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SONS OF ENGLAND.

The Supreme Grand Lodge in Session at St. Catharines.
St. Catharines, Ont., March 9.—The delegates to the Supreme Grand Lodge, Sons of England, met yesterday afternoon in Victoria Chambers, Barlow Cumberland, St. G. P., of Toronto, presiding. The reports of the officers were very satisfactory. Mayor Gilliland and Ald. Burgoine welcomed the delegates to the city, and Lodge Victoria also presented an address of welcome. At 4:30 the grand lodge and local members attended divine service in St. George's Church, Rev. H. Kier, rector, officiating. He preached an excellent sermon, taking his text from Acts: "A citizen of no mean city."

SPECIAL NOTICES.

The Wabash Railroad
If you are contemplating a trip to the Klondike or any point in Alaska, please consider the merits of the great Wabash Railway. This short and true route via Detroit and Chicago to all the gold fields of the far north. The Wabash with the superb and magnificent train service is now acknowledged to be the most perfect railway system in America. All trains run solid from Buffalo to Chicago, making through St. Catharines, Hamilton, Woodstock, London and Chatham. Detailed information will be furnished by any railroad agent, or

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Why will you allow a cough to lacerate your throat or lungs and run the risk of filling a consumptive grave, when, by the timely use of Bickie's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, the pain can be relieved and the danger avoided? This syrup is pleasant to the taste, and unsurpassed for relieving, healing and curing all affections of the throat and lungs, coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc.

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Another Story—Her Little Girl Cured of Croup.

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FAIR AND MILD, UNSETTLED WITH SHOWERS.

Toronto, March 8—11 p.m.—An area of low pressure, which is now central over Nebraska, is showing signs of development. It will likely move to the lake district, and disturb the present settled weather there. High pressure, accompanied by fine weather, still continues over the lakes and throughout Eastern Canada. The high pressure mentioned as in the Northwest yesterday has brought cooler weather to Assiniboia and Manitoba, but is becoming less energetic. A low area is spreading over Alberta, accompanied by moderate temperatures. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Kamloops, 26-38; Calgary, 2 below-40; Appelle, 10-16; Winnipeg, 14-16; Port Arthur, 23-42; Parry Sound, 24-34; Toronto, 26-44; Ottawa, 18-44; Montreal, 24-32; Quebec, 22-26; Halifax, 24-32.

Probabilities: Toronto, March 9—1 a.m.—Lower lakes: Fair and mild at first, with increasing winds; followed by unsettled weather, and some showers at night or on Thursday.

Local temperatures: The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory yesterday were: 59 and 23 above.

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News About Town

—Mr. Robert Robertson, city, was registered in Winnipeg on Saturday.

—Mr. G. C. Blackburn, of Manchester, England, is at the Tecumseh.

—Prof. James Mills, of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, is at the Tecumseh.

—Mr. J. G. McNee, of St. James street, has gone on a week's visit to friends at Niagara Falls and Buffalo.

—Mrs. Tilley, of this city, addressed a meeting of the King's Daughters in Silver Cross hall, Woodstock, last evening.

—Baggage-master Maguire and his assistants at the G. T. R. station handled 7,392 pieces of baggage during February.

—The relatives of the late George W. Birmingham desire to heartily thank the Sisters of St. Joseph for their kindness during the sad circumstances attending Mr. Birmingham's accident and death.

—The Ivan Choral Club will give their second annual concert in the Presbyterian Church of that place on March 17. In addition to the club, some of London's best singers will take part, and the concert will be under the direction of Mr. James T. Dalton, whose well-known ability is sufficient to guarantee for its success.

—The following presbyteries, eleven in number, have up to date nominated Rev. Dr. Bryce, of Winnipeg, as moderator of the general assembly, to meet in Montreal in June next, viz., Ottawa, Winnipeg, Regina, Victoria, Whitby, Brandon, Portage la Prairie, Rock Lake, Glenboro, Melita and Superior.

—The Grand Lodge of the Sons of England is meeting in St. Catharines. Among the London delegates are: Ald. Parnell, supreme grand vice-president; District Deputy A. T. Cooper, of British Lion Lodge; Past President Tyler, of Kensington; Job Cook, of Beresford; R. H. Cullis, of British Oak; and William Madge, of Trafalgar.

—Supr. Woodgar, of the L. E. and D. R. R., when before the St. Thomas city council on Monday, said if everything went all right the road would be extended to the St. Thomas next Christmas. If the question was delayed until the supplementary estimate was brought down, the road would not be extended until a year from next July.

