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DIED. MOORE-At the family residence, 23 Maple street, London West, Elizabeth, wife of John Moore. Aged 76 years.

Funeral on Friday at 2:30 p.m. Service at 2 o'clock. LESLIE-On March 2, at West Lorne, Aldbrough, Andrew Leslie, in the 91st year of his age, a native of Berwickshire, Scotland.



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TORONTO, March 6 .- 11 p.m. - There is moderate depression now north of Lake Superior, passing eastward. It is drawing an inflow of milder southerly wind over the lakes. In Eastern Canada high pressure prevails. The general tendency everywhere is for higher temperature.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 209-40°; Battleford, 109 below-30°; Winnipeg, 2°-12°; Parry Sound, 4° -48°; Toronto, 10°-32°; Kingston, -30°; Montreal, 8°-26°; Quebec, zero-20°; Halifax, 12°-28°.

TODAY'S PROBABILITIES. TORONTO, March 7 .- la. m .- Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far as Belleville) are: South to west winds; fair and mild; light snow or sleet in north-

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MANITOBA SCHOOL APPEAL CASE.

Mr. D'Alton McCarthy Gets Through-Argument Will Close Today. OTTAWA, March 6 .- There was a large attendance to hear the Manitoba school

appeal case, which again came up in the railway committee room, House of Commons, this morning.

Mr. McCarthy, who again resumed his argument, covered a good deal of the same

ground as he did yesterday. He explained what he meant by national schools, which were non-sectarian as compared with schools which were controlled under the church. He dealt at length with the greater efficiency of state schools as compared with the others, and read from the religious exercises used in the Manitoba schools to show that they were not Protestant schools, but of a non-sectarian character. He said that of all the provinces Quebec stood the lowest in respect to education. That was because the church had control of the schools.

The Cabinet rose at 1 o'clock. Mr. D'Alton McCarthy closed his argument in the Manitoba school case this afternoon.

Mr. Ewart commenced to reply, dealing with the historical part of the argument until the Cabinet rose at 4:30 p.m. The argument will be closed tomorrow.

IMPORTANT DECISION

Affecting the Ownership of the Toronto Opera House. [United Press Dispatch.]

TORONTO, March 6.-If C. A. Shaw, exmanager of the Toronto Opera House, ever owned a purchasable interest in the theater, that interest was declared by the court today to have been legally conveyed to his father-in-law, Samuel Perrin, the present owner, who resides in Detroit. That conveyance was made in March, 1887. Mr. Perrin claimed that it was made to perfect the title and rectify a mistake in the conveyance to him of the property by ex Ald. Thos. Pells, its original owner. His son-in-law, he declared never had in any way interest in the

Mr. Shaw's father, Charles Shaw, of London, believed that his son had an interest in the property to the extent of \$20,000, and that he conveyed this interest to his father-in-law, "without considera-tion," and for the purpose of defraud-ing his creditors. Five months ago he brought suit against his son to set aside the conveyance on this ground for the purpose of realizing on a \$5,000 judgment he holds against his son for money loaned. His action was today dismissed with costs. Mr. Shaw, however, intends to appeal.

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As he skips
O'er the carpeted les, with manner jocose,
As keen as a hound, half-famished, fresh loose

From the slips, Undaunted, he bounds o'er the snow-clad main. Now humming a tune to his mad refrain,

On the airy wings of the anger'd blast,
That bears him along in his arms held fast,
While they sweep
O'er the withered old bough that shudders and shakes, And sighs in bewilderment as she wakes From her sleep.

Then away to the moor, where the ice-bound Detained by winter. is cumbered and still In her trap; They rattle along through the woodlands bare, Now hailing a tree, or starting a hare Till weary and fagged, enough it will do.
To forest and glen he waivers adieu
With his cap.

