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Rhode Island had concluded not to remain out any longer, and hereafter will hold her elections in November as a majority of the other states do.

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Nov. 28—8 p.m.—The storm has moved away from the Atlantic coast, and the winds are now moderate or fresh throughout the Dominion. The weather is moderately cold from Eastern Ontario to the Maritime Provinces, and comparatively mild in Western Ontario and the Northwest Territories. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 38-48; Kamloops, 36-44; Calgary, 28-38; Prince Albert, 16-26; Qu'Appelle, 14-20; Winnipeg, 16-26; Port Arthur, 26-32; Parry Sound, 24-36; Toronto, 23-41; Ottawa, 14-20; Montreal, 19-33; Quebec, 3-20; Halifax, 26-32.

Local temperatures.—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory here on Wednesday, Nov. 28, were: Highest, 47°; lowest, 29.5°.

Today (Thursday) the sun rose at 7:28 a.m., and sets at 4:43 p.m. The moon rises at 12:23 p.m., and sets at midnight.

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London Advertiser.

WARM FACTS

The Fur situation can be well attended to by inspecting our stock.

Leading Beltz, Furrier.

At the Palace Dancing Academy last evening the Imperial Waltz Club gave their second dance of the season. Nearly 100 young people attended and enjoyed a most pleasant evening's programme, furnished by the academy orchestra, under the leadership of Prof. Dayton. The members will entertain their many friends at the same place on New Year's eve.

Men's Neckwear

When you see these Ties, all arguments against buying will be swept aside. The newest neckwear and the latest effects are here. You can appreciate the price better if you come and see the neckwear.

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Gift Rings....

Well, a lot of rings at Christmas time, and we have provided an assortment as has ever been shown in London at specially low prices. Any lady would be pleased to own any ring in stock. See them before buying.

The Jeweler

WARD, 374 Richmond Street.

A LOCAL BUDGET.

FOR TODAY.

When we are in the company of sensible men we ought to be doubly cautious of talking too much, lest we lose two good things—their good opinion and our own improvement.—Colton.

—There was not a quorum at the meeting of No. 3 committee, called for last night.

—Two citizens who rode their wheels on the sidewalks were fined \$2 each at the police court this morning.

—Joseph Brown, auctioneer, sold the property of Mr. Gilbert Shaw yesterday, at Glenora, at a fair price.

—Among the Londoners registered at Vancouver Hotel on the 26th were Messrs. R. Brenner, H. F. Baker and P. H. Sheen, of this city.

—Nicholas Elms, the Onondaga Indian charged with assaulting Elijah Ireland, has been further remanded, owing to the complainant's inability to appear.

—Mr. W. A. Reid, who has been 12 years with Robinson & Little, leaves next month for Montreal, where he has secured a position with a large wholesale firm.

—Mr. Ernie Lang, of this city, has secured a position with the Dominion Express Company of Montreal, and has come to that city. He was to have been one of the forwards on the London hockey team this season.

—Mr. Peter Murphy, of the Carling Brewing and Malting Company, had two arteries of his leg broken while stepping off a wagon the other day. The loss of blood will leave him in a low state for some time to come.

—Mrs. J. Dawson Lebel, of Cleveland, O., is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. P. Harper, of Colborne street, having been called on account of the very serious illness of the latter. Mrs. Lebel is accompanied by her son Harper.

—An Ottawa dispatch says: No. 138, Sergt. W. W. Rowell, No. 3 Company, 28th Regiment, has been dismissed from the Royal School of Infantry at London, Ont., for misconduct, and discharged from further service in the militia.

—Miss Clara L. Rye, the well-known philanthropic worker among the girl wards of Old London's slums, and her associate in the work, Miss Maria Sanderson, are at the Townsman House. They have been called home for their proteges.

—At the juvenile police court this morning a ten-year-old boy, known to be incorrigible and incapable of management by his parents, was handed over to the care of inspectors. A seven-year-old lad charged with stealing, failed to appear, and a warrant will be issued for his arrest.

—The Lord Bishop of Montreal, will hold an ordination in Christ Church, Quebec on Friday, Dec. 21 (St. Thomas Day), when the Rev. Maurice Day Baldwin, M.A., of Shawville, son of the Bishop of Huron; Rev. H. T. S. Boyle, B.A., of Clarendon; and Rev. R. J. Foulkes, of Lakefield, will present themselves for priest's orders.

