

THE WEATHER.

Toronto, April 4.—The disturbance which was in the southwest States Saturday morning has moved to the lower Great Lakes region. The weather continued fine and cold in the Western Provinces.

Prince Rupert	36	42
Victoria	36	42
Vancouver	36	40
Kamloops	28	40
Calgary	28	35
Edmonton	28	35
Montreal	28	35
Quebec	24	35
Saskatoon	28	35
Perry Sound	16	30
London	28	35
Toronto	28	35
Kingston	24	32
Ottawa	28	35
Halifax	28	35
St. John	28	35

FORECAST.

Maritime—Southeast to south west, with rain.

Northern New England—Rain or snow Monday; Tuesday fair, continued cold.

AROUND THE CITY

REPORT ABOUT READY.
It is reported that Auditor Midnam will be ready to present on Wednesday next his report in the N. B. Telephone Co., Ltd.

TAG DAY POSTPONED.
Because of the inclement weather of Saturday the tag day in aid of the Provincial Memorial Home has been postponed until this week.

PROPERTY WITHDRAWN.
At Chubb's Corner at noon Saturday Auctioneer F. L. Potts offered for sale the Tisdale property, at the corner of South Wharf and Water street, but withdrew it at \$2,500.

ALE SEIZED.
Three cases of ale were seized at the office of the Dominion Express Co. Saturday morning by Inspectors McAlush and Kerr on the ground of being wrongly addressed.

PROGRESSING FAVORABLY.
Major Amund, paymaster for M. D. No. 7, who recently underwent an operation at the D. S. C. R. hospital in Lancaster, is reported to be progressing favorably.

THE VALLEY ROAD.
Owing to a derailed train near Oak Point on the Valley Railroad Friday traffic was tied up and passenger were transferred. The road was blocked all day Saturday.

SERVICE FOR SAILORS.
The regular Sunday service at the Seamen's Institute was conducted by the manager, Walter Brindle last evening and about fifty sailors were present.

SOME SPUDS.
The average yield of potatoes per acre for Canada in 1919 was 160.7 bushels. The average yield of crops grown by four farmers in the neighborhood of Bridgewater, Lunenburg county, N. S., was 475 bushels per acre. These four men were the prize winners in the Field Crops Competition in western Nova Scotia last year.

PANTRY SALE.
The Ladies' Aid of Portland street Methodist church held a successful pantry sale in the Imperial Theatre lobby on Saturday in aid of the church renovation. Mrs. W. H. Turner was convener and was assisted by Mrs. L. Monroe, Mrs. J. Kennedy, Mrs. T. A. Armour, Mrs. M. Grass and Mrs. Wm. McIntosh.

OFFICIAL VISITATION.
Charles S. Davis, of Denver, Colorado, Supreme Chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, is expected in St. John on April 13, on an official visitation which will bring to St. John Knights of Pythias from all parts of the province. He will go from St. John to Halifax to meet the Nova Scotia Pythians on April 15.

TRADE COMMISSIONER'S VISIT.
J. Vermer McKenzie, Canadian Trade Commissioner to Scotland, has written the secretary of the Commercial Club that he will be in St. John all today and during the morning of April 10. Mr. McKenzie, who will make his headquarters at the Board of Trade, will be glad to see any manufacturers and others interested in trade with Scotland.

MARKET PRICES SATURDAY.
The following prices prevailed in the market Saturday—Eggs 65 to 60c, butter 48 to 50c, beef 25 to 35c, veal, 25 to 35c, pork, 25 to 35c, ham and bacon, 45c; lamb, \$3 per forward quarter and \$6 per hind quarter; chicken, 70 to 75c; fowl, 45 to 70c; potatoes, 50c per peck; turnips, 30c; beets, 55c; parsnips and carrots, 60c; cabbage, 12c each; lettuce, 10c a head, celery 35c; radishes, 10c a bunch, and maple sugar, 50c a pound.

MAY BUILD BRICK.
Commissioner Bullock advises that the Housing Commission have under consideration the erection of brick houses at Douglas Court as this class of construction allows more buildings to be given a given area, only four feet clearance being required as against eight feet between wooden houses. The Commission had found it impossible to proceed with the erection of wooden houses under the loan limit set by the Federal authorities. The loss by fire to one of the city houses on the West Side had been adjusted for \$990.80.

