THE WEATHER

Toronto, Feb. 20.—Pressure is higher tonight over the Great Lakes and a moderate depression covers the South Pacific States. Light rains have fallen in the Maritime Provinces, but the weather over the Dominion on the whole has been fair with the temperature well above the normal in all districts.

St. John	18	46
Dawson	-24	34
Prince Rupert	28	44
Victoria	32	48
Vancouver	30	46
Kamloops	8	38
Calgary	8	34
Edmonton	4	34
Battleford	-14	30
Prince Albert	4	32
Medicine Hat	10	38
Moose Jaw	8	32
Saskatoon	-16	30
Winnipeg	0	34
Port Arthur	22	34
White River	-8	18
London	28	40
Toronto	30	42
Kingston	28	34
Ottawa	24	38
Montreal	26	36
Quebec	22	40
Halifax	34	42

—Below zero.

Forecast.

Maritime—Moderate to fresh northwest and west winds; fair and slightly colder.

Northern New England—Fair and colder Tuesday; Wednesday probably fair. Moderate northwest winds.

AROUND THE CITY

WANTS INFORMATION.

The secretary of the St. John Board of Trade is in receipt of an inquiry from a concern in Ottawa, as to the coal possibilities in New Brunswick.

GRAIN SHIPMENTS

Grain shipments to date have been good, in the vicinity of 6,500,000 bushels having been loaded from the C. P. R. elevators.

TRAFFIC WAS BLOCKED.

Traffic was held up on Mill street yesterday morning for about ten minutes on account of a freight train getting stuck on the crossing. After several attempts to move the train it was cut in two and the street cleared.

CARNIVAL JUDGES

F. T. Barton, president of the Y. M. C. A.; Mrs. Barbour, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fowler and Mr. and Mrs. George W. Noble have kindly consented to act as the judges for the Y. M. C. A. carnival at the Victoria rink this evening.

WEEKLY MEETING.

The weekly meeting of the Methodist ministers of the city was held yesterday morning in Centenary Church. The programme for the annual conference at Sackville was discussed and laid on the table until March 13. Those present were: Rev. Messrs. C. A. Rose, of Hampton, president of the conference; H. B. Clarke, Neil MacLauchlan, R. G. Heaney, Jacob Heaney, B. B. Stiles and J. M. Rice.

LOOKING FOR RELATIVES

The postmaster is asked in a letter from Matilda Dunn, 388 Grand ave., N., Portland, Oregon if there is any one of the family or relatives of Christina McKinney living here. The name might be MacKinney, as her father's name MacKinney had Mackenzie added to "Mc." He lived in Goulburn, Ontario. The writer wishes to reestablish communication with her lower province relatives.

DANGEROUS PLACE

A catch basin, about two feet square, which was placed in the centre of the Sydney street sidewalk, between St. James and Britain streets, is a real trap for some pedestrian to fall into and be injured. There is a sewer running underneath and the grating has been placed there for the purpose of allowing the gas to escape, and it is thought that it could perhaps have been placed in the gutter only a few feet away. At present, with the ice covered sidewalk, there is a hole about two feet deep directly in the centre of the walk.

WILLIS LODGE FAIR

At the fair held last night in Fairville, under the auspices of Willis Lodge, the door prize, a ton of coal donated by the Colwell Fuel Co., was won by the holder of ticket No. 248, but was not called for. Other prizes, awarded for the highest scores at the different games, were awarded as follows: Gentlemen's beam board, Robert Catherwood; ladies' beam board, Miss Totten, Adelaide street; bowling alley, Mr. Green.

The following were in charge of the different games and booths: beam boards, John Baird and Fred Morrow; bowling alley, R. Patriquin; spindles, William Burns; wheels, T. Kilpatrick, W. Wright, C. Hill, W. Golding; refreshments, Mrs. Oliver Stinson; guessing contest, Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Hill; country store, Miss McDonald.

The fair, which was conducted all last week, will be brought to a close tonight.