—Mr. Robert McGuffin and Miss Maggie Hart, both of West Nisissnot, were married on Tuesday at the parsonage of the First Methodist Church, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Dr. J. V. Smith. Representatives from the families of the bride and bridegroom were present to witness the ceremony, after which Mr. and Mrs. McGuffin took the train to spend their honeymoon in some of the western cities.

—Tuesday evening Rev. Canon Richardson addressed the annual meeting in St. George's schoolroom, Sarnia, on behalf of the diocesan missions. Rev. Canon Davis, rector, presided, and there was a large attendance. The speaker gave a very full review, from personal observations, during a visit to England last summer, of the church in the mother country, and urged more loyalty to home church extension in Huron diocese.

—In the St. Louis Republic is an account of the origin of the mercantile house of B. Nugent & Co., of that city, the proprietors of which were former residents of London. The head of the firm started business at Mount Vernon, Ill., in 1822, and formed capital by having bought a stock of goods. Mr. Nugent's first step was to contract for three columns of space for a year in the local newspaper, saying that it was great luck to find a town in which no other merchant advertised. In two years he had made enough money to start two other stores, one at St. Louis and the other at Sedalia, Mo. In both cities he was a wealthy advertiser. Now Mr. Nugent is a millionaire and credits his success largely to newspaper advertising.

A BIRTHDAY PRESENTATION.

About 8 o'clock on Monday evening, a party of relatives took Mr. and Mrs. H. Gwalchmai, of London township, by surprise, the occasion being Mrs. H. Gwalchmai's 55th birthday. They presented Mrs. Gwalchmai with a beautiful easy chair and a rug, and being handed the articles by her eldest daughter, Mrs. Becker.

est daughter, Mrs. Becker, Mrs. Gwalchmai was quite overcome, being scarcely able to find words to express her gratitude after partaking of supper and indulging in varied amusements, the party broke up at a seasonable hour, all joining in wishing Mrs. Gwalchmai many more years of health and happiness. The party was composed of Mr. and Mrs. Becker, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Pyne, Mr. and Mrs. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Kilborn, and Mrs. Hall, sen.

DEATH OF JOSEPH WELDON.

The death occurred yesterday of Mr. Joseph Weldon, an old and highly esteemed resident of Westminster, at his late residence, on fourth concession, near Derwent. Deceased was 67 years of age, and had been ailing all summer, but was only stricken down about three weeks ago. He suffered from inflammatory rheumatism and fever. Mr. Weldon lived on the farm on which he died all his life, and served as a public school trustee in that section for many years. He was a member of the Belmont lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, and of the Independent Order of Foresters. A widow, three sons and one daughter survive. The funeral will take place tomorrow (Friday) afternoon.

AN ARTISTIC BOOKLET.

The Grand Trunk Railway system, in its recently adopted and energetically pursued methods of advertising the many beautiful scenic points reached by its system, is incidentally doing a good work in bringing prominently to the notice of the public the numberless beauty spots found in Canada, and the attractions of the country generally, not only for summer residence but as a permanent place of residence and livelihood. Among the many beautiful brochures and pamphlets gotten out by the company, none are more deserving of mention than "Tourist Travel," one of their recent issues. So artistically prepared is the booklet that it rises above the level of the ordinary advertising medium, and is worthy of a place on any drawing-room table. Beautiful views and interesting descriptive text are given of the Niagara Falls locality; the Muskoka Lakes, Lakes of Rays and Kawartha; Lakes Districts—Toronto, Montreal and Quebec; the St. Lawrence and Saguenay Rivers, the White Mountains and the Atlantic coast. A copy of "Tourist Travel" is well worth obtaining and preserving.

THE WHIST LEAGUE.

The regular scheduled games were played last evening, and some very clever playing is already resulting from the anxiety of each club to obtain the trophy. The Belvideres played No. 5 Ward Liberal Club at the latter's rooms, and while the Liberals won by 23 points, it was nevertheless a close game for the greater part of the time. At intermission, the Belvideres were one point ahead, but on the second half No. 6 gained steadily until near the close, when they made some big scores, ending in 22 points. The Oregons again sustained defeat at the hands of the Belvideres at the latter's rooms. The defeated club, however, showed a stronger team than that which played the previous week, and kept the score pretty close all through, losing by only 13 points. The Oregons' last week's champions, were 7 points behind in the first half of their game with the East Ends, but succeeded in winning out by 23 plus. This gives them the clear lead in the race. Standing:

Orients	.....	Won. Last
No. 6 Ward Liberal Club	.....	3 0
Belvideres	.....	2 1
Manhattanians	.....	2 1
Oregons	.....	2 1
East Ends	.....	0 3
Next week's schedule—Belvideres at the Orient Club rooms; No. 6 Ward Liberal Club at Manhattan Club; East Ends at Oregons' rooms.		

