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Toronto, Dec. 28, 11 p.m.—A depres-
sion which had brought mild weather
throughout the Northwest is now cen-
tral near the Lake of the Woods, and
is moving rapidly southeastward. Higher
pressure and colder weather is fol-
lowing it over Alberta and Assiniboia.
It is generally fair and decidedly cold
from the lakes to the Atlantic. The
tendency is for a temporary rise in tem-
perature over Ontario and Quebec.
Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Kamloops, 36—38; Battleford, 40—40;
Qu'Appelle, 16—42; Winnipeg, 8 below—
22; Port Arthur, 12 below—22; Parry
Sound, 20 below—4; Toronto, 3 below—
23; Ottawa, 10 below—10 below; Mon-
treal, 2 below—2 below; Quebec, 2—4;
Halifax, 32—40.

Toronto, Dec. 29, 1 a.m.—Probabil-
ities for the lower lakes: Fresh to
strong south and west winds; partly
fair, and much milder; light rain or
sleet in a few places.

Local temperatures—The highest and
lowest readings of the thermometer at
the observatory on Wednesday, Dec. 28,
were 20 and 10 above.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

—Mr. F. W. Dunlop, of the Molsons
Bank here, is in Montreal for the holi-
days.

—Mr. L. Drago, Canadian passenger
agent of the West Shore Railroad, To-
ronto, is in the city.

—Mrs. Henry Cromwell, of Beach-
ville, is on an extended visit to her
son, Mr. Alex. Cromwell, of 557 Hill
street.

—Rev. Provost Watkins, of the West-
ern University, and Mrs. Watkins, are
staying at 5 Prince of Wales terrace,
Montreal.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wishart, of Dundas,
have returned home, after spending a
few days with Dr. and Mrs. Stutz, of
Queen's avenue.

—Miss Pearl Deacon, of South Lon-
don, is visiting at the home of her
uncle, Mr. L. G. Jarvis, Ontario Agri-
cultural College, Guelph.

—Miss Helen Aftel, of Toledo, Ohio,
and Mrs. Martin Simon, of this city,
are spending their Christmas holi-
days with Mr. and Mrs. N. Lewis, 138
Metcalfe street, Montreal.

—Hamilton Spectator: Tommy Fee,
of the Tecumseh House, London, is
visiting his parents here. He is dress-
ed in the latest style, and was taken
for Tod Sloan, the famous jockey.

—The Detroit Journal says: "Man-
ager Durand, of the Chatham branch of
the Merchants' Bank of Canada, has
severed his connection with that insti-
tution. Trouble between Mr. Durand
and the directors of the bank is hinted
as the cause."

—Woodstock Times: A benefit will be
given Mr. Emerson and the members
of his stock company, who are still win-
ning him, at the opera house on Friday
night. Some very prominent local talent
will take part, and a first-class pro-
gramme will be presented.

—Mr. M. C. Dickson, district pas-
senger agent of the Grand Trunk,
well-known in London, was made the
recipient of a handsome silk umbrella
by the office staff, and Mrs. Dickson was

Only a Few

Of the best we had in Neckwear
for Christmas: sold at 75c, \$1,
\$1 25 and \$1 50. Want to clean
up the stock, so give you choice
of all for only

50c.

See 'Em in Our Window.

BOUGHNER,

given a pretty purse as a Christmas
token. Mr. Dickson made a suitable re-
ply in acknowledgment of the gifts.
—Ansbach, the magician, drew another
large audience at the Auditorium last
night. There will be a special matinee
tomorrow (Friday) afternoon, at 2:30,
at which the admission will be, for
children 10c, and adults 20c. There
should be a good turn-out of the little
ones, as Ansbach gives a very interest-
ing entertainment.

—Sergeant Thomas F. Walsh, sergeant-
bugler of No. 1 Company, R. R. C. 1,
Wolseley Barracks, who was removed
from the barracks Monday to St.
Joseph's Hospital, died at that insti-
tution at an early hour yesterday of gan-
grene. The deceased had been in the
Canadian militia for nearly a quarter
of a century, and was very popular
with his comrades. His wife is at pre-
sent in the old country, and his eldest
son is with the Yukon contingent. One
son a bugler in the R. R. C. 1, and a
daughter of tender years, are at home.

—Mrs. Boomer has proved a useful
member of the Board of Education,
and it is a pity that Mrs. Evans, of
Princess avenue, the well-known edu-
cationalist, was not elected by the coun-
cil at the same time, when the oppor-
tunity offered. However, the lady last
named is now a candidate in No. 4
ward, at the request of a large num-
ber of prominent electors. Mrs. Evans
is a woman of dignity of manner and
refinement, highly educated, and de-
void of fads. Such a woman, if elected,
would be a companion and co-
worker with Mrs. Boomer on the board,
and would doubtless prove as useful
as have the many able women who
now occupy positions on school boards
in England.

