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MILD WITH SLEET OR RAIN.

Toronto, Jan. 5—11 p.m.—The shallow depression which was over the lake region has passed off the New England coast, and that which was in the Northwest Territories is moving southeast from Manitoba. The mild weather continues from Ontario to British Columbia, and the temperature is rising in the St. Lawrence valley and Maritime Provinces. There has been a light snow fall in Nova Scotia and Southern New Brunswick. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Esquimalt, 38-46; Kamloops, 30-32; Swift Current, 20-30; Qu'Appelle, 38-22; Winnipeg, 12-32; Port Arthur, 12-28; Parry Sound, 14-36; Toronto, 22-35; Ottawa, 2 below-16; Montreal, 2 below-22; Chatham, 18 below-6; Quebec, 2 below-12; Halifax, 2-18.

Probabilities: Toronto, Jan. 6.—Lower lakes: Southerly and easterly winds; mild weather, with local falls of sleet or rain.

Local temperature: The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory yesterday were 35 and 19.5 above.

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News About Town

—Miss Jamesina Dunbar, Camden House, is visiting friends in Ailsa Craig.

—Views of the city hall disaster can be seen in the front window of The Advertiser office.

—Mrs. Wilson Atkinson, of Glencoe, is visiting her mother on Langarth street, South London.

—Today being the Feast of the Epiphany, also called "Little Christmas," the services in St. Peter's Cathedral were very largely attended.

—The officers of Star Lodge, A. O. U. W., were installed on Tuesday evening by D. D. G. M. Oliver, of Ilderton, assisted by P. M. Morgan, of Grant Lodge.

—Mr. W. O. Doke, of Chesley, who, with his bride, has been on a honeymoon trip visiting friends and relatives in London and Strathroy, returned to his home yesterday.

—A Buffalo telegram says: Prize tickets were awarded at the Buffalo poultry show yesterday. Among the principal winners are Richard Oke, of London, Ont.; C. J. Daniels, Toronto; H. W. Bell, Toronto, and Henry Emrick, Bridgeport, Ont. The show, which opened Monday and is to continue all week, is a most successful one in every respect.

—A large audience gathered at the Salvation Army Citadel last night to witness the wedding of two members of the army. Major Southall, provincial secretary, officiated. The young couple were W. J. Kerswell, sergeant-major of the junior soldiers, and Miss Mary Lewis, a soldier in the local corps. Mr. Wm. A. Corbett assisted the groom, and Miss Tillie Parker was bridesmaid. A wedding supper followed, when Mrs. Kerswell was presented with a handsome lamp by the juniors, and also with a set of dishes and clock by the senior corps. The presentations were accompanied by addresses, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Kerswell long life and happiness.

—Mr. Wm. Mullins, leader of St. Peter's choir, was surprised Tuesday night by his pupils of the church, who paid his residence a visit, and took with them a handsome clock, which was presented to Mr. Mullins, accompanied by a neatly-worded expressive address. Mr. Thomas Breen made the presentation, while Mr. Joseph Leech read the address. Though completely surprised, Mr. Mullins found words to thank the members of the choir for their kindness. He would try and retain their good opinion. A few social hours were spent before the party separated.

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HAY—THACKER.

The residence of Mr. J. T. Gentleman, No. 5 Seale terrace, York street, was the scene yesterday afternoon of a pretty home wedding in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends of the young couple. The principals were James C. Hay, M.D., of Laurel, Neb., (a graduate of Toronto University and native of Paisley, Ont.), and Sarah (Siddie) Catherine Thacker, eldest daughter of Mr. John E. Thacker, of Hamilton, North Dakota. Rev. Robert Johnston, B.D., of St. Andrew's Church, performed the ceremony, at the conclusion of which Miss Robiyn played Mendelssohn's wedding march. Miss Emily Taylor, of Hamilton, was bridesmaid, and Mr. Robert Fraser, of the same city, supported the groom. Miss Jean McIntyre, of St. Thomas, and Miss Irene C. Dewar, of South London, were the maids of honor. After the ceremony the company partook of a sumptuous repast, and spent the remainder of the afternoon in a pleasant manner. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and costly gifts. In addition to the relatives and intimate friends, the following guests were present from a distance: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sutherland, Port Huron; Mr. and Mrs. T. G. McIntyre, of St. Thomas; Master John McIntyre, of the same city; Mrs. Thacker, of Woodstock, and numerous others. The happy couple left for Chicago, en route to their home in the far west.

