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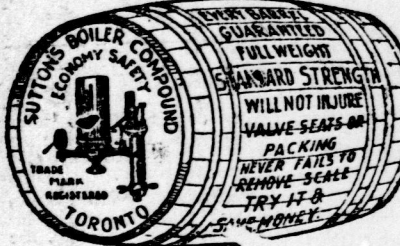
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## METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Ont., April 27—8 p.m.—The low area in the west is moving slowly towards the lake region, and from present indications the spell of fine weather in Ontario and Quebec will be broken, and unsettled conditions, with showers and thunderstorms, will be come prevalent. Comparatively warm weather continues in Manitoba, but a change to cooler is now probable. Minimum and maximum temperatures—Victoria, 38-54; New Westminster, 38-56; Calgary, 32-46; Kamloops, 30-52; Calgary, 32-46; Winnipeg, 46-58; Port Arthur, 34-50; Parry Sound, 46-76; Toronto, 48-66; Ottawa, 33-70; Montreal, 36-56; Quebec, 22-64; Halifax, 30-56. Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Thursday, April 27, were: Highest, 80°; lowest, 58°. Today sun rises at 5:15 a.m.; sets, 7:17 p.m. Moon rises 10:55 p.m.; sets, 6:45 a.m.

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## A LOCAL BUDGET

—An excursion is being talked of for the Seventh Battalion on May 24.

—Mr. George Merritt, of this city, was registered at the St. Lawrence Hall, Montreal, on Wednesday.

—Alex. Taylor has been elected to the Port Stanley school board in place of Dr. Mothersill, resigned.

—Mr. Samuel Grigg, of this city, will conduct the morning service in James Street Church, Exeter, next Sunday.

—Rev. Charles Smith, who has been pastor of Main Street Methodist since 1904, has received an invitation to go to Meaford.

—Miss Reba Kissack, deaconess, of Detroit, and graduate of Grace Hospital, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Eastwood, Dufferin avenue.

—Donald McKellar, son of Mr. A. McKellar, grocer, has secured the position of assistant in the Glenora postoffice, Joseph Walker having resigned.

—The schedule for the spring drill is arranged. Camp will be held here from May 30 to June 10. Nine battalions, 8,700 men, will go under canvas. City battalions will be attached for two days' training.

—Grand First Principal Reid, of Hamilton, and Grand Superintendent Roe, of St. Thomas, have promised to attend the regular convocation of St. George's Royal Arch Chapter, No. 5, this evening.

—Mr. C. P. Butler, of Sydenham street, an enthusiastic amateur, has succeeded in flowering a magnificent specimen of amaryllis, the blooms, brilliant crimson and white, being fully seven inches across.

—At the last meeting of the Gode-rich town council, alderman Ald. F. G. Rumball, of this city, the proprietor of the new Kensington Fur-niture Factory in that town, was read, in which he asked for a loan of \$10,000 for a term of twelve years, to be paid back as follows: Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent to be paid yearly, the principal to be paid at the rate of \$1,000 a year, commencing in the year 1904, until the twelve years expire, when the whole of the balance shall be paid. He further said: "For this I will enter into an agreement to keep the factory running steadily, and to employ not less than 30 hands."

## Tomorrow... A Great Chance

Box containing 100 sheets Society Note Paper, box containing 100 Envelopes to match; retail price was \$1.50, the 2 for 25c.

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Sheldon's Books in paper covers, 10c each.

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## REV. L. ELENA DEAD.

The Roman Catholic body of the Dominion loses one of its oldest and most industrious personages in the death of Rev. L. Elena, LL.D., V.G., which took place at St. Jerome's College, Deseronto, Wednesday afternoon. He had reached the age of almost 82 years. He was born in Tyrol, Austria, in 1817, and studied at Padua, Italy, from where he was graduated a doctor of civil and canon law. He was ordained priest at Rome in 1845.

