

**THE WEATHER.**

Toronto, March 3.—The disturbance which was north of the Ottawa Valley last night has moved eastward to the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and showers have occurred in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces. The weather has turned colder in Ontario and has continued cold with light snow in Manitoba, while farther west it has been quite mild.

St. John	34	40
Prince Rupert	36	44
Kamloops	34	44
Calgary	28	46
Edmonton	22	34
London	30	37
Toronto	22	40
Ottawa	20	46
Montreal	32	42
Quebec	36	38
Halifax	34	44

Forecast

Maritime—Showers in some districts, followed by increasing northwest winds and somewhat colder by night.

Northern New England—Fair, much colder Friday, Saturday fair, fresh and probably strong west and northwest winds.

**Investigate Death Of Thomas Mallory**

All Persons Concerned Are Exonerated—Coroner Kennedy Will Hold Inquest.

After investigating the circumstances surrounding the death of Thomas Mallory which occurred in the general Public Hospital Wednesday noon, the police have exonerated all persons concerned.

Mallory accompanied James Clancy on a fishing trip to Golden Grove Sunday and on the trip back fell out of the sleigh the two were in. He sustained a fractured skull as a result of the fall and lost consciousness, and later died from the effects of his injuries.

Dr. F. L. Kenny decided on an inquest, however, Dr. H. L. Abramson has performed an autopsy on the body which was viewed by the coroner's jury yesterday, who thereupon returned a verdict on Wednesday evening which evidence will be taken.

Those sitting on the jury are: Roy S. Potts, Herbert J. Keys, Frederick Bryden, Arthur Fitzcarrin, Theodore Tilt, J. A. Kennedy and W. K. Sheehan.

**Little Progress In Labor Disputes**

Labor Leaders Encouraged Over Conference of Campbell & Fowler Co.

Officials of the Labor Council reported last evening that nothing in particular had been accomplished in the way of settling disputes between laborers, who are now out by reason of strike or lockouts, with their employers.

**Maritime Nail Works.**

The efforts made to bring the managers of the Maritime Nail Works and a committee of former employees into a conference looking to an adjustment of dispute between them, have availed of nothing. Applicants for work at the Maritime Nail works are given a job and preference is given to the application of former employees. The plant is in operation, but is not working up to capacity, as the former employees are holding out, and the company has not secured a full working force.

**Campbell & Fowler Plant.**

The employees of the Campbell & Fowler factory, it is said, have been in conference with the management seeking an adjustment of their troubles. While nothing is known or publicly given out, there is a hopeful spirit prevailing among the men on strike, and the opinion is expressed, by labor representative, that the trouble between employer and employee at the plant will be soon at an end. A give and take spirit, it is said, prevails on both sides and with this spirit in evidence there is every reason to believe a successful and satisfactory agreement will be reached.

**New Members For Board of Trade**

Fifteen Applications Received Yesterday—President on Chamber of Commerce.

Fifteen additional applications for membership in the Board of Trade were approved by the council yesterday and passed over to the next meeting of the board for acceptance.

**President Burditt Named.**

A letter from the Toronto Board of Trade advised that President Burditt of the St. John board had been named a member of the Canadian committee of the International Chamber of Commerce. This international body was organized at Paris in June last year. Its purpose is "to facilitate the commercial intercourse of nations, to secure harmony of action on all international questions affecting commerce and industry, to encourage progress and to promote peace and cordial relations among countries and their citizens by the co-operation of business men and their organizations devoted to the development of commerce and industry." The board of directors of this body consists of three persons from each of the five foundation countries, viz.: Belgium, France, Great Britain, Italy and the United States. Among the other Canadians who are on this committee are: Lloyd Harris, Lt.-Col. W. W. Panton, Hon. F. Carvell, Lt.-Col. G. G. Gosselin, Messrs. H. M. E. Evans, M. F. Christie and Charles Marriott.

The honor of the placing of a representative of St. John on the committee was greatly appreciated by the council of the St. John board.

