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Binghamton, N. Y., Oct. 1.—Because the weather is too pleasant, Mrs. Helen Eastman has left her husband, a prosperous farmer in the town of Union, and has taken her children to Chicago, where she will stay for a while. Mrs. Eastman has for some time been adverse to farm life. She has in vain tried to get her husband to sell his property. For the past few months there has been a severe drought. Mrs. Eastman said she would not stay on the hills of Broome county, and turn up, and was going to her parents in Chicago, and if he did not see fit to provide her with a better home where it would rain occasionally she would file a petition for an absolute divorce on the ground of cruelty. Mr. Eastman says he does not propose to sell his property at a sacrifice, and that he is not responsible for the weather, and will contest the suit.

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CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Toronto, Oct. 1.—The conference of charities and correction elected officers as follows: President, Dr. W. L. Herdman; Lindsay, vice-presidents; Hon. Charles Drury, Barrie; Adam Brown, Hamilton; and J. J. Kelso, Toronto; treasurer, James Massie, Toronto; secretary, Dr. Roseburgh, Toronto; assistant secretary, John Keane, Ottawa.

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Sept. 30, 8 p.m.—With the exceptions of scattered showers in the Maritime Provinces, the weather today has been fine in all portions of Canada. Heavy frosts were generally experienced last night in the Territories and Manitoba. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 40-56; Kamloops, 34-53; Calgary, 24-40; Qu'Appelle, 24-44; Winnipeg, 32-50; Port Arthur, 38-50; Parry Sound, 50-54; Toronto, 52-55; Ottawa, 44-54; Montreal, 52-58; Quebec, 52-58; Halifax, 54-64. Local temperature—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Saturday, Sept. 29, were 92 and 50 degrees; on Sunday, Sept. 30, 67.5 and 45.

Today (Monday) the sun rose at 6:15 a.m., and sets at 6 p.m. The moon rose at 1:31 p.m., and sets at 11:07 p.m.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

At 2 a.m. the night bell rang. And the drug clerk lit his lamp; Then dressed and down the stairway sprang, And sold a postage stamp.

Messrs. Crossley and Hunter began a series of services at Petrolia yesterday.

Mr. A. Hobson, of 302 Dundas street, is visiting friends in Ingersoll, Hamilton and Toronto.

The annual banquet of the members of the Y. M. C. A. will be held on Tuesday night in the gymnasium.

The Misses Hall, evangelists, began a series of several weeks' services on the Lambeth circuit yesterday.

The dancing season opens at the Palace Academy tonight, when the beginners' class for gentlemen will meet.

Mr. Adam Brown, postmaster of Hamilton, was in the city on Saturday on a short visit to his son, Mr. Harley Brown.

Invitations are out for the Arlington Club's final summer box at the Springfield pavilion next Thursday evening.

Ald. Frank Plant, of the Labor Bureau at Ottawa, is in the city. He will remove his family to Ottawa about the middle of the week.

Miss Edith Hill, of Wyoming, who has been dangerously ill at Victoria Hospital for some time, has recovered sufficiently to return home.

Mr. Sidney Tucker, on leaving the employ of the Canadian Packing Company, was presented with a gold ring and an appreciative address by his fellow employees.

Secretary G. W. Neely, of Dorchester fair, is busily engaged receiving entries. "Donnybrook" has always had a surplus, and 1900 will see no variation from the rule.

Mr. H. Wright returned yesterday from Cleveland, Ohio, to resume his position as lithographic artist with the London Printing and Lithographing Company.

Mr. Thomas Rowe, of this city, received a telegram Saturday morning, advising that his son, Campbell, died of his grandmother, Mrs. Webster, at the advanced age of 93 years.

Rev. W. J. Clark announced yesterday that on Oct. 8 a debating class would be started in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian Church. All young men over 16 years of age may attend it.

Rev. Samuel Selary, M.A., B.D., of Woodstock, preached educational anniversary sermons at the Askin Street Methodist Church yesterday. His sermons were heard with evident interest.

Ex-Ald. Wilkie recently received a letter from his son James, with the Strathcona Horse, in which he states that owing to the heavy work required at the hands of the Strathconas he had not had opportunity to wash his face or take his boots off in five weeks.

St. John Murray, accompanied by his nephew, Mr. Archie McPherson, of this city, left Saturday on a trip around the world. They went from here to Owen Sound, where they take the steamer for Port Arthur. Thence they go by rail to Vancouver, where they sail for Yokohama.

