

Around the City

FAIR AND COOL.

NEW PHYSICAL INSTRUCTOR. J. H. Maughan, of Toronto, arrived in the city yesterday...

THE STRANDED SHARK.

The shark that was killed in Market Slip, and which caused a considerable attraction, was hauled away yesterday to be chopped up for fertilizer.

HOME ON FURLOUGH.

Nursing Sister Margaret Dunham, who accompanied the party of soldiers who arrived the other day, has been given a short furlough which she will spend with her father, Whitney O. Dunham, West St. John.

A BARGAIN IN FALL BOOTS.

Waterbury and Rising are showing an assortment of well made button boots with cloth tops, at \$5.95. Some are Dorothy Dood, some J. T. Bell make and all are our usual good quality shoes. We bought them right, we will sell them right.

TALK TO BOND SALESMEN.

At 10 o'clock today, Frank Stockdale, the business efficiency expert of Chicago, will give a round-table talk to accredited Victory Bond salesmen, at Bond's, following a lunch. Tickets for the lunch may be obtained at the Victory Loan office.

WON WICKER CHAIR.

The lottery conducted at the K.O.C. Fair by Mrs. Fitzpatrick and Mrs. Hincey, of a wicker chair donated by Amland Bros., was drawn yesterday afternoon, the lucky winner being James Shaw with ticket No. 1337.

COL. WEDDERBURN HOME.

Lieut.-Col. Frederick W. Wedderburn, who recruited and trained the 15th Battalion, arrived in the city yesterday on the Boston train from an Atlantic port. Since his battalion was broken up, Lieut. Wedderburn has been engaged in England.

THE FISH MARKET.

The variety of fish in the market is very small this week. Prices are as follows: Haddock and cod, 15c; mackerel, 5c; salmon, 30c; and 45c; smelts, 15c; finnan haddie, 15c; kippers, 7c each; oysters \$1.00 a quart; clams, 30c a quart. There is the usual variety of salt fish in stock.

REMAINS BROUGHT HERE.

The body of Miss Kathleen Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson, Barker street, who died in Boston on Monday, arrived in the city yesterday. Besides her parents she is survived by three brothers, James, John and Douglas, and three sisters, Grace, Mary and Jennie, all at home. The funeral will be held this afternoon.

ARRIVES HERE TOMORROW.

Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, who will be in the city on Saturday, is to take a trip around the harbor at eleven o'clock; at one o'clock he will be the guest of the Canadian Club at luncheon. He will speak on harbor commission and later in the afternoon will meet the Board of Trade to discuss matters relating to the port.

MAJOR-GENERAL MACDOUGAL.

Major-General MacDougal, who has recently been appointed to visit the several military districts in Canada, in connection with the distribution of the military medals and the military cross, besides being wounded twice. He writes very cheerily of the splendid spirit of the men "over there." Mrs. Turner, nee Miss Margaret Osborne, is to be married to her mother on Sydney Street.

RECEIVED HIS MAJORITY.

The many friends of Capt. G. K. Turner, formerly principal of the school at Fairville, also of Douglas Avenue school, and later of the Valley Road engineers, will be glad to hear that he has received his majority in France. Major Turner enlisted as a private on August 5th, 1914, and has won both the distinguished conduct medal and the military cross, besides being wounded twice. He writes very cheerily of the splendid spirit of the men "over there." Mrs. Turner, nee Miss Margaret Osborne, is to be married to her mother on Sydney Street.

INVESTIGATION INTO ACCIDENT.

The St. John Pilot Commissioners, yesterday afternoon, held an investigation into the accident by which the S. S. Chignecto was damaged by striking the wharf at No. 16 berth. Evidence was given by the captain and chief engineer of the Chignecto and by "Hot Trainor," who was in charge of the vessel at the time of the accident. The board found as follows: "The accident was attributable to an error in judgment on the part of the pilot, in not making sufficient allowance for abnormal tidal conditions on the day of the accident." The board was composed of H. C. Schofield, president; Capt. Bennett, J. C. Chesley, Henry Morgan, James Lewis, and Capt. J. H. Crossley, associated as nautical advisers.

