

AROUND THE CITY

Charged with Fighting.
Patrick Carney was arrested on Market square Saturday afternoon charged with fighting.

Elks' Concert.
St. John Lodge No. 1 Order of Elks will hold an entertainment in their rooms on Charlotte street, this evening.

Corsecan Arrives.
Allan Iner Corsecan, from Liverpool via Halifax, arrived off the island last evening and will dock at 9 o'clock this morning.

Police Called In.
The police were called into a house on Rockland Road Saturday night to quell a disturbance caused by William and Terrence White.

Found by Police.
The police report finding a milk can on Main street Saturday night and a bunch of keys on the corner of King and Charlotte streets.

Christmas Re-Union.
Yesterday afternoon the Y. M. C. A. of St. Peter's held their Christmas re-union. There was an excellent programme and an enjoyable time was spent by a large gathering.

St. Joseph's Smoker.
This evening in their rooms, St. Malachi's Hall, the Y. M. C. A. of St. Joseph will hold a smoker and social. A good programme has been arranged.

Postponed.
On account of the New Year celebration, the regular meeting of the Evangelical Alliance, which should take place today, has been postponed till next Monday.

Six Baptized.
There was a baptismal service in Leicester street Baptist church last evening when six candidates were admitted to the church by baptism and two by letter.

Master Painters.
The Master Painters' Association will hold their annual reception for their friends in their rooms in the market building this (Monday) and evening. It will take the form of a smoking concert.

Ribbon Sale.
A Silk and ribbon sale is advertised by F. A. Dykeman & Co. which ought to attract every lady's attention because these are articles that everyone has more or less use for, and it is not often they can be bought at the prices they advertise them at.

Schooner Arrives.
Messrs. Cushing and Co., Ltd., received a telegram last evening announcing that the schooner Adonis, Capt. Brown, had arrived at Moss Point, Mississippi from Las Palmas. The Adonis is under charter to lead hard pine for Demerara.

J. F. Wood.
The funeral of J. F. Wood, formerly of St. John, who died at St. Stephen on Thursday took place Saturday afternoon under the auspices of the lodge of Oddfellows at St. Stephen. Mr. Wood left a young son, who is now being cared for by the Oddfellows.

Property Sale.
At Chubb's Corner Saturday, P. L. Potts sold a piece of land in Guyward, West Side, belonging to the estate of Jane Williams, under a mortgage claim. John Allingham became the owner at \$250. The A. E. Hamilton Company stock with withdrawn.

Wanted for Stealing.
Chief of Police Clark received a telegram yesterday from Charles Hughes, Chief of Police in Campbellton, asking that Anthony Graves, aged 21 years, and a native of Denmark, be arrested on a charge of stealing. Policeman Marshall made the arrest about six o'clock in the evening.

A Good Speaker.
George Kierstead, of the Newton Theological College, who is home on his vacation, preached at services in the Brussels street Baptist church yesterday. Mr. Kierstead proved himself a forceful speaker, and made a good impression upon the large audiences present at both services.

Gospel Temperance Meeting.
The usual Gospel temperance meeting was held last evening in the temperance hall, West End, under the auspices of Granite Rock Division, Sons of Temperance. The chair was occupied by John Lister and the speaker was J. Starr Tait. Several Gospel hymns were sung. There was a large attendance at the meeting.

Band Presentation.
The members of the Artillery Band were called together on New Year's Eve to make a presentation to Band Master McNeel. He was given a beautiful calash pipe. He acknowledged the gift in a brief speech of thanks. Since he has had charge of the band, the organization has greatly improved.

Meeting for Men.
Rev. R. A. Armstrong was the speaker at the meeting held in the Unique Theatre last evening under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. He took for his subject Jesus the Redeemer, and gave an interesting account of His services to humanity. Garfield White contributed a solo, and there was a selection by the Orion quartette. The attendance was large.

New Year's Eve.
With the exception of the riots in the central portions of the city, New Year's eve was quietly observed. There were watchlight services in many of the churches and all were well attended. At the hour of midnight the harbor tugs and the church bells sounded the usual welcome. The Carleton band ushered the New Year in with musical honors on Tilley Square, West End.

