon was "World Wide Missions." Members of the other unions in the city were present and took part in the exercises. Miss Magee, of West St. John, sang a solo, and the Easter offering was taken at this meeting. In the evening a public meeting was held at which Miss Ida M. Newcombe of Rimulpani, gave an address on her work in India, which was much enjoyed by the large number present. During the evening Mrs. Godsoe sang a solo.

SPECIAL MATINEE OF "WHITE FEATHER" ON MONDAY.
On Easter Monday there will be a special matinee performance at the Opera House of the great British play, "The White Feather." The company has made a tremendous hit in the play that was the sensation of England when produced in London last fall.

Miss Vivian Petrie, of Kingston, is visiting Mrs. Richard Hooper, of Queen street. Miss Petrie has received an appointment as a nursing sister and will leave shortly for England to take up her duties.

LIEUTENANT JAMES H. HAZEN, SON OF MINISTER OF MARINE, DIED IN FRANCE YESTERDAY

Callant Young Officer Succumbed to Wounds—Major T. Malcolm McAvity Was With Him When He Died—Sincere Sympathy to Bereaved Family.

General regret and deepest sympathy will be expressed to Hon. J. D. Hazen and family in the death of the minister's younger son, Lieut. J. M. Hazen, who died yesterday of wounds received in action in Flanders.

The first intimation of the death of this gallant young officer was to be received locally when Hugh Mackay, brother-in-law of the deceased, received a telegram from Hon. J. D. Hazen, who is in Ottawa. The telegram contained a copy of a cable from Major T. Malcolm McAvity reading as follows:

J. D. Hazen, Ottawa.
Jim died today of wounds but did not suffer; was unconscious from time of accident to the end; was with him shortly after.

Lieut. Hazen was connected with the 25th Battery, 7th Brigade, Field Artillery, in Flanders, and, as far as known last night, had been about two miles from the place where Major McAvity was stationed. The young officer was a general favorite with a very wide circle of acquaintances, before enlisting for duty at the front he had been attending the Kingston Military College, and an undergraduate. He was twenty years of age, his birthday being only last week.

In addition to a sorrowing father and mother, he leaves one brother and three sisters. The brother is Captain D. King Hazen, who is at present on duty at Shorncliffe. The sisters are Mrs. Hugh Mackay, at present in England, and Miss Hazen at home.

The news of the death quickly spread about the city last evening and there was a general feeling of regret expressed from all circles.

It is probable that the fighting which cost Lieut. Hazen his life occurred around Armentieres, and that he was wounded Wednesday morning, and died yesterday.

When war broke out the young man preferred to volunteer for active service rather than finish his course, and enlisted with the artillery. He became attached to the 25th Battery of Canadian Field Artillery, and after a long period of training went overseas in August last. He had been but six weeks at the battle-front.

Lieut. Hazen's father, the Minister of Marine, received messages of sympathy at Ottawa last evening from the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall, Sir Robert and Lady Borden, Sir George and Lady Foster, Sir Wilfred and Lady Laurier, Sir Thomas and Lady White, as well as others from all over Canada. There were also a number of messages from the United States and the old country. Numerous telegrams of sympathy from persons in this city were sent to Hon. Mr. Hazen, and among them was the following from Mayor James H. Frink:

St. John, N. B., April 20, 1916.
Hon. J. D. Hazen, Ottawa.
On behalf of the citizens of St. John I desire to express to Mrs. Hazen, yourself and family sincere sympathy in the loss of your son on the field of battle. His name is inscribed on Britain's roll of honor, a gallant son of New Brunswick who gave up his life for the King and Empire, and whose Christian life and character ensure that rest and peace and hope that you and yours shall meet again.
(Signed) James H. Frink.

Lieut. Hazen is the first son of a member of parliament to lose his life in the war, although several have been wounded, one son of Hon. Frank Oliver, one son of A. C. Boyce, of West Alberta, and one son of Dr. Michael Clark of Red Deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen will leave Ottawa for St. John today.

CIVIC CONTEST, LIKE OTHER, GROWS WARM

Friends of All Candidates Busy Yesterday—Mayor Frink and Commissioner McLellan Confident of Re-election.

Yesterday with its beautiful spring weather was a favorable day for all the aspirants for civic honors. They were active and so were their friends. On Prince William street, the stamping grounds of civic public workers, many friends of the various candidates were active, endeavoring to persuade business men and others to use their influence for the candidates.