Mr. Wm. O'Brien, jun., of 279 Horton street, who has been teaching in school section No. 1, Carleton Place, was presented by his pupils with an address, a beautiful Oxford Bible, and a volume of poems, on the occasion of his leaving to attend the School of Pedagogy at Hamilton.

The southern division of the G. T. R. was inspected on Saturday by General Manager Hays, General Superintendent McHughan, and Superintendent Ferriton. They went to Buffalo to hold

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a conference with the officials of that city about railroad transportation to the Pan-American Exposition.

Eighteen train loads of freight passed east through here over the G. T. R. yesterday. The smallest of these trains comprised 31 cars, and carried 300 tons of freight, while the greatest train was made up of 55 cars, and carried 1,500 tons of freight. West-bound trains do not run through London, going through on the other side of "the horn."

The fire at Robert Hill's barns and outbuildings in the East End Friday night, was probably the work of an incendiary. It started in the center of the barn, and spread to the outbuildings when discovered and the firemen had arrived. One of the five horses burned was valued by Mr. Hill at \$200. His loss will be partly covered by insurance.

Mount Forest Confederate: Mr. P. W. C. McCutcheon, B.A. Jeter, on Friday evening for London to assume his duties on the Collegiate Institute staff. A large number of high school students were at the G. T. R. depot and gave him a hearty send-off. Mr. McCutcheon showed his interest in the school work by offering a cup for competition between the high and model school football clubs.

Lieut. A. T. E. Laybourn, of the British Columbia Company of the first contingent, formerly of the 2nd Battalion, 2nd Light Infantry, has been granted a commission in the 21st Lancers in Africa, the regiment that made the famous charge at Omdurman. Private R. B. Campbell of the same company, has been granted a commission in the 2nd Battalion, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.

The bright sunshine and exhilarating state of the atmosphere tempted many out of doors yesterday. Driving was enjoyed by many auto motorists and bicyclists were out in large numbers. The day was a distinct contrast to the corresponding day last year.

The year ago, Sept. 30, there occurred the heavy snowfall, which broke down many trees and made the streets almost impassable.

St. James Church, South London, was attended by large audiences yesterday, it being the occasion of the 25th anniversary of the death of Rev. J. W. J. Andrew, rector of Aylmer, preached in the morning, and Ven. Archdeacon Davis occupied his own pulpit in the evening. The choir rendered a fine service. The church was tastefully decorated with fruits, vegetables, grains and flowers.

The Mission Band of the Dundas Street Methodist Church had its annual meeting on Friday night. The band has had a very successful year, and the members and friends were present during the next twelve months. The following officers were elected for the year: Honorary president, Mrs. Dickson; senior president, Mrs. Kirk; vice-president, Miss Helen Clark; recording secretary, Miss Lulu Ashplant; corresponding secretary, Miss Jessie Pryce; treasurer, Miss Tessie McMechan; organist, Miss Marge; assistant organist, Miss Lily Smith.

A successful dance was held on Thursday evening, in the West End, Rink, under the auspices of the Socialist Labor Party and Socialist Trades and Labor Alliance. Mr. R. Roadhouse acted as master of ceremonies, and was assisted by Mrs. E. Floyd. Over 125 couples went through the programme of dances. Excellent music was supplied by Edgins' Orchestra. The first prize for waiting was awarded to Mr. Wm. O'Brien, Miss V. Thompson, and the second one to Miss Patton and Mr. George Black.

Yesterday was generally observed as "rally Sunday" in the Presbyterian Churches throughout the Dominion. At a regular service in the morning, at the First Presbyterian Church, an address was given by the pastor, Rev. W. J. Clark, and a programme of special music was carried out. The edifice was prettily decorated with banks of flowers. The service at St. Andrew's was held in the afternoon, and was largely attended, as were similar gatherings in the other Presbyterian churches of the city. The special programmes carried out were prepared by the General Assembly's Sunday school committee.

A rally of the Sunday school was held in the First Congregational Church last night. Instead of the usual programme of singing and prayer, with their teachers, occupied a large platform in front of the choir loft, and rendered several choruses. The choir also assisted in the musical exercises.

