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THE PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special.

Toronto, Oct. 5, 10 a. m.—Light to moderate variable winds; fine and cool. Wednesday, fine, with a little higher temperature.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Miss Grace Irene Keever, of Detroit, is visiting her friend, Miss Hattie Mount, Chatham.

A good girl is wanted for general housework. Apply to Mrs. A. C. Trudell, Lorne Ave.

The ragtime dance in Northwood's hall last evening, was well attended, and a hilarious time enjoyed.

Fall and winter underwear. The finest lines in the city. Medium and heavy weights, in wool and fleeced-lined, 50c. to \$2.50 a garment, at The 2 T's.

The Sir Knights of Dresden and Blenheim will visit the Chatham Lodge K. O. T. M. this evening and work out the degrees, after which an adjournment will be made to Harry Hall's restaurant, where the visiting knights will be royally entertained.

The funeral of Wm. Ferguson took place yesterday afternoon, and was the largest ever seen in the Township of Harwich. Quite a large number of Oddfellows attended from the city. Amongst the number were Mayor T. A. Smith, W. E. Morris, N. G. Webb, V. G. of No. 29; William Potter, G. R. to the S. G. L.; O. B. Hollin, A. M. Lafferty, Richard Chrysler, Will Mellish, H. W. Smith, N. C. Gibson, John McCorvie, L. P. Field, Tom Smith, William Turtle and others. The Canadian Order of Oddfellows of Arkwood, of which Mr. Ferguson was a member, also attended. The Rev. Dr. Battisby conducted the services at the house, and at the grave O. B. Hollin and A. M. Lafferty performed the solemn burial service of the I. O. O. F.

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FAIR OPENED!

The Big Peninsular of 1900
Formally Inaugurated To-Day.

A Fine Display of Exhibits—Attendance will be Large.

A Planet reporter made a hurried visit to the fair to-day, and found several departments yet almost unfilled, but everything will be in full swing to-morrow. Sec'y. Robinson reports 2,000 entries to day, exclusive of those for trials of speed. Owing to the leading implement makers, having, as we are informed, entered into an agreement not to exhibit at any of the fairs the outside grounds were not so well filled as usual. One of our Chatham hardware men had the chief display in the agricultural machine and implement line. Another Chathamite showed threshing machines, road engines, etc. The Chatham Mfg. Co. had a fine exhibit of their noted wagons, and Longford's dump wagon of their make. Fanning mills were also on hand. Prof. Henfield, Agricultural College, Guelph, was there with the sprayer. One of the new Jersey and other stock in the sheds. Poultry was only beginning to arrive. The carriage shed was filled completely with the vehicles of three Chatham firms and an enlarged shed is needed.

The display in the fruit and vegetable shed was gratifying to lovers of agriculture. Roots were as good as the produce of the last year. S. Fisher, a Chathamite, had a large display of his produce, including a large and varied collection, including Sorghum, 19 ft. high, and the manufactured product of delicate in flavor. Mr. Fisher had a large frontage of shelving covered with his roots. Kaufman's contribution was highly meritorious.

The Secretary will be up till midnight finishing up taking entries. After the last stroke of twelve no more will be received for any consideration. ENTRIES FOR WEDNESDAY.

230 Trot—Prince Oakland, John Garnum, Ionia, Mich.

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This melodramatic scene of the past two years, carried all a new scenery and scenic effects.

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Which is to appear in next Saturday's issue of this paper. It will show you what this school is doing in qualifying its pupils to fill choice positions, and assisting them to find these places when they are ready.

Seventy-two of our pupils secured good positions during July and August of this year. Saturday's ad. will contain half the list, showing where they are placed, the others will appear the following Saturday. Watch for it if you are interested.

230 of our pupils secured good positions in the 10 months ending July 1st, 1900. We can send you the list showing you where they were placed.

While other business schools are claiming to be doing considerable in the way of assisting their pupils, yet we believe ours is the only business school that publishes a list of pupils placed, so that the public can be satisfied of the truth of the claim.

Write for our handsome catalogue, if interested.

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Keys Lost—A bunch of Keys. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

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STARTLED THE WATCHERS.

A Weird Incident That Occurred at the Biers of Schopenhauer.