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SOME INTERESTING DETAILS REGARDING THE MARKET SLIP

John Jackson, South Wharf Merchant, Gives Reason Why Vessels Are So Scarce in Recent Years - List of Packets Well Known To St. John When Slip Was Full of Vessels.

A few days ago it was noticed that Market Slip was practically bare of vessels and a representative of The Standard made some enquiries as to the reason for this state of affairs. John Jackson, who has been in business on the South Wharf for many years, talked in a most interesting manner of the old days when the packets did practically all the carrying from this port to the south shore of Nova Scotia and up the bay points. From twenty to twenty-five years ago, he said, it was not uncommon for a merchant to want to pass from one side of the slip to the other to walk across on the schooners which would be packed in so tightly that this could easily be done. The last ten years, however, there had been a big change in this respect and the number of packets was decreasing every year. As one went out from long service he laid her bones on some beach and the fleet was one less in number, as no new schooners were being built to take the place of the ones going out of commission. This was due to a variety of reasons. One of them was the extension of the railway throughout the Maritime Province. Twenty-five years ago nearly all the freight coming from Upper Canadian points for places on the south shore of Nova Scotia was transhipped here by packet, but today whenever possible the railway delivered it at its ultimate destination. Another factor was the building of the small steamers which plied to many of the points formerly served by the packets and as these were to a great extent independent of wind and weather they had crowded out the "wind jammers."

CITY CLERGYMAN CALLS COM McLELLAN KAISER OF ST. JOHN

Rev. W. R. Robinson used These Words in Address to Labor Men Last Evening - Says Police Have Right to Organize.

That all other kaisers were going into the discard and that it was time that the Kaiser of St. John was retired was the opinion expressed by Rev. W. R. Robinson last night when he spoke before the well attended meeting of the labor unions of the city which was held in the "Prentice Boys" hall, West side. The meeting was held in the presence of the Mayor and the members of the Board of Trade to discuss matters relating to the port.

PRISONERS GIVEN TWO YEARS' SENTENCE

Bedour and Geour Go To Dorchester For Cutting Mail Bags - Donohoe To Be Examined By Doctor.

STRIKING ADDRESS BY FRANK STOCKDALE

Board of Trade Rooms Crowded Last Night - Concluding Meeting in Seaman's Institute Tonight.

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Reports of the activities of the past year and plans for the winter work were heard at the annual meeting of the St. John High School Alumnae held at the residence of Mrs. W. H. Shaw last evening. The meeting was a large and enthusiastic one, Miss Jessie Lawson presiding. Miss Dorothy Jones read the secretary's report for the past year telling of the visit to St. John of Miss Mary Boyle O'Reilly and several undertakings of the Alumnae. The election of officers resulted as follows: Miss Lawson president, Miss Alice Walker, 1st vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Shaw, 2nd vice-president, Miss Grace Estey, 3rd vice-president, Secretary, Miss Cecelia Myles, Treasurer, Miss Laura Myles. Executive - Miss Mary Ward, Mrs. Lloyd Estey, Miss Marjorie McKim, Miss Jean Smith, Miss Grace Campbell. Miss Lawson made a good address, speaking of the work of the year. Miss H. Lawrence, honorary president, also addressed the members in her usual encouraging and inspiring way. It was decided to take up the study of French for the winter's program from the standpoint of the French art, literature, history, plays, cathedrals, and other aspects of France as a nation. It is hoped to have a celebrated speaker to St. John some time during the winter. The Christmas letters to boys from the St. John High School who are serving their country overseas will be written as usual and the work of making an honor roll of these soldiers has also been undertaken by the alumnae. The canteen at the Red Triangle will be looked after by the society. Many members are working very steadily at the sphagnum moss grading and the making of dressings. The next meeting will be held at Miss Grace Estey's residence, Elliott Row.

WHERE SOME OF THE VICTORY LOAN MONEY HAS GONE

Proceeds of New Loan Will Be Used For War Purposes Only - Includes Purchase of Grain, Foodstuffs and Munitions.

