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## THE WEATHER FOR THE NEXT MONTH

Three Storm Periods Set for April, According to Rev. Irl Hicks: Much Rain Sure to Fall; Electrical and Hail Storms.

The following extracts are taken from Rev. Irl Hicks' forecasts for April: "A marked change to warmer, with corresponding fall of the barometer, will progressively pass from west to east over the country during the first two or three days of April. Indications of coming change and storms will be apparent to observing people over most parts of the country, and these fore-running indications will culminate in storms of rain, wind and thunder, centering on and touching Monday and Tuesday, the 3rd and 4th. The tendency to hail storms will be greatly increased at this time, a copperish electrical cloud being almost a certain precursor of approaching hail. The period will end in change to much cooler with probable snow flurries northward, and cool to frosty nights will follow up to about the 10th.

"The 7th and 8th are central dates, on and touching which reactionary changes to storm conditions will take place. These changes to warmer, falling barometer, with outbreaks of rain and storminess, will begin in western and make their transit to eastern sections, being followed by rapid rise of the barometer and the change to much cooler. Electrical, Venus storms until past the middle of April, should be warnings of sudden change to cooler with frost.

"A regular Vulcan storm period extends from the 11th to the 15th. The changes that go before the formation and approach of cloudiness and storms will appear to the westward as we enter this period, and later, say from the 13th to 16th, rain with thunder and storminess will touch numerous localities in their progress eastward over the country. The Mercury disturbance blending with that of Venus at this time, will almost surely prolong and intensify storm conditions so that little or no intermission of settled weather will follow this period before the beginning of another.

"The next storm period includes the 17th to the 20th, inclusive. The Easter full moon on the celestial equator and in perigee are embraced in the 17th to the 20th. Very threatening electrical storms, violent and possibly tornadoic in places westward and central, are possible and probable at this time. These storms will break up into snow squalls over much of the country northward, and be followed by several days of bleak to frosty weather. Late sleet storms will visit many sections.

**NERVOUS, SICK HEADACHE**  
Mr. O. BARBER, SIMCOE, Ont., writes: "I was troubled for a long time with headaches, which would come on about once a week with such violence that I could not eat, or do my work. I tried headache powders and quick cures, which did no good. About eight months ago I took six boxes of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and I have not been troubled with headache since."

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- Boy "..... 3.00
- Misses' "..... 2.00
- Child's "..... 1.75

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ions on and touching the 18th and 19th. The next regular storm period is central on the 24th, covering the 25th to the 27th. The barometer will fall generally during the progress of this period, and April showers will thicken into wider and heavier thunder storms. At all the periods in April up to this time, many parts of the country will get more rain than for many months past. Low lands in all central to western states will have too much. Change to fair and cooler will follow this period, up to the 29th. On the 29th and 30th reactionary storm conditions will return. April will end with much warmer weather, low barometer, and a series of thunder showers passing easterly across the country."

## MONEY IS GOOD FOR MISSIONS

BOSTON, March 28.—Positive action was taken on the question of accepting John D. Rockefeller's gift of \$100,000 to the American Board of Commissioners for foreign missions at a meeting of the prudential committee of that organization, but the nature of the action was not disclosed. The committee announced officially, however, that a statement citing the decision of the committee, would be given out tomorrow. Already the American Board has received from Mr. Rockefeller \$41,500, which has been apportioned to various foreign missions conducted by the Board.

## MANSLAUGHTER IS CHARGED

ANNAPOLIS, N. S., March 28.—David Robinson and Enoch Wiles, of Parker's Cove, Annapolis county, have been arrested on information of Rev. Douglas Hemen, Methodist minister, Annapolis, charged with the manslaughter of Geo. McGarvey on the fourth of February. All three men it appears were that day in Annapolis and after drinking started for home over the mountain road in the teeth of a heavy storm. On the way they stopped at a house, where McGarvey showed signs of collapse, and the others they left thinking he would remain there. On arriving at home without him no uneasiness was felt until next day it was discovered McGarvey was not to be found. A search party found the remains on the road, where McGarvey had perished of exhaustion. An inquest was held but not until now have any proceedings been taken against Robinson and Wiles, who are said through neglect to have left McGarvey to perish.