MILITIA CHANGES.

Major S. J. A. Denison comes back
to London from Toronto, Ont.; Capt.
Fages, from St. John's, P. Q., to Lon-
don; and Capt. Carpenter goes from
London, Ont., to Fredericton, N. B.
The changes are to take place at once.

HOLIDAY SOCIABLE.

One of the most pleasant social fea-
tures of the season was given at the
Palace Dancing Academy last evening,
by Messrs. Dayton & McCormick.
There were over one hundred couples
in attendance, who enjoyed a lengthy
programme of popular dances to music
provided by the academy orchestra.
Mr. James McCormick was in his usual
happy role as director of ceremonies,
and looked after the comfort of the
guests in fine style.

THE TELEGRAPHERS.

The first meeting of the arbitrators
who are to decide on the dispute be-
tween the Grand Trunk Railway and
its telegraph operators, will be held in
Toronto on Jan. 6. The telegraphers
have appointed their arbitrator, Mr.
Frank L. Seargent, grand chief of the
Brotherhood of Locomotive Engi-
neers. The Grand trunk has not yet official-
ly announced their arbitrator, but it
is expected that Mr. E. B. Osler will
be asked to represent the railway
company. Mr. Osler recently repre-
sented the railway in a previous arbi-
tration with the Brotherhood of
Locomotive Firemen. Both sides will
present their case to these arbitrators,
and if they cannot agree a third arbi-
trator will be called in, who may be
Chancellor Boyd.

A WORTHY PERFORMANCE.

Another large audience greeted the
Daniel R. Ryan Dramatic Company
at the Grand last night, when the cele-
brated play "Ingomar," was the of-
fering. The story is a fascinating one,
pertaining to Greek history in the time
of the barbarians, and was presented
in the best form by this carefully se-
lected company of players. The moun-
tain and outdoor views of the bar-
barians' camp were realistic and
pretty, while the costumes were elab-
orate. Seldom have local theatergoers
had a chance to witness stand-
ard plays by such a capital company,
at popular prices. Every detail is per-
fect in the matter of costumes and
make up, and the stage settings of the
best. Tonight the famous comedy-
drama, "Jim the Penman," will be pre-
sented. This play ran for over 600
nights in New York and took old Lon-
don by storm.

CHRISTMAS DONATIONS.

The Charities' Organization and the
Children's Aid Societies desire to ac-
knowledge the receipt of the following
timely donations: Mrs. J. W. Hyman,
toys and clothing; Miss J. Hunt, toys;
Mrs. Hunt, sen., toys; Mrs. A. Robin-
son, toys and clothing; Mrs. Charles
McCormick, clothing; Mrs. F. H. Heatn,
clothing; Mrs. J. I. A. Hunt, \$1 and
toys; Mrs. Yarker, toys; Mrs. C. Beal-
tie, toys; Doris Yarker, toys; Jack
Yarker, toys; G. Sifton, toys and
Christmas cards; M. Mills, Christmas
cards; T. B. Escott, wrapping paper;
Dorothy Heath, candies; D. S. Perrin,
candies; Mrs. T. Macbeth, \$1 50; Chas.
H. Bayley, \$25; Mrs. Turnbull, clothing;
Lillian and Jessie Strong, books; Miss
Anderson's class, Victoria school, books
and candies; Mrs. Gowers, clothing;
Doris, Weyma and Gilbert Osholm,
toys; Mr. Sincov, clothing; Mrs. Tay-
ler, dolls; Mrs. Bramer, toys; Mrs. F.
E. Leonard, toys and clothing; Mrs. D.
M. Cameron, toys and clothing; Miss
Callard's school class, \$1 30; Mr. Belz,

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Fine Creams, 10c lb.
Best Creams, 20c lb.
Chocolate Drops, 15c lb; 2 for 25c.
Gum Drops, 10c lb.
Delicious Taffy, 15c lb.
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work, and assisted in arranging and
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children: Mrs. R. M. Graham, Mrs. J.
G. Yarker, Mrs. R. Ingie, Mrs. Dan Re-
gan, Miss Annie Long, and others.

DEATH OF MRS. BUTLER.

