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BORN.
REID—On Hamilton street, on Nov. 27, the wife of J. E. Reid, of a daughter.
DIED.
FERGUSON—At East Tawas, Mich., very suddenly on Nov. 21, Agnes Greenleaf, wife of M. W. Ferguson, aged 34 years. Late of Colborne street, London.
ANDERSON—Alexander Anderson, brother of Murray Anderson, died at London, Dec. 1, 1923, aged 76 years. Funeral private.

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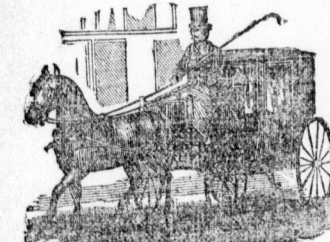
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THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, Dec. 1—11 p.m.—The storm over the British Columbia coast is dispersing and the storm in the Maritime Provinces is decreasing in energy. Elsewhere there is little change in pressure. It is raining in the Maritime Provinces, snowing or sleeting in Eastern Quebec, is fine in Ontario, and fair in the Northwest Territories, with higher temperatures in Manitoba.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 44°-46°; Calgary, 12° below-2°; Regina, 0° below-4°; Winnipeg, 6° below-28°; Port Arthur, zero-34°; Toronto, 26°-34°; Kingston, 27°-30°; Montreal, 28°-36°; Quebec, 30°-34°; Halifax, 42°-60°.

TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.
TORONTO, Dec. 2—1 a.m.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower air (at sea level) as far east as Belleville are: Moderate winds; fair weather; a little higher temperature.

CUT PRICE SALE

—OF—
OVERSHOES & RUBBERS

KIRKPATRICK'S

SHOE STORES,
189 and 219 Dundas Street
Ladies' and gents fine goods a specialty.

ON SATURDAY.

Sale of Fine Tweed Dress Coats, Mantles, Ulsters and Thicker-Quarter Jackets.

From 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. to-morrow (Saturday) there will be a great sacrifice sale of dress materials, mantles, jackets, ulsters and children's cloaks at Shea's, 136 Dundas street.

You will please remember that the very low prices will be for Saturday, and that day only. Five-dollar tweed costumes for \$2.50; \$4 costumes for \$1.95; \$10 ulsters for \$4.95; \$15 waterproof circulars for 50 cents.

A cyclone of bargains in the dress goods and mantle department for Saturday at 136 Dundas street, late Bargain Store.

A Good Grocery Store.

Early this fall two well-known gentlemen of this city concluded to go into the grocery business together. One of them was head man in the employ of a large retail firm of grocers, and the other a thriving merchant in the East End. The business that they decided to purchase was the well-established, old, reliable New York Store, owned and run by Mr. W. S. Smith. Well, after several days of consultation they made the purchase, and the man from the east sold out his nice little business and came down and joined hands with the manager of the New York Store, and to-day the business of Messrs. Anderson & Barnard, grocers, New York Store, is second to none in the city. They are energetic, live business men, both of them, and it is safe to predict for men who have the grit and push in them that they have a prosperous and paying business. They invite the public generally to call and see them, especially at this Christmas season, as they are going to make big efforts to please everyone and do a rushing trade. Their store is 125 Dundas street, and runs through to the market.

A distinguished French savant was at work in his study when his domestic rushed wildly into the room, excited and greatly frightened. "Oh, dear!" she exclaimed, "I am lost. I have swallowed a needle. 'Never mind,' said the savant, quite absorbed in his work, 'keep it; here's another.'"

Among the pains and aches cured with marvelous rapidity with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, is ear ache. The young are especially subject to it, and the desirability of this Oil as a family remedy is enhanced by the fact that it is admirably adapted not only to the above ailment, but also to the hurts, disorders of the bowels, and affections of the throat, in which the young are especially subject.

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LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—It is necessary that copy for changes of advertisements (to be sure of insertion) must be handed in on the day previous to that on which their appearance is desired.

—DO YOU WANT US TO ESTIMATE AS TO HOW MUCH AN ADVERTISEMENT WILL COST YOU? SEND INQUIRY ON A POSTAL CARD AND YOU WILL BE ANSWERED BY RETURN MAIL.

—Miss Mattie Honey, city, is visiting her mother and sister at Gloucester.

—The City Council meets to-night to discuss London and Port Stanley Railway business.

—Mr. R. Hueston has disposed of his branch livery on York street, opposite the Grigg House.

—The new Catholic Church of Heston will be opened by Bishop O'Connor, of this city, on Thursday next.

—A young man, Thomas P. Ross, 146 Tecumseh avenue, fell on the sidewalk and broke his leg yesterday.

—Rob Gentry, Summerville, has left R. Addison's and is now making his home in this city, where he has a position as clerk.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Reid entertained a few friends at a reception at the Grigg House after last evening's performance at the Grand.

—Mrs. Brown-Potter, Kyrle Bellow and company left to-day for Brantford. They had three nights to fill in before opening an American engagement.