## AN EXAMPLE FOR CHARLOTTETOWN

HALIFAX, March 28.—The city council passed a resolution at a special meeting today to borrow \$5,000 for the purpose of clearing the streets of snow and to clean Water street, which is in a dangerous condition for teams.

The work is to be started in the morning, the merchants supplying the horses and teams free and the city to furnish the laborers.

Hurrah for the new hats, 12 cases hat and caps came yesterday. Hurry up and see them.—Prowse Bros. 2nd fl.

Hughes' Cough Mixture has steadily increased in popularity until to-day it has the largest sale of any cough remedy in our store. The reason is that it is being constantly recommended by those who have been benefited by it. It is pleasant and agreeable to take and suitable both for young and old. Price 25c a bottle. Geo. E. Hughes, Apothecaries Hall. 3rd fl.

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## RUSSIA DETERMINES TO STILL CONTINUE THE WAR

ST. PETERSBURG, March 30.—(Special)—The Imperial Commission under the presidency of Grand Duke Nicholas which has been considering the question of prosecuting the war has completed its report. It favors a continuation of the war.

## CABINET CRISIS IN MANITOBA

Over the Refusal of the Dominion to Extend the Boundaries of the Province Governor Refuses Dissolution.

WINNIPEG, March 30.—(Special)—A crisis may be expected at any time in Manitoba Government. The cabinet members are deeply grieved over Dominion's refusal to extend the boundaries of the province and Premier Roblin and colleagues decided on an appeal to the people.

## SIFTON HAS NOT YET COME BACK

OTTAWA, March 30.—(Special)—Replying to Hon. George E. Foster today Sir Wilfrid Laurier stated that nothing had been done towards filling the portfolio of Minister of the Interior.

## WEATHER FORECAST.

TORONTO, March 31.—(Special)—Moderate to fresh westerly winds, a few scattered showers at first, but for the most part, not much change in temperature.

Continued mild weather yesterday. The past two nights the thermometer has fallen slightly below freezing but not enough to harden the ice or snow.

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finding nothing in the present situation either financial or military to prevent its prosecution.

General Linevitch has addressed a letter to all his forces, thanking the men for their bravery displayed and loyalty

## 33,000 SEALS IN FIFTEEN DAYS

Steamer Eagle is First Ship of Newfoundland Fleet to Return—Outlook for Poor Fishing.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., March 28.—The steamer Eagle, the first ship of the sealing fleet which sailed March 13, returned tonight fully laden, having 33,000 seals. She reports the Kite loaded with 11,000 seals; the Ranger with 15,000; the Labrador with 14,000; the Virginia Lake with 6,500; the Nimrod with 2,500; the Neptune with 7,500, and Aurora with 600. Eleven other steamers are unreported. The figures indicate a poor fishery, the outlook being the least satisfactory in many years.

## HELD HIS HEAD UNDER WATER TILL HE DIED.

LAWRENCE, Mass., March 28.—Rene Nietsens, a Belgian mill operative, shot and killed his wife at her home here today and then, evading his pursuers, leaped into the Merrimack river and held his head under the surface until death resulted. Nietsens and his wife had not lived together for the past four months. Today he called on his wife and accused her of having been in company with another man. Being ordered to leave the house he drew a revolver and fired five shots at his wife, one bullet entering the eye and causing instant death.

Attracted by the shooting several persons entered the house and endeavored to capture Nietsens. With half a dozen men close upon him he rushed out and plunged into the river near by. The water is so shallow that his body did not disappear, and he held his head under the surface. Although he was pulled out within five minutes he hardly breathed after the rescue. Nietsens was 44 years old, his wife was five years younger.

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## COMING EVENTS.

S. O. F.—Next meeting of Lodge Prince Edward Tuesday evening April 11th, Red Rose Degree. Visiting brethren welcome.

City Council meets on the second Monday in each month. Dr. F. E. Kelly Mayor. W. W. Clarke, City Clerk.

Are you a thinker? Well think how Paton will serve you if you try him. 3rd fl.

shown in the past battles and praying God to help in the next fight.

There is no activity at the front beyond the march of several Japanese columns northward. No fighting has occurred lately.

