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TORONTO, April 24—11 p.m.—The Dakota disturbance has moved into the Missouri Valley, its energy having become decreased. At the same time high pressure has spread over the Northwesterly portions of the continent. The weather is again becoming unsettled in the lower lake region; elsewhere it is fair. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Cargary, 26°—32°; Qu'Appelle, 26°—34°; Winnipeg, 30°—44°; Port Arthur, 26°—44°; Toronto, 30°—48°; Montreal, 30°—48°; Quebec, 24°—42°; Halifax, 32°—54°.

TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.

TORONTO, April 25—1 a. m.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: Fresh to strong winds; mostly easterly to northerly; unsettled; showers in many places; not much change in temperature.

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Grandmother opened the window and sat in
her rocking chair to darn;
The blue jay squalled and the pinch bug
crawled on the sunny side of the barn;
The lilac buds were eager to break; the robin
was on the wing;
The crocus grew and the rooster crew in the
balmy air of the spring;
But the gale blew in from the nor-nor-east and
chilled the jay to the bone;
The rooster flew and the robin, too, and the
pinch bug was left alone;
The crocus quailed and the lilac paled as the
blizzard shook its crown;
And grandma's temper was sorely tried as she
pulled the window down.

LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—Judge Meredith left the city for Ottawa last night.

—W. M. Carman, one of Toronto's crack 'cyclists, representing G. F. Bostwick, of Toronto, is in the city.

—A notice appears in several city banks warning customers that no American bills, redeemable in silver, will be accepted at par. They will be taken on collection only.

—The report that the Freeman murder trial will take place at London instead of Chatham is denied. Justice Street, it is said, did not grant the order for change of venue.

—To-night's "At Home" by the St. Andrew's Society of London will no doubt be attended by large numbers of well-wishers of the society. The gathering is in Somerset Hall.

—The Board of Trade have voiced the sentiments of the community by protesting against the inconvenient entrance to the postoffice. The matter will be brought to the notice of the Postmaster-General.

—The Oddfellows (Independent Order) of the city purpose celebrating the 75th anniversary of the foundation of the great fraternity by an "At Home" in the Oddfellows' block. The brethren cordially invite their friends, and a happy time is assured.

—The Hamilton Humane Society is trying to prevent the practice of docking horses' tails, and have warned President Gottridge, of the Jockey Club. The London Humane Society will take similar action, it is said.

—A special meeting of the City Council has been called for Friday night to consider the request of the Board of Trade to withdraw the London West amalgamation bill, and also to complete the consideration of the estimates.

—Mr. A. H. Beddome, son of Mr. F. B. Beddome, of this city, and for six years manager of the branch of the Bank of Montreal in Moncton, N. B., was banqueted by his friends in that city prior to his departure for London, to which branch he has been promoted.

—Mrs. Mary Lamond died at her residence, Bathurst street, Sunday, aged 85 years. She came from Argyleshire, Scotland, about 30 years ago, and spoke Gaelic fluently. Three daughters and one son survive her, all of whom except Mrs. McLennan, of Dawn, and a son in St. Thomas, live at home.

—At this morning's Police Court Arthur Shillington was charged by Hugh Sharkey, jun., with larceny. There was no evidence offered and the case was dismissed. Wm. Hammitt, M. W. Byrne and Jeremiah FitzGerald were charged with dumping refuse on Carling street near the river. The first man was discharged and the other two cases enlarged. A home has been found at last for Minnie Schofield in the Orillia Asylum. Two drunks were discharged.

—"Lost in London" will be the attraction at the Grand Wednesday evening. The play is not new to London theater-goers as it has been presented here several times. The Buffalo News says: Newton Beers' "Lost in London" was presented at the Lyceum Theater last night to a large audience. It is a popular melo-drama and the cast is a strong one. Miss Lora Addison Clift as Nellie, the poor wife, is especially good. Newton Beers as Job Armroyd was greatly applauded. Miss Kate Romaine, Wentworth Davis and Thomas Whyte are favorites. Miss Annie Laura Hook does some clever dancing.

—The lecture on Thursday evening by Dr. Caven, of Knox College on "Impressions of a Visit Paid Last Year to Palestine," promises to be of great interest. The doctor has delivered the lecture in several places since his return, and it has been highly spoken of. Those who have the pleasure of knowing the learned principal have no hesitation in recommending all who can do so to attend. The First Presbyterian Church, who have invited the doctor here, being without a church edifice at present, the St. Andrew's Church congregation have generously given them their building for the occasion.

Appointed Postmaster.

W. H. Ingram, collector of customs for the ports of St. Thomas and Port Stanley, has tendered his resignation to the Government at Ottawa. It has been accepted, and he has been appointed to the position of postmaster at St. Thomas, made vacant by the decease of the late F. E. Ermatinger.

The Young Liberals.