—Rev. J. A. Murray, of this city, is expected to lecture in the Presbyterian church, Appin, next week, under the auspices of the Young People's Home Missionary Society.

—W. H. Sheldon, livery keeper, and Miss Lou Jefferson, daughter of the late Daniel Jefferson, were married in this city on Tuesday by Rev. Dr. Antilife. Both are popular young St. Marys people.

—Mr. Kershaw, of this city, gave a stereoscopic entertainment before a crowded audience in the lecture hall of St. James' Presbyterian Church last evening. Views in the city, the Northwest and Europe were thrown out on canvas.

—H. C. Knill, of Port Huron, and A. W. McElroy, of Chicago, two well-known horsemen, are in the city and attended St. James' luncheon. Mr. McElroy was starter at the recent London Turf Club races, at which Mr. Knill was also present.

—The committee named by the Humane Society to employ an inspector met yesterday, and appointed Mr. James Crawford, Queen's avenue, Mr. Crawford was formerly sergeant on the city police force, and no doubt will fill his new appointment satisfactorily.

—Two foreign-looking men have been in this city and other places soliciting subscriptions from ministers and others, alleging that the funds were to be applied in building a church in Chaldea. They professed to be Chaldean priests, but are fakirs. They secured quite a sum in London.

—Many London friends will hear with deep regret of the death of Mrs. Samuel Blackhall, which occurred in Winnipeg on Nov. 23, after a long illness. The deceased lady was the only daughter of Mr. Charles Walker, of this city. She was until the time of leaving the city a member of the Talbot Street Baptist Church.

—A very interesting and enjoyable time was spent in Knox Church school room, South London, last evening, on the occasion of the celebration of the second anniversary of South London Council, R. T. of P. Bro. Dr. Ferguson presided and a lengthy programme was provided, with refreshments between. The council was well represented by visiting members from Newcastle, London East and Ingersoll councils.

—Yesterday the medical students of this city, in charge of Dr. Gardner, had a lecture on practical plumbing and ventilation, etc., which was given in the store of Mr. J. J. Greenway, Dundas street. These lectures are not only instructive, but are becoming very interesting to the students. It is considered essential that the medical faculty should thoroughly understand the practical features of sanitary appliances.

—The Band of Hope, organized last week in Somerset Hall under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., had a rousing meeting last evening, with a largely increased attendance. The band has been divided into several classes, with a teacher for each class. Scientific temperance will be thoroughly taught. The band meets on Thursday of each week, at 7:30 p.m. at Somerset Hall. All boys under 16 years of age will be welcomed.

—The many friends of Mr. Wm. Thompson, formerly city and agricultural editor of the ADVERTISER, will regret to hear that he has been compelled to relinquish his position as editor of the Northwestern edition of the Farmer's Advocate. Mr. Thompson was doing excellent work, and the management were most anxious to retain his services, but his medical adviser counseled him to give up office work, and he has reluctantly done so, though he was thoroughly satisfied with the climate, people and his business prospects in Manitoba. The ADVERTISER is satisfied that Mr. Thompson will make a success of whatever he undertakes.

The Board of Works.

Ald. Connor (chairman), Garratt, Bartlett, Shaw and O'Meara, Secretary Ball, Assistant City Engineer Ironsides and Street Commissioners Owen attended a meeting of the Board of Works last evening. The city solicitor advised that the suit of Guelich vs. City for balance of contract price for stone walk on Dundas street, between Waterloo and Colborne streets, be settled by paying amount of claim without interest and without prejudice to the guarantee given that the work would be satisfactory for five years. The claim will be paid. Parks & Purdon threatened to take action against the city if some arrangement was not made by which the surface water might be carried away from the property of Mrs. Ira Beasley, ward 6. The matter will be attended to. Ald. Bartlett will ascertain the cost of cutting the Mabel and Florence street drain in proper condition and report. The London Township Council offer to pay half the cost.

Electricity of Closures and Banquet.

