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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

BIRTHS

COWAN—On Sunday, 20th inst., to Mr.
and Mrs. G. W. Cowan, a daughter.

THE PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special.
Jan. 21—10 a. m.—Strong westerly to
northwesterly winds, mild. Tuesday west-
erly to northerly winds, fair and colder.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Thos. Kime, sr., who has been ill, was
not any better this morning.

Jas. F. Dyer, Grey street, who has sick
with the grippe for two weeks, is recovering.
Wm. Carlie, who has been ill in St.
Joseph's Hospital for some time in not
improving.

Wm. McDonald, of The Planet news
room, is laid up with an attack of
la grippe.

Mrs. E. J. Forsythe's condition
shows no improvement. She is at St.
Joseph's Hospital.

There was no change this morning
in the condition of Foreman Dick
Pritchard, of the fire department.

Rehearsal of Christ Church choir to-mor-
row evening at 8 sharp. Prof. Forsythe
would like a good turnout of the members.

S. C. Simmons, barber, King St.,
received a clipping from a paper in
Barabos, Mich., in which mention is
made of the marriage of Joseph
Reeves, of this city, and also of a
concert in which Mr. and Mrs.
Reeves took part. The paper speaks
very highly of both.

SAW THE QUEEN.

Veteran Henry Burrell saw the
Queen at Windsor Castle, on Decem-
ber 2nd, in company with A. R. Wilson
and 300 hundred other Canadians, he
visited the Royal residence. The Cana-
dians were drawn up in column in front
of the castle when the Queen arrived.

After executing a march past, the
Queen addressed the colonial veterans.
Her majesty wished her brave soldiers
a safe journey home, and expressed re-
gret that so many brave Canadians had
fallen in South Africa.

The Queen spoke for a few minutes
with Colonel Otter and the other offi-
cers. The carriage in which she was
then drove up to the gates, and the
ruler of the empire watched the col-
onial soldiers as they marched past.
The Canadians were photographed and
afterwards, had dinner at the castle.

IT WASN'T THE MOON THAT WAS
FULL.

Judge Houston this morning sus-
pended his sentence upon Con-
stable Browning. Speaking of the
case afterwards the judge said that it
was only fair to the officer to say
that, although witnesses had sworn
that, by reason of the bright moon-
light they were able to see Browning
take the wood, according to the al-
manac there was no moon on the
night of the robbery.

The Grip

Can be readily checked by the prompt use of a box of
our Laxative Grip Capsules and a bottle of our Blood-
root Cough Cure.

Laxative Grip Capsules 15c
Bloodroot Cough Cure 25c

Forty Cents will be the bill.

A. I. McCall & Co., DRUGGISTS
'Phon 178. Night Bell

PRAISE FOR
THE PLANET.

Citizens are Generous in Saying
Kind Words of This Journal's
Morning Issue.

An All Round Paper Which Supplied
the First Full News to the
Western Peninsula.

Citizens have been generously be-
stowing words of congratulation up-
on The Planet to-day on account of
its extensive morning issue. It is
needless to say that this journal most
heartily appreciates the kindly uter-
ances.

Among the good words for the pa-
per spoken to Planet representatives
were:

Dr. Holmes—A very fine paper.
W. C. McNaughton—It was fine.
W. H. Benson—It was splendid.
Frank Malcolmson—It was great.
Inspector Park—It was splendid.
F. H. Briscoe—It was a grand paper.
A. D. Westman—A very good paper.
Edwin Bell, LL. B.—A very good pa-
per.

Dr. J. H. Duncan—A very fine paper
indeed.

Dr. W. H. Tye—A very good paper.
Good idea.

Ex-Mayor T. A. Smith—An excel-
lent production.

Dr. J. P. Rutherford—A first class
paper in every particular.

Thomas Scullard—A very good paper.
The Planet deserves great credit.

