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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Oct. 3, 8 p.m.—Conditions remain practically unchanged. The weather continues fine and warm from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces, and the Territories and Manitoba cloudy and cold, with light falls of snow and rain. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 44-59; Kamloops, 32-54; Calgary, 10-32; Qu'Appelle, 30-46; Winnipeg, 40-50; Port Arthur, 50-60; Parry Sound, 60-76; Toronto, 58-76; Ottawa, 64-76; Montreal, 58-70; Quebec, 52-68; Halifax, 50-64.

Local temperature—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Wednesday, Oct. 3, were 50 and 62 degrees.

Today (Thursday) the sun rose at 6:18 a.m. and sets at 5:55. The moon rises at 3:25 p.m., and sets at 1:25 a.m.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

—Mrs. Elliott, of this city, is the guest of Miss McKenzie, at Princeton.

—Several M. C. R. officials visited the city yesterday. They are inspecting the east division.

—Mrs. Walter Mann, of this city, is the guest of Mrs. Fred Wilson, 129 Alfred street, Brantford.

—Mr. J. T. Dakon's Imperial Male Quartet will sing at the West Elgin Fair, to be held at Wallacestown.

—Miss Minnie McNeill and Miss Mamie Leith, of Queen's avenue east, are visiting Mrs. J. Porter, near Ilderton.

—Mr. Leslie Jackson and Mr. S. E. Wright, of Onondaga, are a couple of weeks with friends in Gladstone.

—General Manager Hays and General Superintendent McGowan are expected in the city today. Superintendent

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Egan will accompany them on a trip over the division.

—Minnie Wells, the 5-year-old daughter of Mr. J. Wells, of 421 Bathurst street, died yesterday for diphtheritic croup.

—Mr. W. H. Somerville, son of Mr. Geo. A. Somerville, of South London, has been elected captain of the Waterloo Rugby football club.

—Miss N. Thomas, of 64 Argyle street, city, left yesterday on an extended visit to her brother, Mr. J. Thomas, Lesterville, West Virginia.

—Sagshaw Courier: A. E. Moore, 215 North Park street, is entertaining his sister, Mrs. Billings, and daughter, of Strathroy, and Mrs. Colbert, of London, Ont.

—Mrs. C. W. Manning, of Queen's avenue, received a telegram yesterday morning, announcing the death in Napanee of her sister, Mrs. Minaker, at the advanced age of 82 years.

—Mr. John Fairgrieve, a former well-known lawyer, has been nominated for the presidency and vice-presidency of the St. Andrew's Society of Detroit. His eldest son has also been placed in nomination as one of the auditors.

—About fifty of the old friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. M. Van Delinder, 158 Tecumseh avenue, formerly of Lambeth, assembled at their residence last evening to celebrate Mr. Van Delinder's birthday.

—The sergeants of the 25th (St. Thomas) Regiment, are taking steps to mark their appreciation of their late commander, Lieut.-Col. Stacey, of this city, and as well in every possible way assist the new commander, Maj. McLaughlin.

—Thorndale W. C. T. U. held their annual meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 2. The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. K. M. Whitehead; vice-president, Miss Panny Sims; recording secretary, Miss Mary G. Stinson; corresponding secretary, Miss Bessie German; treasurer, Mrs. R. Badgley.

—The inland revenue returns for London for September totalled \$30,694.04, as follows: Spirits, ex-warehouse, \$6,381.44; malt, ex-warehouse, \$5,718.77; tobacco, ex-warehouse, \$1,776.51; tobacco, ex-factory (Canadian), \$1,658; raw leaf, ex-warehouse, \$3,604.15; cigars, ex-factory, \$3,398.49; cigars, ex-warehouse, \$1,900.71; methylated spirits, \$64.21; other revenue, \$2.75.

—The annual meeting of the First Methodist Episcopal League was held in Wesley Hall on Monday night, Rev. Dr. Smith, the pastor, presiding. Mr. W. C. Young, who has filled the office of president for several years past, was elected honorary vice-president. The following officers for the ensuing year are as follows: President, W. C. Benson; first vice, Christian Endeavor, Mrs. W. G. Young; second vice, missionary, Joseph Stone; third vice, literary, Miss Cora C. Epton; fourth vice, social, Miss Ada Joffe; fifth vice, evangelistic, E. R. Portner; secretary, Miss Maud McConnell; treasurer, R. I. Watson; corresponding secretary, J. C. Blackwell; pianist, Miss Dolly Abbott.

