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McDONALD—At 851 Dufferin avenue, A. S. McDonald, aged 69 years.
Funeral private.

GREER—On Oct. 29th, Mrs. Clarinda Greer, mother of W. M., B. W. and A. B. Greer, in the 90th year of her age.
The funeral will take place from the residence of B. W. Greer, 530 Bathurst street, on Wednesday, Oct. 31st, at 2:30 p.m. Services at 2 o'clock.

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Toronto, Oct. 29.—11 p.m.—The depression over the western lakes yesterday is disappearing. Fair weather has prevailed from the lakes to the Atlantic. In the Northwest the weather is also fair, with slight temperature changes.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Edmonton, 32°—50°; Calgary, 28°—60°; Battleford, 20°—50°; Prince Albert, 16°—48°; Qu'Appelle, 24°—50°; Winnipeg, 26°—42°; Port Arthur, 46°—50°; Toronto, 42°—60°; Kingston, 42°—58°; Montreal, 40°—60°; Quebec, 42°—58°; Halifax, 38°—58°.

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STATE ELECTIONS.

Twenty-One of Them Take Place Next Week—New York the Point of Greatest Interest.

New York, Oct. 29.—Twenty-one State Legislatures are to be elected next week. Upon the composition of these State Legislatures will depend the control of the Senate with the same possibility as in the case of the House, that neither Democrats nor Republicans may be able to secure independent control, and that the balance of power may be held by the Populists. In Washington the greatest interest is centered in the election of members of the House of Representatives, and all the State elections are lost sight of with the exception of that in New York, which, owing to the peculiar circumstances that surround it, is regarded as being of much more interest than local importance, and is expected to have an important bearing on the Presidential campaign two years hence.

Vice-Chairman Apley, of the Republican committee, sees Republican victory everywhere, and bids defiance to the united hosts of Democrats and Populists. He says there will be at least 198 Republicans in the next House.

Chairman Faulkner, of the Democratic committee, does not give out any exact figure, but he says the Democrats will have control of the House by a good working majority. He says the Republicans will not know what has happened when they read the returns from some of the southern districts they are claiming.

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—The London Hunt meet at the Kennels tomorrow afternoon.

—Young man, register tomorrow. Don't take the risk of further delay.

—A Halloween skating party will be given at the Westminster Rink on Wednesday night.

—The Bishop of Huron has appointed Rev. Wm. Shore, of All Saints, to the rectory of Trinity Church, Port Huron.

—Capt. McLeod and a number of Salvation soldiers from St. Thomas will attend the opening of the Salvation Army Workmen's Hotel by Commandant Booth here tonight.

—The steamer Lakeside arrived from Cleveland Saturday night with 80 tons of freight. This is her last trip for the season. The boat will lie either at Port Stanley or in the canal for the winter.

—The Seattle Post-Intelligencer of Oct. 29 says: "C. Noble, of London, Ont., surprised his brother, George Noble, by a visit last evening. He will be his guest for several days at the Diller."

—The Presbyterian foreign mission secretary, Rev. R. P. McKay, is becoming anxious at the absence of news from the missionaries in China, who have not been heard from for several weeks.

—The members of Court Forest Queen, No. 6563, A. O. F., are to have a social gathering among themselves (and invited guests) tomorrow evening in Foresters' Hall, Dundas and Clarence streets.

—Fred Haylock, of this city, gave an exhibition of fancy roller skating at the Westminster Rink last night. He executed many difficult movements, one of which was jumping over five chairs. A good band furnished music.

—A bear cub which had been expressed from Powhassan to London via the C. P. R. on Saturday escaped from the box in which it was shipped and took possession of the express car. None of the employees disputed Bruin's right, and his bearship had the private car to this city.

—To be sure that his name is on the voters' list is the first duty of every voter.

Every young man and every new comer in the city, old or young, must register this week. Register tomorrow in the ward where you live, and save further trouble. If you do not register you cannot vote in the election on Nov. 20.

—A little girl of about 3 years narrowly escaped serious injuries at the corner of William street and the Hamilton road yesterday afternoon. She was crossing the street when a heavy horse hitched a lumber wagon knocked her down. The driver did not attempt to slow up, and the wagon barely missed running over the child. The man drove right ahead. The case has been reported to the police.

—Lovers of high class society dramas will be delighted to hear that Manager Rothe has secured the William Morris Company for the Opera House next Saturday evening, presenting the new play, "The Love of Patsy." Mr. Morris as Reuben Warner gives a strong portrayal of a difficult role, and Mr. Frohman has surrounded him with an admirable company, who give one of the most satisfactory performances seen in recent years. The play is beautifully staged and the costumes of the ladies very handsome, and the attraction ought to draw large audiences.

—The members of Victoria Lodge, No. 1, Daughters of Rebekah, I. O. O. F., met at Bro. Levine's on Friday evening, when Sister Levine made an appropriate address and presentation to Sisters Tanner and Baker, the former receiving a valuable hanging lamp and the latter a nice sewing chair in appreciation of services rendered to the lodge. Sister Tanner thanked the members for their kindness and assured them that she would work in the future as in the past, having always taken a great interest in the lodge and for the good of the order. Sister Baker briefly responded, thanking the members heartily for their kindness, and hoped to continue in the good work.