Was at Bathurst

The secretary reported that the second annual dinner of the Bathurst Board of Trade, which he presided over, had been a very pleasant function and that there was general appreciation of the fact that the St. John board has sent a representative. The secretary also reported that a substitute steamer for the Empress, when she lays up for repairs next month, is being sought by the freight department of the C. P. R.

The master of Income Tax amendments, covering penalties for errors in statements, was referred to the legislative committee to report on at the full meeting of the board.

Consideration of "a buy in Canada" movement was also passed over to the full board.

**Copy of Memorial.**

The Quebec Board of Trade forwarded copy of memorial which had been sent to the railway commission with respect to a reduction in grain rates over the C. N. R. Transcontinental railway. Referred to transportation committee.

Consideration was given to the proposed Fire Marshal Act to change in C. N. R. train service, and to matters bearing upon harbor development.

It was decided to co-operate with the Commercial Club in a protest to the city council against the pierage practices which have been going on at the West Side piers, and which formed the subject of a communication from the Board of Trade on the 24th of January.

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**AROUND THE CITY**

**CITY COUNCIL TODAY**

The city council will hold its weekly meeting this afternoon at three o'clock.

**FERRY REVENUE SMALLER**

The ferry revenue was smaller for the month of February, 1921, than for the same period last year, the figures being: 1921, \$4,076.46; 1920, \$4,140.05.

**ACCIDENT AT SAND POINT**

Robert McKee, a trucker employed on the west side, had his hand injured yesterday morning. He was treated at the Emergency Hospital.

**NEW FIRE ALARM BOXES**

Three new fire alarm boxes arrived in the city yesterday and will be placed in Sand Point sheds No. 32 and 1. The numbers given the new boxes will be 8-3 and 12.

**CHILD DEAD**

Friends will sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Louis F. McKay, 23 Millidge avenue, in the death of their youngest daughter, Evelyn Marie, aged nearly four years, which occurred yesterday.

**NEEDED WIAFF WORK**

City Engineer G. G. Hare has been making an inspection of the city wharves and finds that considerable work will be necessary on Wellington, Dunn's and South Boats, and planning will have to be done in the potato shed.

**PLEASANT CONCERT**

The inmates of the Municipal Home were given a pleasant entertainment last night, when the St. Mary's Band gave a delightful programme for their pleasure. The programme was enjoyed by all, delicious refreshments were served by the superintendent, Commissioner Walsh supplied fruit for all the inmates at last evening's affair.

**REGULAR MEETING**

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Association of the Protestant Orphan Asylum was held at the British street Home yesterday afternoon, Mrs. David McLeellan presiding. It was reported that the children had been entertained by the Junior Association of the National History Society. A number of donations were gratefully acknowledged.

**FAIR VALE OUTING CLUB**

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Fair Vale Outing Club were entertained last evening at the residence of Mrs. William White, Douglas Avenue. A very delightful evening was spent. Several of these social reunions have been held and have proved very pleasant, last night's being one of the most enjoyable.

**VISITED INSANE NURSE**

At the request of the Provincial Red Cross Hospital Committee, Dr. Farrer, chief officer of the Insane Department of the D.S.C.R., yesterday visited a nurse at the Provincial Hospital who became insane while on duty with the Harvard Unit in France. Dr. Farrer will present her case at Ottawa and strongly recommend that she be cared for by the department.

**CELEBRATE THEIR 88TH ANNIVERSARY**

York L. O. L. No. 3 celebrated its 88th anniversary last night in Orange Hall. There was a very large attendance of Orangemen for the interesting historical event. Addresses were given by County Grand Master, J. Starr Tait, District Grand Master, Kenneth Stoen, Frank L. Potts, Rev. Mr. Stiller, and Mr. Conley, the oldest member of the lodge. The history of the lodge was read by Grand Secretary Sule.

The history revealed that the first L. O. L. in St. John was instituted in 1810 and was organized by the Imperial troops then stationed here. Refreshments were served after the regular programme.