The largest turnout of members of South London Council, No. 668, Royal Arcanum, that has ever occurred, was in attendance at the regular meeting held in Treblelock's Hall last evening. On entering the lodge room the members were surprised to see tables spread and everything in readiness for a genuine banquet. The council was opened according to the ritual. Bro. Ald. Parnell, regent, in the chair, and business transacted with rapidity, the election of officers for 1923 resulting as follows: Past regent, Bro. Ald. Parnell; regent, Bro. H. A. Pinatow; vice regent, Bro. R. W. Rennie; orator, Bro. J. H. Pope, city chamberlain; secretary and collector, Bro. E. S. Battell; recording secretary, Bro. J. Macpherson; chaplain, Bro. W. Kettlewell; guide, Bro. George Gregory; warden, Bro. W. H. Secombe; sentinel, Bro. George Treblelock; trustees, Bro. L. H. Ingram, J. H. Pope and Col. E. B. Levy; representative to Grand Council, Bro. Ald. Parnell; alternate, Bro. F. Harding. After the elections, which were unusually competitive and good-natured, the retiring regent, Bro. Ald. Parnell, asked the members and visiting brothers to partake of the good things with which the tables were loaded, and which, by the way, had been prepared at that amiable gentleman's expense. It is needless to say that the party declined. About 40 so down, and although every effort was made to clear the various dishes, yet there was enough and to spare. The host occupied the head of the table, and after the company were satisfied, he called upon Orator Pope to furnish a programme of entertainment, which the brother was fully capable of, as follows: Bro. Frank Harding read a carefully-prepared paper on his recent trip to the Pacific Coast, which proved both instructive and entertaining. Bro. Thos. Alexander read a side-splitting Scotch story in his inimitable dialect; D. G. R. Thos. Bland unburdened himself of "1105" statistics, showing the steady progress of the order, and complimented the members on the large share they had taken in extending the order's membership this year; Bro. R. K. Cowan felt very funny, and caused that feeling to become contagious; Bro. Wallace Halle, of Hamilton, sang "The Glories of England"; Rev. Bro. Evans Davis entertained the company with some excellent advice, sandwiched with many remarks to cause laughter; Bro. J. H. Pope resurrected a recitation specially for the occasion; Bro. A. C. Johnson was prophetic with his words and promises, and Bro. C. H. Fennings was vocally inclined. The "health of the host" was proposed by Bro. Alexander in a speech eulogistic of the former's many good qualities both as a citizen and as Regent of the Council, and was responded to by Bro. Parnell in a vigorous speech, which he concluded with the remark: "If the brothers have taken as much pleasure in participating in the entertainment as I have felt in providing it, it has been a really pleasant evening for all." Three hearty cheers for Bro. Parnell and "God Save the Queen" closed the banquet, after which the council reassembled and closed in due form.

PEOPLE'S FORUM.

The Canadian Packing Company,

To the Editor of the ADVERTISER:

We shall be glad if you will give publicity to the following facts: As serious rumors have been spread that we have no intention whatever of carrying on the business of hog-killing and pork-packing, permit us to say that such a statement is entirely untrue. As a fact, we have bought a tract of land. Our architects are Messrs. Moore & Henry, of Richmond street, and have prepared the plans, and tenders for building will be accepted, and the construction of the packing and slaughtering houses will be proceeded with the utmost dispatch, as it is our desire to commence business early next spring. We have been in communication with various farmers throughout the neighboring district as to increasing the supply of hogs that have hitherto been so scanty, and have been promised by all a good supply next year. We trust the prices we shall pay will be satisfactory to all farmers, and encourage them more than ever to turn out a hog for the English market. As it is our intention to leave next Monday by the City of New York for London, in order to engage men in France, Ireland and Denmark, we wish, therefore, to tender our heartiest thanks to the officials, press and citizens of this city, who have been so energetic and interested in our industry. We have the honor to remain, yours faithfully,

London, Dec. 1. WEBB & GINGE.

London Humane Society.

Kindly allow me through your columns to inform the people of London and vicinity that James Crawford, 253 Queen's avenue, is now the properly appointed and duly authorized inspector of the London Humane Society, to whom all cases of cruelty or neglect should be immediately reported. Moreover, to facilitate the good work of the society, it should be understood that while in every case the name and address of the informant will be asked, the same in no case will be divulged or made public. Yours truly, ROBT. AYLWARD, President London Humane Society, Dec. 1. 453 Princess avenue.

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SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY.

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Sold by W. L. Strong, London, Ontario.

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LONDON, June 29, 1889.

For some time I was a sufferer of liver complaint, ailments of the kidneys, debility and female weakness, also with pain in the side, between the shoulders, and underneath the shoulder blades, and much weakness in the back and distress across my body, and much sinking down of the system. Through persuasion I tried Dr. Williams' Royal Crown Remedy, and have derived great benefit from it; in fact I am feeling better at present than I have for a number of years. I can with pleasure recommend it, and I would induce anyone who is afflicted to get it without delay.

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Office, Cor. Dundas St. and Market Lane, LONDON.

We Struck a

Bargain in Toronto Yesterday.

Ladies' and Gents' Pure Silk Handkerchiefs.

2 for 25c.

Gents' Silk 4-inch Hand Ties and Knot Scarfs,

10c EACH.

Ladies and Gents' Silk Umbrellas,

\$1 25.

See them. They are beauties.

Ladies' and Gents' Satin-Lined Sealette Caps. All Shapes and Sizes.

75c.

Children's All-Wool Jackets, all colors,

50c.

Gents' Lined Kid Gloves,

75c PAIR.

Arrived to-day, three cases Skirt Linings, all colors,

3c YARD.

Yard-Wide Gingham, all colors,

10c YARD.

Remember To-Morrow (Saturday) Cream Candies,

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(LIMITED),

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MARKET SQUARE,

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