

THE WEATHER.

Forecasts.

Maritime—Strong winds and gales south and southwest, occasional rain.

Washington, Oct. 20.—Northern New England—Rain Saturday, colder in Vermont; Sunday fair, colder; strong south and southwest winds.

Toronto, Oct. 20.—A storm which developed during last night in the Mississippi Valley has passed northward across the Great Lakes, causing rain and gales. The weather is mild both in the western and eastern provinces.

Temperatures.	
Min.	Max.
Prince Rupert	48 52
Victoria	44 54
Vancouver	38 54
Kamloops	28 48
Calgary	28 50
Edmonton	34 50
Battleford	32 44
Medicine Hat	42 58
Regina	38 58
Winnipeg	34 54
Toronto	49 58
Kingston	56 66
Montreal	42 64
Quebec	36 56
St. John	46 56
Halifax	46 64

Around the City

Creating a Disturbance.

Charles Kearns was arrested yesterday afternoon having been given in charge for being drunk and creating a disturbance in his mother's home on Britain street.

Both Were Arrested.

Two men who had been imbibing rather freely last evening got into an argument on Union street, with the result that both were arrested; one is charged with assaulting, and the other with being drunk and using obscene language.

Break in 24-inch Main.

Yesterday morning about 5.30 the men of the water department were notified that there was a leak in the 24-inch main at the cemetery. They immediately repaired to the scene of the leak and began work. The leak was not a bad one and was repaired and the water turned on in the main during the night.

A Surprise Party.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Leonard were tendered a surprise party by a number of their friends last night at their residence, 131 Princess street, to commemorate the tenth anniversary of their marriage. During the evening the happy couple were showered with tinware. Bridge and dancing were indulged in and afterwards dainty refreshments were served.

New Boy Scout Troop.

A new troop of Boy Scouts has just been organized in connection with the Tabernacle church, Haymarket square, under S. M. Heston, and last night the district scoutmaster, B. C. Waring, had charge of the boys, giving them valuable instruction in scoutcraft. There were some twenty-five boys present, and it is expected this troop will rapidly make progress.

Military Police Active.

The military police in the city are hot after bootleggers, and are out to prosecute any person they find supplying liquor to soldiers in uniform. Last evening Robert Dixon, George Williamson and Michael Mann, were taken in custody on the charge of bootlegging and handed over to the local police, who locked the trio up in cells at police headquarters.

Round the World Fair.

The City Cornet Band Round the World Patriotic Fair was brought to a close last night, when after ten o'clock a large number of ladies and gentlemen enjoyed a short programme of dancing. The prize winners last night were as follows: Door prize, ticket No. 4666. Miss Bessie Melloy proved the winner of the Rotary Club cake, while Private A. Bellevue was the winner of the guess cake. The big drawings will be held on Monday night.

PERSONAL.

Mr. John H. Marr returned to the city yesterday on the Boston train from a trip to New York.

Walter W. Gleason, of St. George, was at the Dufferin yesterday.

S. N. W. Fawcett, of Sackville, registered at the Dufferin yesterday.

E. A. Jameson of Sussex was at the Dufferin yesterday.

Robert Smith of Sussex was at the Victoria yesterday.

J. E. McAuley of Lower Millstream was a guest of the Victoria yesterday.

Harry Smith, of Fredericton, was at the Victoria yesterday.

J. S. Nickerson, of Moncton, was at the Victoria yesterday.

Ralph Sadler, of Perth, was at the Victoria yesterday.

Norman Fawcett, of Sackville, was a guest of the Royal yesterday.

R. E. Fillmore of Moncton was at the Royal yesterday.

The friends of Mrs. W. T. McLaughlan, 38 Wright street, will be glad to learn that she is on the way to a speedy recovery after undergoing a serious operation at the Infirmary.

Rev. R. E. McWilliam, who was in the city attending the Maritime Baptist Convention, will return this morning to his church at Chance Harbor.

SCHOONER PRISCILLA WRECKED

Crew of Former St. John Vessel Saved—Capt. Newcombe ill of Pleurisy Taken to New Haven Hospital.

A dispatch from Woodmont, Conn., late last night announced the stranding of the former St. John owned schooner Priscilla. Mistaking the lights of Woodmont for New Haven harbor, the Priscilla, hurrying to shore for medical attention for her captain, Robert Newcombe, of Parrsboro, N. S., grounded on a sand bar in Long Island Sound last evening in a dense fog.

Captain Newcombe, who is seriously ill of pleurisy, was removed from his craft by a rescue party, sent from shore, given medical attention and then hurried to a New Haven hospital. The remainder of the crew was also taken ashore. The vessel was hard aground late last night, with a high sea running.

The Priscilla, loaded with coal, was bound for St. Stephen, from Elizabethport, N. J.

