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METEOROLOGICAL.

Toronto, April 5-8 p.m.-Weather of almost summer type is now preva-lent in British Columbia, and the prospects are good for spring-like weather in Manitoba and the Territories. Paper—" Further east, in Ontario, the outlook is promising for a further rise in temperature, but the bright weather is likely to give place to clouds, and rain is not improbable on Friday. In the Maritime Provinces clear skies will continue for at least two days. Minimum and maximum temperatures— Victoria, 34-50; New Westminster, 24-76; Calgary, 26-38; Prince Albert, 6 below-34; Winnipeg, 26-38; Port Arthur, 10-34; Parry Sound, 8-42; Toronto, 26-43; Ottawa, 18-38; Montreal, 22-36; Quebec, 14-34; Halifax, 26-42.

Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Wednesday, April were: Highest, 42 above; lowest, 18

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-Dr. English left yesterday afternoon for New York. -Hamilton Times: Mr. and Mrs. John C. Woods and Miss Woods, of London,

are spending the Easter holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Edwin Mills, of 322 Bay street south. -Mr. Bert Winnett, son of Ald. W.

H. Winnett, has successfully passed his final examination at the Toronto Dental College, and is now a fullfiedged doctor of dental surgery. -Miss Mackenzie, of this city, has

been elected president, and Miss Jean Laidlaw, also of London, secretary of the kindergarten department of the Ontario Teachers' Association, in session at Toronto. -The G. T. R. ran a special train to

Dorehester Station last evening, when about 30 Masons attended an "at home" given by the Dorchester brethren. The Londoners arrived back about 1:30 o'clock this morning.

-The quarterly official board of the Varna circuit, Goderich district, have invited Rev. R. L. Wilson, or Dawn Mills, to become their pastor at next conference. The invitation has been accepted subject to the stationing com-

-The choir of St. Andrew's Church will give a service of praise Monday evening next at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Winnifred Scripps-Ellis, soprano soloist of the First Presbyterian Church, Detroit, and Mr. Bruce G. Bradley, solo tenor, Jarvis Street Baptist Church, Toronto, will be the soloists. The choir will also render several choice selections, and Mr. Charles E. Wheeler will give several organ numbers. A silver collec-

tion will be taken. -The annual meeting of the London Rowing Club was held Tuesday even-ing at the Tecumseh House. Directors for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Messrs. John Macbeth, H. S. Blackburn, M. J. Kent, Isaac Waterman, Thomas Beattie, A. St. L. Mc-Intosh, W. J. Harvey and W. C. L. Gill. It was decided to have the solici-

tor communicate with the city council at once re the blocking of the club's right of way by the abutments of the King street bridge.

A GENUINE CAKEWALK. On Saturday afternoon and evening the King's Players, a collection of colored artists, will appear at the Grand Opera House in a general performance of specialties, etc. The feature of the show will be a cakewalk. The ballroom floor will be used for the walk, and it is safe to say the movements of the several members who take part will be laughable. The prices are 10 and 20 cents for the matinee and 15 and 25 cents for the evening.

CONVINCED AT LAST. Work on the Normal School is being sushed in earnest.—London Free Press. Surely there must be some mistake; pushed in earnest.-London Free Press. for our esteemed contemporary, during the last city contest, put its hand on its heart and solemnly declared it was intended to build no Normal School at London whatsoever. Today our con-temporary is compelled, as a local chronicler, to admit that "work on the Normal School is being pushed in earnest." Moral for our esteemed contemporary: The Advertiser told you the Normal School would be built. When you see anything in The Advertiser,

WOMAN'S MORNING MUSIC CLUB. The programme at yesterday's concert of the Woman's Morning Music Club consisted of national songs and dances, and was thoroughly enjoyed by those present. The programme: Moszkowski-Spanish and Hunga-

rian Dances
Miss Viola Brown and Miss Walker.
Ed. Greig—Solvejgs Lied (Norwegian)
Mrs. W. C. Nichol. -The Harp that Once (violin). Miss Edna McNab.