Among those to register at the Victoria yesterday were J. E. Cuskitt, Grand Manan; L. Kennedy, Moncton; and A. West, Coles Island.

AFTER SHARE OF AUTO LICENSES

St. John is not the only city in Canada which is after the provincial government for a share of the automobile revenue, Montreal having petitioned the Quebec administration for a portion of the money derived from autos owned in that city.

They point out that in some places this is done and instance the State of New York, which returns to the cities and counties within its borders one half of the amount collected from this source.

Annual Meeting Held Yesterday

St. John Branch of Lord's Day Alliance of Canada Hear Addresses and Elected Officers.

The annual meeting of the St. John Branch of the Lord's Day Alliance of Canada was held at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon at two o'clock.

Rev. Dr. W. M. Rochester of Toronto, General Secretary, gave a very interesting account of features of the work in the various provinces. The importance and value of the work was shown in the discussion which followed, and steps were taken for its continuance on a larger scale.

Rev. George W. Mingle of Montreal, Provincial Secretary for Quebec was present and contributed to the discussion.

The election of officers resulted as follows:—

President—Rev. Jacob Heaney, re-elected.

Vice President—Rev. Canon I. A. Armstrong.

Secretary—Kenneth A. Wilson, re-elected.

There was a good gathering and those present were greatly interested in the addresses of the visiting clergymen and the discussion.

Alleged Wife Beaters In Court

Russell Hoyt and Lindsay Sabine Are Defendants — Lemon Extract Case Heard.

In the police court, yesterday morning, Charles Paddock pleaded not guilty to the charge of selling lemon extract for beverage purpose. Lindsay Sabine, to whom the lemon was sold, testified that he went into the defendant's store at Haymarket Square, between 9 and 10 o'clock on Saturday night, and there obtained four bottles of lemon extract paying $1.25 for it. He said that he had drunk the contents of two of the bottles and part of the others, without diluting it in any way, and that he preferred this form of drink to whiskey or any other intoxicant.

The defendant, on the stand, swore that Sabine told him that the lemon was for cooking purposes and that he was going home with it. The witness said that he did not enter the sale in the book although he knew he should have done so. He was aware that he was permitted to sell only two and a half ounces, whereas he had sold Sabine ten ounces. He was found guilty of the offense with which he was charged.

E. S. Ritchie, appearing for Paddock, asked that the matter be looked upon by the court as leniently as possible, as the defendant, when he sold the lemon, had no intention of selling it for beverage purposes, even though he had broken the law in other respects.

W. M. Ryan, for the prosecution, said that he had no objection to a small fine if he struck it there were extenuating circumstances, but that he was unable to see any in this case. He commented on the fact that the defendant had previously been before the court on a similar charge, and had then promised to stop the sale of lemon.

The magistrate remarked that the defendant had promised to abandon the lemon extract business after the trial of O'Brien and Spellman, when it was shown that they had procured the lemon, they had been drinking at Paddock's store. He said that he would look into the matter, and, in the meantime, would accept a deposit for the defendant's appearance at a future hearing.

Russel Hoyt pleaded not guilty, yesterday morning, to a charge of assaulting his wife on Wednesday last. Mrs. Hoyt testified that her husband had lost his temper while she was trying to find a key for him. Mrs. Ada Burns said that she had heard cries for help from the defendant's flat, and upon rushing in, saw Hoyt kicking his wife. She interfered and got the latter out of harm's way.

Sergeant Hankins told of being called to the house and seeing Mrs. Hoyt with her face cut. She had not fully recovered until Sunday. The accused was remanded with the warning that the charge might be made an indictable offence.

Lindsay Sabine pleaded not guilty to a charge of assaulting his wife while under the influence of liquor, and was remanded to jail.

John Breen forfeited a deposit of $50 yesterday morning, when he did not appear to answer a charge of selling liquor unlawfully.

Three men charged with being drunk were remanded to jail.

