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METEOROLOGICAL.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 21—8 p.m.—A depression, which has developed during the day now covers the Ohio Valley, and its accompanying rain area has spread to the lower lake region. A very important anti-cyclone, attended by decidedly colder weather will shortly occur from the lakes to the Atlantic. Minimum and maximum temperatures—Victoria, 33-44; Kamloops, 18-28; Calgary, 18 below-4 below; Qu'Appelle, 20 below-2; Winnipeg, 15-24; Port Arthur, 20-28; Parry Sound, 26-46; Toronto, 20-46; Ottawa, 28-38; Montreal, 32-36; Quebec, 28-34; Halifax, 30-48.

Local Temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Tuesday, Feb. 21, 1899, were: Highest, 42; lowest, 31.5 degrees above.

Today the sun rises at 7:06 a.m.; sets at 5:57 p.m. Moon rises at 3:22 p.m.; sets at 5:27 a.m.

ANOTHER COLD WAVE.

Toronto, Feb. 21.—The present fine weather will not last long. The man at the observatory gave the reporter quite a shock when he informed him that it would be cold tomorrow evening, and worse on Thursday. A cold wave has developed in the Northwest, being central over Alberta today. It is coming this way, and by Thursday we will have more winter weather. It is quite cold in many places in the west, and this morning, within the range of the cold wave, it reached 14 below zero.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

—Washington's birthday today.

—Henry Varley has written a book, "Christian Science Examined."

—Miss Bake, of Fingal, is spending a few days with friends in London.

—Mrs. J. O'Gorman, of London, is spending a few days with her father, Mr. Thomas Casey, of Fingal.

—The rumor that Bishop O'Connor, of this city, will succeed the late Archbishop Walsh is again revived.

—George Wood, of Bryanston, has been awarded the contract for bridge repairing on the Prof. Line road.

—Ice in the River Thames is twenty inches thick, and the harvest is the heaviest in the history of ice men.

—Miss Mary Eames, of this city, who has been visiting Port Huron and Sarnia friends, has returned home.

—Rev. Canon Dann will lecture in Knox Church, Galt, on Monday evening next, on "Ireland and the Irish."

—Miss Jennie Sheppard, of Corbett's postoffice, returned home after a four-weeks' visit to her sister, at 451 Elizabeth street.

—Conductor James Westbrook had his hand severely jammed between the trolley rope and the canopy of the car on Monday.

—Miss Annie Johnston, of this city, who has been visiting Miss Johnston, Manitoba street, St. Thomas, has returned home.

—The Bishop of Huron will lecture on "The Holy Land and the Return of the Jews" at the Memorial Home, Stratford, this evening.

—W. A. Lake was found guilty yesterday by Justice R. F. Lacey and fined \$1 and \$72 costs, or seven days in jail, for assaulting Walter Stevenson.

—Detroit News: Fred Alberstadt, of London, Ont., is serving a ten days' sentence at Charlotte, Mich., for drunkenness. He is but 16 years old.

Want To Wear

The correct style HAT this spring! Come here for it. Our nobly HATS are coming from the leaders in New York hat fashions, and will be thoroughly up to date in every particular.

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Henry Drummond's Life,

By George Adam Smith.

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133 DUNDAS STREET.

—Mrs. Tilley, of this city, will give an address on woman's work as missionaries before the Woman's Auxiliary of St. James' Church, Stratford, tonight.

—Fire at the C. P. R. depot at 11 o'clock last night did \$20 damage before being extinguished by the fire brigade. A poorly insulated electric light wire in the veranda was the cause.

—Winnipeg Free Press: Mr. J. H. Glass, of London, Ont., who is one of the best known of eastern commercial men, was in the city yesterday on his way home. A severe attack of la grippe has prostrated Mr. Glass, and he is going home for a long rest.

—Mr. John Baker, formerly engineer for Mr. Isaac Sargeant, contractor, of this city, has secured a similar position with the Garcia Gold Company of London (Limited), and has left for Arizona, where he will reside in future. His many friends wish him every success.