(a) Schubert-Minuet ..... Miss Mary Meredith. (b) Chopin-Mazurka "Single Forms" .......
Miss E. L. Walker. (a) Weber-German Air .....

(b) Haydn-Austrian Air Ladies' Orchestra. Baker-The Lament of the Irish Emigrant (words by Lady Dufferin) (Harp accompaniment.) Mrs. Robert Burns.

Rachmaninoff-Russian Prelude in Bemberg-Na-i-ki (Japanese

song) .....Mrs. Nichol. Arne (1740)-Rule Britannia .. Alexis Lwoff (1799)-Russian Hymn.... Robert de Lesle (1792)-La Mar-Dr. Jan Bull (1600)—God Save Our

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O. E. A. OFFICERS. Toronto, April 6.—At the general meeting of the Ontario Educational Association last evening, officers for the ensuing year were elected as fol-lows: President, J. C. Farwell, Whitby; secretary, R. W. Doan, Toronto; treasurer, W. J. Hendery.

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By Provost Watkins-The Valedictory and Reply-Class Numbered 21-Words of Congratulation.

The Western University medical department convocation was held in the Auditorium last night, and was very largely attended by the students, and their friends. The spacious building fairly rang with the college songs, sung lustily by the students at intervals. The degree of doctor was conferred upon the 21 graduates by Rev. Prof. Watkins in the absence of the vice-chancellor of the senate, Sir William Meredith. Following is the list of young men who are now entitled to the appella-

tion, "Doctor": George Clarke, city; E. A. Creighton, Thamesford; Ernie L. Williams, and W. D. McKechnie, city; S. J. Byers, Dresden; C. B. Cowan, J. M. Brown and Robert Kippen, city; R. Elliott, Alvinston: Frank Campbell. Belmont: F. C. Eakins, Leamington; D. H. Arnott, H. Arnott, Walter Crawford and James Ardiel, city; T. Ryan, Walton; M. J. McGrady, London township; Pardee Bucke and Ben L. Bryant, city; E. W. Clay, Wallacetown and James Dundas, Thamesford.

Mr. George Clarke, city, captured the gold medal, and Mr. E. A. Creighton, Thamesford, the silver medal.

The platform was tastily decorated with Easter lilies and other beautiful flowers, which lent a pretty appearance to the scene when the degees were being conferred. The audience was made Those sententious proverbs, or old up largely of the fair sex in the lower saws, which are used as prefixes to all part, while the students of the first, second and third years occupied the gallery. Seated on the platform were Provost Watkins, Prof. James, Dr. Moorhouse, Dr. Ferguson, Dr. Waugh, Dr. J. B. Campbell, Dr. Weekes, Dr. McDonald, Rev. Dr. Saunders and

Provost Watkins opened the proceedings with a short address, express-ing regret at the absence of the vicechancellor. He wished to congratulate the graduating class, and also the students in the gallery, who were making rapid strides to the point reached by the graduates. The study of medicine was a most important one, and he wished the graduates every success in life, and hoped they would do honor to the university from which they gradu-

Mr. S. J. Byers, of Dresden, one of the

most popular students at the college, read the valedictory for the graduating class. He was given an ovation by the students when he rose to speak. The speaker said there was a great pleasure in being granted a degree, but there was also a great responsibility. The greatness of the profession chosen by them was known to all. The history of medicine could be traced back to the early centuries, and advancement could be seen steadily through the ages. The medical profession at the present time had gained much insight into disease, and with its modern treatment had lessened mortality. No city in the Dominion could boast of having a more scientific and practical fraternity than London. The influence of the profession upon the social and moral habits of the people, and also the advance of the other sciences, was well recognized. The graduates would go forth now into the world to battle with disease in every shape and form. In closing, the speaker said that the happy period spent at the university, and the pleasant associations, would be long cherished by the graduating class of 1899. Dr. J. B. Campbell, in delivering the farewell of the faculty to the class, congratulated the students on their admission to the ranks of such an honorable profession. It was the skilled hand, skilled brain and skilled eye that would win success. The profession should not be pursued just as a mere trade to make money. They should labor with a higher aim—that of the welfare of their patients and the pub-lic. They would owe it to the community, as good citizens, to use their knowledge for the prevention of disease and the prolongation of life. In closing, the doctor wished the class God-speed, and said that the faculty would watch their careers with deep interest. Dr. Ferguson adminstered the oath to the class, after which the students were presented to Provost Watkins by