VITAL STATISTICS.
The Board of Health issued sixteen burial permits last week as follows: Convulsions, three; softlity, two; bronchopneumonia, two; apoplexy, endocarditis, diabetes mellitus, capillary bronchitis, pulmonary oedema, cerebral hemorrhage, mitral insufficiency, stricture of esophagus, hemorrhage from cord, one each. The deputy registrar of vital statistics recorded nine marriages last week and thirty-one births sixteen males and fifteen females.

Miss Jane Corbett was the guest of Miss Gladys Smith in Hampton on Saturday.

NEW SUMMER SERVICE FROM ST. JOHN TO BRITISH PORTS AND WEEKLY BOATS TO CUBA

Government Merchant Marine Planning Summer Sailing from St. John—Of Repeated Claims of Business Interests of Province for Improved Summer Service Likely to be Realized—Halifax to Have Summer Sailings to Liverpool—New Opportunities for Maritime Trade.

Business men in St. John and throughout the Province have for years been clamoring for better steamship services from this port during the summer, and it will be good news that the Canadian Government Merchant Marine is planning a summer service for Maritime ports to Great Britain. According to a local shipping man, it is settled that the Government Merchant Marine will operate a service between Halifax and Liverpool this summer. The question of sailings from St. John is unknown here, as no definite arrangements have been made as yet. The local shipping man, interviewed by The Standard expressed the opinion that Government ships would make more or less regular sailings from St. John to the United Kingdom this summer. "It might, however, be a good plan for the Board of Trade and the Commercial Club to take the matter up with the Government," he added. "Last summer lumber dealers had difficulty procuring ships to move lumber, and manufacturers of boxes and various commodities produced in this province had to turn down orders from England and France because they could not guarantee deliveries. This summer it is probable there will be more tramp steamers available, but a regular service operated by the Government would be more satisfactory. Only the larger lumber shipper charter tramps, and they are usually fixed for a full cargo when they come here. The Furness line service while a great advantage to the province, did not provide sufficient space last summer.

"The Government Merchant Marine expects to have 33 ships in commission by the end of May, and 45 ships by mid-summer. Most of these will be operated from Montreal, St. John to Cuba.

"It is said the Government will operate a weekly service from St. John to Cuba this summer, as well as fortnightly service from Halifax to Cuba. These boats may call at other ports in the West Indies, but I don't think they will enter largely into competition with the Royal Mail service.

Many Arrests During Week-End

Alphinsi Pusloa Was Drunk and Carried a Revolver—Two Men for Assault and Using Knife—Couple of Liquor Charges—One for Shooting.

The arrests entered on the police sheet for Saturday and Sunday are rather lengthy. Saturday's consist of Alphinsi Pusloa, arrested on East Street by Policeman Spence for being drunk and for carrying a loaded revolver.

Louis Reade, arrested on Main Street, Fairville, by Inspectors McAlush and Kerr for a double violation of the liquor law.

Policemen German and Gill arrested James M. Campbell for being drunk on Rodney Wharf and for having liquor in his possession.

William Kosmek had the honor of heading the arrests for the Sabbath. He was given in charge by C. N. R. Policeman Pierce for vagrancy on C. N. R. property. William thereupon vacated his railway residence in favor of his special suite in the lock-up.

William McNulty, charged by W. J. Cochran with cutting and wounding a man with a knife with intent to do bodily harm in a barn off Rockland Road, arrested at 2:30 Sunday morning by Officers Covey and McFarlane. John Cullingham, charged by W. J. Cochran with assaulting him and beating him with intent to do bodily harm.

Three drunks were arrested Saturday night and another trio of inebriates were corralled during the Sabbath.

William McCaw held for investigation for shooting William Cunningham aged fourteen, in the neck with a rifle in a field off Rockland Road in the city of St. John on April the fourth.

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KING STREET GERMAN STREET MARKET SQUARE

Wm. Cunningham Is Victim of Shooting

While Watching Young Companions Firing at Target Yesterday He Was Dangerously Wounded in Neck — Wm. McCaw Held by Police.

A most unfortunate and distressing accident in which three young lads of BRIDGE AVENUE participated, occurred yesterday afternoon between three and four o'clock in a field off the Board's Head Road, and as a result William Cunningham was seriously wounded.

Three young boys, Frank Harrington, William Cunningham and William McCaw, had taken two guns and gone for a stroll. They entered a field off the Board's Head road and from a wooded knoll had begun to shoot at tin cans for targets. As near as can be learned, while young Cunningham who was without a gun, was looking at one of the cans a gun in the hands of one of his companions went off and the bullet hit him in the left side of the neck and lodged behind the jugular vein.

