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FINE AND WARM; SOME
LOCAL THUNDERSTORMS.

Toronto, Ont., July 14, 11 p.m.—Pressure has decreased considerably today from the lakes to the Atlantic, especially in the Lower St. Lawrence Valley and the Gulf, where some local showers have occurred. Thunderstorms have been general in Manitoba, and also in the Lake Superior district. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Esquimaux, 50-55; Kamloops, 53-73; Calgary, 58-82; Qu'Appelle, 60-76; Winnipeg, 62-82; Port Arthur, 52-64; Parry Sound, 54-80; Toronto, 52-88; Ottawa, 54-83; Montreal, 58-80; Quebec, 54-72; Halifax, 52-72.

Toronto, July 15, 1 a.m.—Probabilities for the lower lakes—Fins and decidedly warm; a few local thunderstorms. Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory yesterday were 90 and 45.5 above.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

—Ald. Douglass and family are cotagating at Port Stanley.
—About four thousand attended the concert given by the Seventh Band in Victoria Park last evening.
—Mrs. D. McCarthy, of Ingersoll, was brought to St. Joseph's Hospital here last night to undergo an operation.
—H. G. Hopkirk, of London, post-office inspector, is making a tour of inspection of the country postoffices in Kent county.

—No meeting of the executive committee of the Plebeian Association was held last night, and a meeting has been called for Tuesday evening.

—Thieves entered the stable of Dr. Kingsmill, 482 Ridout street, last night and carried away a heavy black silver-mounted set of Gladstone harness.

—Samuel Leitich, living at Komoka, was brought to jail yesterday on a charge of insanity, having been committed for trial by J. B. Jones, reeve of Lobo.

—The concert down the river at Springsbank last night, given by the London Musical Society Band, proved a great attraction and was thoroughly appreciated.

—The Afterlife correspondent of the Hamilton Times says: A man answering somewhat to the description of the London police murdered has been seen around here for several days.

—A cake walk and concert will be held in aid of Summerholm in the Port Stanley town hall on July 20. An excellent programme has been prepared. A number of Londoners will take part.

—Joseph Hodgins and Thomas Haskett, charged with having and exposing for sale a lewd publication, were before the magistrate court again today. They were further bailed until Friday next.

—G.T.R. Train Dispatcher Goodwin, of this city, held a school of instruction at the tunnel station, Sarnia, yesterday, for operators and dispatchers with regard to the new rules soon to be adopted on the G. T. R. system.

—Dr. Hutchinson, of this city, has purchased the yacht Nancy, one of the fastest in her class. She now lies in the harbor at Port Stanley. The doctor, accompanied by a party, intends leaving for a week's cruise shortly.

—The Irish Benevolent Society held a meeting at the Grigs House last night, with Vice-President Fitzgerald in the chair. Aug. 4 was the day chosen on which to hold their 21st annual picnic at Port Stanley. Committees were struck to arrange matters.

—Fred, the 13-year-old son of Mr. David Stothers, of Trafalgar street, while playing at the south end of Adelaide street yesterday afternoon, fell under a load of gravel, which passed over one leg, crushing it severely. He was removed to the hospital.

—A lady from London, whose name could not be ascertained, got off a trolley car in front of the Grand Central Hotel, St. Thomas, Wednesday evening, and just after doing so missed her purse. The car had gone east, but Mr. Donley sent a telephone message to Lew Dake, of the Dake House. He stopped the car and found the wallet.

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AT THE LAKESIDE

First Methodist and Dundas Center Schools at Port.

An Ideal Day and a Large Crowd—Short Service Held—How the Day Was Spent.

A fine day and a large and jolly crowd of merry-makers tended to make the union picnic of the First Methodist and Dundas Center schools at Port Stanley yesterday one of the most successful ever held. In the morning, hundreds of picnickers made a hurried rush for seats on the train. Some 22 coaches were soon filled with happy humanity, and a baggage car loaded with the necessary lunch baskets. On arrival at Port the Fraser hill was taken possession of, and little groups scattered all over the inviting Fraser grounds. A dainty spread soon followed, and after the contents of the lunch baskets had been explored with universal satisfaction, the sonorous tones of a large hand-bell caused the people to gather around the band stand, where a short musical service was conducted.

SUMMER HOLIDAYS.

Those Who Are Spending Them in London—Londoners Abroad.

John Dwyer, Richmond street, is holidaying at Port Stanley.

Miss Lockner is the guest of Miss Frankline Davis, of Exeter.