—A prominent citizen makes a number of suggestions in connection with the site for the new armory at the corner of Waterloo and Dundas streets, on the south side. He thinks it would be wise for the city to turn over to the government the strip of land between the sidewalk and the line of residence, so that the army could be built on a line with the sidewalk. The houses and places of business in the block are now some 30 feet back from the walk, and the intervening strip is owned by the city. He further suggests that the property owners concerned be given the option of purchasing the strip of land in front of their various properties if they so desire. The block would never be completely cleared until such a move is made, and he considers it a detriment to property owners to be compelled to keep so far from the street line. The street is already sufficiently wide, and the idea of moving the curb and sidewalk in, and widening the road is out of the question. In his opinion the street would be greatly improved by such a move.

THE FROEBEL SOCIETY.

There was a large attendance at the weekly meeting of the Froebel Society, Tuesday afternoon. The subjects considered were: "Domestic Science," introduced by Mrs. Mitchell, who in an interesting and profitable manner outlined the various branches of this science, and the methods of dealing with them. Miss Kurzenknecht then gave a comprehensive address on "The Emerson System of the Philosophy of Expression." The principles and system of this school of expression, as taught by Miss Kurzenknecht, was listened to with appreciation and pleasure by the society.

ACCEPT THE CHALLENGE.

The following notice has been sent out by Mr. T. J. Murphy, secretary of the rifle committee: "In pursuance of the powers delegated to them at the last meeting of the officers of the 7th Regiment, the rifle committee have accepted the challenge of the scouts to shoot a match at the cow ranges, eight men a side. 2. Match to take place Saturday, Oct. 3, commencing at 1:30 p.m. 3. Seven shots and two sighters at each range, 200, 600 and 800 yards. 4. Sighters may be counted on score, but shot must be named after signaled, and only six shots to be fired after first on score named. 5. The Rupunup Imperial Rifle Club match of Australia to be fired concurrently with this match. 6. Each competitor to supply his own ammunition. 7. Practice on Oct. 4, from 2 to 5:30 p.m."

LANGFORD-WEIR NUTRITS.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at Centenary Methodist Church, London township, on Wednesday, Oct. 2, at 4 p.m., when Miss Jennie Weir, daughter of Mr. David Weir, of Rainy River, formerly of Nisqually, was united

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ed in holy wedlock to Mr. Warner R. Langford, second son of Thomas A. Langford. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. J. Noble. The church was prettily decorated with an abundance of flowers, vines and ferns, as was also the residence of Mr. James McGinnis, where a reception was held immediately after the ceremony. About 40 guests sat down to a recherche supper, served by Caterer Friend, of London. The bride was beautifully gowned in white with the conventional veil and orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet of white carnations. She was attended by the groom's sister, Miss Edith Langford, who was also gowned in white and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The bride was given away by her uncle, Mr. Joseph Weir. The groom was supported by Mr. N. Blythe, of Blanchard, and the Wedding March played by Miss Bertha Langford. The presents were numerous and handsome, showing the high esteem in which the young couple are held. The happy couple left in the evening amid a shower of rice and old shoes on a short trip to Niagara Falls, Buffalo and other points.

DONALDSON-MATTHEWS.

"Lynwood," the beautiful residence of Mr. William Matthews, Denfield, was the scene of a very pretty and fashionable wedding on Tuesday, when his second daughter, Anna Almond, was joined in wedlock to Mr. Will E. Donaldson, of Alisa Craig. The house was tastefully decorated with flowers and evergreens, and the ceremony was performed under an arch of flowers in the presence of a large company of guests. Rev. A. R. Park, the Baptist clergyman, officiated. The bride, who entered the drawing-room leaning on the arm of her father, wore a handsome gown of gray broadcloth. With the suit was worn a handsome shirt waist of blue velvet, with sequin trimming. The bride's assistant was of white roses. Miss Cassie Claypole, of London, who attended the bride, looked charming in turquoise-blue silk, with yoke of embroidered peau de sole and she carried a white rose. Mr. T. C. McFarlane assisted as best man. Mrs. Waugh played the wedding march. After the ceremony an informal reception was held. At the conclusion the guests adjourned to the drawing-room, where the wedding dinner was served, after which the happy couple left for a trip to eastern points.

