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Fred Gorman's Letter.

A brief note was received from Sergt. Fred Gorman, of B Company, and son of Mr. Harry Gorman, formerly of London, on Monday, by his parents at Sarnia, dated Thursday, May 1, in which he says:

"We have been on the march for over a week, moving first one way and then another, rounding up the enemy, who are scattered in small bands in this district. There is also a large force of Boers moving from Wepener, from where our troops have forced them to retire, so we expect to have a big battle before long. We had a fight on Wednesday last, in which Col. Oker was wounded in the chin, and a man of F Company, in the arm. A young man named DePoe, of H Company, was instantly killed, having been shot through the head. B Company and D Company charged a kopje under a pretty heavy fire from the enemy, who occupied it, but no one was hit. When we reached the top of the kopje the Boers could be seen in full flight on the other side, with our mounted infantry in pursuit. We (the Sarnia boys) are all well. The nights are quite cold, with occasional frost, but we manage to sleep through with but slight discomfort. This place is about 25 miles east of Bloemfontein and 25 miles from the Basuto border. Fred."

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, June 6—3 p.m.—The area of low pressure in the Northwest Territories is moving quickly eastward, and it is possible that as it passes across Ontario and Quebec during Thursday, thunderstorms, which are now prevalent in Manitoba and the Territories, will extend into Ontario and Quebec. The weather today has been fine and pleasantly warm between the lake region and the Maritime Provinces, except at coast stations in Nova Scotia, where there has been considerable fog. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 50-58; Kamloops, 56-74; Calgary, 40-70; Prince Albert, 50-74; Qu'Appelle, 50-82; Winnipeg, 58-90; Port Arthur, 50-53; Toronto, 50-50; Ottawa, 55-81; Montreal, 59-76; Quebec, 52-78; Halifax, 46-62. Local temperatures—Highest, 82°; lowest, 48.5°.

Today (Wednesday) sun rose at 4:38 a.m. and sets at 7:56 p.m. The moon rises at 1:38 p.m. and sets at 0:36 a.m.

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—T. B. Aldrich.

—Miss Hall, city, is visiting Aylmer friends.

—Mrs. Frank Harding is on a visit with friends in the country.

—H. Ferguson, general roadmaster, of the G. T. R., and C. O. Dell, district roadmaster, are in the city.

—Books and pamphlets of every description executed on the shortest notice at Advertiser Job Printing Department.

—Miss Fanny Flint, of Byron, Miss Flint, of London, with Miss Bell, of Thamesford, leave shortly for France, visiting England, Ireland and Scotland.

—Mr. W. Pate, of the postoffice department, has received a telegram that his son Clarence is in a critical state from typhoid fever at Buffalo, N. Y.

—Today the Maple Leaf League will commemorate the anniversary of Sir John A. Macdonald's death, and also will celebrate the fall of Pretoria, at Springfield.

—Four hundred and four emigrants, bound for Chicago and points further west, passed through London via the G. T. R. about 7:30 p.m. yesterday. The train which conveyed them was composed of a baggage car and nine coaches, and was run as a second section of train No. 5.

—Dr. John A. McArthur, a former Lobo boy, but now a leading physician in Winnipeg, where he has resided for fourteen years, was in the city yesterday, en route to Europe via Toronto and New York. Dr. McArthur will be absent about four months, visiting the hospitals of England, France and Germany. The Lobo boys hold their own.

—The following case was heard in the divisional court at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, Monday: Re Township of Metcalfe and townships of Adelaide and Warwick—Foltsbee (Strathroy), for the corporation of the township of Metcalfe, appealed from order of Meredith, C.J., in Chambers, dismissing an appeal from taxation under circumstances similar to those in the previous case. C. A. Moss, for the corporations of the townships of Adelaide and Warwick, opposed appeal. Reserved.

—A well-attended concert was given in Colborne Street Methodist Church last night in aid of the Mission Circle. The programme was furnished by Miss Irene Hawkins, a graduate of the Boston School of Expression, assisted by H. Ruthven McDonald and Miss Helena Kinder, pianist. Miss Hawkins' elocutionary numbers proved very enjoyable. Her patriotic numbers made her popular at once with her hearers.

—Mr. McDonald rendered "The Sands of Dee" in especially fine form.

—ORME-WILKINS.