Come, come, to old winter he gruffly will speak, Tight button you coat, and away we will

For behold! My daughters are coming, sweet April and May. Their garments are thin, and they droop if we On the mould,
So off as companions together they go,
And vanish amid the mountains of snow,

How blythe those maidens come tripping Young spring in their arms and a vernal song For their lay,
As they dance in glee o'er the wakening grass,
Where the withered flow'rs revive as they pass On their way,
And the earth rescunds with a welcome ring,
As the brook flows on and the wild birds sing From the spray.
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-Archbishop Walsh is recovering from his recent illness.

-Ald. Frank Hewson, Windsor, and Mr. Wm. Hewson, Jarvis, brothers of the late Robert Hewson, have returned home. -Mr. R. Spittal left yesterday for Montreal and the eastern markets on a purchasing tour in the interest of R. Spittal & Co.

-The Homing Pigeon Club of this city, which is in a promising condition, will hold a meeting in the Foresters' Hall this

-No. 1 committee of the Board of Education meets at 4:30 this afternoon. The board will hold its regular monthly seasion tonight. -Thos. Johnston, of 237 Talbot street,

was chopping ice on the sidewalk in front of his place yesterday with an axe and struck a rifle cartridge buried in the snow. It exploded and the bullet was discharged, grazing him in the neck. -The star of the "Little Trooper"

needs no introduction, although this is her first appearance here with her own company. Della Fox made her first appearance in this opera at the Casino, New York, in September, since which time it has proved one of the most successful attractions of the season. The music is particularly pleasing, and has caught the popular taste. With a strong supporting company, with all the original costumes and scenery, a highly enjoyable entertain-ment may be looked forward to at the Grand next Tuesday.

-Miss Wright, of Ottawa, who is to deliver an address on "Woman's Work" in Cronyn Hall, Friday evening, was brought prominently before the public for the you care to know, not merely what these heroic part she took in the Hull riots a great ones say, but how they look, send few years ago. It is mainly to her efforts that the Y. W. C. A. of Ottawa are indebted for their grand new edifice. As Dominion secretary of the Y. W. C. A. Miss Wright is devoting all her energies to this branch of Christian effort, and it is thought that her visit to London will arouse greater interest in the work here. She is a good speaker, and her carnest words and consecrated life carry conviction to the minds of her hearers. L. O. L. Concert.

The ladies of Lady Victoria Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 2, held a very enjoyable concert, box social and assembly in Castle Hall, Duffield Block, last night. The chair was occupied by ex-Mayor Essery, and the programme included:

boxes were auctioned off, and then the young people spent a couple of hours in treading the mazy waltz. The affair was most successful.

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Song—My Nannie, O.....Burns

The wealth of Scottish song—Burns a miserable dure to love—The nature and variety of his attachments—Nannie Fleming of Lochlea—"Aye, atweel be made a great wark aboot me"—The beautiful melody and the early song—Burns the mouthpiece of his silent countrymen. countrymen. Song-Come Into the Garden, Maud.....Balfe

Mr. Grossmith and song making—Harmless perversions—The touch of a vanished hand—Grumbling and its victims—Anecdores of the old Scotch farmer, etc.—Balfe and Tennyson. Song-The Cruiskeen Lawn.....Benedict Ireland's minstrelsy—Love, woman and wine— Convivial songs and bons vivants.

Song-Roy's Wife of Aldivalloch...Mrs. Grant

A generous and forgiving lover—Neil Gow. the Scottish Mozart—Anecdote of Burns and the supplementary or fourth verse. Song-Mary MorrisonBurns One of the sweetest of the world's love lyrics—
A humorous definition of the tender passion
—Burns' opinion of his juvenile production—
Reversal of his verdict by posterity—A great critic on the love songs of Burns.

Popular beliefs—Irish lyric writers—Humorous songs, with examples—Moore's Irish melodies.

That much disparaged relative, the mother-in law—With anecdotes there anent. Song-Sally in Our Alley......Carey Expression and language—English swains and maidens—A witty reply—Carey and his writings—A queen of English song—A hopeloss as Pity or enyl

ong-My Boy Tammy.......Hector Macneill

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