Many voters in doubt as to how they should cast their ballots found Prince William street a pleasant thoroughfare. The day was even so pleasant that some of the newspaper men dawdled out.

Hon. Mayor Frink even had a letter in the Globe replying to "Fair Play" and "Helen" was permitted to defend the police department and Commissioner McLellan.

Mayor Frink, Mr. McAllan and Mr. Fisher said they were confident of success. During the day were rumors of combinations, but so far as could be learned there was little if any truth in the reports.

Hayes Men Working Hard.

The friends of Mr. Hayes are working hard to elect him and undoubtedly he will poll a big vote. But whether he can defeat Mayor Frink is a question which his friends are endeavoring to solve. As far as can be judged the contest for the mayoralty seems to be a close one.

Commissioner McLellan expects to win without serious difficulty. Whether he is a good prophet remains to be seen. Anyway there will be a tremendous vote cast on Easter Monday. The friends of Mr. Fisher expect he will lead the poll for the commissioner's office. Mr. Sharp and Mr. Surru are being strongly supported by their admirers and they are sure to get a good vote.

In the meantime there is another busy man and that is Clerk Herbert E. Walldrop. He is arranging the election machinery and it is no small task. He is in charge of the men who officiate at the polling booths and also the ballot boxes which will be sent out tomorrow. The ballot sheet will appear as follows:

As the Ballot Will Appear.

For Mayor:
James H. Frink.
Robert T. Hayes.
George Frederick Fisher.
Harry R. McLellan.
Arthur W. Sharp.
James L. Surru.

The proper way to vote is to cross out the names which are not favored. Each voter can vote for one candidate for the mayoralty, and for two for commissionerships. If the marking is done with anything but a black pencil, which will be provided, it will spoil the ballot and the vote will not count. It must be a black pencil. Some voters were spoiled during the primaries through blue pencils being used. Do not use a fountain pen unless it holds ink which is immediately black.

There will be no change in the polling booths or in the list of scrutineers from those for the primaries.

ST. JOHN'S EXPORTS SHOWED GREAT GROWTH DURING YEAR

Returns for Fiscal Year Ending March 31 Showed Export Increase of More Than \$76,000,000—Tonnage also More Than Doubled.

The Board of Trade has received from Hon. J. D. Hazen a statement of the value of exports through the port of St. John for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1916. The total value is \$120,042,590. Last year the exports at this port amounted to \$43,872,932. The increase this year is \$76,169,658.

Hon. J. D. Hazen has also forwarded the Board of Trade a statement showing the shipments through the port of St. John for the month of March as follows:

"During the month of March the following Imperial transports cleared from West St. John for United Kingdom and French ports:

"Rhodesian"	"Dundes"	"Elswick House"
"Turcoman"	"Eagle Point"	"Rouslan"
"Clontarham"	"Hunbrook"	"Thespis"
"Ardah"	"Kilfield"	"Glenspean"
"Huntress"	"Hunstanton"	"Clan Urquhart"
"Wayfarer"	"Statesman"	"Portreath"

These vessels cleared 109,225 tons of cargo as compared with 21,317 tons of cargo in March, 1915 (five transports), an increase of 87,908 tons or 412.38 per cent.

During March, 1916, ten steamships of the Canadian Pacific Ocean Service cleared from West St. John for United Kingdom ports with 36,856 tons of cargo against nine vessels containing 43,180 tons of cargo for the same period in 1915, a decrease of 6,324 tons—14.65 per cent.

Outside lines in March, 1916 (nine sailings) cleared 33,280 tons of cargo for United Kingdom and French ports as against (nine sailings) clearing 17,646 tons in March, 1915, an increase of 15,634 tons—88.59 per cent.

Recapitulation.

	1916	1915
Imperial Overseas Transports	109,225	21,317
Canadian Pacific Ocean Services	36,856	43,180
Outside Steamship Lines	33,280	17,646
Total	179,361	82,143

or an increase in the tonnage of the port of 87,218 tons—118.25 per cent.

MAJ. M'KENZIE CONSCRIPTION LOSES IN Y.M.C.A. DEBATE

Dalhousie Man Now Senior Major of the 26th Battalion and Second in Command.

The many friends of Major A. E. G. MacKenzie, of Dalhousie, will be interested in the fact that he is now senior major and second in command of the 26th Battalion. Captain Fairweather, of Sussex, has received his promotion to the rank of major, and is now in command of a Company, Captain Fairweather has been favorably mentioned several times since he went to the front and his promotion will be a popular one with the men of the 26th.

