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PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet. Toronto, May 20.-10 a. m.-Moderate winds; northerly to easterly, a few scattered showers, but mostly fair. Wednesday, mostly fair and warmer again; local thunderstorms,

Births, Marriages and Deaths

DIED.

GERBER-On Tuesday, May 20th Mrs. Henry E. Gerber, aged 25 years. Funeral will take place on Wednesday at 9.30 a. m., from Park Avenue to St. Joseph's Church.

TO-NI HT.

"D" Company drills at drill shed, at

Lacrosse Club practice, Tecumseh Park, 6.45, sharp. Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F., Oddfellows' Temple, 8 o'clock.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

C. B. Oliver of Merlin, is a Chatham visitor to-day.

Dr. Knight, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday on a surgical case. Wm. Trotter, of Wallaceburg, is spending the day with friends in the

Mrs. Glover, of this city, has enter-d St. Joseph's Hospital suffering from fever.

Mrs. J. W. Post and Mrs. E. M. Colver of Erieau, are guests in the Maple City to-day. M. B. Williams and Wm. Dawson of

Merlin are spending the day with their Maple City friends. Lost—A dark pocketbook, containing sum of money. A reward will be said by returning it to this office.

2td Mrs. Lee, of Wallaceburg, who nderwent a surgical operation in underwent Joseph's Hospital, returns home

Mr. Peltier of Dover, who has been confined in St. Joseph's Hospital returned yesterday fully recovered from his recent illness

Mrs. Keifer Up-the-Creek, had the misfortune to run a nail in her foot yesterday. She was taken to the of-fice of Drs. Rutherford & Rutherford where heri njuries were attended to. The nail made a wound two inches

Medical Health Officer Hall has been corresponding with the G. T. R. and, at last, has got a promise from Supt. Ferritor that the hog pen nuisance will be attended to. The nuisance will be attended to. The superintendent will be here shortly confer with the Board of Health and remedy the trouble.

Mr. Mulvey, of Toronto, who figured unenviably in the Stephens-Smith campaign in an endeavor to arouse the Irish against T. A. Smith has putt in an appearance for this contest. Kent be-became too warm for Mr. Mulvey on his previous visit that he left the riding very suddenly.

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John Piggott, Sr., is confined to hi

Thomas Everitt, a drunk, pa \$5.25 into the city coffers. C. B. Moore, Lacroix St., has rented he Ericau grocery for the summer.

Thos. Dillon, Beaumont, Texas, is visiting his parents, Delaware Ave. The Erie Stuart has left for Georgan Bay after another cargo of lumber for John Piggott & Sons.

Saturday's Toronto papers announce that Wm. P. Moore, Blenheim, has won the pharmacy college medal. Mrs. Jermyn, Park street, who has been seriously ill in St. Joseph's Hos-pital, returned home on Sunday fully

The Lake Erie have decided to discontinue the Saturday night Eau service. There were not enough pas-sengers to make it profitable. There was not a quorum at the meeting of the City Council last even-

ing, Mayor Sulman and Ald. Cowan and McKeough alone being present. Friends of George Rankin have received letters to say that he had fully recovered from a severe attack of brain trouble. For some weeks he had been in a hospital at Sault Ste. Marie and little hopes for his recovery were

Miss Alice Birch, who has been a patient in the Public General Hospital for the past ten weeks, returned to her home, 38 Lorne Ave., yesterday. Miss Birch is getting along very well indeed, but it will be some time before she regains her former health

The supplementary sittings for the registration of manbood suffrage voters were held to-day. Judge Bell added four names, and Judge Houston put on a like number. James Holmes had three names but up till noon thay had three names, but up till noon they had not put in an appearance. Judge Woods adjourned his court owing to

SAD DEMISE

Agnes Ellen Gerber, beloved wife of Henry Gerber, of this city, died this morning from stomach trouble. Deceased was 25 years of age and the circumstances surrounding the death are very sad. Mr. and Mrs. Gerber were married just one year ago, and the husband is prostrated with grief. Deceased has been ill for only four weeks and her death was quite un-expected. The funeral will take place on Thursday morning from her late residence; Park avenue.