**HIKERS ARE ALL GOING STRONG**

The hikers from Halifax to Vancouver are making excellent time. Tuesday night the DBIs had arrived at Megantic, Maine, doing 20 miles that day, were out 25 days and had walked 597 miles.

The Bohans reached Ottawa, 576 miles, walked 37 miles Tuesday, and were out 25 days.

Charles Burkan the first hiker to leave Halifax, was out 43 days, did 27 miles Tuesday and reached Hales, 983 miles from Halifax.

All hikers report being in fine condition and going strong.

**Farewell Banquet To F. H. Hewitson**

District Manager of London Life and Wife Guests of Local Staff.

The local staff of the London Life Insurance Co. tendered a farewell banquet to F. H. Hewitson, the district manager, and Mrs. Hewitson at Bond's last evening.

After a tasty luncheon had been disposed of the King was proposed and responded to with musical honors, "Our Guests" was responded to by Mr. Hewitson in a neat speech. The "St. John District," the next toast, was replied to by Mr. Phoeney. The "Older Agents and Associates," by Messrs. Sinclair and McCann.

W. C. Peters, the chairman, on behalf of the St. John office, then presented Mr. Hewitson with a pair of gold cuff links, symbolic, he said, of the link of affection and fellowship that had existed between the manager and his staff ever since the first time he took over his duties in the city. In bidding Mr. Hewitson farewell, he assured him that the good wishes of his former staff went with him. Mr. Hewitson made a feeling reply to the "Office Staff and Lady Agents" was then proposed and was responded to by Miss Lane and Miss Marshall.

The toast was followed by the record of the evening, when Miss Lane on behalf of the staff presented Mrs. Hewitson with a handsome leather shopping bag and purse. The toast to the "Agents" elicited a response from Messrs. Mofford and Campbell and the "New Superintendent" from Messrs. O'Donnell and Linn.

A number of choruses were sung during the evening, Miss Hazel Peters acting as accompanist.

Mr. Hewitson has been transferred to Central Ontario and will leave for his new position in a few days.

**Address On Boy Scout Movement**

John A. Stiles Addressed Commissioners and Scout Masters Last Evening.

The commissioners of the Boy Scouts Association and the scout masters of the city troops were addressed at the Boy Scout headquarters in the Ritchie building last evening by John A. Stiles, assistant chief commissioner of the Boy Scouts of Canada.

Mr. Stiles arrived in the city yesterday from Halifax where he gave a series of addresses to the different organizations assisting in a drive for \$10,000 which the Boy Scout Association of Halifax are putting on.

Mr. Stiles informed his audience that the Boy Scout movement in Nova Scotia is in a very healthy condition and rapidly expanding in all parts of the province.

**History of Movement.**

He then gave a short account of the history of the Boy Scout movement. The scout master, he said, was the key to the movement, and that no more worthy task for any man could be conceived than to train young boys to be good Canadians.

The scout movement and its ideal might be likened, he said, to a large field surrounded by a stone wall, a door through the wall had on its threshold a stone stop which was curved in the shape of the word "Honor." The two doors were marked Citizenship Training and Character Building, over the top of the door was marked Educational Recreations.

In the field within the wall boys might be seen scouting with scout masters, and working their way towards roads that bore the names of the different professions.

The secret of the appeal in scouting to boy and man, lay in the fact that in every boy there is a man, and in every man a boy, and the boy in the man plays with the man in the boy.

**Qualifications.**

The four necessary qualifications for a scout master were: 1st—He should have the boy spirit himself. 2nd—He should know the psychology of boy ages. 3rd—He should be able to deal with the boys as individuals. 4th—He must be able to promote an esprit de corps amongst his boys. The big thing in scouting is scouting, said Commissioner Stiles, is to see that the scouting is done by the boy himself. The scout master's job is to promote self activity amongst the boys.