The schooner was built and owned by the late Capt. James R. Granville, of St. John. She left the stocks at Newcastle, Queens county, in 1906. About a year ago she was sold to Parrsboro men. The Priscilla registers 102 tons and is 81 feet in length, 27 feet in width and seven feet deep.

BOARD OF TRADE MAY HEAR HON. MR. HAZEN

That Body Extends Invitation to Minister to Address it at Monthly Meeting, Nov. 6.

The Board of Trade have extended to Hon. J. D. Hazen, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, an invitation to be present and address the board on Canadian Fisheries, at the monthly meeting on November 6.

A reply has been received to the effect that he was unable to state so far ahead whether he would be free on that date or not but expected to be in St. John in a few days, and would then probably be able to say whether he could accept the invitation, and that he would be more than pleased to address the board on this question if at all possible as it was a more important one than the people as a whole realized. He further said: "The last few years Canadian fisheries have assumed an importance which they did not possess before and I think are attracting a good deal more attention. At the present time there is a market on the other side of the water at profitable prices for more of the product of the sea than our fishermen will be able to produce."

TRIBUTE TO LIEUT. STANLEY MACDONALD

Commanding Officers write Home Telling of Hero's Death and of Good Work Done by Him on Battlefield.

Letters which have been received from his commanding officers tell of the good work done by Lieut. Stanley K. L. Macdonald of this city and that he was killed while in the discharge of his duty.

One letter pays the following tribute to his worth: "He has done most valuable work since coming to our battery. On two occasions in the past week he has run out the only telephone wires in the divisional artillery, thereby enabling many other batteries to register their guns, as they had no wires out of their own. At the time of his death he was registering for another brigade."

"Quite apart from our personal feelings, he will be a very real loss to the battery."

Ladies' Suit Bargains.

Think of buying an All Wool Serge Suit at the present price of materials at \$15.95, yet that in the price placed on 25 suits which F. A. Dykeman & Co. have laid out for quick selling. Many in the lot are worth \$20. The coats are silk lined, prettily trimmed, and are all of this season's style. The colors are navy blue, Copenhagen, green. There are also a few all wool whipcords in navy blue only.

Trafalgar Day Service.

Members of St. George's Society will meet at the Canadian Bank of Commerce building at 11.30 this morning to attend a half-an-hour service in Trinity church.

RETURNED SOLDIERS' RECEPTION COMMITTEE PLAN WINTER'S WORK

At Meeting Yesterday Reports were Submitted Showing Good Results.

WANT CENTRAL ROOM FOR COMMITTEE USE

Met 15 Steamers With Average of 125 Men on Each.

Few of the committees doing patriotic work last year gave more of their time and efforts for good causes than did the reception committee which welcomed the soldiers who had done their bit and landed in St. John. Not one of the committee complained, one of the features of its working being the willingness with which those who belonged to it turned out early in the morning or whatever time the boats came in, went over to the West Side and waited, often for hours, to have the pleasure of welcoming the soldiers.

To plan for the winter a meeting of the committee was held yesterday afternoon in the Board of Trade rooms. S. Herbert Mayes was in the chair and there were present Mrs. G. A. Kuhring, Mrs. S. H. Mayes, Mrs. H. A. Powell, Mrs. Carleton Lee, Mrs. W. J. Penton, Mrs. Jas. F. Robertson, Miss Jack, Miss Boyer, Miss Travers, Miss Alice Fairweather, Messrs. A. O. Skinner, H. Rankine, W. Clawson, R. E. Armstrong and Chip. Ritchie, the secretary.

S. Herbert Mayes told of the work accomplished last year. Fifteen steamers were met with an average of 125 men on each steamer. It was pointed out that the numbers would necessarily be much greater this year. Each man was given a parcel with fruit, tobacco, chocolate, etc., papers and magazines were distributed.

Mrs. G. A. Kuhring told of letters received from societies and individuals in different parts of Canada speaking of the deep appreciation felt by the men. The pretty parcels tied up with Allies' ribbon were admired and enjoyed, but best of all they seemed to like the little Canadian flag which topped each parcel. It meant so much to these brave men to be met with a warm welcome as soon as they stepped on the land they had gone to fight for.

It was decided to try to get a central room to carry on the work of preparing the parcels. It was also decided to appeal to all societies to give towards this cause. Those who so generously assisted last year are asked to respond this winter. A. O. Skinner will receive contributions.

Mrs. H. A. Powell offered her house for a parlor musicale to be given some time in November. This idea was enthusiastically taken up and a committee appointed consisting of Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Kuhring, Mrs. James F. Robertson, A. O. Skinner and S. H. Mayes.

