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METEOROLOGICAL
Toronto, Jan. 10—8 p.m.—The disturbance, which was centered in Missouri last night, is now dispersing over the lower lake region. Other depressions are also situated in Texas and the far Northwest. A moderate snowfall has occurred in Northern and Eastern Ontario, and in Quebec rain has fallen in Southern Ontario. Milder conditions are setting in in the Territories, and Manitoba, and no pronounced cold is anywhere indicated at present.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 32-40; Calgary, 2 below-28; Qu'Appelle, 13 below-2; Winnipeg, 18 below-8; Port Arthur, 10-24; Parry Sound, 14-20; Toronto, 28-36; Ottawa, 8-14; Montreal, 8-18; Quebec, 2 below-12; Halifax, 12-20.

Local temperatures, Thursday, Jan. 10:—Highest 40, lowest 27.

Today (Friday) the sun rose at 7:50 a.m., and sets at 5:01 p.m. The moon rises at midnight and sets at 10:55 a.m.

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A LOCAL BUDGET.

—George McHardy, son of Mr. Edward McHardy, of Nichol, is taking a three months' military course in the Wolsey Barracks.

—Detective Heenan, of St. Thomas, has in his possession a lady's telescope value which was exchanged by mistake in this city on Saturday last.

—The Conservative Duplicate Whist Club, of this city, has challenged the Woodstock Whist Club, and it is likely a match will be arranged for next week.

—Pte. Sutherland has telegraphed his friends that he will probably reach home today of Saturday. He was one of the passengers on the Rosslyn Castle.

—A number of the young bachelors of the city entertained their lady friends to a dance last evening, at the Palace Dancing Academy. A very enjoyable time was spent.

—Special services are being held in the Methodist Church, Arkona, they are conducted by the pastor, Rev. R. F. Irwin, assisted by S. Grigg, ex-hotel keeper of this city.

CONCERT AT DRILL HALL.

A concert will be given on the 29th inst., in the drill hall, in honor of the London volunteers who have figured in the battles in South Africa. The "Soldiers' Wives' League" will tender a supper to the heroes in the City Hall, whence they will march to the drill hall for the entertainment.

WEEKLY HIGH COURT.

The first sitting for the century of the weekly high court of justice was held yesterday before Mr. Justice Robertson. Only one case was heard, Mr. W. H. Bartram, on behalf of a client, moved for a mandamus to compel the division court judge to dispense with particulars of credits asked for by the defense. The judge thought the motion improperly made, and dismissed the motion, without costs, however. Mr. Murphy, for the defendants, opposed the motion.

FURTHER REMANDED.

Nelson Blackwell and Ed. Fountain, who were remanded for sentence on a charge of burglary, came up at the police court this morning, but were further remanded until tomorrow.

George Warren was found guilty of being drunk and disorderly and was fined \$10.

A merchant, charged with breach of the law, by leaving goods on the sidewalk, was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

THE LATE ROBERT HALDANE.

Strathroy Dispatch: The funeral of the late Robert Haldane, of Metcalfe, took place from the family residence, Metcalfe, on Thursday afternoon, interment being made in the Strathroy cemetery. Deceased was born in Edinburgh, Scotland, Nov. 22, 1833, and removed with his parents to Westminster township in the spring of 1834. He resided there for about 13 years, and was then apprenticed to the late Marcus Holmes, of London, in the wagon-making business. After serving his time he came to Strathroy and built a wagon shop on the corner of James and Caradoc streets, continuing that business for a number of years. He went to Chicago in 1890 for a short time, returned and was married to Irene M. Jeffery, who, with a young son, predeceased him in 1892. He was married again in 1894 to Allie J. Griffith, who, with a family of five children, viz., George M., Edna A., Rose M., Annas E., and Herbert T., are left with the pleasant memories of