The announcement has been made that the proceeds of the new Victory Loan which the campaign begins in St. John this month, will be used for war purposes only, including the purchase of grain, foodstuffs, munitions and other necessities, and will be spent wholly in Canada. The record of exports through the port of St. John for the fiscal year 1917, which some idea of the extent and character of the supplies that Victory Loan money will be applied to. The total exports from St. John in 1917 amounted to \$200,783,647. This was made up in part of products of the mines totalling \$5,646,880; fish to the value of \$2,143,722; lumber and other forest products, \$1,915,522; animal and their produce, \$25,575,441; agricultural products (including \$44,800,000 for wheat, grain, flour, meal, etc.); \$2,000,000 for manufactures embracing agricultural implements, aeroplanes, munitions, drugs and chemicals, India rubber goods, rubber and steel manufactures, leather, harness, paper, sugar, tobacco, biscuits, etc.); \$109,644,584; miscellaneous, \$1,759,921. Considerable quantities of the goods enumerated above were manufactured in St. John so that this city reaped quite large benefits from the expenditures made through the Victory Loan.

BOARD OF TRADE ROOMS CROWDED LAST NIGHT - CONCLUDING MEETING IN SEAMAN'S INSTITUTE TONIGHT.

The interest in the Merchants Institute is growing daily, and the crowd was so great last night that arrangements have been made to use the Seaman's Institute for the concluding meeting tonight.

TRULY WONDERFUL VALUES IN WOMEN'S RUBBERIZED TREND WATERPROOF COATS.

Wonderful quality fabric in a host of smart light and dark colors. Splendidly tailored and the smartest styles of the season. This special group which was purchased from a large manufacturing concern in Central Canada at a special price, consists of some ten different models, in belted style with buckle fasteners. Cuffs and pockets and fashionable collars can be seen on each.

STOCKDALE MEETING FORCED TO LARGER QUARTERS - SEAMAN'S INSTITUTE PROCURED FOR TONIGHT.

The managing committee, in charge of the Stockdale lectures expect every business man in St. John to attend the next big Stockdale meeting tonight. With this in view the Seaman's Institute has been procured because of its larger seating capacity. Mr. Stockdale's lectures so far have proved exceedingly interesting and instructive, and no doubt all merchants will be more than interested in the subject of tonight. The Cash Drawer Value of Co-operation.

Go Strong on Fuel Saving

Coal costs money, these days, and as there'll be none too much to go round, CAREFUL SAVING is a duty you owe the Nation and Yourself. THE "HUSTLER" ASH SIFTER shown in the picture is EXACTLY what you need. Just place ashes in hopper, close the lid, turn the crank, and the cinders go into the attached scuttle to be used again, while the fine ash-dust is caught in the barrel. The "Hustler" is easy and clean to operate, and SAVES ITS COST MANY TIMES OVER. We can also supply you with Metal Ash Barrels, Coal Scuttles, Ash Sieves, Coal Shovels, Fire Shovels, Stove Pipes, Elbows, Black Lead, etc. SEE OUR KING STREET WINDOW, King Street W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD. Market Square

Today and Tomorrow Will Be Days of Sensational Values Here

Extra Special - Tailored Felt Saliors, all ready-to-wear, including a lining, complete range of colors. This is simply a case of where we must have the room, and today and tomorrow we are practically going to give these Hats away. You can have your choice at 50 cents. This is a fraction of what these Hats are really worth. We have a few of those Corduroy Tams, nearly all colors, to sell today and tomorrow at 95c. These are exceptional values. Today and tomorrow a Special Line of Trimmed Felt Hats, all wanted colors, on sale at \$2.00 each. By a fortunate purchase on our part we are enabled to give you a good quality Black Velour. These Hats are handed with gros grain ribbon, at the very low price of \$3.00 each. Sensational values also in Children's Trimmed Hats at \$1.50 up. Colored Velour Hats that sell at \$7.50 and higher, here today and tomorrow you can have your choice at \$6.00. In Trimmed Hats we have grouped many sensational values at \$5, \$6 and \$7 for today and tomorrow. Here you have the advantage of such a large variety to select from. THESE SENSATIONAL VALUES FOR TODAY AND TOMORROW.