—London chess players have organized a club, with the following officers: Honorary president, Rev. Canon Dann; president, Mr. Henry Macklin; vice-president, Mr. H. B. Gahan. The executive committee will consist of the officers and Messrs. F. P. Betts and Guy Andrus.

In speaking of the death of the late George N. Sargeant, the Hamilton Times says: "Deceased and the other members of the family resided on West avenue south, here, a number of years. He visited Hamilton pretty regularly, whenever the London Rugby Football Club came here, and had many warm friends in this city."

—St. Thomas Times: On Sunday morning the wife of the C.P.R. agent at Ingersoll presented her husband with twins; the wife of the agent at Pud-ville gave birth to a child; Mrs. John Campbell, wife of the agent at Harrietsville, gave birth to a child, and Sunday night Mrs. W. C. Forsythe, wife of the agent at Belmont, made her husband happy by presenting him with twins.

—Mr. John O'Brien, a former member of The Advertiser counting-room staff, is in the city. Mr. O'Brien has been most successful as a railway man, and is now the freight and passenger agent of the C. P. R. at Portage la Prairie. He witnessed the hockey match last evening, and admired the playing abilities of the above team. He wears the colors of the Winnipeg club, and accompanied that club to Montreal and Toronto, where they played last week.

—Judgment has been given in re McLean vs. Osgood—Struthers & Co., garnishees. This was a motion for mandamus to compel Judge Edward Elliott to hear and determine the above action. The case was argued on Feb. 2 at the weekly court here, when Judge Falconbridge took the case en delibere. Judgment has been handed down, allowing the motion and granting the order, compelling the local judge to hear the case, with costs to plaintiff. Winnett, for plaintiff; Fulkner, for defendants and Struthers.

GROCERY WORKERS ORGANIZE.

Last evening, in Labor Hall, a large and enthusiastic meeting of grocery clerks and deliverymen was held. Joseph T. Marks was present on behalf of the organization committee of the Trades and Labor Council, and addressed the meeting at some length. After a number of questions had been put and answered, it was determined to organize under the banner of the Industrial Brotherhood, and officers were elected for the ensuing term. There was a spirited contest for delegates to the Trades and Labor Council and resulted in the election of three good representatives. The new Directory starts out with 61 charter members, and with the brightest of prospects for future success.

LATE MILITIA APPOINTMENTS

Affecting the First Hussars and the Seventh Fusiliers.

The following militia general orders were issued yesterday: Honorary Lieutenant-colonels—His Excellency the Right Hon. the Earl of Minto, G.C.M.G., etc., has been pleased to accept the honorary Lieutenant-colonelcy of the 9th (Winnipeg) battalion of rifles. Lieut.-Col. G. T. Denison, R.O., is appointed honorary Lieutenant-colonel of the Governor-General's Body Guard.

First Hussars—Lieut.-Col. W. M. Garthshore's tenure of appointment as commanding officer of this corps is extended for one year from the 20th June, 1899. Provisional Second Lieutenant H. K. McCormick is permitted to retire. To second lieutenant provisionally, R. V. Weldon, vice H. K. McCormick.

Seventh Battalion Fusiliers—The following special appointments are made upon the organization of this battalion, dated 1st February, 1899: To be Lieutenant-colonel and to command the bat-

talion, Major A. A. Smith, from the retired list; to be major, H. B. Cronyn; to be captain, Major G. W. Hayes, from the reserve of officers; to be captains, W. E. Smith, G. T. Brown, F. Reid, A. A. Campbell; gentlemen; to be captain, Capt. H. A. Kingsmill, from the reserve of officers; to be lieutenant and adjutant, W. A. McCrimmon; gentleman; to be lieutenants, H. C. Beecher, W. S. Spittal, E. Massey, gentlemen; to be lieutenant, Lieut. W. J. Taylor, from the retired list; to be paymaster, with the honorary rank of captain, W. J. Reid, gentleman; to be quartermaster, with the honorary rank of captain, Capt. J. Graham, from the retired list; to be surgeon-major, Surgeon-Lieut. J. M. Piper, from the retired list; to be surgeon-lieutenant, R. Owens, Esq., M.D.; to be honorary chaplain, the Rev. E. Davis, M.A.

