

THE WEATHER.

Maritime — Northwest and west winds. Fair and rather cold.

Toronto, March 14.—The weather today has been rather cold in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, and mild in Ontario and the west. It has been fine, except near the coast in British Columbia, where rain has fallen, and in eastern Nova Scotia, where there has been a snow fall.

	Min.	Max.
Prince Rupert	28	58
Victoria	46	56
Vancouver	48	52
Calgary	26	40
Moose Jaw	19	36
Regina	22	32
Prince Albert	22	32
Winnipeg	22	32
Port Arthur	26	34
Parry Sound	20	40
Toronto	20	40
Kingston	24	42
Ottawa	20	34
Montreal	20	34
Quebec	14	24
Halifax	18	28

Around the City

No Profanity Allowed.

James T. Boyle was arrested early yesterday morning on Charlotte street and is charged with profanity.

Returned the Ring.

A ring and some keys were found on Mill street Saturday and handed to the police who afterwards found the owner and the keys were returned.

Fire Alarm Box Broken.

The police report that the glass in fire alarm box No. 127, on the Penney street school building, Douglas Avenue, was found broken Saturday afternoon.

Shot Horse.

On Saturday afternoon Patrolman Wade was called on to shoot a horse owned by the Colonial Hide and Skin Company. The animal had been unfit for use.

Police on the Job.

The police report finding open doors in five establishments on Saturday night. The careless leaving of doors open makes matters easy for a burglar.

Police Have Purses.

A purse containing a sum of money was found by the police on Princess street Saturday, and the owner can obtain the same on application at the Central Police Station.

Arrested for Fighting.

Alphonse McDonald and William Morrissey were arrested Saturday evening for fighting on Rodney wharf, West End. They were allowed out on bail, leaving a deposit of twenty dollars for their appearance in the police court this morning.

No Admission Fee.

If the person who visited the Central Police Station on Saturday and was so wealthy as to drop a dollar bill on the floor will call at the headquarters he will find that the member of the force who found the money is honest and is ready to return it to the owner.

Special Catholic Services.

It was announced in the Cathedral yesterday morning that next Sunday has been set aside as Peace Sunday in the Catholic churches. At the special service in the evening it was announced that the forty hours of devotion will begin next Friday morning, and continued on Saturday and Sunday.

Broke Up Gambling Game.

A number of juveniles were frightened away from their little gambling game of pitching cents nearest the "hot" off George street Saturday afternoon when Patrolman Ward put in an appearance. The officer was unable to sight any of the young gamblers, but from the report made at headquarters he was successful in scooping in the gambling outfit, which consisted of a jack knife which had been sticking in the ground as the "hot" and four cents which had been left by the youngsters when they ran away.

NEW WAIST STYLES

Another shipment of new white shirtwaists just arrived at F. A. Dykeman & Co's store. These waists are beautifully made and the regular price would be from \$1.35 to \$2.50 each. On these they secured a favorable price and are now offering them at \$1.00 up to \$2.00 each. And there is new, choice, dainty beauty in every one. They have also received a new lot of silk waists in handsome assortment of colorings, including cream, white, light blue, royal and other beautiful shades which they are going to sell at \$1.95 up to \$3.50 each.

Good ice and band at Vic. Tonight.

PERSONAL.

V. G. R. Vickers, general manager of the Dominion Express, was in the city on Saturday.

Manning W. Doherty returned to the city on Saturday.

F. P. Gaudin, general manager of the I.C.R., arrived in the city Saturday evening and left again Sunday morning.

THE GREAT CHAPLIN AT IMPERIAL

The world's funniest pantomimist, Charles Chaplin of England, is to be seen again at the Imperial today and tomorrow in a two-reel farce, "A Night Out." This is a much more laughable picture than the one of last week, which is saying a great deal. Read the whole bill in the advt.

Special music at the Vic. St. Patrick's night; secure your programmes tonight.

EX-SOLDIER DIED IN CELL;
OLD MAN FOUND DEAD AT HOME

John Casey, after being arrested helplessly drunk, found dead in cell — Police broke into house on Brittain Street and found dead body of Michael Griffin, a lonely old man.

Saturday evening John Casey, an old countryman, aged 28 years was found dead in a police station cell, and last evening about the same hour the police found Michael Griffin, aged about 65 years, lying dead in his house off Brittain street.

In the first case Sergeant Rankine and Patrolman McLeese found Casey on the corner of North and Smythe streets at 6.15 o'clock Saturday evening. The man was very drunk and he was placed under arrest and taken to the central police station where he was locked up in a cell. The man seemed to be dazed from the over-indulgence of liquor, and after being locked up was left lying on the wooden bench in the cell. It was just 7.55 o'clock when Policeman John Kane, who was on call duty at the central station, paid a visit to the cells to see how the prisoners were making out. As Kane looked through the bars of the cell he saw Casey's face was a ghastly white and on investigating he was shocked to find that the man was dead. Dr. Dunlop was summoned, and after making an examination, the coroner viewed the remains and gave permission for the corpse to be removed to N. W. Brennan's undertaking warehouse on Main street.

It was learned yesterday that John Casey had no relatives in this country, but that he has a brother named Fred Casey residing at 5 Whitehead street, Oldham, Lancashire, England. The deceased had enlisted with the 26th Battalion on November 26th last, and was admitted to the General Public Hospital a few weeks ago to be treated for swollen glands of the neck.

On the third day of this month Casey was discharged from the hospital, having been successfully treated. When he left the hospital he was dismissed from the Battalion and since then has been knocking about the city, doing considerable drinking. On

Saturday afternoon he was seen in his house last evening, was an old man who lived alone in a flat off Brittain street just a few houses from Sydney street on the southern side of Brittain. He was seen about the street on Saturday afternoon as usual. Yesterday morning he was missed by the persons living in the adjoining houses and it was noticed that all day long a light was burning in his room. Policeman William Armstrong was notified last evening about eight o'clock. The policeman tried the door of the house and found it locked. He rapped loudly on the door but getting no response the officer smashed open the door. When he entered he found the lifeless remains of Griffin lying on the floor. The man was fully dressed and appeared to have died while sitting in a chair and had fallen to the floor. Coroner Roberts was notified and after viewing the remains gave permission for their removal to Fitzpatrick's undertaking warehouses on Waterloo street.

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WILL PROBE
DALHOUSIE CO.
CHARGES

Commissioner Chandler decides to investigate allegations made by E.S. Carter.

Commissioner W. B. Chandler will investigate the charge "that the Dalhousie Lumber Company paid \$2,900 in settlement of a stumpage account as arranged by W. H. Berry in 1912, which since had not been accounted for in the receipts of the province."

When this allegation was brought to the attention of the commissioner by the Liberal organizer, E. S. Carter, with a request for an investigation, Mr. Chandler decided that such an investigation did not come within the scope of his commission, and so notified Mr. Carter. But afterwards Mr. Chandler reconsidered the matter and addressed another letter to Mr. Carter on Saturday, recalling his original decision and notifying the Liberal organizer that he was ready to investigate the Dalhousie Lumber Company matter, and would expect him to be on hand with his witnesses on Thursday of this week.

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