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a kind husband and an indulgent father. Shortly after his second marriage he engaged in the building business, and some years later formed a copartnership with the late William Cooper, erecting in the town and surrounding country a large number of buildings, including the Frank Street Methodist Church. In 1881 he purchased the farm in Metcalfe, where he resided up to the time of his demise. The cause of death was paralysis, which was first manifested on the 24th of February, 1899. Everything was done that medical skill and attention could suggest, but without attended. The funeral was very largely attended, the pallbearers being Messrs. Thomas and James Bogue, Thomas Patterson, Samuel Oakes, William Pyke and Dugald Graham. Revs. A. McKibbin, of Strathroy; G. N. Hazen, of Sarnia, and John Morrison, of London, conducted the service at the house and the grave, and the kindly words spoken will long be kept in remembrance by those who heard them.

Coming and Going.

Miss Norah Brown is visiting in St. Marys.

Miss Sheebottom is visiting friends in St. Marys.

Miss Gertrude Sine, city, has left for Niagara Falls to spend the winter.

Miss Rowe, city, is visiting her brother, Mr. E. P. Rowe, at Hepworth.

Miss Tena Thatcher leaves Ridgeport on Monday to attend the Normal School here.

Miss Annie Sale, who has been the guest of Miss Ada Whelan, St. Marys, has returned home.

Miss Maud Coughlin has returned home after a few days' visit with Miss Mary Kennedy, of Alvinston.

Miss Nellie Kichham, of 784 King street, here, on an extended visit to Detroit, Pontiac and Cleveland, O.

ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY

Annual Meeting and Election of Officers—Gratifying Financial Position.

St. George's Society's annual meeting was held in the lodge rooms, Albion Building, last night, with Mr. E. T. Essery, the president, in the chair. The annual reports submitted were of a satisfactory nature. Owing to the absence of the treasurer, Mr. Geo. Pritchard, because of bereavement, the treasurer's report was not submitted. However, it is stated that the assets of the society are the tidy sum of \$4,432.62. The report of the relief committee showed an expenditure in the last half year of \$36.55. The expenditure for Christmas cheer was \$250. In addition there were a number of charitable bequests.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President—Bro. Peter Birtwistle. Vice-President—Bro. Geo. B. Nash. Second Vice-President—Bro. J. H. Barrow.

Secretary—Bro. J. B. Cox. Assistant Secretary—Bro. R. Cadwallader. Chaplain—Bro. Geo. B. Sage. Ex-officio—Bro. Geo. B. Sage.

Relief Committee—Bros. H. T. Smith, J. Pannell, Wm. Skinner, S. A. Roberts, J. Heaman, J. Graham and Geo. Gregory. Auditors—Bros. Geo. F. Jewell and W. H. Bartram.

Finance Committee—Bros. J. Sussex, J. C. Judge, Bro. J. Pannell, Record Keeper—Bro. R. Cadwallader. Chaplains—Bros. Geo. B. Sage, Geo. Cox, Provost Watkins, Dr. Saunders, Dean Innes and Canon Richardson. A resolution of condolence was passed with the Bros. Pritchard in their present bereavement.

Votes of thanks were tendered to the retiring officers, skilful responses from Bros. Essery, Skinner, Barron and others.

Middlesex County Council.

The county council for Middlesex for 1901 will be composed of the following members:

London Township—Peter Elson and Robert W. Jackson.
Westminster and DeWaele—James Murray and R. M. Piper.
East and West Williams—Simon McLeod and Trafford Campbell.
Nissouri and Dorchester—Geo. Neeley and J. W. Salmon.
Caradoc and Lobo—J. P. Grigg and Alex. Gray.
Mose and Ekfrid—George B. Campbell and D. D. Graham.
Biddulph and McGillivray—J. Bradley and R. Hodgins.
Strathroy, Adelaide and Metcalfe—G. D. Robotham and H. Gough.

FIREMAN MUNN'S CLOSE CALL.