The regular service at St. Wm. A. Blethner, Recitations were given by Misses Anthistie and Clara Metcalfe; quartet by Misses M. Porteous and E. Moule, and Messrs. Bock and A. Anderson; solo, Miss Nellie Burdip; duet, Miss Pink and Miss Inga Anderson; and a song and chorus by Clara Heard and Ethel Bowman and the school. The pastor, Rev. E. C. Oakley, gave a short talk on "Ignorance of the Bible."

MOONSHINE
Many observant people believe that the condition of the moon foretells the weather. The late Mr. Carmichael, superintendent of the Dominion Meteorological Office at Toronto, stated some years ago that these moon prognostications were all moonshine. They were wrong as often as they were right. Mr. Carmichael laughed at all of the time-honored methods by which the oldest residents foretell the weather. He declared there was nothing whatever in any of these so-called signs.

GONE TO SUDBURY.
Mr. Fred L. Shillington, of the storekeeper's office at the G. T. R. car shops, left on Saturday afternoon for Copper Cliff, near Sudbury, Ont., where he will enter upon his new duties as

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PHILLIPOTS-CAMERON WEDDING.
At St. George's Parsonage, Barrie, the marriage was last week solemnized by Chas. A. Philipotts, No. 2 Company, R. C. R. I., Wolseley Barracks, London, and Miss Mary Cameron, daughter of the late Angus Cameron, Vespria township. Rev. W. S. Westney, was the officiating clergyman. Pte. Philipotts is one of the soldiers who returned recently from the Yukon.

LONDON OLD BOYS.
The Toronto Mail says: A meeting of the London Old Boys' Association was held Friday night in the Temple building. President Dr. Fred Winnett was in the chair. The treasurer's report, showing a balance after the outing at London, was read and received. After a short discussion it was decided to hold a series of smokers throughout the winter. The following committees were appointed to look after the entertainment: A. Trebblecock, Edward Owens, Joseph Hickson, Atwell Fleming and John Kider. The president and secretary were instructed to send a letter to the association in London, thanking them for their hospitality to the Toronto delegation at the reunion of Old Boys at London.

RALLY DAY.
At the Adelaide Street Baptist Sunday School yesterday afternoon, the cause of the Grand Ligne mission, Quebec, was presented. The attendance was large, it being the rally day of the school. Interesting addresses were given by Mr. W. T. Clark, Mr. Grover, Mr. C. Watson and Superintendent D. H. Gilles. The singing by the Sunday school choir, under the leadership of Miss Edythe Hartson, was excellent. Mrs. A. E. Brown gave a solo, "Galle," with fine effect. Mr. A. I. Gilles played an obligato on the violin. A duet, "The Lord is My Shepherd," was beautifully rendered by Mrs. A. E. Brown and Miss Hartson. Secretary Charles G. McMoran announced that the collection for the largest ever given in the history of the school.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.
At the weekly sitting on Saturday, before Chief Justice Meredith, of the High Court of Justice, the three following motions were disposed of:

The motion of the board of education for mandamus compelling the city council to raise certain moneys asked was enlarged to be heard in the trial judge when the action is taken up at the non-jury sittings of the assize court in November. I. F. Holmuth for the motion, T. G. Meredith for the reply.

A motion to set aside or modify an arbitrator's award, respecting the location of a new fence, in the matter of Messrs. Gibson and James, of Delaware, was dismissed with costs. T. G. Meredith for the motion; Helmut for the reply.

A petition of certain creditors, asking for compulsory liquidation of the Fraser Hat and Cap Company, was granted. Mr. Robinson to be the interim receiver, and the local master to be at London. Harper for petitioners; Buchner for company; H. Cronyn for creditors; McElroy for stockholders.

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.
There is to be a big time in St. Andrew's Society this winter. A large and enthusiastic meeting of this society was held in Somerset Hall on Thursday evening last. President Wainman, who occupied the chair, explained to the meeting that it had been called to see what steps could be taken to meet the needs of the society, which a number of Scotchmen in the city take interest in its aims and objects, but who nevertheless do not yet belong to it. Messrs. John W. Jones and A. S. McGregor made stirring addresses dealing with the matter, after which a number of committee representatives were appointed to canvass for members. The business over Messrs. McDonald and Finkler played several selections on the bagpipes, and Mr. John Stevens danced the Highland fling in his usual excellent manner. The meeting then adjourned until Tuesday evening, Oct. 4, to hear reports of committees.

