

## THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Strong northwest and west winds, decreasing at night; fair and cool.

Toronto, Sept. 24.—Pressure is low tonight in the Gulf of St. Lawrence and over Alberta, and comparatively high over the Great Lakes. Since Saturday rain has fallen heavily in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, otherwise the weather in Canada has been for the most part fair.

Temperatures.		Min.	Max.
Atlin	.....	36	46
Prince Rupert	.....	42	52
Victoria	.....	50	60
Vancouver	.....	50	56
Kamloops	.....	44	66
Edmonton	.....	42	60
Prince Albert	.....	42	60
Medicine Hat	.....	38	74
Moose Jaw	.....	32	70
Winnipeg	.....	42	62
Port Arthur	.....	40	64
Perry Sound	.....	46	58
London	.....	41	58
Toronto	.....	43	58
Ottawa	.....	48	56
Montreal	.....	50	58
Quebec	.....	52	58
Halifax	.....	62	68

## Around the City

**Tenders For West Side Shed.**  
Tenders are being invited for the construction of a wooden shed on No. 1 pier at berth No. 16, West St. John, to close October 6. Plans and specifications, etc. can be seen at the office of the district engineers, old post office building, Prince William street.

**Arrested for Threatening Wife.**  
Saturday afternoon at 5:15 o'clock Sergeant Smith and Constable Hamm placed David Higgins under arrest. Higgins was given in charge by his wife Alice for being drunk and disorderly in their house, 72 St. St. also with threatening her life and breaking the furniture.

**Supplied Soldier with Liquor.**  
Yesterday morning about 10:30 o'clock the police found Erick Paigman on the Gibbons' coal wharf at the foot of Union street. The man was drunk and was placed under arrest. In addition to the charge of drunkenness he is charged with supplying liquor to a soldier in uniform.

**Two Austrians Arrested.**  
On Saturday a telegram was received at police headquarters from Sgt. John Macneil of the Dominion Coal Co., Sydney, asking the local officers to arrest and hold two Austrians, Mike Penky, and Constantine Plantos. Detectives Barrett and Briggs located the two men yesterday morning and they are now being held at headquarters until the arrival of an officer from Sydney.

**A Double Arrest.**  
About four o'clock Saturday afternoon Police Constable Winter arrested Terrance White on the charge of being drunk. The prisoner objected to being taken into custody and resisted violently, and that additional charge has been made against him. While making the arrest, Myer Nice interfered with the officer and after White had been placed safely behind the bars the policeman arrested Nice on the charge of interfering with an officer while in the discharge of his duty.

**A Fireman's Funeral.**  
The funeral of James Percy Magee took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late residence 50 Elmwood street and was very largely attended by friends of the deceased. The services at the home and grave were conducted by Rev. W. G. Lane of Elmwood St. Methodist church. Members of No. 2 Hose Company, of which the deceased had been a member, acted as pall-bearers. The members of fire department and Salvage Corps headed by the City Cornet Band attended the funeral. The interment was in Fernhill cemetery.

**Sunday Drunks Arrested.**  
There has been considerable complaint of late about men drinking liquor and becoming drunk around the wharves on Sunday mornings. Yesterday morning Detectives Barrett and Briggs visited the wharves in the North End and that vicinity, and between ten and eleven o'clock arrested one drunk on Murray street and three more on Simonds street. It is believed that there is a great amount of bootlegging going on in the North End on Sunday mornings, despite the fact that a number of illegal liquor sellers have been fined in the police court.

**May Face Serious Charge.**  
Saturday evening shortly after eight o'clock while Mounted Police man Donohue was doing his rounds on Mount Pleasant he was startled by a woman's scream on Mount Pleasant Avenue. Rushing to the place the officer saw a man run into the woods, leaving Elizabeth Worden, a woman about sixty-five years of age, behind him. The woman would not give the officer much information regarding the identity of the man, but at eleven o'clock with Sergeant Sullivan, Officer Donohue went to a house on Rock street and placed Nicholas Robichaud under arrest. The prisoner is being held on suspicion of having attempted an indecent assault on the Worden woman.

Misses Edith Guming and Grace Gibbs have gone to Montreal for a visit.

## CAPT. F. R. FAIRWEATHER AND LIEUT. JOHN D. BROCK FALL IN EMPIRE'S CAUSE

Two More Gallant Officers of the Fighting "26th" Pay the Supreme Sacrifice on Empire's Battlefield—Both Prominently Identified with Civic Life Before War—Military Careers Short, but Filled with Glorious Achievement.