—Monday's Hamilton Times: On his return from London this morning Rev. Mungo Fraser, D.D., pastor of Knox Church, was interviewed regarding the story published on Saturday to the effect that he was thinking of sending in his resignation as pastor of the second largest Presbyterian Church in the Dominion. He gave the story a most unqualified denial. He admitted receiving a letter from James Ogilvie, one of the church elders, criticising his action in regard to the building of the new Sunday school.

—Rev. Mr. Fraser added that the letter would be brought before the next meeting of the church session, but with no idea that anybody would resign over it.

—At the meeting of the Latter Day Saints Association in St. Thomas the following officers were elected by acclamation: R. C. Evans, superintendent; John Shields, assistant superintendent; Maggie Campbell, secretary; Amelia Braden, assistant secretary; Eva McMurdy, treasurer. Elder R. C. Evans, London, was appointed delegate to represent the London district at the General Sabbath School Association, which convenes at Independence, Missouri, commencing April 4, 1905. The committee on credentials were Elder J. H. Lake and Wm. Falkner, city. Reports from schools in Toronto, Stratford, Cameron, London, St. Marys, Proton, Egremont and Waterloo showed that the Sunday school work was in a very prosperous condition.

—George Murdock, a London West carpenter, has been committed for trial by Squire J. B. Smyth. Murdock was arrested a week ago on a charge of stealing a number of tools from Wm. Rowell, of London township. Rowell is a contractor, and employed Murdock to work on a house in Niagara. When the job was about completed Rowell shut the places up and left his tools in a chest, which was securely locked. This was on Aug. 20, and when he went back about two weeks ago Rowell found that the tools were gone. Suspicion rested on Murdock, and the execution of a search warrant resulted in the missing property being found in his house. The prisoner will also

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becharged today with the theft of a pick-up from a neighbor named Richard Hammond.

—Mr. J. Hall, of the East End, part proprietor of a horse-power merry-go-round, has been visiting all the country fairs this fall with his machine. He arranged with the Oneida fair directors for the sole right to run a merry-go-round during the three-day exhibition, the consideration being \$6. Mr. Hall was on hand early, but was surprised to find that an Indian from the reserve near Brantford was also running a wheel. The Londoner told the fair authorities what he thought of the deal, but continued business, and when the show closed on Friday night offered to pay his fee. Hall claims that when he wanted to remove the machine a crowd of red men, crazed with drink, locked the gates and refused to allow him to leave until he paid \$25. He came to the city, secured Constable Ward, and on Saturday night succeeded in securing the red men and getting his prize away. The end is not yet.

G. T. R. Changes.

Monday's Hamilton Times: A complete change of the passenger conductors took place today on the Toronto branch of the G. T. R. Conductors Fluke and Johnson will run east from Toronto, and Conductors Myers, McKay and Cameron will run north on the northern division. Their places will be taken by Conductors Higgins, Anderson (of Toronto), and O'Brien, Darch and Beasley, who have been running from here to Allandale.

Successful Canadian Inventors.

The following list of patents, recently granted to inventors residing in the Dominion of Canada, is reported for the London ADVERTISER by P. J. Edmunds, international patent solicitor, London, Ont.:

Canada patents—J. H. Mayer, Waterloo, jet-off mechanism for looms; E. Smart, Brockville, milking machine; Thorpe & Co., Victoria, B. C., aerated waters (trade mark); James Hay Company, Woodstock, catalogue (copyright).

United States patents—F. X. Gaudrie, Port Hope, can labeling machine; Wm. J. Horton, Halifax, fire ladder apparatus; Frank S. Reed, Montreal, gun engine; J. Norton, Jun., Chatham, sulfite digester (patent sold); John F. Ryan, Toronto, lift guard for street cars; Elwood Smart, Brockville, cow-milking machine.

Anniversary Service of Praise.

The sacred concert in connection with the anniversary of the Dundas Street Methodist Church last night was well attended. The singer of the evening was Mrs. Harrison, of Grimsby, whose sweet yet powerful voice delighted the immense congregation on Sunday. This church is without a more capable soloist, owing to Miss Ziegler's removal to Detroit, and Mrs. Harrison is mentioned as a likely successor. The applause that greeted each number at last evening's appearance indicates that Mrs. Harrison would at least find a warm welcome should she arrange to "Spirit into opening solo, duet and duet come. The vocalists, by Mrs. Harrison, Messrs. Carroll, Skinner and choir, was especially fine, and the quartet, "I am Kneeling at the Threshold," Mrs. Harrison, Miss Ruse, Messrs. Carroll and Skinner, gave much scope for the demonstration of the soloists' power as a vocalist. Mrs. Harrison was accompanied in two solos by Mr. Cress on the violin. Mrs. Chadwick was at the piano and Mr. Wm. Moron conducted the choir, which was a brilliant musical treat.

Rev. J. V. Smith's lecture on "The Prince of Dreamers" called forth all that gentleman's well known eloquence and ability both in the pulpit and on the platform. "It's just like introducing a boy to his mother," said the pastor of the church, Mr. Lancelotti, as he introduced Mr. Smith. The reverend doctor spoke on "Twenty Minutes with the Prince of Dreamers," and began his lecture with an interesting account of the legend of the Seven Sleepers of Ephesus. This story, he said, might have no foundation in fact, but the prince of dreamers that he was to speak about was a very matter of fact man. He dreamt dreams and saw visions with his eyes wide open and his senses fully awake. It was needless to mention his name. There was only one John Bunyan.

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