Mrs. Carleton Lee was appointed buyer for the supplies with H. Rankine to assist her. Mrs. W. White and Mrs. Stewart Skinner were asked to look after the recreation room at the detention hospital, West Side, as they did last year. The magazine committee were re-appointed. Miss Alice Fairweather was added to the general committee.

It is hoped that there will be a generous response to this appeal for funds to carry on the work of the returned soldiers' reception committee.

KINGS COUNTY LOSES ESTEEMED RESIDENT

Wm. McAuley, Prominent Farmer of Urney, Waterford, Stricken Suddenly and Passed Away.

The death of William McAuley, a well known farmer of Urney, Waterford, Kings county, occurred suddenly yesterday morning at two o'clock at his home. Mr. McAuley had not been in rugged health for the last twelve months, being troubled with leakage of the heart, but seemed to be better for the past two months. Yesterday morning he arose feeling as well as usual and was around all day, but shortly after retiring was seized with a fainting spell and expired in about two hours.

He was fifty-seven years of age, had lived at Urney all his life, and was one of the most prosperous farmers of that place. He was always ready to lend his assistance to any cause which was for the good of the community in which he lived, and he also took a keen interest in the wider realm of provincial and federal affairs. He was a staunch Conservative and took an active part in the councils of the party in Kings county. He was a member of the Presbyterian church and his life and influence will be missed in Waterford.

He is survived by his widow, who was a Miss Patterson of Waterford, three daughters, Mrs. Sonney, Beverly, Mass.; Mrs. Robinson, Waterford, and Miss Lucy at home; his mother, Elizabeth, Kings county; three brothers, Samuel of Burlington, Ohio; Robert of Studholm, Kings county, and J. P. of Apohaqui.

The funeral will be held today at one p.m. from his late residence and interment will be made at Kirk Hill cemetery, Sussex.

Mats of Dredge Injured.

John Gardner of 55 British street, and mate on board one of the dredges working in Courtway Bay, was severely injured Thursday. A block falling from aloft struck him on the head and it required several stitches to close the wound. His escape from more serious injury, or perhaps death, was miraculous.

STREET WORK HELD UP BY DISPUTE OVER THE OWNERSHIP OF LOTS

Com. Fisher Expects, However, to have Hard Labor Squad at Work Monday on Crown St. Extension.

If satisfactory arrangements can be made the Commissioner of Public Works intends to start the hard labor squad at work on Monday on the extension of Crown street. The thing which is holding up the work just now is a dispute regarding the ownership of two lots which the records of City Hall say belong to the city, but the man who is using them claims to own them and has been paying taxes to the city on them. As soon as this tangle is straightened out the work of grading up the street and widening it will be proceeded with.

The rain of Thursday night and yesterday morning interfered somewhat with the progress of the work on Main street and did a little damage to the concrete which had just been laid at the corner of Elm street. Yesterday afternoon the men were busy removing the dirt and sediment which the rain had carried down and deposited on the concrete base.

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MORE HEROES DUE IN CITY THIS MORNING

Party of New Brunswick Boys, Including Five from St. John, Left Halifax Last Night.

Charles Robinson, secretary of the Returned Soldiers' Commission, received a telegram last night from Halifax informing him that the following returned soldiers were leaving Halifax last night and would arrive this morning at 6.10 o'clock: Privates Clark, Sterling, Watson, Longard and Grey, all of St. John.

The other New Brunswick lads returning from the line of action after playing a man's part in Britain's struggle are: Private Dewitt, Woodstock; Private Kenny, Fredericton; Pte. Letherman, Campbellton; Pte. Linton, Tower Hill; Pte. McDonald, Chatham; Pte. Mooney, Ennskillen; Pte. Ouslett, Edmundston; Pte. Parry, Gasquetown, and Pte. Turcotte, Milltown. The reception committee will meet the boys, as has been the custom.

ARRANGE FOR "OLDER BOYS' CONFERENCE"

Advisory Committee Meets in Y.M.C.A. to Arrange for Next Week's Big Gathering.

A meeting of the New Brunswick advisory committee in connection with boys' work was held yesterday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. to complete arrangements for the "Older Boys' conference, which is to be held in this city next week.

Those present were: Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, president; A. M. Greig, secretary; Rev. G. F. Scovil, Rev. W. H. Barraclough, Rev. Gilbert Earle, Rev. P. R. Hayward, L. W. Simms.

Reports were presented from all the committees and prospects are very bright for a most successful gathering.

The reception committee has arranged to have about 50 boys at the Y. M. C. A., and as the delegates from the outside register at the building they will be escorted by one of these boys to the home which is to entertain them while here. The public supply committee have arranged to place the leaders in all the city pulpits on Sunday.

The Ladies' Auxiliary has completed arrangements for the banquet on Saturday night at Centenary church.

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