Marr Millinery Co., Limited

In Making An Investment

How careful everyone should be, the aim always being to secure value for every dollar paid out. No other course is prudent or wise. When purchasing your new range you should see the Enterprise Royal Grand Range the merits of which represent the highest type of the stove-makers' art, along with very moderate cost. In appearance these stoves leave nothing to be desired. -One 40 gal. Lo x Pressure For Sale Cheap- Emerson & Fisher Ltd.

Extraordinary Values in Men's Combinations

Fall and Winter Weights. Clearing lines that cannot be repeated. Special Value Prices \$2.00 to \$6.00 a Suit. There are several different weights in Cream and Natural Colors. Soft Brush Cotton, Cotton and Wool and All Wool in "Penman's" and "Tiger" Brands of Fine Elastic Ribbed makes. The most perfect fitting and satisfactory kinds. Only a very limited quantity of any one kind to dispose of. Sizes from 34 to 44 inches. Special Prices \$2.00 to \$6.00 a Suit. Men's Furnishing Dept.

More Good Hosiery News

News that appeals by reason of its timeliness. Just at the beginning of a new season is the logical time to purchase your Hosiery. We are particular to secure the strongest, best wearing and best value possible. "Little Daisy" Hose, Black and Cream, 45c. to 85c a pair according to size. Misses' 1-1 Rib, Cashmere Hose, \$1 to \$1.50 pr. Boys' 1-1 Rib Cashmere Hose, \$1.60 pr. Boys' 2-1 Rib Cashmere Hose, \$1.60 pr. Ladies' Woolen Hose, 95c. to \$1.40 pair. Ladies' Black Cashmerette Hose, 45c, 50c, 60c, and 75c. pair. Ladies' Cream Cashmerette Hose 45c and 50c pr. Ladies' Cream Cashmerette Hose, out size, 60c pr. Ladies' Black Cashmerette Hose, out size, 90c and \$1.10 pair. Hosiery Department, Annex.

FALL MILLINERY

The New Fall Hats in an Extensive Collection of Models are Delightfully Becoming. Felt, Velour, Beaver, Velvet and Furs Hats in the Season's Best Styles. All Shaggs - All Colors. Trimmed with a Plain Band or a Dressy Trimming. Special Display for Misses and Children. Millinery Department, Second Floor.

A Splendid Exhibition of Dependable Furs

The Demand for Good Furs is Greater than ever. We are showing the most reliable Fur Fashions in good quality skins. Each Garment or piece has been selected with the utmost care with a view to giving our patrons the most exclusive and desirable styles at a REASONABLE PRICE. HUDSON SEAL COATS - Plain or with Collar and Cuff Combination Furs, \$175.00 to \$350.00. NATURAL MUSKRAT COATS - \$147.00 to \$175.00. CAPES AND STYLES in Black Fox, Black Lynx, Natural Lynx, Black Wolf, Taupe Wolf, Brown Wolf, Natural Wolf, Grey Wolf, Alaska Sable, Mink, Pitch, Opposum, Raccoon and Muskrat. Muffs to Match. Fur Department.

LADIES' FALL GAITERS

Make your selection while sizes and colors are complete. Black Cloth, 10 Button, \$1.00 pair. Black Cloth, 12 Button, \$1.50 pair. Brown, Fawn Grey - 10 Button Length, \$1.75 pair. 12 Button Length, \$2.00 pair. Hosiery Dept., Annex.

Hats Are Hats These Days

And Dollars count - Save half a Dollar. We have placed on sale a limited quantity - all we have, of one lot of our GENUINE \$3.00 HATS FOR \$2.50 Colors Greys and Browns. All sizes. These Hats are up-to-the-minute and we won't have them long. SEE OUR WINDOW, D. MAGEE'S SONS LTD. Since 1869. 63 King Street, St. John, N. B.