

THE WEATHER.

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Forecast.

Maritime—Strong winds and gales, southeast, shifting to southwest and west, abating, turning colder by Wednesday with local snow flurries.

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Toronto, Nov. 29.—The disturbance which was over Michigan last night now covers the St. Lawrence Valley and the New England States. It has caused gales over the Great Lakes, attended by rain, snow, and the weather is now becoming stormy in Eastern Canada, accompanied with rain.

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Temperatures.

	Min.	Max.
Prince Rupert	38	42
Victoria	40	46
Vancouver	38	46
Edmonton	12	24
Battleford	12	10
Prince Albert	14	6
Medicine Hat	10	46
Moos Jaw	14	42
Winnipeg	14	16
Port Arthur	16	26
Perry Sound	34	40
London	33	45
Toronto	33	40
Ottawa	34	42
Montreal	34	42
Quebec	30	38
St. John	30	46
Halifax	40	52
Below zero.		

Around the City

Refused Duty.
A sailor was given in charge of the police yesterday on the charge of refusing duty on board a ship. The case will probably be heard this morning.

The Ellis Medal.
It was announced in High School yesterday afternoon that Miss Gwendolyn Ewing has been awarded the Ellis medal for the best English essay for students in grade eleven.

School Estimates.
An informal meeting of the school board was held last night. A start was made on preparing the estimates for the coming year. Necessary repairs to each school were considered but no recommendations made.

Dr. James Walker's Will.
There was a hearing before Mr. Justice Grimmer yesterday of the friendly suit to secure an interpretation of the will of the late Dr. James Walker, of South Bay. St. Andrew's church claims a mortgage of \$50,000 held by Dr. Walker, was left to the church.

Automobile Wrecked.
A jitney bus, owned by Mr. Herbert Hildyard and others, and driven by Geo. Anthony, was totally wrecked on the Marsh Road late on Saturday night. The automobile in an attempt to avoid persons walking along the road, became unmanageable and overturned. The chauffeur was severely injured.

Couldn't Give His Name.
The police arrested a man for being drunk on the corner of Horsefield and Germain streets, last night. When taken to the station the man was too drunk to give his name and he had received a cut on the head having fallen on the sidewalk.

A Good Return.
The entertainment held in Carleton City Hall recently under the auspices of the Lancaster Junior Red Cross netted the handsome sum of \$285.24. This money will be used for securing articles for soldiers. This was the first public effort of the members of this society and they deserve much credit for their good work.

Circuit Court.
The adjourned circuit court will meet this morning at eleven o'clock, when the grand jury will be required to be present to hear and determine the necessity of a trial in other criminal cases. The special jury in the case of E. S. Carter vs. the St. John Standard, Limited, is required to be present at twelve o'clock noon, and the petit jury on Wednesday morning at ten o'clock.

ENJOYABLE CONCERT
IN ST. DAVID'S CHURCH

Conducted under auspices
of Y. P. A.—Interesting
subject discussed.

A large number of the members of the Young People's Association of St. David's Presbyterian church met in their rooms last evening and carried out an enjoyable programme. A. R. Crookshank, president of the association, was in the chair, and after a few opening remarks the following programme was carried out:
Duet, "Snowdrops," Mrs. A. P. Crockett and Miss D. Creighton; Paper, "Architecture of Great Buildings," Mrs. D. W. Ledingham; Solo, "Where My Caravan is Rested," Miss D. Creighton; Piano Solo, Miss Marion Crookshank.
Following a formal discussion, the National Anthem was sung and the evening brought to a close. Every one seemed to enjoy the evening to its utmost and many more are looked for this winter.

FIFTY-FIFTH
COMFORTABLE
IN ENGLAND

Member of Battalion
writes interesting letter
to the Standard.

A letter from one of the 55th Battalion in England was received by The Standard yesterday, telling of the work there. He writes:
"After landing at Plymouth last Monday, we travelled here by train, the first section, A, B, C and part of D companies arriving at seven p.m., and the second section, as the baggage and supplies transport, arriving at Liphook village at two a.m. and got to camp an hour later, at Bramshot, and had several hours' nap before an early reveille. Breakfast, the first meal in the new camp, was served in the mess, a huge high-roofed dining hall with eight rows of tables, two for each company, the food being prepared in an ample and well-equipped kitchen attached, each company having two thirty-gallon boilers and four ovens. The boilers are capable of furnishing tea, coffee, soup, stew or porridge enough for a whole company (240 men) and the ovens are capable of roasting beef enough for five hundred men a meal.

The first day was spent in transferring the baggage and equipment from Liphook, distributing it and getting well settled down in the huts in which we are domiciled. Five rows of these slate-covered, asbestos-lined wooden huts face the main battalion street with headquarters, orderly room and company quarters adjacent. Row one contains six huts occupied by band, sergeants, machine gun section, signallers, police, etc. Row two shelters A, row three B, row four C and row five D companies, respectively, each having about three sections or platoons.

