

BOMB KILLS BOY AND INJURES TWO

New York, Dec. 28.—One boy was killed and two others were seriously injured by the explosion of an infernal machine in an apartment house at 180 Rogers avenue, Brooklyn, John McKenney, sixteen years old, of 1248 Union street, is the dead youth. Herbert Brann, also sixteen, who lives with his widowed mother at the Rogers avenue address, is in the Swedish Hospital with his left hand blown off and injuries to his head and chest, and Paul Callandro, seven, of 807 St. John's Place, is in the same institution with injuries to his head and body.

Despite his terrible injuries, Brann told the story of how the explosion occurred to Police Captain Frank Conboy, who moved slightly, but as it did so there was a deafening roar. All three boys

that on Saturday, Dec. 18, he went to Bergen Beach, on Jamaica Bay, to walk through the woods. He had been there a number of times and knew the neighborhood. In the woods, far from any dwelling or building of any kind, he found what looked like a piece of gas pipe.

The piece of rusted iron was about six inches long and had a nut about half an inch in width at one end. The other end was wider and contained a thread on the inside by which it could be screwed to another piece of pipe. He brought the thing which later proved to be a deadly bomb to his home and told nobody about it, until yesterday when his two friends called and he brought it out to show to them.

Brann and his two companions were in the dining room. His mother and sister were in the kitchen. He also had three boxes containing fifty twenty-two-calibre cartridges each. He held the bomb in his left hand and with the right he tried to unscrew the nut at the end of the bomb with a wrench. The nut

moved slightly, but as it did so there was a deafening roar. All three boys

were hurled to the floor. The concussion of the explosion caused one box of cartridges to explode and the missiles flew all over the room.

The explosion was so powerful that a man living on the floor above was thrown from his chair to the floor. All of the windows of the Brann apartment were blown out. The three other families in the building rushed to the street in panic. Dr. Schirmer of 389 St. Mark's avenue was called by one of the neighbors. He found that one of the pieces of the shell had entered McKenney's mouth, penetrated the roof, and found its way to his brain. The physician gave first aid to the other boys and they were carried across the street to the Swedish Hospital.

RECENT WEDDINGS

The marriage of Donald Dunbar Chase, son of George W. Chase, of Chipman, to Miss Lucella L. Darrah, daughter of Alexander W. Darrah of Chipman, was solemnized at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Bert Kirkpatrick, in Fairville, last night, by Rev. Thomas Marshall in the presence of a few relatives of the bride and bridegroom. Mr. and Mrs. Chase will make their home in Chipman and many friends will extend to them best wishes for the future happiness.

Frederick, Dec. 28.—(Special).—Friends here have received the announcement of the marriage of Miss Jennie June, daughter of the late Dr. N. R. Colter, of St. John, and Mrs. Colter, now of this city, and Lauchlin Taylor of Vancouver (B.C.). The wedding took place at the residence of Mrs. Horace L. Paynter, sister of the bride, at Canloops (B.C.) on December 27.

RECENT DEATHS

Thomas B. Hanington, an old resident of the city, passed away yesterday in the eighty-fifth year of his age. He was born in Sheldiac and lived for some time in Boston and later in St. John. He was engaged in the drug business for some years and later was postmaster at St. John, which position he held until 1909.

He was one of a very large family of children of whom three only are now living. They are: Dr. J. P. Hanington of Montreal, Major Charles F. Hanington of Ottawa, formerly of Sheldiac, and Mrs. J. S. Covert of Moncton, widow of Rev. Mr. Covert, Anglican rector of Grand Manan. The late Hon. D. L. Hanington, of Dorchester, at one time premier of the province and later judge of the supreme court, the late Rev. Canon Edwin Hanington of Ottawa, the late William J. M. Hanington, lumber manufacturer of Sheldiac, the late Dr. Ernest Hanington and the late A. H. Hanington, attorney of St. John, were brothers.

He was married at Gagetown, Queens county, in 1820, to Miss Frances Phoebe Augusta Tilley, who was a sister of the late Sir Leonard Tilley, and died early in 1910. His surviving son and daughter include Frederick E. Hanington, Mrs. H. C. Wetmore and Mrs. Dr. James Manning, of St. John; Miss Gertrude, of Boston, and Mrs. George Harper, of Winnipeg. A son, Dr. Deblais Hanington, died in Pennsylvania recently.

Douglas P. Bourgeois died yesterday at the Bourgeois Hotel in Moncton in the age of 87 years. Four sons survive.

Deacon Freeman, Elliott of Tiverton, N. S., died suddenly at his home Dec. 22. He is survived by his wife, four sons and two daughters. The funeral was held last Sunday afternoon at Tiverton and was very largely attended.

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DIES ON WEDDING NIGHT

WITH HER SOLDIER-HERO.
Dark-Eyed Carmella Had Waited in Italy Since The War-time For Her Sweetheart's Letter—Fear She Blew Out The Gas.

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PRIEST DEAD

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NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 28.—A small dark-eyed girl who arrived here from Naples, Italy, and her soldier hero, Rocco Brullo, whose bride she became a few hours later were found dead from asphyxiation in their snug Academy-stay apartment.

When Rocco, a wounded member of the 327th Infantry, left Italy for the United States, his sweetheart, whom he had met while on leave from the front, was at the embarkation camp to bid him goodbye.

"Never mind, Carmella," he said, after the war I'll send you money. You'll come to me in America and we'll be married and live happily for years and years."

A month ago, in Italy, Carmella received money for steamship fare, and with it a note: "Come to me, my sweet-

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\$58.50 Velour, now \$28.50	\$18.50 Silvertone 8.95	\$45.00 Georgette Dresses 21.50	\$97.50 Broadcloth 45.00
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\$45.00 Velour, now 20.95	\$17.90 Tweed 8.58	\$125.00 Tricolette Dresses 59.50	\$92.00 Velour Suit 42.50
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