F. D. Laurie—It was splendid. Glad
to see The Planet rise to the occasion.

Sheriff Gemmill—The Planet's
morning issue is a very creditable
paper.

County Clerk James Holmes—It
was very fine in appearance and ma-
terial.

James Fleming—The paper showed
great enterprise in getting out a
morning edition.

R. A. Hughes—The Planet deserves
great credit for turning out such a
splendid production.

Capt. J. W. McLaren—A very good
paper. The getting out of a morning
edition was a rattling idea.

E. J. MacIntyre—It was immense.
There was any quantity of other
news, local and foreign, too.

John Piggott—Very good idea. The
paper was delivered at my house be-
fore 8 o'clock this morning.

Rev. Dr. Hannon—The Planet has
turned out an excellent morning spe-
cial. It was just what we needed.

S. C. Simmons—The Planet's morning
edition was the finest extra I
have ever seen gotten out here. I
much admired the excellent likenes-
es.

W. E. McKeough—It showed great
enterprise. The paper was delivered
at my door at 8 o'clock this morning.

Ex-Mayor Malcolmson—It was a
fine paper. I've always agreed with
The Planet, but I can always appre-
ciate enterprise.

Jas. Birch—The Morning Planet was
a splendid paper, and showed very
commendable enterprise on the part
of the proprietor.

Deputy Clerk Blackbill—It was all
right. I first saw the account of
Judge Rose's death in Toronto in it
and thought I had the morning Free
Press.

Judge Houston—It was very good
indeed. I am glad to see the local
papers have so much enterprise.
There are a great many occasions
when we would like to have the news
in the morning, and The Planet did
it right when it did it.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

OST—Between Taylor ave. and Charing Cross,
Saturday evening, a pure-bred dog, reg. no. 1
4146, under will be rewarded by returning to
Planet office.

PIANOS FOR SALE—Two modern square Pianos
for sale cheap on easy terms. (Specimens in
use) call to box 219 Chatham. JOHN GLASSFORD
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Friday, Jan. 25th, 1901
Miss Della Stacy

And a Company of unusual excellence in

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The Great Comedy Success from a Boy's
Theatre, New York.

Miss Stacy will sing some of the lat-
est songs and the specialties will be of
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PRICES 75c, 50c, 35c, 25c.

(A well-known farce-comedy presented by
the famous Capello company. Those whom
"Hello Bill" annoys will be delighted with
this production.—J. F. Cairns.)

QUEEN STILL
SINKING.

This Afternoon's Latest Des-
patches From Osborne.

(Special despatch to The Planet.)

Cowes, Isle of Wight, Jan. 21—12.15

p. m.—The Queen's slight rally of this

morning was followed by a gradual

sinking, which, if continued, will re-
sult in her speedy death. No surprise
will be felt here if her death is an-
nounced at any moment.

Shortly before this announcement
was made, Emperor William of Ger-
many, the Prince of Wales and their
party reached Osborne House. A good
sized crowd met them as they disemb-
arked from the royal yacht at Cowes.

There was no cheering, but the men
present took their hats off and the
German Emperor cordially and fre-
quently responded by bowing. The
royal party drove to Osborne House
in open carriages. The Prince of
Wales appeared to be half dazed, and

the Duke of York's eyes were red,
while the Duchess of Cornwall did
not cease crying. There was intense
relief at Osborne House on the arrival
of the royal party, for several times
during the course of the morning it
was feared that the Queen would not
live to hear of the Prince of Wales'
return.

SORROW IN LONDON.

London, Jan. 21—12.12 p. m.—A hope-
ful bulletin received at noon hardly
lessened the universal apprehension.
Everywhere that bulletins are posted,
sorrowing crowds have gathered,
awaiting the outcome of Her Majes-
ty's illness. Preparations made in
all official quarters for all eventu-
alities indicate the expectations of
those who might be supposed to be
best informed.

The royal apartments in Windsor
Castle are being made ready for a
sudden return of the court and all
state officials in any way concerned
in the issue are holding themselves
in readiness for prompt action.