Grand Concert by 104th Band of Sussex, City Hall, West End, April 25, 1916.

WEST INDIES LINER BRINGS NEARLY TWO HUNDRED PASSENGERS

The Royal Mail Steam Packet Line steamer Chignecto, Capt. Adams, arrived in port yesterday afternoon from the West Indies with the mails and a large cargo. The ship docked at the Atlantic Refineries wharf where she is discharging a large consignment of sugar. The Chignecto was delayed on the voyage to this port from Bermuda by rough weather.

The passenger list included 30 first cabin, 10 second and 130 third class. A number of the cabin passengers are tourists who have been making the round trip on the ship, or visiting a number of the beautiful resorts in the islands. Among those who arrived was Lieut. Colin MacKay, who has been on duty at St. Lucia, also Mr. and Mrs. Silas McEarmid, and their daughter, Audrey, who have made the round trip. The Rev. Mr. Armstrong was also a passenger. There was also on board 80 man-of-war sailors and 30 marines.

Easter Gloves and Neckwear.

The main requisite in a kid glove is the wearing qualities and fit. You will find these in the gloves on sale at F. A. Dykeman & Co.'s, because they only handle the well tried and reliable makes. They are showing an excellent assortment of Easter neckwear, many of the numbers the latest New York creations. The prices run from 19 cents to \$1.50.

Victoria "Wet Wash" Laundry is the best—they cleanse the clothes thoroughly. 7 to 10 Pitt street. Phone 390.

Look Up Your Fishing Tackle

It wants, now, but few weeks of the time when you'll be making ready for your May fishing trip, and, as you look forward to sport with Rod, Reel and Fly, you will be wise to spend your earliest leisure in overhauling your fishing kit and noting just what is needed, that nothing be missing the day you start out. In our sporting department you will find the finest and most complete line of Angling Requirements in town, including Forest's famous Trout and Salmon Flies, Malloch's Fly Boxes, Trout Reels and Salmon Reels, Bristol's Steel Fishing Rods, also a full range of Fishing Tackle from other reliable makers.

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EASTER GLOVES—Correct weights for spring and summer wear, in all reputable makes and most popular kinds.

CAPE AND WASHABLE LEATHERS—Prices, \$1.00 to \$2.25

SUEDE LEATHERS—In many weights. Prices \$1.00 to \$2.25

CHAMOIS LEATHERS—Plain and embroidered backs. Pair \$1.25.

SHIRTS—New York's very latest novelties in designs and color effects and entirely different from other season's styles. The new Corduroy Shirt is deserving of special mention; also the new Sub-Silk Shirt, being equal in appearance to all silk and decidedly better to wear. There are also other novelty styles impossible to describe in a limited space. You are invited to inspect these shirts. All at popular prices.

COLLARS—The very latest shapes and most reliable makes; all perfect fitting. Prices 15c. and 20c.

HALF HOSE—Our showing this season of several new and interesting makes should be seen by every man who looks for the best possible value. Half Hose in Cashmere, Silk and Cashmere, All-Silk, Lisle and Cotton; also the famous Hoteproof Brand. Sizes 9 1/2 to 11 1/2. Prices 20c. to \$1.50.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS DEPARTMENT.

New Silk Hosiery for Easter

SILK HOSE—In sky, rose, silver, King's blue, ponceau, helio, taupe, sand, grey, Copenhagen, navy, Russian, green, white, black. Pair \$1.10

SILK HOSE—In sand, helio, pearl, taupe, Battleship grey, old rose navy, champagne, King's blue, Alice blue, purple, pink, sky, silver, bluish rose, white, black. Pair \$1.50

NOVELTY SILK HOSE—White with purple stripe, grey with black stripe, bronze with black stripe, bronze with black stripe, white with black spots, black with white spots. Pair \$1.50

SILK HOSE—In black and white. Pair \$1.25

BLACK SILK HOSE. Pair \$1.00 to \$4.50.

SILK HOSE—With dropstitch angle, black or white. Pair \$1.00 to \$1.60

HOSIERY DEPARTMENT—ANNEX.

Real Japanese Kimonos for Easter

REAL JAPANESE KIMONOS, Crepe, in sky, old rose, geranium, helio, pink; front faced with white, hand embroidered front in white, floral designs. All sizes. Each \$1.75

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