The Hamilton Spectator of Tuesday
says: After a lingering illness of about
three years' duration, Mrs. Susanna
Butler, widow of the late James But-
ler, passed peacefully away yesterday
at the family residence, 111 Mary
street. Mrs. Butler, whose maiden
name was Susanna Hodgkinson, was
one of Hamilton's oldest and most high-
ly respected residents. She was born
in Derbyshire, England, 62 years ago,
and sailed for Canada in 1856 with her
husband. She settled in Hamilton, and
had lived here ever since. The cause
of death was dropsy. Five sons and
one daughter are left to mourn the
loss of a kind and loving mother. They
are: James Butler, proprietor of C. J. G.
T. R. refreshment rooms at London;
William Henry and Walter Butler, ma-
chinery, of this city; Edward, electrician
with the Bell Telephone Company, of
this city, and Emma, also of Hamil-
ton.

HAYES—TODD.

At the residence of Mr. Wm. Todd,
393 Grey street, yesterday afternoon,
the marriage of Mr. Todd's youngest
daughter, Henrietta, to Dr. A. N. Hayes,
of Sarnia, was solemnized. Shortly
after 2 o'clock the bride entered the
parlor where the ceremony was per-
formed, leaning on the arm of her fa-
ther, while Miss Jean Armitage played
the Wedding March. Rev. W. J.
Clark, pastor of the First Presbyterian
Church, performed the ceremony.
The bride was assisted by Miss Anna
Kirkland, of Point Edward, while Dr.
Hobbs, of the asylum staff, acted
as groomsmen. The bride was

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Basket of Ribbons..... 15c per yard
Basket of Ribbons..... 20c per yard
Basket of Ribbons..... 25c per yard

Boxes of Laces..... 5c per yard
Boxes of Laces..... 10c per yard
Boxes of Laces..... 15c per yard
Boxes of Laces..... 20c per yard

Cartons of Veilings..... 5c per yard
Cartons of Veilings..... 10c per yard
Cartons of Veilings..... 15c per yard
Cartons of Veilings..... 20c per yard
Cartons of Veilings..... 25c per yard

Twenty Thousand Handkerchiefs,

—All sizes and prices, from

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Real Lace Handkerchiefs.
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Embroidered Handkerchiefs.
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Hemstitched Linen Handkerchiefs.
Tape Bordered Linen Handkerchiefs.
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Silk Collars, Lace Ties,
Silk Scarfs, Lace Scarfs,
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CHIFFONS—In black, white, cream, cardinal, turquoise,
lemon, royal, coral, nile, maize, purple, pale blue,
pink, moss and rose.

SHIRRED CHIFFONS—Lemon, mauve, pink, royal, rose,
coral, pale blue, light green, moss green, burnt orange
and cerise.

PLEATED CHIFFONS—
OMBRE CHIFFONS—Plaids, turquoise, purple, burnt
orange, green.

GOFFERED CHIFFONS—Rose, brown, cerise, white
and black, purple and black, pink and black, heliotrope,
moss, cream, lemon.

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Ladies' 2-clasp Gloves, tan, navy, white, pearl.....\$.75

Ladies' 2-clasp Czarina, embroidered in white, black, tan, ox-
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Ladies' Tan and Black Suede Gloves..... 1.00

Ladies' Derby Gloves, Paris points, tan, ox-blood..... 1.50

Gentlemen's Derby Gloves, Paris points, tan, ox-blood..... 1.50

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Ladies' Silk Mitts..... .50

Ladies' Silk Mitts, wool lined, 60c, 65c..... 1.25

Ladies' Lined Kid Mitts, 30c, 45c, 50c..... .75

Gentlemen's Wool Cuffs, 10c, 12½c..... .15

Gentlemen's Silk Cuffs..... .40

Full line of Ladies' Evening Gloves, in suede and glace.

Gentlemen's White Kid Gloves, 45c and..... .70

charmingly gowned in white satin,
duchess, with train, veil and orange
blossoms, and carried a bouquet of
white roses. The bridesmaid wore
figured silk, and carried pink roses.
After the ceremony and the usual con-
gratulations the party sat down to a
dainty wedding dinner, after which the
happy couple left on the 4:30 train for
a honeymoon trip to Montreal, and
other eastern cities, on their return
from which they will reside in Sarnia.
The popularity of the young couple
with their friends was evidenced in a
substantial manner by way of hand-
some tokens. The groom's present to
the bride was a handsome set of Per-
sian lamb and sable furs, and the
bride's gift to the bridesmaid was a
pretty pearl crescent.

Among the guests present from out
of the city were: Mrs. Barnett, To-
ronto; Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Ross; Mr.
George G. Ingersoll, Miss Lou Brought-
on and Miss Tade Livingstone, Point
Edward; Miss Maggie Reilly, Petrolia;
Mrs. Goodwin, and Mr. and Mrs. N.
Hayes, Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. H. C.
Telfer, Miss Muriel Telfer, Montreal;
Mr. and Mrs. and the Misses Armitage,
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