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Friday.. Bargain Day CHAPMAN'S

Friday, Nov. 30, will be one of the Bargain Days long to be remembered by all bargain hunters. A glance at this list will tell you that you can save money by buying here.

Two pieces only Cream Table Damask, 68 inches wide, worth 45c, to our customers only on Friday, 35c yard. Jobbers cannot buy this line. Eight only Colored Quilts, with fringe, large size, worth \$1.35, for \$1.15, to clear.

One piece only Bleached Pillow Cotton, 40 inches wide, linen finish, worth 15c, for 10c yard.

Ten dozen only Table Napkins, bleached damask, all linen, large size, worth \$1.25, for \$1.05 per doz.

Fancy Wrapperettes, suitable for quilt linings, fast colors, wide width, worth 10c, for 7 1/2 per yard.

White Wool Blankets, 66 by 56 inches, soft and fluffy, worth \$1.00, eight yards only, slightly soiled, for \$2.98 pair.

One table Miscellaneous Cotton Goods—Flannellettes, Wrapperettes, Oxford Shirting, Scotch Zephyrs and Prints, worth 10c and 12 1/2c yard, Friday, 6 1/2c.

300 remnants of Wrapperettes, Flannellettes, Tackings, Shirtings, Prints, Cretonnes, Gaiters, a fine selection, from 1 to 9 yards in length, worth 12 1/2c to 25c yard, on Friday your choice for 8c yard.

Ten pieces Colored Dress Goods, heavy brocade weave, in blue and black, green and purple, and red and black; two distinct lines, worth 50c and 75c per yard, an at one price on Friday, 25c yard.

Twelve pieces Miscellaneous Dress Goods, the last of several different lines, prices ranging from 25c to 45c, on Friday while they last, 15c yard. Remember, these go on sale at 8 a.m., and do not be disappointed when you come late and find others have been here before you and carried away the goods. SHOP EARLY.

65c YARD—Heavy All-wool Cheviot, in navy, marine, brown and green, sensible and fashionable, never sold less than \$1.00 yard, on Friday, 50c.

See our Heavy Camelhair Suiting, in all leading colors, herringbone, serge, all wool, regular price \$1.00 yard, Friday 65c yard.

Eight pieces Black Dress Goods, some plain, some figured variety of prices. ONE CUT off each piece at half-price, \$1.00 for 50c, 75c for 37 1/2c, 50c for 25c, on Friday.

Eight pieces Imitation Fur and Astrachan Trimmings, suitable for trimming children's coats, regular price 15c and 20c, on Friday 12 1/2c yard.

Twelve pieces Colored Satin, in red, pale blue, navy, pink, mauve, and yellow, worth just double the bargain day price, 25c yard.

Five pieces Colored Dress Goods, 42 and 44 inches wide, regular price 35c yard, on Friday 15c yard.

Remnants of Dress Goods, about 400—the accumulations of the season's business—waist ends, skirt ends, and ends suitable for children's dresses—goods worth from 25c to \$2.00 yard. These ends will be cleared on Friday at exactly one-half price—25c goods for 12 1/2c, 50c goods for 25c, \$1.00 goods for 50c. Our word for it—this is a tremendous bargain.

TERMS. CASH—NONE OF THE ABOVE GOODS SENT OUT ON APPROBATION.

CHAPMAN'S

126-128 Dundas Street, London, Ont.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Oriental Rugs. Oriental Rugs and Carpets will be offered by private sale, at my office, 184 York street, Granite Block, commencing Monday, Nov. 19. This is an excellent opportunity. The rugs are all new and of the best quality, and were consigned direct from India. I have also a small consignment of real Persian Brassware. Don't delay purchasing. Sale will close Dec. 1. W.M. G. COLLES, acting broker.

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The Story of South Africa.

"The Story of South Africa," a book issued by the World Publishing Company, Quebec, has arrived, and is now being distributed. Owing to the very large number of orders given in this city, this will be a matter of some time, and any who do not wish to await the call of agent, can procure their copy immediately by calling on Mr. G. H. Skinner, Room 4, City Hotel.

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