## A SETTLEMENT AT SPRINGHILL

Over the Difficulty Between the Miners and the Co.—Both Sides are Satisfied by the Arrangement

SPRINGHILL MINES, March 30.—(Special.) By wise council a way has been made out of the threatened trouble between the Company and its miners.

The management have consented to a written request of Pioneer Lodge to leave the whole subject open for discussion till the 10th of May with an earnest effort to terminate the matter in amicable in a conciliatory spirit.

Both sides seem satisfied with the arrangement and a speedy and fair solution is anticipated without interruption to the work.

## ARGUMENT FOR A BETTER SERVICE

OTTAWA, March 30.—(Special.)—When the Island delegation arrives here they will be sure of a hearing. Father Burke waited on Sir Wilfrid Laurier to-day and remarked that the delay in their arrival was only another argument in favor of the necessity of improved communication between the Island and the mainland.

New hats at Prowse's. 29 d 3i

## THE POPE HOLD SECRET CONSISTORY

His Holiness Complains of the Attitude of France Towards the Church but has Cause for Rejoicing at Condition in South America.

ROME, March 28.—The Pope held a secret consistory yesterday without creating any cardinals, merely preconizing bishops. Monsignor Zoticio Raccio, was confirmed as auxiliary bishop of Montreal, Que., and the Right Rev. Thomas F. Hickey was confirmed as coadjutor bishop of Rochester, N. Y.

All the cardinals met in the hall of the consistory of the Vatican, where they received the pontiff, who entertained them ostentatiously, dressed in white, surrounded by the papal court, and flanked by the noble guard and Swiss guard.

When the pope was seated on the throne all the prelates advanced to pay him homage, after which only the cardinals remained. The pontiff then delivered an allocution, and immediately afterwards proceeded to the preconization of bishops.

The allocation in moderate terms deplored the persecution from which the church suffered in some countries, and

## WAITING FOR THE VICTORIAN

HALIFAX, March 30.—(Special.)—At midnight tonight there was no sign of the turbine steamer Victorian.

Sir Hugh Allan at seven o'clock said that that was her hour for arriving as she had to go 1700 hundred miles out of her course.

A large party of prominent people are here as the guests of the Allan line waiting for the steamer on which they will be taken to St. John.

MONTREAL, March 28.—Hon. R. Prefontaine, Minister of Marine, Sir Montague Allan, and a large number of prominent citizens left tonight by special train for Halifax to inspect the new Allan line turbine steamer Victorian, which will arrive this week.

## CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 30.—(Special.)—  
March Corn 47 1/2    May Corn 47 1/2  
" Wheat 88 1/2    " Wheat 113  
" Pork \$12.80    "    \$12.65

complained of recent events in France, where besides the diplomatic rupture between the republic and the papacy the statesmen are preparing for the separation of the church and state, for which the pontiff asserted again the vatican was not responsible, as had been alleged. The rupture was to be deplored.

The pope also referred to the persecution of the church in some of the South American republics, especially Nicaragua, and Ecuador, citing the laws passed by the last named republic against the church, providing for the confiscation of the property of the religious orders, interfering with the liberty of the religious associations, and putting obstacles in the way of the appointment of new bishops.

To offset this the pontiff mentioned the fact that the arbitration between Chile and Peru has been entrusted to the papal representative which had caused the Holy See much satisfaction.

## COLONIST TRAIN DITCHED ON C. P. R.

WINNIPEG, March 30.—(Special.)—A west bound colonist train on the Canadian Pacific was today ditched two hundred miles west of here. None of the passengers were killed but a great many were cut and bruised. All the injured belong to Ontario.

## THE LAKE SUPERIOR TERMINUS CHOSEN.

FOOT WILLIAM, March 30.—(Special.)—Indian Mission lands here comprising three thousand acres have been selected as the Lake Superior terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway.

The company has entered into an agreement with the town regarding the building and maintenance of shops.

## CHILD HAD ECZEMA

My daughter thirteen years old suffered from eczema for three years. She was treated by our family physician and used other ointments without benefit. By using Dr. Chase's Ointment she has been completely cured. This is the only Ointment I feel like recommending.—Mr. JAMES H. PATRIQUIN, 176 Rockdale Avenue, Sydney, C. B.

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