—The announcement that Grand Chancellor Robert Ironside, of London, will be present at the big Pythian reunion, to be held in St. George's hall, March 15, has been hailed with delight by the local members of the order, as it is now two years since the Toronto members have received a visit from the grand chancellor of the order. From present indications this will be the largest gathering of Pythians in Toronto for some years.—Toronto World.

—Last Saturday Elder J. F. Ballenger baptized sixteen persons in the Disciple baptistry. On Sunday afternoon, Elder J. H. Durland, the president of the Ontario conference of the Seventh Day Adventist denomination, assisted by Elder Guild, of Toronto, Elder Howell, of Chatham, and Elder Ballenger, of this city, organized a church of 29 members. They have regular preaching services in the Society Hall, 94 Dundas street east, every Saturday at 2:30 p.m. and Sunday at 7 p.m.

—The funeral of the late William J. Gray, son of Mr. T. S. Gray, of this city, took place at Toronto yesterday afternoon. Deceased, who had been a member of St. John's Lodge, No. 20, A. F. and A. M., of this city, was buried under Masonic auspices, about 35 brethren attending in the morning to escort the remains from the residence to the G. T. R. station. St. W. Bro. A. B. Greer and W. Bro. John Jones conducted the services at the residence. The pall-bearers were: Bros. Chas. Tambling, Geo. F. Mills, John Tambling, Donald Fraser, A. F. Wicks and George Young.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR NOTES.
Toronto hopes to present an invitation to the international convention of 1899.

Twenty Endeavorers drove to the house of industry at St. Thomas and gave a musical and literary entertainment, distributing cakes and oranges.

Five hundred Iowa Endeavorers expect to attend the Nashville convention.

Reduction in Trunks and Valises.

This store doesn't expect to make money on footwear in March. All kinds of stock is moved quickly at low prices to make room for spring goods. We don't purpose to carry over a single pair. Low prices have made business good with us, even in midwinter. New footwear coming in every day. London had no idea we could develop such a shoe business. Chances are the more you know of the store the better you'll like to trade here.

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WEST LONDON MAINS.

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She also kindly consented, at the request of many of the ladies, to give two extra lessons, as follows: Tuesday evening, "Meats," and Friday evening "Soups." Admission, 25 cents.

Yesterday afternoon the increasing interest in Mrs. Rorer's work and larger attendance. She dealt with bread, hot biscuits and pop-overs. Her practical demonstrations were as usual marvels of the culinary art, and the attention of the audience was further riveted by her running comments and lucid explanations. With apparently little effort, she produced a batch of beautiful bread, biscuits, etc., which the ladies were at liberty to sample. Mrs. Rorer discussed the qualities of wheat. Spring wheat, she said, was the best for bread. Owing to the complicated and rapid processes of milling in the United States, the staff of flour, the simpler the process, the better the flour. Bread was called the staff of life, but it was often the staff of death, because it was made so dreadfully. Mrs. Rorer urged strongly the application of scientific principles to housekeeping, from the standpoint of economy and efficiency. Judging by the cheapness of food in the last few years, she estimated that a family of ten could live on \$5 a week, under proper management.

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grown into an army, and the society had brought life and joy to millions at home and abroad. The colonial work of the society was described and extolled by the bishop, who pointed out that they had given to the Diocese of Huron over £3,000 for colleges, churches, etc. The bishop spoke of the three-fold strength of the Church of England—her glorious foundation traditions set forth in her articles and creeds, her noble liturgy, which was a rich inheritance of the faith, and her beacon light in the darkness around.

The service was conducted by the dean, Rev. Canon Dann and Rev. W. T. Hill.

How Much Do You Weigh

Thinness is wasting. Wasting is tearing down. Scott's Emulsion builds up; it never makes waste. It will give you rich blood and give you back your weight.

We must seek heavenly things by doing earthly things in a heavenly spirit.

LOSES AND.

Mount Forest, M. 9.—While E. H. Wallace and his wife, of Egremont, were engaged cutting straw a large cut-ting box, run by mill power, Mr. Wallace had his hand caught between the rollers and died. He reached for the reverse lever from his position, but was unable to do so, and his hand was caught between the rollers and raised it, but not before it had cut his hand. His brother and raised it, but not before it had cut his hand. His brother and raised it, but not before it had cut his hand.

FAGGED OUT.—He but those who have become fagged know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone and despondency has taken hold of sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure—a box of Parmelee's Tablets. Pills and strength. Make and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's