The officers to whose name a star is affixed will be required to pass the qualifying examination. With reference to the Seventh Battalion Fusiliers, disbanded from 1st of February inst., Capt. E. O. Graves is placed upon the retired list of captains from the 15th January, 1899.

London Collegiate Institute—To act as captain, A. A. Magee; to act as lieutenant, W. S. Somerville; to act as second lieutenant, W. Little.

TAX EXEMPTION INDUCEMENTS

Discussed by the Manufacturers' Committee of the Council.

Inaugural Meeting—Ald. Graham Elected Chairman—Views of the Members—Want the Board of Trade's Co-operation.

The manufacturers' committee of the city council held its first meeting last night and unanimously elected Ald. Graham chairman upon Ald. Wilkey declining in his favor.

Ald. Graham, Wilkey, McCallum, Winnett, Jolly and Rumball, ex-Ald. Hunt and Mr. Bell were present.

Ald. O'Meara's motion, re tax exemptions as inducements to manufacturers to locate in London, was discussed.

Ald. Jolly favored exemption from taxation on everything except buildings.

Ald. Rumball thought a new industry should have complete exemption for ten years. The concern would be thoroughly established in the time.

Ex-Ald. Hunt also spoke in favor of the ten-year exemption.

Ald. McCallum saw only one objection to complete exemption. Firms which had come to London and had not received any such assistance would be called upon to bolster up new comers.

Information of a number of firms contemplating removal from other cities is before the committee, and steps will be taken to induce them to locate here.

Ald. O'Meara's motion was laid on the table.

The committee, while resenting the action of the board of trade in refusing to send representatives to the committee, expressed themselves as being very desirous of working in conjunction with the board of trade, and it will be asked to reconsider its action.

The appointment of a secretary was left over until the next meeting. Mr. James Bell, who was acting secretary, was mentioned for the position, but as secretary of No. 2 and 3, the hospital committee and sewer committee, besides performing his regular duties as assistant to Treasurer Pope, his time is fully occupied. Mr. Bell is also acting city clerk.

NATURE'S DIMPLES

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Kingsmill's The Store for Cottons.

GAVE HIM THREE YEARS

Mail Clerk Sentenced on Three Charges Husband and Wife at Variance.

As usual, there was a big attendance at the police court this morning, when William J. McHarg, mail clerk, came up for sentence, on three charges of robbing the mails. He pleaded guilty last Wednesday and had nothing to say this morning. The magistrate having read the charges over, said he would not add to the prisoner's disgrace by saying anything. The court then pronounced sentence, giving the prisoner three years upon each of the three charges, the terms to run concurrently.

Margaret Neil charged her husband, John Neil, with drunkenness and non-support. The couple were married about two years ago. A little child 14 months old is mixed up in the misery. Neil is a consumptive, while Mrs. Neil is an invalid, and in a delicate condition. An effort was made to settle the difficulty, and husband and wife held a conference in the magistrate's room. It was a failure, and the case was adjourned for a month. In adjourning the case the magistrate said from what he could learn, Neil was not likely to bother her much longer.

Wheaton Bradist, drunk and disorderly, was remanded until tomorrow.

FILIPINO PLANS THAT FAILED

General Massacre of Foreigners Was Ordered by the Insurgent Government.

Washington, Feb. 21.—The following dispatch was received this afternoon from Gen. Otis:

"Manila, Feb. 21. — Adjutant-General, Washington: The following was issued by an important officer of the insurgent government at Malolos, Feb. 15, 1899, for execution during that evening and night in this city. (Signed) Otis."

"First—You will so dispose that at eight o'clock at night the individuals of the territorial militia of your order will be found united in the streets of San Pedro, armed with their bolos and revolvers or guns and ammunition, if convenient."

"Second—Philippine families only will be respected. They should not be molested, but all other individuals of whatever race they may be will be exterminated without any compassion after the extermination of the army of occupation."

