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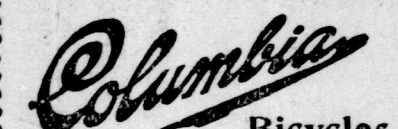
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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, April 20, 8 p.m.—A marked change has taken place in the distribution of pressure since last night. A depression of some importance is now centered over Tennessee and another one of equal intensity is situated over Dakota. The weather today throughout the greater portion of Canada has been fine and for the most part extremely mild, especially at inland stations in Ontario where over 70 degrees in the shade has been generally recorded. The outlook now is more unsettled. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 42-54; Kamloops, 25-38; Calgary, 30-50; Qu'Appelle, 35-64; Winnipeg, 34-72; Sault Ste. Marie, 44-70; Parry Sound, 28-70; Toronto, 34-57; Ottawa, 26-64; Montreal, 44-60; Quebec, 38-56; Halifax, 44-62.

Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Friday, April 20, were: Highest, 71; lowest, 34.

Today the sun rose at 5:26 a.m., and set at 7:08 p.m. The moon rose at 6:41 p.m., and sets at 10:24 a.m.

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Mr. Andrew Beattie, of Pond Mills, is seriously ill.

Mr. James Mattinson was in Toronto on business this week.

Miss Minnie Bolton, city, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. J. Bryan, Windsor.

The examinations of the London School of Art and Design begin next Friday.

Mr. E. Stockwell left the city this week for England. He sails today per steamer Tunisian.

Mrs. Heath, of South London, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duffield, at Wingham.

Miss Lynch and Miss Mulvaney, of the public school teaching staff, have been holidaying in Hensall.

Capt. McCutcheon and Lieut. Thomson, of Seaforth, far away tomorrow and come to London.

Mr. George H. and Mrs. Harris, Miss Harris and Mr. Ed. Harris have returned home from Atlantic City.

Miss Frances Evans, of this city,

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is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edward Smith, of Detroit, Mich., also friends at Windsor.

Mrs. J. McHarg, city, is visiting Miss H. A. Biggins, Woodstock.

Col. Holmes, D. O. C., of this district, will pay a visit to Windsor next Monday and inspect the armories of the 21st Essex Fusiliers.

Prof. Bridwell, of the College of Disiples, St. Thomas, will preach in the Christian Church here tomorrow morning and evening.

Mrs. Dan McNeal and her sister, Miss Lizzie J. Beattie, of Alvin, are visiting their cousin, Mrs. T. Blair, Brooklet Farm, Pond Mills.

Mr. James James and family, of this city, left yesterday for Chicago, where they may reside permanently. Mr. James for years kept the Western Hotel.

Mr. J. B. Laurier, formerly of London, now purchasing agent of the Central Vermont Railway, with headquarters at St. Albans, is here on a short visit.

Mr. W. H. Hewlett, city, will act as accompanist for Miss. Antoinette Trebell and Madame Schumann-Heink at Massey Hall, Toronto, on Monday evening next.

Joseph Thompson, of Horton street, leaves shortly for Montreal, where he will enter business for himself. He is now paying a farewell visit to his parents at Seaforth.

"India and Her Needs" is the subject that will be discussed at the Auditorium tomorrow afternoon. The music will be conducted by Mr. Newton Large. Stereopticon views will be given.

Lieut. Ed. Hains, of London, who, with others, was some time ago mentioned for a commission in the Imperial army, has as yet received no further word. They expect to be sent to India.

A former Londoner and a native of this city, H. B. Calder, has received the appointment to the local passenger and freight department of the C. P. R. at Seattle, Wash. Mr. Calder has been on the C. P. R. staff at St. Catharines.

Rev. Thomas Wilson will preach a patriotic sermon tomorrow evening in King Street Presbyterian Church. He will raise the question, "Is Britain Just?" The sermon will be rendered.

Mr. H. A. Sabine, who underwent an operation the first part of the week at Victoria Hospital, is doing nicely and expects to leave the hospital next week. Mr. Sabine is the first commercial traveler to occupy the cot fitted up by the Travelers' Association.

W. Kingsley Evans, of Detroit, formerly of this city, was married on Wednesday in St. John's Church, Tilsonburg, to Miss Spaulding, of this town. Miss Jessie Spaulding, the bride's sister, was bridesmaid, and J. Percy Moore, of London, supported the groom.