PORT STANLEY NEWS.

The D. G. S. Petrel arrived in Tuesday evening, having picked up six gill-nets.

Fishing is better than for a long time. Young Bros., of Port Bruce, had 125 boxes in Tuesday, or 6½ tons, nearly all pickerel.

Mr. Cassin, yardmaster, G. T. R., London, received a check for \$45 toward the new bridge here for stock benefits, having been injured.

The work on the pier is being pushed by the foreman, 13 men being at work. Rev. Mr. Steele, incumbent, Christ Church, has received a call to a much larger parish, but is undecided about accepting it.

The transfer boat Shenango made 39 trips last month, the largest number since the month since going into the hands of the L. E. and D. R. R. She was in twice on Sunday.

Capt. Joseph Hough has returned home after laying up the tug A. V. Clifton in a fluff.

There is quite a flurry at present among the fish shippers at Port Stanley and points west on the Michigan

THEORIES ABOUT CATARRH.

Peculiar Ideas Regarding a Common Disease.

Mark Twain's cure for a cold in the head was simple, but he claims very effective in his own case; his plan was to eat nothing whatever for twenty-four hours, or presumably until the trouble had disappeared.

Although not able to speak from personal experience as to the effectiveness of this treatment, it certainly has cured an extreme case of catarrh, and occurs to us that the application of it to a case of nasal catarrh might be attended with difficulties.

Catarrh, as everyone knows, is a chronic cold in the head. Mr. Twain's treatment, if it should become a fad, would make of us a nation of fasters; an army, emulating the example of the immortal Tanner, who achieved world-wide fame by fasting forty days.

Catarrh is certainly becoming a national disease, and there is little doubt but that errors in diet, particularly over-eating, is a very common cause.

Most people, however, are more interested in the cure of the trouble than in the cause and modern medical science has produced more effective and heroic remedies than Mr. Twain's.

Gualacol is a new remedy, very effective in some forms of catarrh. Ductylol is another, which on account of its antiseptic properties is very valuable, while many severe cases of chronic catarrh have been entirely cured by the sanguinaria, or extract of blood root alone.

Within a year an enterprising chemist has combined all of these remedies in tablet form, palatable and convenient, and the superiority of this tablet over other catarrh remedies is so apparent that all druggists now carry them in stock to supply the popular demand.

They are called Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, and it is doubtful if any medicine has achieved a national popularity in so short a time as this.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are used by thousands of traveling men, because they can be carried in the pocket and used any time and in any quantity, being free from Cocaine, opiate or any poisonous drug.

They clear the head and throat from the disgusting secretions of catarrh, very often in a few hours' time.

For nasal catarrh they are far superior to any wash, lotion or ointment, the use of which is often so inconvenient and annoying as the disease itself.

For coughs, colds, bronchial catarrh and catarrh of the stomach these tablets give immediate relief and a permanent cure where lotions, douches and inhalers make no impression whatever.

This preparation is a boon to catarrh sufferers, and all druggists will tell you that Stuart's Catarrh Tablets is a remedy that has come to stay.



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Central, caused by recent seizures of blue pike at Fort Erie by the Dominion Government officials, the fish being of an illegal size. It appears that some of the fishermen have, probably through not being properly acquainted with the regulations, been shipping to New York fish which are contrary to the requirements of the law.

GALA DAYS

Will Mark the Home-Coming of Troops From Africa.

The North of Ireland to Have a Royal Festival.

How the Boer Commandant Erasmus Saved His Feet—Lower Prices in Pretoria.

New York, Oct. 4.—Public Interest in Great Britain in the Boer war is revived by the prospect of a series of gala days when the soldiers and generals return, says the Tribune's London correspondent. Three great towns will commemorate the arrival of the Guards, the London Volunteers and Lord Roberts, and there will be a series of minor events. The north of Ireland will also have a royal festival. The Queen was invited to visit Belfast when she was in Dublin, but was forced to decline the invitation. The Prince of Wales will visit Ulster in the winter in her place, and there will be great festivities there.

MAY KEEP KRUGER.

London, Oct. 4.—The correspondent of the Daily Telegraph at Lorenzo Marques says the Irish-Americans threaten to detain President Kruger there a certain date. Trouble is expected.

ERASMUS' LITTLE GAME.