"RED CHEEKS."
"Other Children Have Why Not Yours?"

The above comments occur in a letter referring to proper selection of food, from E. J. Wilson, 342 Hemlock street, Allegheny, Pa. "When our first baby boy reached seven months, he began to lose strength and grow pale. He could not digest any of the ordinary baby foods or prepared milk."

"Acting on the advice of a sister-in-law, who was bringing the roses to the cheeks of her two children, by their diet of Grape-Nuts food, my wife purchased a package and began feeding it to our baby, preparing it with a little hot water until it was the consistency of a thick gruel. She not only fed it to the baby, but herself began eating it three times a day."

"The transformation was wonderful. Within a month the baby was free from all stomach trouble, and my wife's strength was completely renewed, that feeling of fatigue having entirely disappeared. Do not over-feed when giving Grape-Nuts food to the baby. Other children have red cheeks, why not yours?"

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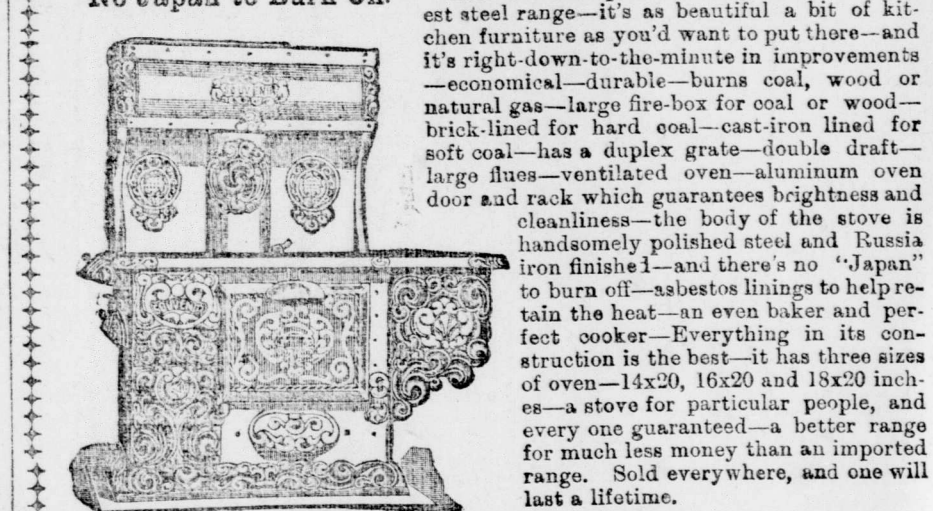
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DROPPED DEAD

Wm. Wilkes, an Aged British Pensioner, Expires on the Street—Was Suffering from Heart Trouble.

Wm. J. Wilkes, an aged British pensioner, dropped dead about 4 o'clock on Saturday, while walking along Simcoe street, near Colborne. He was seen to fall, and before assistance reached him he was dead. He was in his 87th year, and died a few days ago he had been confined in Victoria Hospital, under treatment for erysipelas and heart disease. The remains were removed to the residence of his grandson, at 539 South street. His wife was arrested a week ago for failing to appear in police court to answer a charge of neglecting to support her four children. Previous to this the family lived in a filthy hovel on Burwell street, which had to be destroyed by fire, as it was a menace to public health.

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"That one 50 cent box I bought at my druggist's did the work, and my digestion is all right again."

"Many of my neighbors have also tried these tablets, and found them to be just as represented, and Mr. Elms also wants me to use his name in endorsing Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. (Signed) A. ELLMS and

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Mrs. James Barton, of Toronto, Canada, writes: "For sixteen months I suffered from what I supposed was bladder and kidney trouble, and took medicine from three different doctors, without any sign of cure. I felt so ill at last I was hardly able to do my work."

"I thought I would try a box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and see if they would make me feel better, never really thinking I had dyspepsia, but after only three or four tablets had been taken all the acid trouble disappeared, and then I discovered I had had acid dyspepsia, while the doctors had been treating me for kidney and bladder trouble, and one of them treated me for rheumatism."

"My digestion is fine, my complexion clear and I am able to do my work, and low spirits are unknown to me."

"I am so thankful for finding a cure so good and so pleasant to take as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I am surprised at the change they have made in me."

All druggists sell and recommend Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, because they contain only the simple natural digestives, and taken after meals prevent acidity and cause prompt digestion and assimilation of food."

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