Another of the Queen's physicians,
Sir Thomas Barlow, reached Osborne
House this morning a little before
carriages dashed up bearing Emper-
or William, the Prince of Wales, the
Duke of York and the Duke of Con-
naught.

A despatch from Ostend says the
arrangements for the departure of
the King of the Belgians for Eng-
land have been countermanded.
WILLIAM BROUGHT PARTING MES-
SAGES.

A despatch from Berlin says the for-
eign office has received information
from Emperor William's arrival at
Osborne House, that the condition of
the Queen is hopeless.

The object of the Emperor's visit was
to deliver special parting messages on
behalf of himself and his mother, but it
is said at the British embassy here
that the Queen has been unconscious
since Wednesday night. The embassy
officials have canceled all invitations
and acceptances.

While expressions of sympathy and
love are pouring in from every quarter
of both hemispheres, none are so ap-
preciated as those from the United
States. The Globe voices the general
sentiment, saying: "From other lands
hopes come of the recovery, and eulo-
gies passed on the character of Queen
Victoria. In America, almost without
exception, it is under the simple title
"the Queen" that the illustrious pa-
tient is referred to, and deep affection
implied. The term can hardly be
overestimated."

ILLNESS OF ALBERT EDWARD.

Cowes, Jan. 21.—The collapse of the
Queen began unexpectedly about ten
o'clock on Saturday night. Paralysis
appeared chiefly in the face, one side
of which seemed to have lost all nerve
and muscular power. This caused an
almost total loss of speech, and it was
feared that the brain would be attacked.

The Queen is very sensitive about her
personal appearance, and when she
realized that her face was so badly af-
fected she gave orders that none
should be allowed to see her but her
nurses and doctors. An exception to
this rule was her eldest son, who was
permitted a short interview. The
prince was feeling quite ill himself,
but the Queen, not understanding that
he was unwell, requested him to go
to London, and meet Emperor William
of Germany who had previously been
summoned. Despite his own condition,
the Prince consented and made the
journey. Last night both of them
remained in London. The prince slept
in Marlborough House and the Emper-
or in Buckingham palace. Both of
them would have gone straight to
Osborne, but the condition of the
Queen was such that he was absolutely
unable to travel, and the journey was
put off until this morning.

PRICE OF A DOG.

James Sheffield charged Jacob
Sparks with shooting a dog belonging
to him. The evidence showed that the
dog was a three-legged mongrel, but
Sheffield said he valued it at \$20. Mr.
Rowe, of Raleigh, swore that he was
ready to pay \$25 at any time for the
dog. He considered it worth that
much as a guardian of his hen coop
and corn crib. The defendant Sparks
acknowledged shooting the dog.

Although Judge Houston considered
that \$20 was an exorbitant price for
the dog, he was forced to allow it,
owing to there being no evidence to the
contrary. He, however, only fined
Sparks \$1. The total fine, therefore,
was \$21, and \$4.76 costs.

House and Matron Wanted

—By The—

Kent Children's Aid Society

Applications will be received up to 31st

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Cannot bring you better clothes than we are turning out
every day. Our experience, the high grade of all the
material we use and the personal supervision which we
give to every order, help us to give the customer the
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Stock-Taking
Bargains

This week we are showing an extra attrac-
tive list of special bargains. Stock must be re-
duced to the lowest possible point for inventory
on the 30th. You will find many lines at special
prices on our counters this week which are
not advertised. The better way is to come
early and come often.