**Why Boys Need Scouting.**

It develops them physically. It develops leadership. It fills their leisure moments with interest, and aids them in their mental growth. It diverts their gang instinct and helps them in habit formation. It gives them vocational guidance. It renews their youth, it gives them better health, through learning outdoor crafts, they too learn to "Be Prepared."

The scout promise and law clarify their own ideals and help clarify their own lives and their own lives. They learn to do their good turn too. It multiplies their influence for good and they discover latent powers of leadership hitherto unknown. They get a rare joy in seeing the boys whom they learn to love, make good.

Mr. Stiles' address was listened to with much pleasure and interest by the local commissioners and scout masters who despite the inclement weather, were present in large numbers. A. C. Skelton, Provincial Commissioner, who presided, thanked Mr. Stiles on behalf of his associates at the close of his address.

**POLICE COURT.**

Gilbert Peters pleaded guilty in the police court yesterday to assaulting his wife, Macy, in their home 5 George street. He was remanded for sentence.

An assault case against Wallace Stephens was postponed till today. E. S. Hobbie for the defense.

Three drunks pleaded guilty and were remanded. Two arrested in the morning were not in a fit condition to be brought into court.

**Attended Meeting Of Light Keepers**

Mr. Day, Keeper of Partridge Island Light, Impressed by Gathering at Ottawa.

J. B. Day, keeper of the light on Partridge Island, returned home yesterday, from Ottawa, where he was in attendance at the second annual meeting of the Canadian Lightkeepers' Association. Mr. Day represented the New Brunswick Association, and he was accompanied by Amoro Publico, who represented the Nova Scotia Association.

Mr. Day was greatly pleased with the results of the gathering at Ottawa. He says through the good office of Hon. R. W. Wagner they were able to meet the Hon. C. C. Ballantyne and the commissioner of lights and place before them some suggestions for the bettering of working conditions. Mr. Day believes much good will result to the lightkeepers from the meeting at Ottawa.

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New Merchandise at lower prices is arriving daily at Scott's. This week the firm received a large shipment of Men's Suits, bought at a very low price in Montreal. Oak Hall will in turn, offer these Suits to their friends and customers this week end at such a price as will give purchasers the full benefit of the firm's close buying. 200 suits will be offered, Friday, Saturday and Monday.

Smart Young Men's models, Suits for the Business man and Professional man. All will be sold at the one price, \$35.00. See Window display. An early call will give one an excellent choice.

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Victoria Rink Carnivals are always a splendid and spectacular affair. Next Tuesday March the 5th will probably be the last Carnival this season. Show one to you?

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**Nashuaak Pulp and Paper To Close Down**

Will Suspend Operations Saturday to Make Repairs and Overhaul Machines.

Notices have been posted at the Nashuaak Pulp and Paper Company's plant notifying the employees that work will be suspended there on Saturday for an indefinite time, according to information given the Standard last night.

The company has recently completed a large contract, and with a dull market and falling prices, it is regarded as an opportune time to suspend operations for the purpose of making needed repairs to machinery and giving the plant a general overhauling.

It is said several weeks will be required to do the repair work. The plant has been running to capacity night and day for many months and it was inconceivable to hold up long enough to make the repairs on the big machine that are from time to time necessary.

275 Men Employed.

There are now employed at this plant 275 men. A considerable number of these will be employed on the repair work, while the remainder will be obliged to join the great army of unemployed until such a time as the plant is in shape to resume operations.

The F. A. Dykeman Co. have just opened up and put on display a special shipment of Manufacturers' House Samples in the latest New York style tailored suits for this season's wear.

Being samples they are, of course, perfectly finished down to the very last detail and marked at far less than regular prices.

The materials are Gabardines, Tricotines Serges and Tweeds, all the new models for the season are included, being offered in the following colors, black, navy blue, and, Peakin blue and Heather mixtures.

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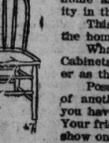
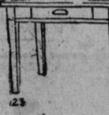
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