"There have been no parades, as such, so far. Mark III. Ross rifles, just from the factory, and brought over with us, were issued on Thursday and were hurriedly and casually glanced at by the armorer sergeant on Saturday morning. We brought two blankets apiece with us from Valcarier and have had two additional issued to us with new mattresses and pillows, straw filled.

"The officers' quarters are small one-roomed huts across a large square from the mess's quarters. This square is a joint drill ground and recreation field, judging by the football goals at each end. The officers' mess is housed nearby, and all around are the quarters of other battalions and service staffs.

"On our main or battalion street is the regimental headquarters, housed in a wide verandah-fronted building. The commissary officer's room comes first, then the adjutant's and orderly room. Next is the solid-brick police and detention quarters, for the guard and the transgressors. The next hut shelters the quartermaster and paymaster, jointly with quartermaster's stores adjacent. Then come the four company headquarters."

This will give The Standard readers some idea of how the 55th Battalion is situated and looked after in England.

ODD FELLOWS
VISITATION

District Deputy Grand
Master and Committee to
Fraternity Lodge, Fairville.

J. A. Murdoch, District Deputy Grand Master, I. O. O. F., with the members of the standing committee of the order paid an official visit last evening to Fraternity Lodge, I. O. O. F., in Fairville. There was a particularly large attendance and the evening was pleasantly spent. W. Reid, Noble Grand of Fraternity, welcomed the visitors and invited the District Deputy to a seat of honor. Addresses were delivered by the visiting brethren and members of Fraternity Lodge and refreshments were served. The next official visit of the District Deputy and committee will be in connection with the annual New Year's Eve celebration of Golden Rule Lodge, West St. John.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. P. Gallagher of Moncton is spending a few days in the city. She is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gallagher at the Prince William Apartments.

A. Wilson and A. McLeod arrived in the city yesterday from Montreal and will take up their duties in the export office, on the West Side.

Miss J. Carter, M. L. A. is in the city and is registered at the Victoria.

SPECIAL DISPLAY TODAY OF IMPORTED PATTERN HATS, MARRILLINERY CO., LTD.

TWENTY-EIGHT
RECRUITS FOR
COL. FOWLER

These men arrived at Camp
Sussex yesterday—A party
from Hartland.

Men for the 140th New Brunswick Battalion, under Lieut. Col. George W. Fowler, continue to arrive at Sussex. Twenty-eight men arrived at camp yesterday for the new battalion. They were particularly fine specimens of manhood and were given a hearty reception to the camp.

Everything is in good shape at the camp and the men are fast rounding into condition. Every man seems to take a personal pride in getting into shape and learning the drill.

A party of twelve young men passed through the city on their way from Hartland, where all their homes are, to join the 140th Battalion at Sussex. All are fine sturdy looking men, and are well liked in the town where they come from. They are Edward A. Brittain, Bertie Clarke, Guy Mead, Jas. Pratt, Wendell Nixon, Frank Dickinson, James Hovey, Harold Sippel, Elmer Tompkins, Chester Carr, Arthur Clarke and Lee Crandemille.

BOYS FROM ST. JOHN
ENJOY GAME OF WAR

Letter from Dan Haywood
tells of meeting many
from here.

Dan Haywood, who was in The Standard's employ and enlisted at the commencement of the war, is now fighting "somewhere in France," and in a letter received yesterday by a member of The Standard staff says that he met Major Markham and the latter was looking fine. The Major was leaving the trenches, mounted and splashed all over with mud. He looked happy and contented. Guide Haywood also states that he saw Lieut. Morrissey of the 6th Mounted Rifles and, like Major Markham, the lieutenant looked in the very best of health and enjoying the game of war. The weather at the time of writing was bad, there being continual rain, which caused plenty of mud. F. Withers of St. John is with the writer. He also states that he saw Sergt. Major Dawes with the 6th Mounted. Dawes while in St. John was the market policeman. In fact, all the boys from St. John were well. Dan wishes to be remembered to all his friends.

MANY COOKING METHODS
SURPRISE MANY HOUSEHOLDS

That better cooked food, a great saving of food itself, and a surprising economy in time and labor could result from the use of a particular kind of metal in the making of cooking utensils has been proven beyond shadow of doubt to those who, yesterday, attended the first of a series of demonstrations of cooking in "Wear-Ever" Aluminum Ware, held in the kitchenware department of W. H. Thorne & Co.'s store on Market Street. The programme all through having been a complete revelation to those present.

After showing that this ware requires less heat in cooking than any other used for culinary purposes, the lady demonstrated that "Wear-Ever" Aluminum is easier to clean and keeps clean, by placing tomatoes in a "Wear-Ever" stew pan over a flame and allowing them to burn until charred, after which the inside of the vessel was slightly scraped with a wooden spoon which easily removed the blackened vegetables without injuring the pan. A quart of milk was boiled down to half a pint without scorching and apples were stewed without stirring and yet were not burned.

The demonstrations continue throughout today, and, at four o'clock this afternoon, by request, pancakes will be cooked without the use of grease of any kind on a "Wear-Ever" aluminum griddle.