Police Court Receipts.
The police court receipts for the year just closed were \$14,000 above what they were in the previous year, although the number of cases were not as many more than in 1909 as the increase in the receipts would indicate. The receipts for the year were \$4,229.31 as compared with \$2,879.50 in 1909. The arrests for the year were 1,542 as compared with 1,202 for 1909. The receipts from the city court showed a falling off of \$150.

R. S. LOW RELEASED ON BAIL SATURDAY

Paving Contractor Says Published Report of His Case Was Much Exaggerated and Threatens to Take Action

R. S. Low, who was arrested Friday on three writs for debts owing to parties in St. John and Fredericton, was released on bail Saturday afternoon. B. L. Gerow, solicitor for Mr. Low, said the statements that had appeared in the press in regard to Mr. Low's arrest were greatly exaggerated and that his client might take action for defamation of character. It is understood that the trouble arose over a couple of checks drawn on a Boston bank by Mr. Low which were not honored. Ald. McGoldrick, who advanced the contractor a couple of hundred dollars, is one of the parties who have taken action against Mr. Low. Another writ is for \$70 loaned Mr. Low by a private individual, and the third is on account of a judgment secured against him in Fredericton on a contract, against which Mr. Low has a bill for extras. Mr. Low when seen yesterday said he expected to be able to make satisfactory arrangements in regard to these amounts and did not anticipate any further trouble.

SUDDEN DEATH OF WILLIAM MCKINLEY

Summons Came to Well-Known Teamster While Walking on Brussels Street Last Evening--No Inquest Likely

William McKinley, a teamster, residing at 83 St. Patrick street, died very suddenly last evening about 9:30 o'clock. He was standing on Brussels street talking to a friend when he fell to the ground and expired instantly. He was at once taken to his home and Coroner Berryman summoned, but as death resulted from heart disease it is not likely there will be an inquest. The coroner said last night that he would decide today.

Mr. McKinley's sudden death was a great shock to his friends as he had been in apparently perfect health and had been about the house at supper time with no appearance of illness. He went out shortly after eight o'clock and was walking on Brussels street when the summons came. The deceased was in the 39th year of his age and is survived by a wife, parents and five sisters. He was the only son of James McKinley and was an estimable and popular young man. He had driven a team for his father, but for some time had engaged in the teaming business on his own account. His sisters are Mrs. Webber, in California, and Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Ramsay, Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Law of this city.

SPEAKER PRAISES GOVERNMENT ACT

Rev. W. R. Robinson Says New Brunswick License Law as Amended is Best of Kind in Canada.

Rev. W. R. Robinson addressed a largely attended meeting in the Temple of Honor hall, Main street, yesterday afternoon. His subject was the Law of Rewards. He said that every reward or punishment. This was true in the intellectual, moral, religious and physical life of the people, but his manifestations were more noticeable in the world of morals. Tracing the effects of this law in the liquor traffic, the speaker declared that the activities of the temperance people had done much to minimize the evils of this traffic, notably in the case of the early closing hour which he said had been a great help to many people.

Most of the evils we have to contend with he declared, were due to the indifference of the officials charged with the enforcement of the liquor law. The local government always seemed willing and ready to enact laws in the interests of temperance. In fact the liquor license act of New Brunswick with the amendments introduced by the Hazen government, was more advanced than any license act in any part of Canada. The officials, however, were lax in their duties and it was up to the friends of temperance to see that they enforced the laws they had, or gave place to men who would enforce the laws. To allow any laws to be violated brought contempt on all laws.

Special Meetings.
A series of special evangelical meetings will be opened in the Coburg street Christian church next Sunday evening, and will be continued for three or four weeks. These meetings will be conducted by John Lord, a native of Deer Island, N.B., who has just returned from the Philippines. Mr. Lord is an eloquent and powerful speaker, and it is expected the meetings will prove a great success.

At the Y. M. C. A.
The Y. M. C. A. will keep open house today and welcome all friends of the association. In the afternoon commencing at 2:30 there will be a gymnastic exhibition given by the school boys, introducing some special exercises and a reception to all men and women interested. In the evening there will be a reception for men of the city, at which a programme of musical and vocal selections will be provided. Refreshments will be served during the evening and the afternoon.

INSPECTORS GO TO SEE FERRY STEAMER

Council at Special Meeting Decides to Act on Supt. Waring's Report -- Latest Boat is Suitable

The ferry boat which Supt. Waring went to New York to examine has been by him pronounced suitable for the harbor of St. John, and it is stated that it can be purchased at a price which should prove attractive.