INTERESTING ADDRESS

Rev. A. L. Tedford delivered an interesting address before the Epworth League of the Exmouth Street Methodist Church at its regular weekly meeting last evening. A pleasing solo was rendered by Miss Greta Love. H. F. Hawkins was the chairman of the evening.

Skating Carnival under auspices of Y. M. C. A., Tuesday February 21st, 8 p.m. Victoria Rink. Prizes best costumes, Ladies and Gents.

Carpentier And Lewis Matched

London, Feb. 20—(Canadian Press Cable)—Ted Lewis, of England, has been matched with Carpentier, the French champion, for a bout to be held at the Olympic on May 11. They will box for $1,000 a side and a purse to be fixed.

Record Crowd For The Rotary Lunch

Fines Committee Complained That Its End of the Business is Going to the Dogs.

One hundred and one members out of a total of one hundred and five attended the weekly luncheon of the Rotary Club yesterday. A very much better showing is scarcely possible, and it speaks well for the loyalty of the members to the principles for which the club stands. A. F. Blake was chairman for the day, and was the recipient of the hearty congratulations of the members on the arrival of a youthful Rotarian at his home last week. In honor of the event, President Spangler rendered as a solo "Rock-a-bye, Baby," the chorus being lustily joined in by the members.

Three new members were elected, W. H. Fenton, manager Fenton Land & Building Co., Ltd.; William H. Golding, of George McLean & Co., Ltd., and Fred. W. Coombs, manager Princess Garage.

Arthur M. Gregg made some interesting remarks upon "A Talking Knowledge of Rotary," in the course of which he said to be any kind of a Rotarian a man must be able to explain what the organization is, what it is for, where it came from and what its value is. Rotary, he said, is not something that is just trotted out each Monday at noon, nor is it merely a weekly lunch with songs and good fellowship. Rotary is a way of life, which if a man follows, he will have abundant life. He must be anxious to disseminate the Rotary spirit among all, believing that the Golden Rule is capable of solving all of the great problems of the world. Rotary's motto is "Service above self." "He profits most who serves best," and the main object of all Rotarians should be not only to put these principles into practice themselves, but to endeavor to instil the same principles in others. Once get the Rotarian idea appreciated, and the result is usually a desire to act; and only that which causes humanity to do things, counts.

Another noteworthy address was that of Rotarian Donegani, on Milk Pasteurization, in the course of which he explained the why and wherefore of the process, as a means of getting pure, clean and wholesome milk.

The only worried man in the assemblage was the Chairman of the Fines Committee, who complained that members were getting so regular and punctual in their attendance and behaving themselves so beautifully, that his business was falling off to nothing. His receipts yesterday amounted to ten cents only—a record low.

Next week's meeting is the anniversary meeting and ladies' night, when each member is expected to bring his "Rotary Ann" with him.

Two Accidents At Sand Point

E. J. Myers Had Hand Caught in Motor Truck and Andrew Craft Received Injured Finger.

E. J. Myers, 58 Guilford Street, West St. John, a C. P. R. checker received a painful injury at about 2.15 yesterday afternoon, when he caught his right hand in the mechanism of a motor truck he was operating in No. 2 shed. His second finger and the palm of his hand were badly bruised. After he had received medical attention at the Emergency Hospital he was able to proceed to his home.

Andrew Craft, 256 Duke Street, West St. John, a longshoreman working at No. 3 shed suffered an incised wound to the index finger of his right hand while assisting in the loading of a cargo of tin for the S. S. Mattiston, at about 4.10 yesterday afternoon. He was attended to at the Emergency Hospital, and taken to his home.

PERSONALS

Friends of Mrs. George Carleton, King street, West End, will be pleased to learn that she is progressing favorably after having undergone a serious operation in the General Public Hospital, performed by Dr. Murray MacLaren.

Fredericton Mail: The condition of Mrs. L. C. MacNutt, who underwent an operation at the Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, last week, is reported as being improved.