Captain Frank R. Fairweather has made the supreme sacrifice at the front. While doing his bit "Somewhere in France" he was killed in action on Sunday, the 17th inst.

The news of Captain Fairweather's death came in a message from Major Malcolm McAvity of the brigade headquarters staff, which reached the city early on Saturday morning. On Saturday afternoon the official notice of his death came from Ottawa to his wife. Throughout the city the announcement of Captain Fairweather's death was received with sincere regret and on all sides were heard expressions of sympathy for the bereaved family.

Captain Fairweather left Canada as a member of the 64th Battalion. His desire to get into action and his bit for the Allies resulted in his taking advantage of the first opportunity to transfer to a unit at the front. There he was engaged in doing heroic work as a member of the 26th Battalion when he fell a victim to the enemy's guns.

The late Captain Fairweather was one of St. John's most promising young men and was exceedingly popular among a wide circle of friends. He was always to the front in any movement appertaining to the welfare of the city of St. John and gave the best of his energy and ability to promote these movements. When war was declared in August, 1914, Captain Fairweather expressed his desire to enlist and shortly afterwards made plans to take a military course at Halifax, he having had no previous military experience. Prior to his appointment to the 64th Battalion he took a deep interest in recruiting, while he also showed great activity in soliciting subscriptions for machine guns to assist the Canadian soldiers in their attack on the Huns. Through his efforts in this direction at least one, if not more, machine guns were sent forward to Canadian battalions at the front.

The late Captain Fairweather was forty years of age and a son of Mrs. Lucille H. and the late Charles H. Fairweather. He is survived by his wife, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McAvity, and one daughter. His mother and two sisters, Miss Alice L. Fairweather and Mrs. Alfred Morrissey, also survive. Mr. Fair-

weather was head of the F. R. Fairweather Co., Ltd., insurance agents and dealers in fire fighting and other appliances. He was one of the most active and energetic of the young insurance men of the province. He was deeply interested in political and economic problems. Active in the Orange fraternity and in other organizations he was one of the few men in St. John striving to keep alive an interest in the good old game of cricket. Mr. Fairweather was one of the St. Mary's church vestrymen. Many St. John homes have been saddened by the loss of their beloved ones at the front, but it is doubtful if more keen regret has been experienced in the city than that felt for the loss of such a worthy man and good citizen as Captain Frank Fairweather. The message which conveys the sad news of his death gives meagre particulars in regard to what engagement he was participating in. However, those who know the deceased well and who appreciate his many sterling qualities feel that whatever engagement it was he died well on a field of honor which was also a field of duty.

Lieut. John D. Brock.

Word was received on Saturday afternoon by C. H. Brock of the 26th in action of Lieut. John Daniel Brock, of the 26th N. B. Battalion. Lieut. Brock was the youngest son of Mrs. Annie C. Brock, of Rothesay, N. B., and left St. John in April, 1915, with the Army Service Corps. Subsequently he was transferred to the 26th Battalion and had only recently rejoined his battalion after taking a course behind the lines. With his corps he participated in the battle of the Somme and met his death while in action with his men on September 15th.

Lieut. Brock, it will be remembered, enlisted here as a private and was promoted to the rank of sergeant before leaving St. John. In September, 1915, he received a commission, while in England, and has since been attached to "D" company of the 26th Battalion.

While in St. John Lieut. Brock was a traveler for the latter of Brock & Paterson, and was very popular on the road. His enlistment was through a sincere desire to do his share of the Empire's work and his death will cause widespread sorrow.

## WELSFORD LAD SHOT AND INSTANTLY KILLED

Gun in Hands of Companion Accidentally Discharged Kills Twelve-Year-Old Charlie Thompson.

A sad shooting fatality occurred at one o'clock Saturday afternoon at Welsford, N. B., when Charlie Thompson, the twelve-year-old son of Harry Thompson, was shot in the head and instantly killed.

He with several companions, including Ray Woods, were preparing to go on a hunting trip when Ray Woods, who was handling one of the guns, accidentally discharged the gun killing Charlie Thompson instantly. Dr. A. A. Lewis was immediately summoned but life was extinct when he arrived.

Coroner Malcolm McKenzie, after viewing the body and examining witnesses, decided that an inquest was not necessary.