St. Thomas, Jan. 11.—Walter Munn, fireman on the Grand Trunk, who resides on Edward street, had a narrow escape from death Wednesday night. Munn was firing on an engine, hauling a freight train, which was following an extra eastbound. While going up the hill at Simcoe, the train ahead got stalled. Munn thought there was going to be a collision and he jumped, but fell under the train. Though escaping death, he had his left foot badly crushed by the wheels passing over it. His face was cut and he was bruised about the body. The train did not come together.

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STRONG WORDS OF COUNSEL

Says Prosecution's Action is a Confession of Morden's Guilt.

Action to Postpone Sifton Will Case Grows More Complicated.

Some Vigorous Language Directed at the Attorney-General.

Justice Robertson Questions Whether Postponement is in Interests of Justice or Morden—Verdict for Plaintiff in the Seduction Case.

Yesterday afternoon's entire session of the winter assize court was taken up with further argument by counsel as to whether the Sifton will case should or should not be postponed until after the trial of the murder charge now hanging over Gerald Sifton. The result of the day's proceedings was to leave the case exactly where it was at adjournment on the previous evening, for while the court had been prepared to give judgment yesterday morning, Mr. Lount's unexpected appearance on behalf of the attorney-general, and the arguments advanced by him, necessitated another adjournment for consideration of the case, it was evident throughout, however, that though Mr. Justice Robertson expressed himself as quite willing, as far as personal feeling is concerned, to be relieved of the rather unpleasant duty of hearing the case, his personal feelings are being kept under rigid restraint, and his legal duty kept ever foremost, for all his utterances and rulings were in the direction of allowing the case to be proceeded with, unless it can be proved to his complete satisfaction that the defense is incapable of proceeding properly with the case.

It was close to 3 o'clock when Mr. Justice Robertson ascended the bench after the recess for luncheon. Mr. Lount was asked to continue his argument, which he did. He devoted his attention mainly to enlarging upon the arguments already put forward to the effect that the trial of the civil action first would prejudice the crown's case in the criminal trial. He said that if the present case were postponed the crown was prepared to offer to produce at the murder trial all the evidence which they have to use in the defense of the present suit, and

WHAT SHALL WE EAT

To Keep Healthy and Strong?

A healthy appetite and common sense are excellent guides to follow in matters of diet, and a mixed diet of grains, fruits and meats is undoubtedly the best, in spite of the claims made by vegetarians and food cranks generally.

As compared with grain and vegetables, meat furnishes the most nutritious food, and is digested and assimilated more quickly than vegetables or grains.

Dr. Julius Remousson on this subject says: Nervous persons, people run down in health and of low vitality should eat plenty of meat. If the digestion is too feeble at first it may be strengthened by the regular use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal. Two of these excellent tablets taken after dinner will digest several thousand grains of meat, eggs or other animal food in three or four hours, while the malt diastase also contained in Stuart's Tablets causes the perfect digestion of starchy foods, like potatoes, bread, etc., and no food can be so completely and so quickly digested as meat.

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That large class of people who come under the head of nervous dyspeptics should eat plenty of meat and insure their complete digestion by the systematic use of safe, harmless, digestive medicine like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, composed of the natural digestive principles, pepsines and diastase, which actually perform the work of digestion and give the diseased stomach a chance to rest and to furnish the body and brain with the necessary nutriment. Cheap cathartic medicines, masquerading under the name of dyspepsia cures are useless for relief or cure of indigestion, because they have absolutely no effect upon the actual digestion of food.

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Workmen's Comfort as a Factor in Efficiency.

The introduction of steam power into the manufacturing world drove the little blacksmith shop, shoe shop, the country dairy and weaver's loom, from the village into the city and opened many new problems. In those early days, the small workman found it best to consider carefully the physical, moral and mental welfare of his apprentice and his assistant. If it paid the small employer to do this, it will pay the great employer many-fold more to have the same thoughtfulness for the hundreds or thousands in his employ. The difficulty will be to determine what is needed for this adjustment, and how to accomplish the arrangement, even with the needs recognized. It would seem, however, that all will agree that among the essentials to economic production and a proper adjustment of relations are opportunity for thorough training of the workman, and his co-operation in saving and in perfect manufacture.