"Third—The defenders of the Philippines in your command will attack the guard at Billibid and liberate the prisoners and presideros, and having accomplished this they will be armed, saying to them: 'Brothers, we must avenge ourselves on the Americans, and exterminate them, and we may take our revenge for the infamy and treachery they have committed on us. Have no compassion upon them; attack with vigor. All Philippines en masse will second you. Long live Philippine independence.'

"Fourth—The order which will be followed in the attack will be as follows: The sharpshooters at Tondo and Santa Ana will begin the attack from without, and these shots will be the signal for the militia of Trusmi, Bindiano, Quito and Sampaloo to go out into the street and do their duty; those of Paco, Erbeia, Malate, Santa Cruz and San Miguel will not start out until 12 o'clock, unless they see their companions need assistance."

"Sixth—The militia of Tondo will start out at 3 o'clock in the morning. If all do their duty, our revenge will be complete. Brothers, Europe contemplates us; we know how to die as men, shedding our blood in defense of the liberty of our country! Death to the tyrants! War without quarter to the false Americans, who have deceived us! Either independence or death!"

There is no "fourth" paragraph in the insurgents' statement as furnished to the press.

STRIKE IN WINNIPEG

Garment-Makers and Their Employers at Variance—Other Trades Interested.

Winnipeg, Feb. 22.—As a result of the meeting between Messrs. Emerson & Hagie and the committee of the Trades and Labor Council, in behalf of the striking garment-makers, the latter have, for the purpose of trying to arrive at a settlement, agreed to accept a reduction of 15 cents per dozen on coats, and 10 cents per dozen on X3 overalls, the kind about which the dispute arose.

LONDON'S PLAGUE OF DARKNESS

Civil Engineer Says He Has a Workable Plan to Disperse the Metropolitan Fogs.

London, Feb. 22.—At last it is promised that London is to emerge from the fog and smoke that have shrouded it for centuries. B. H. Thwaite, C.E., F.C.S., has come forward to redeem the British capital from its plague of darkness.

The peculiar density of London's atmosphere, Mr. Thwaite insists, is due to the mingling of smoke and fog; that naturally the city is no more subject to fogs than Paris.

In early morning, before fires are alight, the atmosphere is frequently perfectly clear. London consumes annually 12,000,000 tons of coal. If light and heat could be obtained, he says, without filling the air with smoke, only the fog would have to be contended with, and that, free from coal smoke, could be dissipated, the engineer contends, by vast quantities of burning gas.

His plan is to generate gas in the coal fields of South Yorkshire, South Wales and Staffordshire, and pipe it to London. This would result not only in doing away with coal smoke in London, but would provide gas at a rate at which the poor, now denied the luxury of gaslight, could burn it.

The present cost of transporting coal to London, with the added profits of the middlemen and carters, brings the annual coal bill up to the incredible sum of \$9,500,000. The conveying of gas direct from the mines, Mr. Thwaite points out, would save this great expenditure. Cheap gas could then be supplied, he maintains, to every house, and the streets could blaze day and night at slight expense.

Mr. Thwaite, who is a publicist, as well as a scientific engineer, claims that the crimes of London are multiplied and its mortality hastened by the overwhelming fog and smoke. The deaths during a dense fog are at the rate of 40 per 1,000, the same as that which existed during the great cholera year.

The death rate, the natural result of drunkenness, and the riot of crime will all decrease, Mr. Thwaite predicts, when the gas streams direct from the coal fields are turned on to dispel the London fogs.

Something for Nothing.

A trial bottle of Catarrhazone and Inhaler, prepaid, sent free to anyone who sends his address within one week. Catarrhazone is a sure cure for catarrh, bronchitis, irritable throat, field breath, and kindred diseases. How can we afford to do this? Because we know a trial of this pleasant and efficacious remedy never fails. Washes, snuffs and ointments have proved unavailing, but Catarrhazone will cure you. Write, N. C. POLSON & CO., Kingston, Ont.

A highly-flavored nut, known as the cashew kernel, is being imported into Canada for dessert and confectionery uses. It is produced in India only, and its season is from May to November.

A DINNER PILL.—Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a