Charlie Thompson belonged to the Boy Scouts of Welsford and was very popular with his boy friends.

The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

## PERSONAL

Miss Elizabeth McCaffrey of Ormoco, is visiting friends in St. John. Robert Carson, of Camden street, who has undergone a serious operation in the General Public Hospital, is improving steadily.

Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Bonnell, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Rankine, Miss Vivian Dowling and Dr. P. L. Bonnell have returned from an automobile trip.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Coes of McDonald's Corner, are in the city awaiting the arrival of their son, Harry, from Medford, Mass. A reunion of Mr. and Mrs. Coes and their children will be held at the home of their daughter, Mrs. I. D. Farris, Queen street, on September 26.

Miss Agnes Fullerton, of "The Rectory," Prince William, returned home on Saturday, after having spent a pleasant two weeks with her friend, Miss Mabel Douglas, Pettitcodiac, N. B. Miss Mame O'Brien and Miss Kathleen Conlon left on Friday night for Montreal.

Rev. E. A. Armstrong has arrived at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, where he will undergo treatment.

## DIED.

**BROCK**—Killed in action on September 15th, 1915, John Daniel Brock, youngest son of Annie C. and the late F. W. G. Brock, of Rothesay, N. B., in the 50th year of his age.

## SHOT FIRED THRO' WINDOW HITS SOLDIER

Sixteen Year Old Lad Under Arrest—Fired Through Window in Armory Wounding Pte. Fred L. Tibbets.

A boy under age of sixteen was arrested at 12:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon by Police Constable Lindsay and locked up on the charge of shooting through a window in the armory and wounding Private Fred L. Tibbets. After spending a time at police headquarters the young prisoner was allowed to go home for the night and is to appear in the Police Court this morning to answer to the charge.

From what can be learned of the affair the boy while outside the armory had been handling a revolver which was discharged. The bullet crashed through an armory window and scratched the soldier's right arm, but did no serious injury. It is not believed that the shooting was intentional.

## More First Aid Classes In Province

Requests from Other Centres Outside St. John for Classes—Ten Young Ladies Pass Exams at Rothesay.

The recent call for Canadian girls to go overseas as assistant nurses in the English hospitals has given a great impetus to the work of the St. John Ambulance Association. A class in first aid is now in progress under the careful instruction of Dr. Roberts, and others are being organized in response to the demand, not only in St. John, but in Sackville, Sussex and other towns.

A very successful class in first aid under Dr. Peters, has just been completed at Rothesay, Dr. Logle giving a thorough examination to ten young ladies, all of whom passed satisfactorily. Misses Sophie Robertson, Madge Robertson, Alice McKeen, Edith M. Schofield, Agnes McKeen, Jean Daniel, Muriel Robertson, Dorothy Purdy, Mabel Thomson, Annie Fairweather.

Following this class came an interesting course of instruction in home nursing, ably conducted by Mrs. William Allison, an examination being given by Dr. Peters. The class consisted of nine members all of whom succeeded in qualifying for certificates. Misses Jean Daniel, Edith Schofield, Annie Puddington, Annie M. Storm, Sophie Robertson, Annie Fairweather, Dorothy Purdy, Edith Cudlip, Mabel Thomson.

The thanks of the association are due to the instructors and examiners who give their valuable time and services that is work for the alleviation of suffering may be carried on.

## ADJOURN TO STREET TO SETTLE FAMILY ROW

Brief, but Lively while it Lasted—Soldiers' Squad Called Out on False Alarm

Saturday afternoon about 5:30 o'clock about a hundred persons assembled on Britain street between Charlotte and Sydney streets, and witnessed a lively scrap, which, although only lasting a few minutes, proved rather exciting.

From what can be learned of the affair it was a family row. However, the persons engaged took the street to settle their differences. Fists were flying, a woman could be heard screaming, and for a short time those engaged were rolling on the sidewalk in a clinch. A few men who were in the crowd caught a man who was fighting and held him from doing any further scrapping.

As it was thought at the Armory a soldier was in the row, a picket of about eight soldiers rushed to the scene on the double quick. A couple of telephone messages were sent into police headquarters and Policeman McLeese was detailed to look into the matter. When the officer arrived the scrap was over, but there was still quite a crowd about the place. The officer learned that it had been a family dispute between a man and his wife, and no arrests were made.

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