A special meeting of the Council was held on Saturday afternoon to consider a telegram which Ald. Potts had received from the Superintendent in which he said that the boat seemed to be suitable for the harbor. It was decided to send Inspectors Olive and Dalton to New York to look at the boat, and if it is as good as believed it is likely that the city will decide to purchase. As stated before the Pennsylvania railway, and the building of new terminals for that road rendered her useless to them. Consequently the railway company is willing to sell the steamer at a reasonable rate.

At the meeting on Saturday afternoon the Mayor presided and the aldermen present were Potts, Russell, White, Likely, Jones, Smith, Sprout, Elkin, Hays, McLeod, Willet, Wigmore and Holder. The Mayor announced the receipt of the message from Supt. Waring, and it was decided to resolve into general committee for the selection of the new boat if the city desired them to act.

It was decided that the treasury board should be asked to provide the funds for the visit to New York by the inspectors, and also for the expenses of the superintendent.

Messrs. Olive and Dalton will leave for New York on Tuesday morning.

WINTER PORT TRADE BELOW LAST YEAR

Returns from First Nine Steamers Sailing Show Fall in Value of Nearly Half a Million Dollars

Winter port steamships have filed their outward export papers with Collector A. T. Dunn, showing the valuation of goods going in each vessel from this port. The export will show a decrease in valuation, the cause of which is that the shipment of grain and cattle is below the average, the grain being held for a better market. Otherwise the exports are well up to past seasons and the indications now are for larger outward cargoes. The list of the 19 sailings follows:—

Virginian	54,304
Pomeranian	129,290
Kanawha	23,475
Empress of Ireland	228,252
Tunisian	120,590
Athenia	85,647
Mount Temple	207,772
Manchester Trader	150,225
Victorian	165,759
Kumara	119,669
Cassandra	61,850
Shenandoah	89,555
Empress of Britain	217,019
Lake Manitoba	151,876
Grampian	123,480
Montreal	283,460
Hesperian	542,111
Manchester Corporation	112,748
Rappahannock	54,860

Total for 19 sailings . . . \$3,184,752
Total last year, 19 sailings . . . 3,635,423
Recapitulation.
Value of Canadian goods . . . \$2,120,468
Value of United States goods 1,064,284
Total up to date 1910 . . . \$3,184,752
So far this season the Allan liner Hesperian took away the most valuable cargo, which amounted to \$421,111. The following shipments went forward in the above 19 sailings:—

Grain (bushels)	1,029,402
Flour (bags)	71,529
Cheese (boxes)	10,827
Cattle (head)	1,345

The wheat shipment in the first 19 steamers last season show 1,118,335 bushels, and the cattle shipments were 1876 head.

Nickel's Great Holiday Show.
The Nickel starting at 10 a. m., will be headquarters for the holiday throng today, whether it rains or shines. The programme will contain Klisto and Baylies, operatic duo (afternoon and evening); a winning picture bill including the great Soudan campaign picture. The Color Sergeant's Horse; a budget of news pictures from the Old Country dealing with current events; several comedies and Emory White, tenor; also orchestra.

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Main St. Baptist Church.
There were special New Year's services in Main street Baptist church yesterday. At the morning service the pastor, Rev. David Hutchinson preached on "Marching Orders." In the evening Rev. Mr. Hutchinson delivered the first of a series of sermons entitled "A New Year's Promise." Both services were largely attended.

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Initial Handkerchiefs, each 25c. 22c., 25c., and 32c. Hem-stitched and Embroidered Handkerchiefs each 12c. to \$1.50	Madeira Handkerchiefs, hand embroidered, each 6c. to \$1.60	Baby Irish and Gupure Lace Stock Collars, 50c. to \$1.50. Fancy Collars, from 25c. to \$2.
Fancy Lace Edge Handkerchiefs, each 25c. to 90c. Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs em-	Armenian Handkerchiefs, hand embroidered, each \$1.00 to \$2.50.	Bows in silk, muslin and lace, each 20c. to 50c. Mufflers, each 29c., 39c., and 50c. Scarfs in great variety, 50c. to \$1.00. Collars, Ruchings, Cords, etc.

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