"SOMETHING EVERYONE WANTS."

Rev. W. F. Wilson, of Hamilton, delivered an entertaining and profitable lecture at the Colborne Street Methodist Church last night, under the auspices of the Epworth League. "Something Everyone Wants" was the theme. Not money, nor power, nor knowledge, nor even religion, said the lecturer. And it is within the reach of nearly everybody. A healthy body, a well-informed mind, and, above all, a contented heart, will insure happiness. It was one of the most entertaining lectures ever delivered in this city. Rev. George Jackson, the pastor, presided. Music was furnished by a choir.

## AT KENSINGTON MISSION.

Rev. Mr. Morrison gave a very interesting lecture entitled "Plow Deep," last evening, in the Kensington Mission, West London. Mr. W. J. Saunby acted as chairman of the evening. Mr. Morrison said that a great many people just skim over the top of things, and must eventually stay with the crowds at the foot of the ladder. However, we find men, like Abraham Lincoln, James Garfield, Washington and Newton, plowing deep, and rising to the top. Oh, well; you may say it is genius. Call back to memory the definitions of genius, such as the greatest men have laid down, and we find that genius is ninety per cent genius, but ninety-eight per cent hard work, patience and perseverance. Mr. Morrison impressed the audience with his shrewd insight and lively humor.

## DR. BURGESS COMPLIMENTED.

Mr. Robert Reid, honorary secretary of the Protestant Hospital for the Insane, Montreal, at the head of which institution is Dr. Burgess, formerly a valued member of the staff of the Asylum for the Insane in this city, makes the following remarks in his annual report:

"The medical staff enjoy the entire confidence of the board, and we think the institution fortunate in having two such efficient officers. Within the past two months the Dominion Government summoned Dr. Burgess, with Dr. Lett, of Guelph, to report upon the sanity of a prisoner in Winnipeg who was under a possible obligation. It shows, however, the high appreciation, as an alienist, in which Dr. Burgess is held. As president of his section of the Royal Society of Canada, his address at their meeting, held last May, and now published in pamphlet form, is most valuable. In it he has given to Canada a most complete and carefully-compiled history of all the institutions that have been started for the care of the insane in this country.

"These comments are well merited by our former fellow-townsmen, who is recognized through North America as an able alienist and a progressive student of diseases of the mind.

## TO MEET HERE

Synod of London and Hamilton Winds Up and Adjourns.

The Presbyterian Synod of London and Hamilton concluded its session at Brantford on Wednesday afternoon. All the business proper of the synod was put through. The session was the shortest one in the history of the synod, the reports not receiving the discussion that is generally heard.

The advisability of changing the order of business in the future was discussed at length. A committee reported in favor of the synod meeting next year on Tuesday, and an amendment which found favor was that the business and conference meetings should be alternated. It was suggested that in the future the morning session should be devoted to business proper, the afternoon to conference work, and the evening to the receiving of reports. It has been found that a great many of the delegates are unable to remain at the meeting throughout the entire session, so that the business meeting is missed by them when it is held at the last of the session. The suggestion met with favor and was referred to the committee.

It was decided to hold the next synod meeting in St. Andrew's Church, this city, on the last Tuesday in April of next year.

## CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician, retired from practice had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh of the Throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints. Having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, and desiring to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge to all who wish it, this recipe in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail, addressing, with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. NOYES, 820 Powers Block, Rochester, N. Y.

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## WEST LONDON MUST GO DRY

Licenses Granted to Thirty-Three Hotels, Six Shops and One Saloon.

No Hotels Across the River—Revenue Increased by \$1,840, but No Increase in Number of Licenses—Fire Escapes for Hotels.