A very curious story by Guy de Maupassant has come to light in Paris. According to Maupassant's manuscript, the story was told to him by a German who, with a friend, spent the night in Schopenhauer's funeral chamber. The great German philosopher had died during the day, and his two admirers prepared to watch over his remains during the dark hours.

Said the German: "Schopenhauer had just died, and we two had decided to stay in his room until morning. Two lights were burning on the table. At midnight our watch began, and after the two others who had remained with the body till that hour had gone away we took up our position at the foot of the bed. The face of the dead man was unchanged. It smiled. The wrinkle which we knew so well was firmly marked, and the countenance looked altogether so natural that it would not have surprised us if our dead friend had opened his eyes and laughed at us. Yet the memory of his profound thoughts weighed upon us, and we felt ourselves surrounded by the atmosphere of his genius. The body of such a man may be still by death, but the man himself remains, and not without fear can one remain in his presence. We spoke about him softly; we recalled those wonderful maxims of his which threw such a clear light on many of the dark problems of life.

"I can almost fancy I hear him speak," whispered my companion, and the mere thought we became still more uneasy, as we sat quite still, our eyes fixed on the motionless, smiling face. Suddenly we felt weak and as though something oppressed us. I attempted to get up, but I was unable to move. I said: "I am sick." Thereupon my companion suggested that we should go into the adjoining room and leave the door open, and I took his advice. Taking up one of the candles, we sat down at the farther end of the other room in such a manner that we had a full view of the bed and of the dead man.

"Still, however, a strange uneasiness possessed us. It seemed as though we were wholly entranced by the disembodied genius of the dead philosopher. All at once we heard a slight noise in the death chamber. We looked toward the door, and then quite distinctly both of us saw something white roll over the bed, fall on the carpet and vanish under the sofa. At the sight we sprang to our feet, terrified beyond measure. Our hearts beat wildly. I spoke first.

"Did you see it?"

"Yes, I saw it."

"Isn't he dead, then?"

"He must be."

"What are we to do?"

"We must see what it means," was my companion's hesitating reply.

"I took our light, led the way into the death chamber and then cast a hasty look around. Nothing stirred, and I approached the bed. The next moment, however, a great terror seized me, for I saw that Schopenhauer was no longer smiling. His face, on the contrary, presented a horrible appearance, for his lips were tightly pressed together, and in his cheeks there were two great hollows. I stammered, 'He is not dead, and I stood staring at him as though bereft of my senses.'

"Thereupon my companion took the other candle and stooped down, and in a moment or two he touched my arm, but did not utter a word. I looked where he pointed, and I saw on the ground beside the sofa something white that gleamed strangely on the dark carpet, and I saw at once what it was. It was Schopenhauer's false teeth, and they seemed to be in the act of biting. As the body had decayed, the fastening that held the teeth in position had gradually become so loose that they dropped from the mouth and rolled from the bed on to the floor."

No Waste in the Ox.

It is remarkable to what an extent the ox, when slaughtered, is utilized. Not so very long ago fully 40 per cent of the carcass was wasted. It may be said that today nothing is wasted; everything, from the horns to the tail, is turned into food. The blood is used in the refining of sugar, or is hardened and employed in the manufacture of doorknobs and handles; the skin goes to the tanner; the horns and hoofs are turned into combs and buttons, the shins into back of clothesbrushes. The bones of the fore feet are worth \$25 a ton, being made into collar buttons, umbrella handles and various novelties, after the marrow has been boiled out of them. The small bones are burned instead of coal. From each foot a considerable quantity of oil is extracted; the tail is made into soap. The hair goes to the mattress maker and upholster; the fat to oleo makers; the intestines are used as sausage wrappers or are sold to goldbeaters. Even the undigested stuff in the stomach is turned to account, being made into paper. If anything is left over, it is turned into glue or is put on land as a fertilizer.

His Assets.

The badgering lawyer sometimes succeeds only in affording the witness an opportunity to show off his own wit at the lawyer's expense. And then the spectators are happy.

A certain actor was before the poor debtors' court in New York and testified that his only assets were his salary as a member of the Blank company.

"But you must have something else," said the prosecuting counsel. "Tell the court what else you have."

"That's all."

"What—no personal property?"

"Oh, yes—a dog—and a watch!"

"Now think hard. What else?" persisted the attorney, believing he was on the right track.

"And a case of rheumatism," said the witty witness.

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