Prof. and Mrs. Barron are visiting Mrs. E. C. Jackson, of Tilsonburg.

Mr. E. D. Fisk, of Providence, R. I., is on a "business trip" to this city.

Mrs. T. Williamson, of Toronto, is visiting friends on Queen's avenue.

Mrs. Dwyer and daughter, Miss Agnes, are visiting relatives in Ingersoll.

Mr. Thomas Churcher, of Ottawa, formerly of this city, is on a visit to London.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bowden, of this city, are visiting Mr. Bowden's parents at Exeter.

Miss Davis, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. W. E. Mitchell, of this city, are visiting at Exeter.

Miss Gertrude Cooper, city, is spending a few weeks in Aylmer, the guest of Mrs. R. E. Simpson.

Mrs. J. C. Sullivan, of Belmont, Ia., is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Hurley, 21 Adelaide street.

Mrs. D. McNeil, of 53 Easton avenue, Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Burdick, of Exeter.

Mr. and Mrs. Dampier, of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Dampier, of Duluth, Minn., are visiting here.

Miss Florence A. McAlpine, of Alisa, Craig, Miss Laura M. Hickey, and Miss Phyllis E. Chubb, of this city, are visiting at Ingersoll.

Miss Annie Ellen McEwen, daughter of ex-Ald. McEwen, of Windsor, is spending her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. C. McEwen, 322 York street, city.

Rev. W. Walker, of London, and Geo. Walker, of St. Louis, are on a visit to the parental home. They are sons of Rev. W. S. Walker, of Exeter.

Miss Annie Ellen McEwen, daughter of ex-Ald. P. H. McEwen, of Windsor, is spending her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. C. McEwen, 322 York street, city.

Miss Eva Quinn and the Misses Pearl and May Warner are spending their holidays with friends in the township of Adelaide.

Mr. Richard Denigat, with his daughter Ethel Mae, of this city, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. C. W. Dodge, of 2127 Elk street, Port Huron. Mr. Denigat has returned home, but his daughter will remain for a few weeks.

PORT STANLEY NOTES

Wednesday, July 13.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beltz, of London, are visiting friends on Orchard Beach.

Mrs. D. M. Tait entertained a number of her lady friends on Tuesday.

A team from London played ball with the Port boys. The Londoners won—22 to 6.

Ten coaches carried picnic parties from London and St. Thomas to Port today.

A number of Erie Road residents spent last evening at roasting potatoes on the beach. The potatoes tasted very good, considering that the cooking was done at a large bonfire.

The dredge Ontario, which has been working in the harbor, is now operating beyond the pier, and it is expected that its work will soon be completed.

Fishing is now in its prime, but the only way to enjoy a good catch is to say nothing about it.

The Flora made a number of excursions for the benefit of the picnickers yesterday. Large crowds took advantage of them.

Thursday, July 14.—The steamer Flora arrived this morning.

The Hueston brothers are camping on Orchard Beach.

The ship Albertose has arrived here bearing 168 tons of coal.

Mrs. Torry, of Brantford, has arrived to take possession of her cottage on Orchard Beach.

The Mattinson brothers, in company with Mr. W. C. Chertsey, of London, are camping on the Fraser Heights.

The Selkirk of Lorain is being repaired.

C. F. Doe and A. E. Cowley, of London; W. Balfour, of Hamilton; Thomas Fairgrieve, of Detroit; Owen McKay, of Windsor, and A. E. Slippi have registered at Hotel Loney.

A number of Londoners have arrived to spend their holidays at Summerholm.

Mrs. C. D. Johnston spent the day at Orchard Beach.

A large addition has been made to Hill Crest dancing hall. This is a great improvement, as it now is much more convenient for the "hoppers."

Mr. Wm. Nelles, of Dayton, Ohio, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Mothersill, returned home today. The picnic from London, which was composed of the First and Dundas Center Methodist Churches, arrived this morning in twelve cars. Many came down on the 3:35 also.

Mr. Archie Campbell, son of Arch. Campbell, M.P., Toronto, is visiting his cousin, Miss Marie Campbell.

Those who are stopping at the Fraser House from Chicago are: Mr. James Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Kausar, and Mrs. A. Woodward; London: J. M. McEvoy and wife, and Mr. L. Gibson; Detroit: A. L. Hay; Philadelphia: T. C. King; St. Thomas: Mrs. H. B. Travers.