West London people may now repose in peace, for the license commissioners have decided that hotels are not needed there, and at the meeting last night refused the application of W. Hollands, of Parkhill, and Jerry Collins, for licenses. There is no increase in the number of licensed places this year over last, but rather a tendency to restriction, and notwithstanding this the tax will be largely in excess of what it was for the twelve months ended, P. J. Watt, 428 Richmond street, and Jas. Wilson, 398 Richmond street, were the only two wholesalers in London applying for retailers' licenses. These applications were also refused, but both were given the option of taking out a wholesaler's license. The amount collected last year was \$11,660 for licenses and \$355 in fines and transfers, and of this \$2,922.75 went to the city. Owing to the revision of the liquor law the amount collected this year will be \$1,340 over that of the year just ended, making the total \$12,250. Last year, brewers' license fees of \$750 were paid to Inspector Henderson, but this also has been affected by the new order of things, and without the brewers' fees the excess over last year is \$590. Each hotel license costs \$290, or \$30 more than last year; each saloon, \$450, or \$150 more than in 1898; wholesalers' licenses have been increased from \$250 to \$350, and shops from \$250 to \$310, an increase of \$60. Under the new system all saloon and wholesale license fees must be paid at the time the permit is granted. Tavern and shop licenses on May 1 pay half the amount of the license fee, and a permit is granted for six months, at the end of which the other half of the fee must be paid. Last year London had two saloons; this year it has one, the other saloon being converted into a hotel. The duty on saloons is \$190 higher than on hotels. Inspector Henderson has also received a circular from Toronto, which was read at the meeting. It directs the attention of hotelkeepers to the necessity of fire escapes on all two-story buildings, and where hotels are more than two stories, fire escapes must be provided, and a rope of sufficient length and strength to carry a man to the ground must be kept in each room. The penalty for violation of these rules is a fine of from \$20 to \$200.

Following are the licenses granted, of which 6 are shop, 33 hotel, 1 saloon and 2 wholesalers' licenses, held in abeyance:

## RETAIL SHOPS.

Joseph W. Scandrett, 171 Dundas street. John A. Somerville, corner Talbot and Dundas. John Garvey, 156 Dundas street. E. B. Smith, 12 Market Square. James Ward, 471 Simcoe street. Edward Shea, 11 Masonic Temple.

## TAVERN AND SALOON.

James Butler, restaurant, G. T. R. Charles Stevens, 203 Dundas street. John Tomlinson, 402 Clarence street. Harry M. Ryan, corner King and Clarence streets.

John Howe, corner Clarence and York streets. J. J. Cox, southwest corner Clarence and York streets.

John O'Flaherty, corner Wellington and Bathurst streets.

J. W. Doyle southwest corner Wellington and York streets.

Metropolitan Hotel, Dundas and Wellington streets.

W. C. Ross, corner Dundas and Egerton streets.

Guthrie & Son, 368 Dundas street.

Frank McLean, 621 Dundas street.

John Fraser, 183 King street.

Henry L. Peine, corner Richmond and King streets.

Ell Griffith, Grand Pacific Hotel, corner Richmond and Mill streets.

John Lewis, corner Richmond and Maple streets.

J. B. Jennings, Richmond and Fullarton streets.

James McDonald, 12 Carling street.

R. E. Lloyd, 157 Dundas street.

W. Bernard, corner Talbot and Carling streets.

David Sane, 378 Richmond street.

C. E. Scott, 119 King street, Boswell House.

Jerry McDonald, Ontario House, 129 King street.

W. S. Hodgins, Central House, corner Talbot and York streets.

John P. Walsh, 147 King street.

W. Collins, corner York and Talbot streets.

C. W. Davis, Tecumseh House.

John McMartin, City Hotel.

Edward Morrin, 89 King street.

Mahon & Patton, corner Talbot and King streets.

Martin O'Meara, Grigg House.

Hunter & Son, Ridout and King streets.

J. W. Humphreys, London House, corner Dundas and Talbot streets.

John P. Evans, 321 Richmond street. The commissioners present were D. Regan (chairman), Robert Reid, Jun., and C. H. Elliott, secretary.

