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PROBABILITIES.
Special to The Planet.
Toronto, June 10.—10 a. m.—Fresh
northerly winds, cooler and cloudy,
with occasional showers. Wednesday,
moderate south east and south winds,
fair weather.
The following figures were register-
ed to-day at 7 a. m. at Turner &
Platt's weather bureau:
Thermometer 61.
Highest yesterday 72.
Lowest yesterday 46.
Direction of wind, west.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Music and Refreshments on Moon-
light Excursion, Friday, June 13. 2
Miss Dorothy Sheldon left this
morning for Toronto.
J. A. Tremblay, of Tilbury, paid Dr.
Beard a short visit to-day.
Regimental Band on Moonlight Ex-
cursion Friday, June 13. 2
Geo. West, of Cleveland, has moved
to this city and taken up his resi-
dence on Park street.
Health Inspector Anson Mounteer
claims that the school yard at the
Central school is too small for 600
children to play in.
There will probably be a special
meeting of the Board of health this
afternoon to meet the superintendent
of the G. T. R. in reference to remedy-
ing the cattle pen nuisance.
A new move of the City Engineer in
repairing plank sidewalks is, he takes
a plank and cuts stakes out of it and
drives them into the holes. If this
scheme had been thought of years ago
what a surplus our City Dads would
have to work on.—Today's Growler.
Victoria Ave. League Moonlight Ex-
cursion, Friday, June 13. 2

NEW PASTOR

Doctors Thornton and McKeough,
of this city, representing Park Street
Methodist Church, waited on the Sta-
tioning committee of the London Con-
ference at Sarnia last evening and
urged that the invitation of Park St.
Methodist Church to Rev. Mr. Cobble-
dick, of Parkhill, be honored. The
request was granted and he was placed
in Chatham on the last draft.
Mr. Cobbledick is a comparatively
young man, just at his best, and is
said to be one of the most able and
best men in the conference, and Chat-
ham is indeed fortunate in securing
his services. He will take charge of
the local church on July 1st.
At the general meeting of the con-
ference Rev. T. T. George, of this city,
gave an eloquent and able address on
temperance. The conference will
close to-day.

NEW STORY

On Saturday next The Planet will
commence the publication of its new
serial story, "Rolf House," by G. H.
Benedict.
Rolf House is one of the most fas-
cinating of modern serial stories. It
is a tale of love and adventure,
admirably told, and intensely in-
teresting throughout.
Every reader of The Planet will find
a very pleasant way of spending sev-
eral hours in the reading of this se-
rial. Watch for the opening chapters
on Saturday.
What's done can never be undone—
especially if it's a hard boiled egg.

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WILL CELEBRATE RIGHT ROYALLY

Mayor Sulman's Splendid
Proposal for Coronation
Day.

Magnificent Fireworks Display
—Council to Attend Church
—To-Day's Meeting.

In spite of the fact that the Old
Boys' reunion failed to materialize
Chatham is not to lose her celebration.
Mayor G. W. Sulman brought the
matter up at a special meeting of the
city council this afternoon. In speak-
ing of the matter he said—

"I have been thinking over a scheme
which I think will meet with your
approval and I intend to bring the
matter up at the next regular meet-
ing of the council and have it acted
upon. So far there has been no sign
of Chatham having a celebration.
The 24th of May has passed by and
nothing was done. The peace an-
nouncement was not celebrated very
elaborately.

There will be nothing special going
on on the first of July and the Old
Boys' Reunion has been dropped.
Now I would like to see some kind
of a demonstration in Chatham this
year and I think that the 24th of
June, Coronation Day, should be the
day in which to hold it. The other
small towns around have been ob-
serving these holidays and I feel
that Chatham should not be behind
the rest. The 24th Regiment are go-
ing to parade to Holy Trinity church
on the evening of the Coronation, and
the Council have received a very gen-
erous invitation to attend.

I would like to see the members of
the Council accept this invitation, and
after the service is over let a mass
meeting be held on Tecumseh Park,
where a good, up-to-date fireworks
display could be given.

This could be done without much
preparation, and I think it would be
a good thing to do. The whole affair
would not cost the city more than
\$300."

The rest of the aldermen present
thought it would be a good scheme.

DIVISION COURT

Judge Woods held Division Court
this morning and cleared the docket
in short order. W. W. Grooms vs.
Samuel H. Johnson was settled; judg-
ment being entered for the full
amount and costs by consent. This
was an action for \$55.50 and costs
for breach of contract for the sale
of 500 bushels of corn which the de-
fendant had agreed to deliver but
did not deliver last fall at 30 cents
a bushel.
Gray & Sons vs. Bell was adjourn-
ed to Chambers for trial.
Martin & Sons vs. Brewer and the
Lake Erie R. R. was adjourned till
the October court.

SEWER SERVICE

Residents on the east end of Selkirk
street are complaining of bad sewer
service. It appears that the scraper
in levelling off the road has made a
number of large holes at different
places along the sidewalk, and after
the recent heavy rains the water
gathers in these holes and stays there
until it soaks through the surface.
There is a catch basin, but this is
too low and gets covered up after
each scraping.
"It is a terrible nuisance," said one
resident this morning, "but it could
soon be remedied. The City Engineer
ought to investigate the matter."

NARROW ESCAPE

A young lad, Willie Learst, had a
very narrow escape from electrocu-
tion last evening about 6.30 o'clock,
when he climbed up a post near ex-
Ald. J. W. Dyer's grocery on Baldon
street. The little fellow is only ten
or eleven years old and when he
grabbed the wire with both hands it
did not take near so long to get
down as it did to get up.
Some of the playmates who happen-
ed to be around carried him to one
of the doctor's offices across the
river, where his badly burned hands
were dressed. One of the fingers of
his left hand was burned right to
the bone. This is a lesson to boys
in the habit of climbing these poles.
The doctor says it's a wonder the
lad was not killed.