A charming June wedding was solemnized at high noon today, at the residence of the bride's father, 63 Elmwood avenue, South London. The contracting parties were Dr. T. D. Orme, of Lucan, and Alice Frederica, youngest daughter of Mr. Samuel Wilkins.

The ceremony was performed under a canopy of flags, by Rev. Archdeacon Davis, assisted by Rev. J. H. Orme, father of the groom. The bride was attended by Misses Dorinda Abbott, Lilian Bell and Agnes Templeton, and the groomsmen were Dr. J. V. Orme, brother of the groom. The bride was dressed in white satin, trimmed with mousseline-de-soie, veil and wreath of orange blossoms. Miss Abbott wore white

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The street railway company took a crowd of several thousand people to Springfield last night. The day's event was celebrated in splendid style. The grounds were brilliantly illuminated. The Musical Society Band played a number of patriotic airs and a grand display of fireworks was given. The service was excellent, and altogether the celebration was most enjoyable.

The pupils in most of the city schools assembled and sang "God Save the Queen," "Her Majesty," and "Soldiers of the Queen."

All pupils of the city schools are requested to assemble at Queen's Park this afternoon, except the male scholars of the senior forms, who are to join in the parade.

The city council and officials, board of education and county council go in trucks. They meet at the city hall at 2 p.m.

The Seventh Band paraded down town shortly after 9 o'clock last night, creating much enthusiasm by its patriotic music.

All the street car employees were presented with small silk flags early in the day by the company.

MIDSUMMER EXAMINATIONS

Discussed at Length by Board of Education.

They Will Not Be Abolished for the Present—Board Will Take Part in Celebration Today—Other Business Transacted.

The board of education met in regular session, at the city hall, last night, Chairman Bayly occupying the chair. There were only a couple of absentees.

The matter that provoked the most discussion was the request of the Teachers' Association that midsummer examinations be dispensed with, substituting as a basis for promotion the monthly records.

Trustee MacPherson moved, seconded by Trustee MacRobert, that the innovation be given a year's trial.

A lengthy discussion followed. Trustee MacPherson, MacRobert, Hamilton and Mrs. Boomer spoke in favor of the change; while Trustee Ziegler, Blackwell, Teasdale, Jones and Regan opposed it for various reasons.

Chairman Bayly expressed himself as in favor of the principle of abolishing the June examinations, but did not consider it advisable to do so this year. The forthcoming examination should be held and subsequent ones abolished.

The vote was taken and resulted: Yeas—Messrs. MacRobert, Morgan, Colerick, Hamilton, Evans, Mrs. Boomer, Gilean, MacPherson—8. Nays—Dr. Ziegler, Dr. English, Messrs. McCormick, Wilkins, Blackwell, Jones, Teasdale, Bayly—8.

The chairman declared the motion lost. Trustee MacPherson appealed from the ruling, contending that they could not negative a motion by his vote. The chairman's ruling was sustained.

Inspector Carson recommended that the date for the examinations be fixed for June 27, 28 and 29. He reported illness on the part of a number of teachers. The report was sent to committee.

Several rooms in the Collegiate Institute were granted to School Inspector Thompson for the purpose of holding West Middlesex examinations.

Miss McKenzie, supervisor of kindergartens, reported that the following students had completed a special course of lectures on the theory and methods of kindergarten work, and had attended a kindergarten for eight weeks: Misses Francis Loney, Maggie Knowles, Edna McQueen and Lottie Hill.

Wm. Wallace, of Rodney, received the appointment of assistant teacher of the Model School during the model term.

Moved by Trustee MacRobert, seconded by Trustee Gilean, that this board act as a committee of the whole for the purpose of celebrating the fall of Pretoria tomorrow afternoon, and accept the invitation of the citizens' committee to co-operate with them in the demonstration. The motion carried.

Moved by Trustee MacRobert, seconded by Trustee Hamilton, that a sum not in excess of \$50 be granted to the citizens' committee for the celebration of the fall of Pretoria. After considerable discussion the motion passed.

Mr. MacRobert's motion, re kindergartens, was referred to the special committee on kindergartens.

The meeting then adjourned.

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The next morning the fox was gone. Investigation proved that its mate had assisted the prisoner in making its escape. The fox had worked away on the inside until it had bitten a board loose from its fastenings. This, however, was not sufficient to permit it to get out unless the board was lifted up. The board was held up from the outside, as the teeth marks on it show, until the prisoner crawled to liberty.

Tracks of another fox