TIRED OF LIFE

Irwin Shaw an aged inmate of the anty house of industry attempted to commit suicide early this morning. He cut three gashes in his throat and was just going to throw, himself from the upper verandah when discovered by caretaker Alfred Arnold. The man was put in bed and Dr. Charteris summoned. The doctor sewed up the gashes and says that the man's condition is not dangerous but that Mr. Shaw is quite out of his mind. Irwin Shaw is about seventy years of age He has been suffering for a long time with a sore toe. He got permission couple of weeks ago to visit his old home near Kent Bridge. He returned very despondent and seemed to feel that he was in the way and not wanted. He has often expressed a wish that he were dead during his two years' residence at the House of Refuge. A son a doctor, in the States is his only living near relative.

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For East Kent-

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J. Davidson People's Day -- May 29th

While we must not overlook the difference between the supply of food in nature and captivity as well rs the equally different conditions of both food and exercise in either state, it is somewhat interesting to note the increase in weight and height of a young Indian elephant in captivity, a state to which it was brought when about fifteen months old. During nearly a couple of years the captive put on nearly half a ton (to be more accurate, some 1,100 pounds of avoirdupois) and not far short of eighteen inches.

The increase in both weight and height was greatest in the early months and slower in both cases as time went on, and the greatest gain in any single month was ninety pounds and four inches. Considering the immense rations given to elephants in menageries, it may be thought, perhaps, that the results are none too great for the cost. Yet to gain ninety pounds in a single month is prodigious all the same.

Carried Millions on His Back. When Baron Rothschild was paying a visit to New York, a reception was given him in a certain great house. The affair was in charge of Brown, the famous old sexton of Grace church. Another reception was being held the same evening in a house almost immediately opposite, which was also in charge of the sexton. The baron wished to attend the second affair, but the street was full of mud, the night was disagreeable and no carriage was at the curbstone. He could not walk across without soiling his boots and evening clothes, and for the moment he was in a predicament as to what he should do. But he was soon relieved of this dilemma. "I'll carry you across myself," said Brown jovially; "now, mount my shoulders." And, grasping him as if he had been a child, he carried the nobleman across on his back.

Balzac's Way.

Jules Sandeau relates that one time while living in Paris Balzac locked himself up in his room for twenty-two And days and twenty-two nights, refusing to see any one and keeping the cur-tains closed and the lights continually burning even in broad daylight. The only human being he saw during this time was his servant, whom he rang for when he felt the need of food and cups of coffee. He would throw himself on his bed only when entirely exhausted from lack of sleep, and he remained in complete ignorance of what was transpiring outside, the state of the weather and even of the time and day of the week. He only freed himself from this voluntary captivity when he had written the word "End" on the last page of the manuscript he began when he entered his prison.

Price of Blackwell's Island. The price of Blackwell's island when it was purchased by New York city was not seven pieces of wampum, 120 pounds of tobacco or two stacks of firearms, the price of Manhattan Island, but \$50,000, paid to Bobert Blackwell, the owner, who had married the daughter of the English captain Manning who in 1673 surrendered New York city to the Dutch. When the English resumed control, Manning retired to Blackwell's Island, then known as Hog island, and after his death it became the property of his daughter and son-in-law. It was sold in 1838 to New York city and since has been in use for various correctional and charitable in-

Storing Oxygen In the Blood. Professional divers, who remain ander water from two to five minutes at time, are accustomed before submerging themselves to take deep inspirations for ten minutes. The object s said to be to store up oxygen, not in the lung cells, but in the blood corpuscies. This renders a temporary suspension of the breathing possible by supplying the corpuscles with an extra quantity of oxygen, to be exchanged chemically with the carbonic acid, produced by vital processes, in

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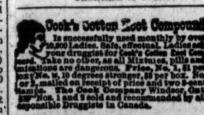
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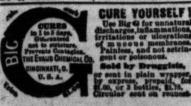
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