

THE WEATHER

Table with weather forecasts for various locations including Washington, Toronto, and Quebec, listing temperature ranges and conditions.

AT THE BUILDING YARD OF GRANT & HORNE

Keel of 2,500 Ton Steamer to be Laid Next Week

Another to Follow at Once—Over 100 Men Employed—400 More to be Taken on Next Week—Barque Elsa Built 41 Years Ago at Cost of \$50,000 Sells for \$75,000.

The spirit of the good old shipbuilding days in the city of St. John has been revived and today the music of the hammer and the anvil is heard in the building yard of Grant & Horne.

All is haste and bustle in and around the yard. Buts piled up here, piles lying everywhere, lumber stacked sky high, the buzz of the saw as it piles its way through the heavy timbers, the noise of the axe, all combine to make the scene one of real activity.

The master of the yard R. Retalick, whose fame as a shipbuilder is Dominion wide, can be seen moving around the yard, urging them to further effort, in order that the work will be pushed through in the shortest possible time.

Comparing the former days of shipbuilding with the present, Retalick said that the difference was vast. Shipbuilders at the time were paid somewhere in the vicinity of sixty cents per day.

Another gentleman speaking of the shipping situation illustrated the increase in the price of articles by relating the following story. In 1914 a vessel, the "Elsa," which was built forty years ago at a cost of about \$50,000 was sold for \$15,000.

By the way, the price of the vessel was sold for \$15,000. In 1916 she was sold for \$35,000. In 1918 she was sold for \$75,000. This meant that had the ship remained in the builder's hands, he would have been able to sell it for \$35,000.

It is the intention of the club to repeat these entertainments for returned soldiers monthly during the season. Upon their arrival the staff officers and their guests sat down to a bountiful supper which had been prepared by the wives of the club members.

Plan to spend Saturday, July 21st, at Grand Bay. Every one should make a point to attend and so honor our "returned heroes." Proceeds for the Great War Veterans' Association, Tipperary Mary and Sister Susie will be surpassed by this event.

Beautiful scenery; lots of fun; a good supper and an hour's fine day. Come one, come all; do your bit, as these boys have done theirs.

DISCUSS STAND ON CONSCRIPTION

Important Meeting Called for This Evening—Elections Also to be Considered. Labor Men Say Presence of Master Plumbers' Representative at Inquest Improper.

The executive heads of the various labor associations in the city have been called to assemble in the local quarters of the Trades and Labor Council, Old Fellows' building, Union street, this evening.

It is further stated that matters relative to the local strike among the plumbers will be taken up. Several of the labor men state that so far as the actions of the striking plumbers are concerned they have nothing to fear and that it is the desire of the leaders that the men should tell their own story at the different inquests.

ST. JOHN FIRST TO ORGANIZE NATIONAL SERVICE & EMPLOYMENT

A short time ago a memorial was submitted to all the different Canadian cities calling upon the Federal Government to establish a National system of Labor Bureaus combined with the co-operation of educational authorities with the Labor Departments.

A prophet may not have honor in his own country, but fourteen years ago, a charter was granted by Dr. W. B. Wallace and J. S. Currie, the provisions of which cover the requirements demanded.

An efficient plan has already been operated with success among returned soldiers. Each applicant's working history is carefully compiled and studied with the intention of placing him where his best fit is.

A registration scheme has been worked out in conjunction with the city office which will be made effective under voluntary enlistment or selective draft. This plan was pronounced by a prominent recruiting authority in Canada.

At the general meeting of stockholders the following resolution was passed: "That the president and secretary be authorized to confer with Dr. H. S. Bridges, as well as leading business and technical authorities, for the purpose of further devising and formulating plans to be laid before the Provincial Government, pertaining to National Bureau organization, coupled with the proposed scheme for re-education and re-adaptation for returned soldiers; also the co-operation of public and private schools and educational institutions throughout the Province of New Brunswick, in this work."

Satisfying Eye Examinations. Gundry is very pleased to be able to announce, truthfully, reports from a rapidly growing number of eye customers, that are most satisfactory.

Free Vaccination at Board of Health. The Board of Health has arranged to have a free vaccination campaign, commencing on Tuesday, August 14th, and continuing until the end of the month.

Motor Car Accessories advertisement featuring Goodyear tires, Gasoline, and other automotive products. Includes contact information for W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd.

Advertisement for The Marr Millinery Co., Limited, featuring a hat illustration and text: "Store Open This Evening Until Ten. 'Athalia Gage' and many other Gage Models, shown exclusively in St. John by The Marr Millinery Co., Limited."

Advertisement for Emerson & Fisher Ltd. titled "Ready for the Haying Season" with an illustration of a scythe and text: "You will find our store headquarters for all haying supplies. Our stock includes all the leading makes—(NAMES THAT STAND FOR QUALITY)."

Advertisement for Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited titled "Summertime Time to Plan That Vacation Trip" with an illustration of a woman and child. Text includes: "Or, if you are an outing enthusiast, to make the most of the fine days at your favorite summer sport."

Advertisement for F. A. Dykeman & Co. titled "Attention City Subscribers" with text: "Owing to the absence of some of the Standard carrier boys on their vacations, new boys are for the time carrying their deliveries, and this has recently been the cause of some subscribers not receiving the Standard."

Large vertical advertisement on the right side of the page, partially cut off, with the word "SECTION" and "Price" visible. It appears to be related to a railway or transportation service.