Ven. Archdeacon Davis, of South London, will preach in St. George's Church, Toronto, tomorrow morning. His pulpit will be filled by Rev. C. C. Owen, M.A., rector of the Memorial Church, and in the evening it is expected that Archdeacon McKay will preach.

At a meeting of the Y. M. C. A. directors, held last night, it was decided to canvass for \$1,500 to \$1,800 to meet the current expenses of the Y. On Tuesday night a meeting will be held to discuss the matter of several hundred dollars expenditure on the athletic field.

Mr. P. J. Bareford was presented with a gold-mounted silk umbrella by the employees of Messrs. Scandrett Bros., upon the occasion of his leaving to take a position as bookkeeper for Heintzman & Co., this city. Mr. Heintzman & Co., this city. Mr. three years.

The carpenter shop belonging to Mr. W. H. Goodburn, at Lake Linden, was destroyed by fire. The loss was heavy, consisting principally of tools and supplies, worth some \$1,000. The shop was located at the head of Torch Lake, about a mile from the fire station, and the flames had too great a hold to be subdued when the firemen arrived.

The audience that listened to the cantata entitled "The Gallies," by a choir of 35 voices, last night, in the Southern Congregational Church, were highly delighted. The various parts were well executed. The leader, Miss Julia Clark, and her assistant, Miss Senel Fowler, have every reason to feel gratified at the results of their efforts. Many expressions of praise were heard from those present. A solo by Miss Maud Fowler was received with hearty applause.

Mr. James R. Bowles, of 10 Hamilton road, was yesterday made the recipient of an address and a valuable traveling kit bag from his fellow-travelers in the office of the Grand Trunk freight sheds. Mr. Bowles, who has been for three years stenographer to R. W. Scott, the freight agent here, is temporarily filling Mr. Bowles' late position.

Mr. Arthur W. Cheesman died this morning at the family residence, No. 788 William street, after having suffered for only eight days with pneumonia. He was in his 69th year. Mr. Cheesman was one of the active work-



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ers in the Salvation Army for the past eight years, and among the soldiers and officers he was highly esteemed. Mrs. Cheesman and a family of four children survive. The funeral will be held on Monday to the Cleveland, Ohio, after a short illness. J. T. Stephenson, undertaker, has gone to Cleveland to bring back the body, and will probably arrive with it tomorrow. The funeral will take place from his mother's residence to the family burying ground, con. 9, London township. Mr. Wilson was the son of the late Wm. Wilson, and nephew of Wm. O'Brien and the late J. H. Wilson, V.S., all of this city, and J. B. Bryan, of Granton.

Brantford Courier: Mr. S. M. Thomson has returned from London. The executive committee of the Children's Aid Society, in view of the intended extension of the work of the society in this city, Mr. Thomson, secretary of the society, to London, for the purpose of looking into the system of work carried on in that city, and to gain any information that would likely be of benefit to the local society's work. He spent a very pleasant day in that city, and reports that the work is being carried on very efficiently and every possible courtesy.

The following is from a recent issue of a Chatham paper: "There was a splendid house at the Grand last night, the presentation of 'The Little Minister' by the benefit of Manager R. A. McVean, and everyone was delighted. The presentation was in most capable hands. The cast was an excellent strong one, and the capital comedy was much enjoyed. 'The Little Minister' was the best attraction booked at the Grand this season—and there have been many excellent shows—and the large attendance was also a gratifying tribute to the energetic and popular manager, R. A. McVean."

THE MISSION OF THE OLD MAGAZINE.

Would the citizens of London kindly remember the Aberdeen Association during housecleaning time, and send magazines and any other good literature they can spare to the "Y" rooms, 286 Dundas street, city?

ROYAL ARCADE.