Pretoria, Oct. 3.—One hundred and sixty prisoners have arrived here from Herterfabricken, and a number of others are on their way here from the enemy's hands. The Boers are beginning to get tired of the war, and there will be great festivities there.

NEW PRICES IN PRETORIA.

Pretoria, Oct. 4.—The new prices for supplies decided on by the military authorities are published. All merchandise is prohibited from charging anything in excess of these standard rates. The prices fixed on show an enormous reduction from those in vogue before the war. For instance, a pint of beer now costs 10 cents, while before the war it cost 15 cents. Jams are scheduled at seven pence. Before the war the price was a shilling. It is estimated that the reductions all round will average about 25 per cent.

THE IDAHO'S PASSENGERS.

Halifax, N. S., Oct. 3.—C. W. Taylor, transport officer, today received the following cable from the transport officer at Cape Town: "Idaho sailed for St. Helena, St. Vincent; due Halifax Oct. 25. Has 13 Canadian officers and 400 men."

Ottawa, Oct. 2.—Lieut.-Col. Biggar reports Cape Town that 7,655, Pte. R. Laconte was killed en route. Bing, of the 1st Canadian Regiment of Infantry, died of enteric fever at Johannesburg on June 7.

WELCOMED HOME.

Lindsay, Ont., Oct. 3.—Lieut.-Col. Sam Hughes reached home today from South Africa and was greeted by a very large and enthusiastic turn-out from the town and country.

Montreal, Oct. 3.—Comp. Valois, of F. Company, Royal Canadian Regiment, arrived here last night from Africa, and received a great reception. He was met at the station by a large crowd, headed by the De Salaberry Band and 40 Government Guards, in uniform. He was escorted to his father's residence, which was brilliantly illuminated.

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A TALK WITH MR. LEROYLE

The Talented Actor Who Heads the Oats of "Other People's Money."

"Yes," I have had some queer experiences in my professional career," said Hennessy Leroy, who appears at the London Opera House this evening. "I am still a young man, but I have come in contact with some things out of the ordinary. A few years since I determined to come to the States from my home, Australia, and with a company of gentlemen, including a number of players, on our way stopped at a number of comparatively unknown islands of the Pacific, embracing New Zealand, Marri Land, Fiji Islands, Samoa Islands, India, China, Africa and Honolulu. Incidentally, I held a commission from a Sydney paper to write up our experiences, and you may be assured my letters contained some spicy and novel reading. On several of the islands we gave entertainments for the natives, who seemed to enjoy them. We often penetrated to the interior, where in most instances our audiences appeared en masse, each of the different tribes accompanied by their king; their wardrobe consisted simply of a slight covering of long grass or reeds bunched together around the waist like a skirt dancer's skirt, and squatted themselves on the grass and took in the show, which he is fast becoming recognized as one of the high class comedians on the American stage.

"The absence of trifling conventionalities made your experience somewhat unique, so say the least. Did you find it financially profitable?" asked the interrogator.

"Oh, yes," replied Mr. Leroy. "We were in receipt of quantities of the island products which we later converted into money. The chiefs were very hospitable, and personally I received as a special mark of favor, many curious and valuable gifts, which I still have and prize highly. We spent many weeks on the islands. On the whole, it was an experience I am far from regretting."

Since Mr. Leroy's arrival in America he has demonstrated his ability to please the civilized man as thoroughly as the dusky islanders. "Other People's Money" is the medium through which he displays his talent as a comedian. His tour has triumphantly vindicated the claim of art critics, that he is fast becoming recognized as one of the high class comedians on the American stage.

Pte. Hessel Home.

Pte. Frank Hessel, of the First Canadian Regiment, arrived home from South Africa yesterday. He was given a splendid reception at the family residence on McAlpina avenue, South London. The company was given on Paardeberg and the capture of Bloemfontein, besides other smaller engagements. He was invalided at Winberg, where he suffered from enteric fever. Pte. Hessel brought to his family a number of mementoes, including a Bible and other possessions of his son Pte. Adams, who died in Africa. A friend saved these articles although orders were to burn them, and Pte. Hessel carried them with him until yesterday. Needless to say, the sergeant-major was glad to have the little things his boy had at the time of his death, and he duly appreciated Hessel's thoughtfulness in bringing them to him.

Pte. Rorison, of Windsor, accompanied Pte. Hessel home.

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