20 dozen left, of that Special Ribbed Cashmere Hose, sold as an extra value at 35c,
our special price 2 pair for..... 55c
15 only, Ladies' Wrappers, made in latest style, choice wrapper patterns, as
sorted sizes, reg. \$1.75, special price..... \$1.39

Ladies' Vests

Too many Vests for stock taking time—about 15 doz. all told, choice made goods,
this is how we are going to move them quick—

Lot 1.—Ladies' Woolen Vests, Drawers to match, our extra value at 50c, stock
taking price..... 30c
Lot 2.—Ladies' Vests, ribbed Union, full fashioned drawers to match, reg. 65c,
stock taking price..... 40c
Lot 3.—Ladies' Vests, pure wool, reg. \$1.00, stock taking price..... 70c

Sale of P. D. Corsets

This week we will place on sale our entire stock of the
celebrated P. D. Corsets at great reduced prices. Four dif-
ferent styles to choose from.

No. "560" is made of heavy French Coutille, closely striped with satin, filled
with steel and whalebone, being made long in front and back and short on
hips, it is specially adapted to stout people, reg. price is \$1.00, sale price..... 80c
No. "1007" made of fine French Coutille, striped with coutille, filled with steel
and whalebone, long waisted, nicely trimmed, with lace and baby ribbon,
made in gray and white, reg. price \$1.25, sale price..... \$1.08
No. "1007" special, made of best heavy French satin, closely striped, lined
throughout with white percale, medium waist, trimmed with black lace and
baby ribbon, reg. price \$1.75, sale price..... \$1.45
No. "170" made of best French Coutille, very closely striped, extra heavy front
steels, medium waist, an excellent wearing article, reg. price \$1.75, sale
price..... \$1.45

Staple Section

30 pair Gray Flannelette Blankets, 11x4 size, with pink or blue
borders, very heavily napped..... pair
25 pair Cream Flannelette Blankets, 11x4 size, blue border
only, extra heavy finish, this is a clearing price..... \$1.00

5 pcs. Good Heavy Cream Flannelette, soft wool finish, 30 in. wide, 6c value for
per yard..... 5c
10 pcs. Costume Twills, in fancy patterns and small stripes, worth 12½c, clearing
at per yd..... 10c
4 pcs. Good Heavy Flannel or Filled Gray Flannels, in light or dark shades, good
value at 15c, clearing at per yd..... 12½c
1 pc. only, 56 in. Half Bleached Table Damask, choice design, pure Irish make,
very heavy weight, our reg. 50c value, clearing at per yd..... 45c
Our first shipment of New Spring Prints are here, in blues, cardinal, black and
whites, lilacs, pink, grays and light blues, 31 in. wide, fast colors, at per yd..... 10c
About 4000 yds. Mill Ends of Canton Flannels, in lengths of from 1 to 12 yds., at
per yard 6c, 7c, 8c, 9c and 10c, a saving of 2c on every yard you buy.

Clothing Department

Snap in Boys' Underwear

Boys' Fine Union Shirts and Drawers, all sizes, value 35c to 40c, clearing at..... 25c

Sweeping Out Prices on all
Children's and Boys' Reefers

SALE PRICES \$1.25, \$2.00, \$2.48, \$2.95, \$3.48,
made from heavy fringes and curls, big storm collars, full of comfort, and fine dress
coats, full sailor collars and neat velvet storm collars, for ages 4 to 15 years, SEE
WINDOW.

Clearing Prices on all Boys' 2 and 3 Pc. Suits

Our stock has been thoroughly gone through and all reductions are marked in
plain figures—

Boys' 2 Pc. Serge Suits, from \$1.25 to..... \$4.00 SEE
Boys' 2 Pc. Tweed Suits from \$1.25 to..... \$3.48 EAST WINDOW
Boys' 3 Pc. Tweed and Serge Suits, from \$2.95 to..... \$4.95

Walking Out Prices on Men's Overcoats

The prices we have placed on all our Winter Dress Coats and Suits are making
them walk out quickly these sharp days. Sale Prices Range:—

Men's Ulsters, at \$3.95, \$5.00 and \$6.50.

Men's Dress Overcoats at \$4.95, \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$10.00.

YOU SAVE FROM ONE DOLLAR TO THREE ON EVERY PURCHASE.

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