The programme for today's demonstration, which should be well attended, appears in Messrs. Thorne's advertisement on page 10.

AFTER HARRY LAUDER
PERFORMANCE

Have you engaged your seats at Warramaker's for the after-theatre dinner.

Don't forget the date, Wednesday afternoon and evening, Mother Goose Christmas Fair, Knights of Columbus Hall.

Girls' Serge Dresses.

You will be surprised at the very fine dresses that you can buy for the children at \$3.35 at F. A. Dykeman & Co.'s. In view of the advance in price on wool serge you would expect to pay \$5.00 for these dresses. They come in sizes six to fourteen years. They are navy blue trimmed with red silk embroidery, are finished very nicely and have a very chic appearance.

RECEPTION FOR
PASTOR OF WEST
SIDE CHURCH

Charlotte Street Baptists
Welcome Rev. Mr. Jenner
—Many clergymen present

A reception was given to Rev. J. H. Jenner and Mrs. Jenner at the Charlotte Street Baptist church last evening, a large number of persons interested in the welfare of the church being present. Rev. Mr. Jenner succeeds Rev. J. A. Archibald, who has accepted the call to the pastorate of the church in New Glasgow, N. S.

The proceedings commenced with the singing of the national anthem. Rev. Dr. Hutchinson then offered prayer. A. J. Gregory, who has accepted the call to the pastorate of the church in New Glasgow, N. S., spoke briefly of the work of the church, referring to its past record of good achievement. He called attention to what had been accomplished for good by the late pastor and to what might be expected, with good reason, from the ministrations of Rev. Mr. Jenner.

W. P. Hoyt, secretary of the reception committee, read a letter from Rev. W. H. Thorne & Co. Ltd., with reference to the new pastor, "he is a man of fine gifts and beautiful Christian character; I have known him a long time. I had the honor to be pastor of his old home church. I never heard one disparaging word spoken of him; while, on the other hand, many words of appreciation have been uttered both of his unselfish devotion to duty and his gentlemanly bearing towards others. He will make a good pastor, and contribute something worth while to the general cause of righteousness in the city."

Rev. M. E. Fletcher spoke in terms of welcome to Rev. Mr. Jenner, expressing his pleasure to meet him as a co-worker in St. John. After a solo, Rev. W. R. Robinson and Rev. P. R. Hayward gave short addresses of welcome. In reply Rev. Mr. Jenner said he was deeply moved by the reception accorded to him and to Mrs. Jenner, and was glad to be amongst so many friends on the occasion. W. Lanyon then sang a solo, and Rev. B. H. Nobles and Rev. Dr. Helme both welcomed the new pastor. After the hymn "Blest be the tie that binds" refreshments were served in the schoolroom, and Rev. and Mrs. Jenner were introduced to the members of the congregation and the friends of the church. In addition to the ministers named there were present Rev. Dr. Morrison, Rev. Mr. Westmorland, Rev. F. H. Wentworth, Rev. Gideon Swift, Rev. P. Denison, Rev. H. R. Boyer and Rev. P. S. Porter.

PREPARING TO
CALL MINISTER

St. Andrews Presbyterian
Church wish to have permanent minister.

A large and representative gathering of the congregation of Saint Andrew's Presbyterian church was held last evening in the rooms of the church, where the matter of obtaining a permanent pastor was discussed. The church at large realizes that the time is mature when a permanent preacher must be called to take the responsibilities of the work of the church. Names were suggested last night but nothing will be given out until the meeting which is called for Wednesday, December 8th, to arrange a call to an outside clergyman. A vote of thanks was tendered the Rev. Gordon Dickie for his interest in the work of the church. C. B. Allan acted as chairman and C. McN. Steeves as secretary. Much interest was shown by all present and it is assumed that a call will suitably fill the vacancy in the church.

Afternoon Court.

In the police court, yesterday afternoon, Alex. Diggs, Mary Jane Toner, with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lupe, charged with being in a disorderly house, were again remanded to jail after the evidence of Detective Barrett was heard. The case will be resumed again this morning. Robt. Williams, a young man charged with stealing two pairs of shoes from a boarder in the Prince Rupert Hotel on Market street, and also with stealing twenty dollars from Margaret McDonald, the cook, was before the court. After evidence was given by Detective Barrett and Briggs, who made the arrest, telling of finding the stolen boots in a second hand store, where the defendant had sold them, and Margaret McDonald told about seeing the defendant in the house and missing the money from her trunk, the case was closed. The defendant pleaded guilty of taking one pair of shoes and was sent up for trial.

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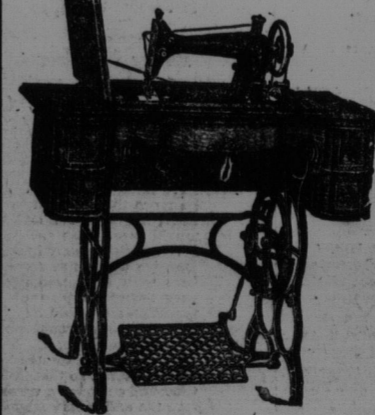
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