Moncton Transcript: Friends of Miss Florence Wortman, N. S., of this city will regret to learn of her continued illness in New York; her condition today as far as is learned is unimproved.

Fredericton Gleaner: Miss Dorothy Tratton, who is training for a nurse at Winsted, Conn., is spending a vacation with her parents, Rev. F. J. and Mrs. Tratton. Rev. Mr. Tratton, who has been confined to his home with a severe attack of la grippe, expects to be able to be out tomorrow.

Commissioner Thornton was reported yesterday to be well on his way towards recovery. He is able to be up for short periods now and hopes to be able to get out in about a week.

Rev. Father Henry, of the Archdiocese of Regina is in the city. Sunday he celebrated mass in the Cathedral.

Claud A. Richardson, 76 Queen St., who was taken suddenly ill Sunday and operated on at the Infirmary that afternoon is reported to be improving and practically out of danger. Mr. Richardson is the proprietor of a fruit and candy store on Charlotte street.

Mrs. Minnie Gard, who has been visiting in the city for some time, returned to Toronto yesterday afternoon.

Chief Liquor Inspector J. H. MacAvity of Fredericton was in the city yesterday and was registered at the Victoria.

Carl A. Duffy of Chipman was registered at the Victoria yesterday.

Consulted With Local Officers

P. C. Sedenius, Acting Territorial Secretary for Maritimes, Discussed Y. M. C. A. Retiring Fund.

P. C. Sidenius, Acting Territorial Secretary of the Maritime Provinces for the Y. M. C. A. arrived in the city yesterday and consulted with the local officers of the Association in regard to the Y. M. C. A. retiring fund. He leaves today for Fredericton and will return to St. John Wednesday.

Mr. Sidenius stated last evening that the Y. M. C. A. retiring fund for Canadian and United States officials of the Association was determined upon at the International Convention held in Detroit in 1919. The plan provides for the retirement of an employed officer at the age of sixty on an annual allowance for life equal to about 1 1-2 per cent of his average salary received for the last ten years of service, multiplied by the total number of years he has served.

In case of disability before retirement after five years of service there is a yearly benefit provided equal to about one per cent of average salary as computed above. As in Assurance, yearly payments are made to the common fund of which the Association pays half and the employed officer half. Past services are to be paid from the "accrued liability" fund of $3,740,193 to be raised. After participating for one year should an officer leave the Association's service or desire to withdraw he will receive his total amount contributed to that time plus four per cent compound interest.

Mr. Sidenius stated that of the $3,740,193 to be raised for the accrued liability fund, John D. Rockefeller had contributed $1,000,000, and the Association officers $320,000. It is hoped to raise the remainder by the first of April and put the scheme into operation. Canada's portion of the amount has been placed at $200,000 of which the Maritime Provinces share is $10,000. Sydney has already raised the amount assigned to their branch. G. F. Barbour of this city is the chairman of the fund for New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, and J. Hunter White, the secretary.

Passengers On The White Star Liner

Members of Canadian Manufacturers' Assn. Will Join the Megantic at Kingston, Jamaica.

The White Star Line Megantic scheduled to sail from New York on Saturday, February 18th, for her second winter cruise to the West Indies, Panama Canal and South America, will take out a party of twenty-five members of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, headed by C. R. Howard, Canadian National representative. Their trip has been planned for the purpose of establishing trade relations in the West Indies in view of the increasing volume of business between Canada and the islands. Other members of the association will join the ship at Kingston and continue on to Port of Spain and Trinidad. The party includes Mr. Henry Bertram, of John Bertram & Sons Co., Dundas, and Mrs. Bertram; W. R. Watson, of the Canada Label and Webbing Co., Ltd., Toronto; Col. Arthur Hatch, of the Canada Steel Goods Company, Ltd., Hamilton, and Mrs. Hatch; W. H. Shapley, of Stirling, Acton and Keys, Ltd., Toronto; Col. R. W. Leonard, of the Consumers Reduction Co., Ltd., St. Catherines, and Mrs. Leonard; A. H. Stratton, Peterboro Review Co., Ltd., Peterboro, and Mrs. Stratton; C. Clifford McAvity, of T. McAvity & Sons, St. John; H. Pocock, of the London Concrete Machinery Co., London, Ont., and Mrs. Pocock; A. J. Gillies, of the A. J. Gillies Manufacturing Co., Toronto; Joseph Anderson, representing the Border Cities Chamber of Commerce; George J. Lippert, of the George J. Lippert Table Company, Kitchener, Ont., and Mrs. Lippert; and H. V. Greene, of Hiram Walker & Sons, Toronto.