Attention to personal comfort is another of the essentials in the recognition of the needs of employees. By this is meant thoughtfulness for comfort in work—proper arrangement for lunches and food—opportunities for rest, for baths and for all those things which add strength and encourage contentment. It is not sufficient, however, to think simply of the physical wants. To accomplish one of the great aims of all plans—that of securing intelligent operatives—it is necessary to afford mental training and mental growth.—J. H. Patterson, in The Engineering Magazine for January.

BEAUTIES OF A GLACIER.

Scenes in the Canadian Rockies Likened to Vision of a Glorified City.

The fascinations of a glacier are as witching as they are dangerous. Apostolic vision of a crystal city glorified by light "that never was in heaven" was not more beautiful than these vast rivers, whose onward course is chronicled, not by years and centuries, but by geological ages, says A. C. Laut, writing in the New York Post of the Great Illcilliwaet, Asulkan and Bow River glacial regions of the Rocky Mountains of British Columbia. With white domed snow cornices wreathed fantastic as arabesque, and with the glassy walls of emerald grottoes reflecting a million sparkling jewels, one might be in some cavernous dream world or among the tottering grandeur of an ancient city. The ice pillars and silvered pinnacles, like sculptured marble of temples crumbling from the rim of bluish chasms. Tints too brilliant for the turquoise gleam from the turquoise of crystal walls. Rivers that flow through valleys of ice and lakes, hemmed in by hills of ice, and shining with an azure depth that is very infinity's self.

In the morning, when all thaw has been stopped by the night's cold, there is deathly silence over the glacial fields, even the mountain cataracts fall noiselessly from the precipice to ledge in tenuous, wind-blown threads. But with the rising of the sun the whole glacial world bursts to life in noisy gleam from the turquoise of crystal walls. Rivers that flow through valleys of ice and lakes, hemmed in by hills of ice, and shining with an azure depth that is very infinity's self.

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The judge wished to know if counsel could produce authorities showing the right of the attorney-general to interfere and ask a postponement of the case. The fact, he said, that the crown attorney was acting in Morden's private counsel was appearing for the attorney-general, was strongly suggestive of the fact that the efforts for postponement were being made more for Morden's sake than in the interests of justice.

Mr. Scott said he was certain that counsel for the defense could produce no authorities for the position taken by the attorney-general. He said that the interposition of the attorney-general at this juncture was a confession on the part of the crown of Edgar Morden's guilt. The positions occupied by the offices of the attorney-general and the crown attorney in the matter was the only thing that had ever made him ashamed of that branch of the administration of justice.

After a reply by Mr. Lount to the remarks of Messrs. Hellmuth and Scott, the judge further remarked that if Morden was proved to have forged the will, it would strongly discredit his extraordinary evidence at the murder trial. He ended by again expressing his desire to be satisfied that the attorney-general had the right to interpose, as he had done. The judge asked Mr. Lount to put in by tomorrow any authorities he could find on the subject.

Asked by counsel if he would render his decision tomorrow, the judge repeated that he hoped to do so, but had been interrupted and delayed so often and so unexpectedly that he was afraid to say definitely. Enough time, and already been expended in argument as would have sufficed to try the case.

It being now 5:15 p.m., and no other cases being ready, court adjourned, after some remarks by the judge about the manner in which the court's time was wasted by dilatory counsel.

VERDICT FOR PLAINTIFF.

The jury in the Bodine vs. Howe seduction case returned after being out for over two hours, with a verdict for the plaintiff, and assessing the damages at \$1,000. Counsel for the defendant asked a stay of 30 days. The judge ordered judgment to be entered for the plaintiff, with full costs of action, after 30 days.

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