A might-have-been serious accident occurred on the Fraser hill today. Three young girls thought they could run down the cliff. They had hardly started when by some mis-steps they stumbled and fell heavily from the ground.

The two younger girls, who are the daughters of Mr. Evans, of London, were badly bruised, while the third, a Miss Painter, of Boston, met with more severe injuries. She was taken to London on the 4 p.m. train.

Miss Edna Howell and Miss Hattie Magee spent the day here.

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The refreshment booths did a big business.

Summerholm was visited by a number of the picnickers.

The 2:30 train carried another large crowd to the lakeside.

The new slip-dock is progressing rapidly. No drawbacks have yet occurred.

The picnickers returned to the city at an early hour, well pleased with their day's outing.

EXCELLENT MUSIC

Another Concert To Be Given at Springsbank Tomorrow Night by the Musical Society Band.

Another of those soul-stirring and popular concerts by the London Musical Society Band will be given at Springsbank tomorrow evening.

The character of the entertainments provided by the London Street Railway Company is thoroughly endorsed and highly appreciated by the general public.

Springbank is now sought in the evenings by many hundreds, on account of its beautiful scenery and the cool, refreshing breezes from the heated brow, and when the beautiful landscape scenes fade away in the gloaming the place once more takes on a brilliant appearance, being illuminated by over 350 electric lights, the sweet music adding the finishing touches to "make Springbank the perfect place to spend an evening."

ALWAYS READY FOR WAR

England's Rapidity in Preparing for Offensive or Defensive Action.

It can no longer be said that Great Britain is unprotected. The coast defenses were never more complete or ready than at the present time.

Right around our shores stretch these many defenses not isolated and therefore of little account, but forming a linked protection, with the telegraph or telephone at hand to respond at naval headquarters in London to the slightest warning, and from Whitehall the hasty commissioning of the great armaments of Portsmouth, Chatham and Sheerness.

A few words from any points on the coast, be it an isolated coastguard station or a lonely guardship, may in an hour or two have led to orders of national import being flashed over the land and sea cables to the great arsenals of Portsmouth, Chatham and Sheerness.

Before even the Times announced the decision of the government to form this new squadron, "to do anything and go anywhere," as Mr. Goschen explained, the telegraph instruments at Whitehall were being vigorously ticking, and unknown to the public, the admirals at Chatham, Portsmouth and Devonport had had their orders. By the time the world was awake the preparations for commissioning the ships had commenced, and in a few days a squadron of powerful modern vessels was fitted out and ready for any task.

When the necessity arises, no less promptly will the machinery of defense be again put to the test, possibly on a more extensive scale.—Chambers' Journal.

Chronicle Eczema Cured.

One of the most chronic cases of Eczema ever cured is the case of Miss Gracie Ella Aiton, of Hartland, N. B.

On a sworn statement Mr. Aiton said: "I hereby certify that my daughter Gracie Ella Aiton, was cured of Eczema of long standing by using four boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment."

Wm. Thistle, druggist, of Hartland, also certifies that he sold four boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment which cured Gracie Ella.

This is the weather for Flies. 2412

Belice of the Spanish Armada.

One of the most fatal spots for armadas ships had been Silgo bay. When Geoffrey Fenton went to view this scene of disaster he found Spanish guns sunk like a horseman's staff in the shifting sand, and "numbered in one strand of less than five miles in length above 1,100 dead corpses of men which the sea had driven upon the shore."

And the country people told him "the like was in other places, though not of like number." Somewhat later the lord deputy on his way, as he expressed it, to dispatch "those rags" of the Spaniards which still infected the country, saw with amazement the masses of wreckage scattered along a beach on the same coast—timber enough to build "five of the greatest ships that ever I saw, besides mighty great boats, cables and other ordnance, and some such masts for bigness and length as I never saw any two could make the like."

A copy of the sailing directions given by Melina Siddons, found perhaps in some captain's sea chest among the wreckage, fell into the lord deputy's hands. A grim smile must have flitted over his face as he read the words, "Take great heed lest you fall upon the island of Ireland for fear of the harm that may happen unto you upon that coast." An armada relic still more touching than these instructions is part of a letter written by Dingle by a Spaniard for friendly treatment. Into a bundle of state papers which tell, in a language of the victors, the awful story of shipwreck and bloodshed on the Irish coast, this fragment, rusty and stained as it by salt water, has strayed like a wail from the vanquished.—William Frederic Dillon in Century.

Men, women and children who are troubled with coughs, hoarseness, phlegm, etc., may find permanent relief in Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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