A large crowd assembled at the Young Liberal rooms last evening to listen to an enjoyable concert, the programme of which included songs by Messrs. Clark, Thorne, Saunders, Croden, Paladino and Tatham, recitations by W. Elliott and short addresses by Messrs. G. M. Reid, Blackwell, Burns, Weston and Fysh. J. Bennatti was accompanist. President Wanless occupied the chair and, with other speakers, advocated the formation of a Zouave regiment, with one company for each ward. The regiment will take part in the celebration to be held in this city in the summer under the auspices of the Liberals, at which Hon. Mr. Laurier and other prominent Reformers are to be invited to participate.

AMasonic Banquet

There was a banquet in the Masonic Temple last evening, when St. George's Lodge, No. 5, and St. John's, No. 3, Royal Arch Masons, united to spend a pleasant time. The Royal Arch degree was exemplified in the "Blue Room" by Excellent Companions Duff and L. W. Burke, and then the brethren adjourned to the banqueting room where a most bountiful spread was provided. Among the prominent visitors were J. E. Harding, of Stratford, Grand Z of the Grand Chapter of Canada, and Grand Sup. Ford, of St. Thomas. Others were present from Woodstock, Stratford and Hamilton. Right Ex-Companion P. W. D. Broderick was presented with a past Z's jewel. This was one of the most pleasant features of the banquet. The usual toasts were proposed and responded to and a most enjoyable time was spent.

"Shadow Detective" To-Night.

Daniel A. Kelly and his company will present "The Shadow Detective" at the Grand to-night. A contemporary says: "Mr. Kelly is the same old favorite, versatile and true. He pleased everyone and was the subject of rounds and rounds of applause. The piece was very well staged and Kelly was well supported by a bright company of artists. High and low life were depicted to perfection and the sensational features commanded the keenest interest. Miss Helen Desmond as Leonie Clifton, a waif, proved herself to be an emotional actress of excellent powers. She won laurels last night as in each particular she acted true to the life. Granville B. Lane won golden opinions. Miss Blanche Franklin and Mr. Geo. Allen sang harmoniously, while the dear little child actress, Baby Barrows, fairly entranced the audience in her clever little dances and bird-like solos. There is something fascinating about "The Shadow Detective" throughout, and for a modern melo-drama, it is a good production. Strong features of the play are the scenic effects which illustrate the marvels in mechanical realism."

Strathroy Notes.

The annual meeting of the Baptist Church was held on Thursday evening, April 20. The total income of the year was $1,822 61. The debt has been reduced from $580 to $362. The membership was reported at 244. The members of the Ladies' Aid have recently furnished a comfortable study for the pastor in the basement of the church. The utmost harmony has prevailed during the entire year.

On Saturday evening at 8:30 a fire broke out in a brick stable in the rear of John Barry's residence, and before it could be quenched the interior was completely destroyed. A couple of lads were loading hay at the time, and it is supposed that they must have started the fire in some accidental manner. Loss $300; fully insured.

On Sunday evening at 11:30 an old building adjoining Bixel's brewery was found to be on fire. The building, old and dry, was soon consumed and some sleighs with it. There was a quantity of ice stored in the shed which was worth more than the building itself, and which was destroyed.

One of Strathroy's young ladies stepped out upon the fortunes of matrimony Monday, April 24, when Miss Mary Russell Alison, daughter of Mr. P. J. Alison, was married to Mr. Linus Welch, provincial secretary of the Patrons of Industry. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Thomas Collins, of Caradoc, in the presence of a number of friends. The happy couple went east at 4:10 p.m. on a short visit among acquaintances in various localities. Miss Alison is a niece of the late Sir Charles Alison, for many years British ambassador at the court of Persia.

A Good Picture.

Mr. Hunt's excellent picture "Old Books" is now on view in the window of W. J. Reid & Co., Dundas street. It does full justice to Mr. Richard Ashton, who is the central figure, and is shown in his element as a lover of books. In this connection the following poem on "Old Books" is timely:

I must confess I love old books,
The dearest, too—perhaps most dearly—
Thick, clumsy tomes, of antique looks,
In pigskin covers, fashioned queerly.

Clasped, chained, or thonged, stamped quaintly, too,
With figures wondrous strange, if holy,
Women and men, and cherubs few,
Might oft from owls distinguish duly.

I love black letter books that saw
The light of day at least three hundred
Long years ago; and look with awe
On works that live, so often plundered.

I love the sacred dust the more
It clings to ancient lore, enshrining
Thoughts of the dead, renowned of yore,
Embalmed in books, for age declining.

Fit solace, food, and friends most sure,
To have around one always handy,
When sinking spirits find no cure
In news, election brawls, or brandy.

'Tis better in the past to live,
Than grovel in the present vilely
In clubs and cliques, where placemen live,
And faction hums, and drones rank highly.

To be enlightened, counseled, led
By master minds of former ages,
Come to old books—consult the dead—
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