Other Canadians on the Megantic's list are A. J. Atcheson, Hamilton; E. G. Powell, Windsor; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davidson, St. John; Mrs. McCurdy and son, Halifax; D. Mutch, St. Catherines; J. H. Bowman, Dundas; Very Rev. J. L. Hand, H. J. Kormen, F. X. Kormen, Rev. A. O'Leary, D.D., and Miss Arline Thorley, Toronto; H. B. Fraser, Mrs. W. D. Fraser, Mr and Mrs. Gerard, J. Labrie, and A. Lambert, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Payne, Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Turner, Peterboro; W. H. Shapley, Brantford, and F. L. Gunn, London, Ont.

Daylight Saving Time Discussed

Another Meeting on Harbor Commission to be Held on Wednesday — Men Quit Work.

Daylight saving, expenditure on the city streets and harbor commission were among the matters discussed at the committee meeting of the Common Council held yesterday morning.

A communication was read from the Railway Association in connection with the observance of daylight saving time this year and suggesting that the dates be from the Sunday nearest May 1st to Sunday nearest October 1st. The opinion was expressed that these dates did not fit conditions here and the Common Clerk was instructed to notify the Association that the city proposed to observe the same dates as last year, from the Sunday before May 1st to the Sunday after Labor Day.

Mayor Schofield announced that the commissioners had been invited to attend a lecture on the Washington Conference by Lt.-Col. H. Forster, of the Imperial General Staff, to be given in the Armory on Thursday evening of this week.

Commissioner Frink reported that he already spent $28,000 of his appropriation for street work. He had instructed the superintendent that the rate of pay was to be $3.50 per day and some men in the North End had refused to accept this amount and quit.

The Mayor announced that a notice regarding a further meeting in connection with harbor commission had been sent to each of the commissioners and the organizations interested. The meeting will take place on Wednesday evening and the matter of a new act will be discussed. He announced that Commissioner Bullock was appointed officially to represent the city and bring back a report to the council.

LATE ARRESTS

William Trasson was arrested last evening on suspicion of breaking and entering the premises of the St. John Window Cleaning Co., 59 Prince William street, and stealing seven pieces of chamois leather to the value of $18. Two drunks were arrested by the police and one applicant was given shelter.

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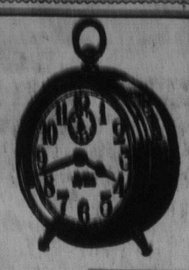

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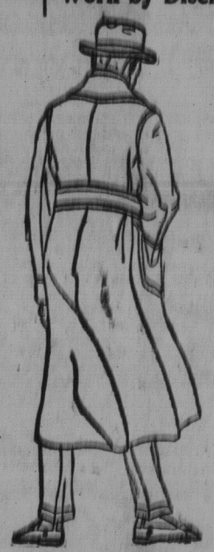

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Through the kindly interest of the Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A., seven boys are being sent up to Moncton to the Provincial Skating Championships. The following are the names:

Gordon Logan, Doyle Dalton, Kenneth Clifford, Sam Arthurs, Kenneth McAlpine, Burton Johnston, Edgar Sudgrass.

Norval Lambert will be in charge of the party, and although these boys are new in the game, it is expected that they will make a good showing in the various events in which they have been entered.