The Michigan Grand Council of the Royal Arcanum held its annual session in Detroit during the week. Grand Regent D. R. Crampton (who was re-elected) read his annual report, in

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which he mentioned that in 1897 and 1898 the order suffered from the loss of nearly 700 members, but during the past year the shrinkage was stopped and over 200 new members were added to the rolls. The report of Grand Secretary C. B. Dethick showed that there are 67 councils in the state with a combined membership of 6,184, while the total membership of the order throughout the country is over 200,000. The prosperity of the order is shown by the fact that during 1899 the net increase in the membership was 10,000, while a reserve fund of a million dollars was created. Grand Treasurer E. C. Roberts made the following report: Balance on hand April 1, 1899, \$1,111 23; receipts during the year, \$5,139 15; interest on deposits, \$75 14; disbursements, \$6,644 94; balance on hand April 1, 1900, \$2,571 62. M. McKinstrey, of Cleveland, grand secretary of the Royal Arcanum, died Wednesday of apoplexy. Mr. McKinstrey was 64 years old.

Service of Praise.

The service of praise in St. Andrew's Church, a musical event to which is attaching greater interest year by year, was conducted last night by the organist, Mr. Chas. E. Wheeler, with a success that must have been gratifying to the choir and their leader, even as it was most enjoyable to the audience. In a few introductory words, Rev. Dr. Johnston, who presided, complimented Mr. Wheeler upon his achievements in such services, and his words served, also, as the expression of the general opinion held by all those for whom was provided an evening of music that was exceedingly enjoyable. Especially delightful were the solos of Mr. Charles Spaulding, of Hamilton, who possesses a well-trained baritone voice of a most pleasing quality, and Miss Emma Beyer, contralto soloist of the First Presbyterian Church, Detroit, and at the conclusion of their later numbers the audience applauded generously because of the understanding that appreciation was to be unexpressed and encores would not be permitted. The singing of Mrs. Arthur E. Brown, Miss John McIntosh and Miss Edith Harrison, was well received, and deservedly so, although the latter, unfortunately, was unable to sing as herself just because of a severe cold. At request Mr. Spaulding kindly supplied one of her numbers. The chorus work of the choir and Mr. Wheeler's organ solos were well rendered, the latter being among the most popular portions of the programme. It was as follows:

Anthem—"The Lord is My Light".....Henry Hills

Organ(a) "Prelude and Fugue".....J. S. Bach

(b) "Grand Choeur".....Dubois

Aria—"Hear Ye, Israel" (Eljah).....Mendelssohn

Mr. Arthur E. Brown.

Bass solo—"King of Kings".....Rawlings

Mr. Chas. Spaulding.

Contralto solo—"The House of Prayer".....Gounod

Organ(a) "Nocturne".....Spinnery

(b) "Amaryllis".....Scott

Mr. Chas. Wheeler.

Solo—"Life Over Death is King".....A. F. Lord

Mr. John W. McIntosh.

Solo and chorus—"O Thou that Tel-les" (Messiah).....Handel

Miss Edith Harrison and the Choir.

Bass solo—"Heaven is My Home".....Savages

Mr. Chas. Spaulding.

Contralto solo—"Father in Heaven".....Tunstall

Miss Emma Beyer.

Anthem—"The Risen Lord".....Greene

The Choir—Solo by Mrs. Arthur Brown.

Solo—"Loch Lomond".....Mr. Chas. Spaulding.

Organ—"Meditation".....Baldwin

Mr. Chas. E. Wheeler.

Bass solo—"The Saviour's Grave".....Sullivan

Mr. Chas. Spaulding.

Contralto solo—"Like as the Heart Desires".....Alliston

Miss Emma Beyer.

Amusements.

THE CLEVER "TELEPHONE GIRL"

For cleverness of comedians and beauty of singers, "The Telephone Girl," which will be presented here with all its original sprightliness tonight, Doubtless there are thousands of people who have seen it from two to four times, which is proof positive of its immense popularity. This season the cast is improved. The best members of the old organization remain, and the new-comers are said to be superior to their predecessors. The success of the play in every large city last and the previous season was simply phenomenal. The press everywhere teemed with laudatory notices, and "The Telephone Girl" was universally hailed as the legitimate successor of her pretty sister, "The Belle of New York."

BLANCHE WALSH.

The announcement of the appearance of Blanche, Walsh and Melbourne MacDowell in Sardou's great play, "La Tosca," at the opera house next Thursday, gives rise to pleasurable anticipations among that portion of play-goers who have been surprised with the frothy material which has lately been the vehicle for the display of figures and faces without any pretense to histrionic art. Blanche Walsh will be warmly

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