DAUGHTERS OF REBEKAH

Installation of Officers for Lodges May Queen and Victoria.

At the regular meeting of May Queen Lodge, No. 5, Daughters of Rebekah, I. O. O. F., the following officers were installed by the grand officers: N. G., Sister Hayward; V. G., Sister Scott; R. C., Sister Johns; F. S. Sister Prescott; T., Sister Hardey; C., Sister Johnson; W., Sister Sanders; C., Sister Powell; I. G., Sister Waugh; O. G., Sister Buskard; R. S. of N. G., Sister Showler; L. S. of N. G., Sister Lily Grimshaw; R. S. of V. G., Sister Lily Hardey; L. S. of V. G., Sister Grimshaw.

Officers for Victoria Lodge, No. 1, Daughters of Rebekah: N. G., Sister Bertha Levine; V. G., Sister Helen Powell; S., Brother W. J. Tanner; T., Sister A. Tanner; C., Bro. W. F. Brokenshire; W., Sister M. W. Munner; C., Sister Mary Pearse; R. S. of N. G., Sister Lily Hardie; L. S. of N. G., Sister F. Brokenshire; R. S. of V. G., Sister L. Bugg; L. S. of V. G., Sister E. Stinson; I. G., Bro. Levine; O. G., Bro. Davis.

After the installation refreshments were served and a social time indulged in by the members.

INGERSOLL'S CLAIM.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Cured Hundreds of People There.

Ingersoll, Jan. 3.—London, Glencoe and St. Thomas cannot claim all the remarkable cures wrought in this district by that wonderful remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills. Ingersoll is bubbling over with excitement over the cures in this town.

Farmer G. J. Cook, of West Oxford township, is the latest to tell of his rescue. He suffered the agonies of Kidney Disease, in spite of doctors and their remedies till he began using Dodd's Kidney Pills. A short treatment cured him completely.

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Portugal was the Portus Galliae of the Romans, literally "the gate of Gaul," as approached from the Mediterranean and the Atlantic.

LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs, and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believed it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good."

Lake Erie is the lake of the "Wild Cat," the name given to a fierce tribe of Indians exterminated by the Iroquois.

FAGGED OUT.—None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure—one box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's Pills.

Buffalo aldermen have refused to appropriate any money for the instruction of public school girls in cooking.

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Sarnia Hockeyists Defeat the Windsor Team.

Winnipeg and Ottawa Hockeyists Play a Draw—Turf and Baseball Gossip.

HOCKEY.

WINNIPEG VS. OTTAWA.

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—The Winnipeg hockey team opened their eastern tour here last night in a game with the Ottawas. The result was a draw, each side securing 4 goals.

SARNIA DEFEATS WINDSOR.

Sarnia, Jan. 6.—The first of the championship games of the Ontario Hockey Association was played on St. Andrew's rink here last night, between Windsor and Sarnia, resulting in favor of the home team. Score: 12 to 4.

CURLING.

AT DETROIT.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—The Granite curling club, of this city, will send two strong rinks to Detroit to take part in the bonspell. C. C. Dalton and W. C. Matthews will be the skips.

THE TURF.

FAST TIME IN CANADA.

The annual booklet for 1898 published by the Dominion Brewery Company, of Toronto, gives the following table of fastest times made at race meetings in Canada:

4 furlongs, Sharon, 2, 108, Windsor, 1897 ..... :48½
4½ furlongs, Gilray, 2, 106, Windsor, 1897 ..... :54¾
5 furlongs, Traverser, 2, 112, Windsor, 1897 ..... 1:00½
5½ furlongs, Traverser, 2, 84, Windsor, 1897 ..... 1:06¼
6 furlongs, Jennie June, 6, 112, Windsor, 1897 ..... 1:13
6½ furlongs, Nellie Smith, 2, 69, Windsor, 1895 ..... 1:20
7 furlongs, Subito, 3, 110, Windsor, 1896 ..... 1:27½
7½ furlongs, Ruthven, 4, 107, Windsor, 1896 ..... 1:34¼
1 mile, Our Johnny, 3, 107, Fort Erie, 1897 ..... 1:40
1 1-16 miles, Lake Shore, 6, 111, Fort Erie, 1897 ..... 1:46¼
1⅛ miles, Ulysses, 4, 118, Fort Erie, 1897 ..... 1:53½
1¼ miles, Sue Kittie, 5, 103, Fort Erie, 1897 ..... 2:07½
1 5-16 miles, Lord Nelson, 4, 113, Hamilton, 1895 ..... 2:19
1⅜ miles, Uncle Jim, 5, 100, Windsor, 1895 ..... 2:23
1½ miles, Basso, 4, 118, Hamilton, 1896 ..... 2:35

RACING DATES.

The stewards of the New York Jockey Club have arranged these dates for the season of 1898: Washington Jockey Club, spring meeting, April 11 to 23; Queen's County Jockey Club, spring meeting, April 25 to May 5; summer meeting, Aug. 15 to 20; autumn meeting, Oct. 24 to Nov. 8; Westchester Racing Association, spring meeting, May 7 to 26; autumn meeting, Oct. 1 to 22; Brooklyn Jockey Club, spring meeting, May 28 to June 16; autumn meeting, Sept. 13 to 29; Coney Island Jockey Club, spring meeting, June 18 to July 4; autumn meeting, Aug. 23 to Sept. 10; Brighton Beach Racing Association, July 6 to Aug. 9; Saratoga Association, July 28 to Aug. 27. All dates are inclusive. The applications of Jockeys Richard Bropay and George McCluskey for reinstatement were denied.

TIPS.

The Fort Erie people must pay the back purses they owe to horsemen within a short time, or the Jockey Club will withdraw their license.

The United States Horsemen's Protective Association has decided that hereafter only horse owners shall be eligible to membership. Friendly relations with the Jockey Club and the Turf Congress will be maintained.

BASEBALL.

FLYS.

There is hardly any doubt that the New York club will play Sunday baseball during the coming season, not only on the road but at the polo grounds, borough of Manhattan, Greater New York.

Charles H. Ebbetts, secretary and treasurer of the Brooklyn club, has purchased a controlling interest in the club. Barnie will be retained as manager.

President Hart, of Chicago, says he would pay $3,500 for Catcher McGuire, of Washington. When he broached the subject to Wagner, the latter told him he was getting to be a comedian.

Indoor practice has already begun at the University of Chicago. The team is badly off for pitchers for the first time in its history.

BOUGHT THE BROWNS.

It is stated that the St. Louis Browns has been sold to a syndicate composed of John T. Brush, the Indianapolis baseball magnate; Messrs. Talbot and Schmidt, of that city, and Frank D. Robison, president of the Cleveland club. The price paid was $85,000, of which $60,000 is in cash and the remainder in notes.

When A. G. Spalding was asked regarding the alleged purchase of the St. Louis baseball club by a syndicate of which he was one, he said it was news to him.

WHEEL SPOKES.

More than 52,000 members have joined the L. A. W. since last February.

The executive committee of the L. A. W. has decided to hold the next annual meet in Indianapolis.

The La Crosse County Wheelmen, 250 strong, have decided to withdraw from the L. A. W. They want Sunday races.

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From the Sisters of Mount Hope Orphanage—Donations Gratefully Acknowledged.

The following communication fully explains itself: Owing to the thoughtful kindness of the many benefactors of Mount Hope Orphanage, the sisters in charge were easily and pleasantly enabled to make Christmas the happiest day of the year as usual. Nothing was forgotten by those good friends that could contribute pleasure to either old or young, for which the sisters hereby wish to express their heartfelt gratitude, and they pray that our Heavenly Father, who regards what is bestowed on the poor as loaned to himself, will repay these generous donors according to his gracious promise, "with full measure, pressed down, and running over." Following are the names of the donors with their offerings:

Mr. James Egan, town of St. Marys, turkey and a goose; Mrs. Michael Mulkern, turkey and a goose; Mr. John Daly, turkey, packages of candy, grapes, nuts and oranges; Mr. J. Legg, $1; Mrs. E. O'Brien, turkey; Mrs. Houseman, 10 dozen oranges, package of candy; Rev. P. Corcoran, $10; a friend, 6 turkeys, a large fruit cake; Mrs. M. Dewan, turkey, goose, 7 pounds of butter; Dr. Niven, goose; Mr. John Garvey, quarter of beef; Mr. J. Toohey, side of lamb; Mr. Geo. Aust, bag of oatmeal; London Drug Company, 2 boxes toilet soap; Mrs. Harry Tierney, plum pudding; Mrs. J. P. Murray, 5 pounds choice candy; Mr. J. P. Murray, 2 turkeys; Mr. J. Roche, turkey and a pair of chickens; Mr. M. Twomey, Windsor, $10; Rev. J. Tobin, $5; Mrs. B. Dewan, $1; a friend, 5 chickens; Mrs. W. T. Strong, turkey; Mrs. Moylan, turkey, fruit cake, jelly; Mr. D. McIntyre, turkey; Mr. Ginge, Canada Packing Company, ham; Turville Bros., case of canned corn; Rev. T. Valentine, $5; Mrs. D. Connel, turkey; Mr. J. Keary, $1; Mrs. Geo. McLellan, $2; Mr. Payne, $2; Mrs. McLeod, a dozen and a half girls' hats, prettily trimmed; Mr. D. Collins, $5; a friend, a number of magazines and a basket of groceries; Mr. M. Gould, $5; Mr. G. C. Cruickshank, bag of oatmeal, 100 pounds of flour; Mr. D. Regan, $5; Mr. W. B. Waterbury, $3; Sodality, B.V.M., 3 dozen pairs stockings; Mr. G. C. Gibbons, $10; Mrs. G. C. Gibbons, turkey, packages of sugar, barley and rice; Rev. T. Aylward, $5; Mrs. Henry Becher, turkey; Mr. Harry Becher, turkey and a bag of potatoes; Major Beattie, M.P., $5; Rev. M. Cummins, $5; Mr. Thos. Hussey, Kingsbridge, turkey and a barrel of apples; Ryan & Russel, 6 cans of apple butter, 6 cans of tomatoes; Mr. J. P. Pocock, 2 bags of flour; Mr. M. F. O'Meara, turkey, goose, two hams, 4 pounds of sausage; Hamilton & Son, packages of beans, peas, barley and salt; Mrs. T. H. Smallman, turkey, 1 dozen oranges; Mrs. James Butler, turkey, packages of candy and oranges; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Robinson, turkey, goose, web of shirting; Mr. James Wilson, box of raisins, half case of oranges, gallon of wine; Mr. J. C. Dignan, turkey; Mrs. H. D. Long, turkey; Mrs. Tillmann, bag of flour; Rev. M. J. Tiernan, $5; Mrs. John Sullivan, bag of oatmeal; Mrs. J. B. Cox, turkey; Mr. Joseph Pocock, ham; Mr. P. Mulkern, turkey, ham; Mrs. W. H. Smith turkey, 6 pounds of butter; Mrs. C. V. McCarthy, turkey; Mrs. C. Higgins, goose, 1 dozen oranges; Mr. J. Breen, 50 pounds of sausage; Mrs. Kennedy, quarter of lamb; Mr. J. E. Johnston, Chatham, turkey; Mr. C. O'Hagan, $5; Mrs. Ranahan, 20 loaves of bread; Mrs. Bogue, 30 pounds of fish; Mrs. F. McNeil, 100 pounds of flour, 2 dozen oranges; Mr. W. Corcoran, 25 pounds of corn starch; Mr. L. Munro, 2 dozen boys' caps; Mr. J. Ward, 100 pounds of flour; Mrs. John Cleary, goose and 5 pounds of butter; Mrs. O'Grady, $10; Mr. Mitchell, Pond Mills, load of wood; Mrs. Wm. Harper, $2; Mr. T. McCormick, 2-pound box of choice cake and candy to each of 170 inmates, also 50 half-pound boxes of chocolate drops.

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