## One Thousand Pairs of Lace Curtains.

This is not by any means the number of Curtains we have here, as our stock is nearly five times that. This one thousand pairs we purchased in addition to our regular importations, and are in very fine Brussels Effects, finished with the new over-locked corded edge—a much neater and stronger edge than the taped Curtains.

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| 100 pairs at....\$1 95 | 100 pairs at....\$3 25 |
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## MUSICAL

Woman's Morning Music Club Elects Officers—Closing Concert.

Sacred Concert at Askin Street Methodist Church—Recital at the Conservatory.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Morning Music Club yesterday afternoon, marked the close of a most successful season. The club has a membership of 160. The treasurer's report showed a small balance.

Miss Graydon was unanimously re-elected president. The vice-presidents chosen were Mrs. Robert M. Burns, Mrs. Ashworth, Miss Katherine Moore and Mrs. C. E. Hunt. Miss Murphy and Miss Maud Regan were elected secretaries, and Mrs. M. A. Lilly and Miss Armstrong treasurers.

"An 'At Home' will be given next Thursday at the Y. M. C. A."

The following pleasant programme was given at the close of the annual meeting:

Beethoven.....Concerto in G. Major (first movement), Cadenza by

Miss M. Raymond. Reinecke

(Second piano) Mr. Thos. Martin. Chadwick.....Vocal Quartet, Lullaby

Messiah Johnson and Fenwick, Messing

Chopin.....Fantasie Impromptu

Miss Maud Regan. Saint Saens

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Hollaender.....Theme and Variations

.....(Duo) Mr. F. Clark and Miss M. Raymond

Gounod.....(a) O. Printemps

Nevin.....(b) The Rosary

Mrs. W. C. Nichol.

Beethoven.....Fifth Concerto (Em-

peror), E flat Major

Miss Evelyn Morphy.

(Second piano) Mr. Thos. Martin

Rossini.....Cavatina, L'italiana in

Algeria

Mrs. Robert Muir Burns.

Wagner.....Quartet, Overture Tann-

hauser

Misses M. Raymond, Katherine Moore,

Helen Fitzgerald and Eliza-

beth Walker.

## Sacred Concert.

A large audience assembled at the Askin Street Methodist Church last evening, and enjoyed one of the best concerts of the season. The programme contained eighteen numbers, and every number was a gem. Encores were numerous and the audience warmly appreciative. Mr. Philip, organist and choirmaster, is to be congratulated on the marked improvement in the choir since he assumed charge. Two choruses were sung, each in splendid tune and time. The choir was assisted by Mrs. John Cooper (nee Miss Lilywhite) soprano soloist of the First Presbyterian Church, Chatham. Mr. Wm. Caven Barron, of the London Conservatory of Music; Mr. H. R. McDonald; the Imperial Quartet, comprising Messrs.

## Conservatory Recital.

A delightful piano recital was given at the Conservatory of Music last night by pupils of Misses Helen Paterson and Bella Brown. The programme:

Overture—Zauberflöte.....Mozart

Misses McMurchy, Lamont, Pierce and Paterson.

Reve Charmant.....De Lille

Miss Rosa Pierce.

a Valse Lente.....Slewingking

b The Flatterer.....Chaminade

Miss Lena McMurchy.

He was a Prince.....Lynes

Miss Ethel McKillop.

Kamennoi Ostrow, No. 22.....Rubenstein

Miss Violet Laing.

Fourth Mazurke.....Godard

Miss Ella Hay.

Waltz Song—The Charming.....Strelezid

Miss Lena McMurchy.

Second Mazurke.....Godard

Miss Mamie Bowen.

Valse Arabesque.....Lack

Miss Nellie Butler.

Marche Militaire.....Saint Saens

Misses Florence Lamont and Nellie Butler.

They've imitated everything else, but they've never been able to imitate the quality of

Ayer's Sarsaparilla