COUNCIL MEET

There was a special meeting of the
City Council at two o'clock this after-
noon. The Waterworks pipe crosses
the River at the Aberdeen bridge. The
pipe is laid on the natural bed of the
stream. The Blonde Co. have permis-
sion of the Council to build a dock
along the foot of St. Clair street
where the water pipe crosses the
river and the company wishes to deep-
en the water at the dock to 12 feet.
A meeting of the water commis-
sioners, members of the Blonde Co., and
the Industrial Committee of the City
Council was held yesterday. The wa-
ter works pipe will have to be lowered
12 feet. The work will cost \$100. At
the meeting yesterday the Water
Commissioners offered to pay \$50,
Blonde Bros. \$125, and it was sug-
gested that the city pay the balance.
The council meeting to-day approved
of the agreement as stated above.

FARM FOR SALE

—About 46 acres
of land, concession 10, Dover Town-
ship; close to school and church.
Good house, good barn, granary,
etc., two good wells. Apply Geo.
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COUNTY COURT JUNE SESSION

Only Two Criminal Cases Placed
Before the Grand Jury—
Judge's Address.

A Number of Minor Cases are
Enlarged—Dispute Over note
Proceeded With.

The June session of the county court
opened to-day before His Honor Judge
Bell. Two of the grand jurors didn't
respond to their names, and Gordon
Boles and M. W. Grant were chosen
from the audience in the court room
to fill up. M. W. Grant was chosen
foreman.

The new Crown Attorney, Edwin
Bell, was in attendance. There was a
goodly number of the Kent bar pres-
ent. Among the number present
were, Judge Houston, J. M. Pike, Geo.
G. Martin, W. G. Richards, S. B. Ar-
nold, W. H. Robinson, J. G. Kerr, L. J.
Ryecraft, John Reeve, John A. Walk-
er.

The naturalization of the following
men was ratified—Albert Tratto, Jas.
Findlay, Chas. McCaughan, John Boon,
Augustus Bell, Chatham, Wallace
Graham, Camden Township; August
Berndson, Wesley Henry Russ, An-
drew John Miller, Tilbury East, Tp.,
James Patterson, Orford Tp., Jacob
Crockett, Chatham Tp.

The following were the members of
the Grand Jury—Foreman, M. G.
Grant; and Gordon Boles, Thomas Dow-
ling, John Bennett, Alfred Coats-
worth, P. W. Richards, Thos. Leitch,
Henry Hamill, Thos. Haller, John H.
McVean, John Pool, John Stewart,
and J. W. Webb.

Judge Bell, in addressing the grand
jury, said that he regretted to say
that an officer who had been many
years in the service of his country had
passed away—a man who for 35 years
had served the public as crown attor-
ney. He referred to the late William
Douglas. After a long acquaint-
ance, Judge Bell could say he was a
very able and efficient officer, and the
Judge could bear witness to the zealous
manner in which the late William
Douglas conducted the public business.

In regard to the criminal cases, the
Judge said for the past two or three
years there had been very little crime.
Whether this was brought about by
the prosperity of times or not the Judge
didn't know, but he thought pros-
perity had something to do with the
diminishing of crime in Kent County.
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for breach of contract for the sale of
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The case of Robinson vs. the Chat-
ham Dredging Co. was settled out of
court. The defendants agreed to
pay \$150 and costs. Geo. Sayer for
plaintiff, Wilson & Co. contra.

The case of Crow vs. Purdy, an ac-
tion to recover the damages for
breach of contract in not delivering
cows purchased, was settled out of
court. The defendant paid the plaintiff
\$80 damages and allowed him \$70
for his costs.

In the appeal against the decision of
Judge Houston in the case of Holmes
vs. Macdonald, J. G. Kerr, appellant's
counsel, moved service of the notice
of appeal. Last December Col. Sam.
Holmes had Duncan Macdonald, Sr.,
arrested on the charge of trespassing
on the preserves of the Joy Club. The
case was dismissed on the ground that
Mr. Holmes didn't own the ground in
dispute. The appeal is brought to se-
cure a conviction in order to establish
the ownership of the ground.

The case of Hickey vs. Barr and
Hickey was adjourned for trial in
chambers, Harrison Hall, on Wednes-
day, June 18. The action was for
Houison, Stone & Scane for plaintiffs,
Lewis & Richards contra.

The case of Williamson vs. Glasser
was adjourned till June 30th, for trial
in chambers. This was an action
brought on the payment of money
in connection with the purchase of
land. Houston & Co. for plaintiffs, W.
Stanworth contra.

The case of Chrysler vs. Allen, an
action over a note for \$245, was then
proceeded with. John Reeve for
plaintiff, Lewis & Co. contra.

There were two criminal cases—King vs.
Gryce, assault, and King vs. Smith,
perjury.

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For men and boys, an immense
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One pair lots 65c from \$1.00.
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Two pair lots \$2.75 from \$3.50.
Two pair lots \$3.00 from \$4.50.
Two pair lots \$2.00 from \$2.75.
Two pair lots \$2.50 from \$3.00.
Three pair lots \$2.00 from \$2.75.
Three pair lots \$2.50 from \$3.00.
Three pair lots \$3.25 from \$4.50.

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One pair lots \$2.00 from \$2.50.
One pair lots \$3.00 from \$3.50.
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Two pair lots \$3.00 from \$3.50.
Two pair lots \$4.00 from \$5.00.

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One pair lot \$7.00 from \$9.00.
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