Dr. Moorhouse for their degrees. Mr. W. Crawford, it was stated, was a member of the class of 1898, but was prevented from receiving his degree at. that time. Provost Watkins also pre-sented the gold and silver medals to Dr. Clarke and Dr. Creighton. Dr. Clarke also won the scholarship for the year. The honor graduates were W. D. McKechnie. James Brown, J. M. Campbell, E. L. Williams, D. Arnott. Third year—Scholarship, C. C. Elliott; honors, C. G. Pigott. Second year—Scholarship, J. W. Atkinson; honors, N. T. Clark; A. G. Grant, O. G. Turner, W. C. Doyle. First year—Scholarship, H. McGuigan; honors, J. J. Mason, P. L. Flering, G. A. McNei J. Fleming, G. A. McNel.

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at being present, and earnestly con- McGugan, Atkinson and Elliott. A cougratulated the graduates. The profession was one of the noblest that a man could devote his life to. Dr. Saunders hoped the day would come when the graduates of 1899 would reflect great

credit on the city and university. The dean of the faculty, Dr. Moor-house, in bringing the convocation to a close, said that at the beginning of the school the class numbered eight or ten, while this year the students numbered 72. Over 140 graduates had re-

ceived their degrees.

Mr. W. H. Skinner rendered a number of solos, which proved a pleasant feature of the evening. Mr. W. H. Bleuthner acted as accompanist.

#### **GOLD MEDALIST** DR. CLARKE

Banqueted by His Fellow-Graduates-Tempting Spread, Speech, Song and Music-Undergraduates Also Dined.

At the conclusion of the convocation in the Auditorium last night, the graudating class might have been seen, heading towards the Grand Trunk station at Richmond street in a body. On arriving there, Host Butler had a tempting and appetizing spread awaiting them, and the class were soon seated around the festive board. The graduates' banquet was given by them in honor of their fellow-graduate, Dr. G. L. Clarke, gold medalist. Dr. E. A. Creighton, as chairman, introduced a toast list. The various toasts were heartily drunk, and the replies were of a very happy and My character.
Songs and recitations were pleasantly
interspersed. "God Save the Queen" was sung in opening. Dr. Williams and Dr. J. F. Campbell responded to the toast "Canada," Dr. D. H. Arnott favored with a song. "The Army and Navy" brought replies from Dr. Aikens and Dr. Brown. Dr. Bucke gave a song. "Our Guest" was uproariously received, and Dr. Clarke responded in a neat speech. Dr. M. J. McGrady gave an instrumental. "The United States" was replied to by Dr. Elliott, Dr. Ardiel, and Dr. Harry Arnott. Dr. Crawford recited. "The Graduates" was taken care of by Dr. Ryan and Dr. Bryant. Dr. Kippen rendered a solo. "The Hospital Trust and the Nurses"brought humorous responses from Dr. McKech-nie and Dr. McGrady. "The Ladies" was the concluding toast, being replied to by Dr. Clay, Dr. Cowan and Dr.

Dundas. During the evening an alumni association was formed, and Dr. D. H. Ar-

nott elected secretary. The graduates dispersed at an early hour this morning, to the strains of "Auld Lang Syne."

The first, second and third year graduates also adjourned to refreshment parlors, and were entertained by the winners of the scholarships, Messrs.

ple of hours were pleasantly spent. Between 50 and 60 were present. Dr. Norman Alexander occupied the chair, and he introduced a programme of toasts, including "The Medical School," responded to by Mr. F. Cannon; "The Freshmen," by Messrs Mason and Barnes; "The Second Year," by Messrs. Reason and Grant; "The Third Year," by Messrs. Baker and Pigott; "The Scholarship Men," by Messrs. McGuigan, Atkinson and Elliott, and "The Ladies," by Mr. Sam McEvoy. Mr. Archie Becher favored with songs.

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