His companions rushed to his side and seeing the seriousness of the wound hastened to the nearest house where they telephoned for the ambulance. In the meantime Cunningham's father, who had been notified, addressed his team and driving to the field conveyed the boy to his home and rushed to the hospital.

The lad was unable to say which of the two guns was responsible for the accident. Young McCaw, however, stated that his was the rifle from which the shot was fired. He thought the gun was at safety at the time it went off.

Cunningham was admitted to the General Public Hospital about five o'clock and everything possible was done for him. An examination will be made this morning. His condition last night was reported serious.

McCaw is being held by the police for investigation, and the little spent last night in the guard room at the police station.

Harrington was not directly implicated in the accident and was allowed to spend the night in his home. His father promised that he would be in court when needed.

Stabbing Affair On Saturday Night

William Cochran Is in Hospital, Being Treated for Knife Wounds — Wm. McNulty and John Cullingham Are Under Arrest.

As a result of a brawl in a barn off Rockland Road at near midnight Saturday, William Cochran was taken to the General Public Hospital suffering from knife wounds in the chest and leg.

William McNulty was placed under arrest charged with cutting and wounding Cochran, while John Cullingham was also placed under arrest charged with assaulting and beating Cochran, both assaults having been committed with intent to do bodily harm.

The men are alleged to have been drinking and the trouble began. Cochran came running into his home on Somerset Street shortly after midnight. He was bleeding profusely and taking a short cut through Barker Street while going from Rockland Road to Somerset Street. He was taken to the hospital and on information supplied by him the two alleged assailants were arrested. On enquiry at the hospital last night it was stated that Cochran's wounds were not of a serious nature. He has been dwelling with having liquor in his possession other than his private dwelling and will be called upon on his recovery to play out his role of the accused but also that of an accused.

War Memorial Shields Unveiled

Children's War Memorial Unveiled Yesterday Afternoon in Trinity Sunday School Room to Memory of Members Who Paid Supreme Sacrifice.

Yesterday afternoon in Trinity Sunday School two war memorial shields were unveiled in memory of the members of the school who made the supreme sacrifice in the great war. These shields are the children's war memorial. They bear the inscription "Our Church, Our Country," and at the foot of the oak shield the words "Endowment Fund Indian and Eskimo Missions M. S. C. C." The shields are placed on either side of the eastern wall of the school upstairs in Trinity school house.

The unveiling of one shield was performed by Horace Porter, Superintendent of the school, Gun Bow, the oldest pupil in the Chinese department unveiled the other tablet which is in memory of a teacher in that department, Reginald F. Peacock.

The names on the shields are: Daniel L. Teed, Thomas Nickson, John Webb, Ray Mackay, Hugh M. Teed, Arthur Y. Haste, Charles E. K. Jones, James I. Earle, William S. Hare, Reginald F. Peacock, Frank P. McKenzie, Fred C. Jones, James W. Holly.

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MONTHLY MEETING HELD ON SATURDAY

St. John Underwriters Assembled at Bond's—Possibility of Bringing Dominion Convention Here in 1922 Was Discussed.

The monthly meeting of the St. John Life Underwriters held Saturday at Bond's the principal subject of discussion was the possibility of bringing the Dominion convention of Life Underwriters to St. John in 1922, and the St. John branch are out to bring this about. At the present time the only obstacle in the way of having this body come here seems to be lack of hotel accommodation, between eight and nine hundred men, attending these conventions. The local insurance men are hoping, however, that before the convention in 1922 this obstacle will have been removed and they will be able to invite the gathering to come and visit St. John and see for themselves some of the beauties of the surrounding country.

VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS.

The Chemistry Class will not be held Monday evening, April 5th.

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THE HOME NURSING CLASSES RESULTS

Results of Examinations Conducted by Miss Agnes Warner Have Been Announced—The Successful Ones.

The results of examinations in the Home Nursing Classes conducted by Miss Agnes Warner have been announced by the secretary, Dr. E. Stanley Bridges, the names being given in alphabetical order: Miss Barker, Miss Galtman, Mrs. Jennie Gilchrist, Miss Frances Kerr, Mrs. Mayer, Miss Elsie MacLaren, Mrs. Otto Naso, Mrs. Harold Schottel, Miss Thomson, Miss Trethewey, Miss Wilson.

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