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PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, Dec. 8.—11 a. m.—Variable winds, fine and mild. Saturday, fair and a little cooler.

The following figures were registered to-day at 7 a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:

THERMOMETER.

Highest yesterday, 30.
Lowest during night, 24.
This morning, 25.
Barometer, 29.87.
Direction of wind, southwest.

The Local Budget

E. J. Toll, of Oury, is a Chatham visitor to-day.

Theo. Pickering, of Blenheim, was in the city yesterday.

George Lydiatt, of Wallaceburg, spent yesterday in the city.

Isaac Gardiner, of Rond Bau Park, is spending a couple of days in town.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Gordon, of Wallaceburg, were guests in the city yesterday.

F. Arnold, of Kent Bridge, was registered at the Garner House yesterday.

James Greenwood and wife, of Blenheim, were guests in the city yesterday.

David Caughill and wife, and M. Campbell, of Blenheim, were in the city last evening.

Mrs. D. McCoig, of Detroit, formerly of Chatham, is visiting her brother, Robert Black, Lorne avenue.

G. B. Langford, of Kent Bridge, attended the Warden's supper in the Garner House last evening.

For a quarter of a dollar you can get very pretty pieces of china at Gray's Saturday morning.

Ex-Warden C. L. VonGarten, of Blenheim, attended the banquet in the Garner House last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sifton, of Palmer, were guests at the Warden's banquet last evening. Mr. Sifton is an ex-Warden.

Alex. Johnson, an employee of the Manson Campbell Company, met with a very painful accident yesterday.

He was struck by a belt. A number of ribs were broken and his head was badly bruised. Dr. Rutherford attended to his injuries.

Two Model school students have received positions already in Kent County, both starting with salaries of \$400 a year. Roy McKay will receive \$400 near Bothwell and H. C. Duffus will receive \$425 at No. 1 Harwich.

The workmen for the electric railway are putting in the disjunct across the Pere Marquette tracks at Wallaceburg to-day. It is expected the cars will be running right into Wallaceburg within four or five days.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Ladies and Gent's Gold Headed Umbrellas from \$3.00 each to \$15.00 each.
A beautiful line of Ladies' Crosses, all prices and sizes.
Ladies' Gold Filled Watches from \$10.00 up to \$40.00
Every one guaranteed.

E. J. MacINTYRE, Leading Jeweler
... and Optician ...

P. H. Bowyer, M. P. P., and B. W. Wilson, of Ridgetown, were visitors in the city yesterday.

A local coal dealer was fined \$1.00 and costs in the Police Court this morning for selling coal at short weight.

John Shaw, Head street, received the sad news that his father, Wm. Shaw, was suddenly stricken with paralysis last evening. Mr. Shaw left at once for Kent Bridge.

Next Wednesday evening Court Unit, No. 6900, A. O. F., will appoint delegates to attend the district meeting the first Tuesday in February.

W. Spentall met with a serious accident. He was handling a gun when the weapon went off, the bullet passing through his foot, causing a nasty and painful accident.

In the game of carpet ball played in the Workman Hall on Wednesday evening, between the Canadian Foresters and the Ancient Foresters, the latter won by nine shots. The game was interesting all through.

TEN KILLED IN A WRECK.

Freight Ran Into Overland Limited of Union Pacific Railway.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 8.—Ten persons were killed and eleven train employees and eight passengers were injured in the wreck of the Overland Limited on the Union Pacific, five miles west of Rock Springs, Wyoming, yesterday. The limited was run into head-on by a freight train, and both engines were demolished. The dynamo car, mail car and dining car on the limited burned to the wheels. Several of the dead were incinerated.

Both engines were demolished and three cars of the limited immediately caught fire and were destroyed.

Engineer Brink of the freight train, who it is stated officially, was responsible for over-running his orders, was one of the killed.

Death in Defective Switch.

New York, Dec. 8.—A defective switch at Mott Haven wrecked the New York Central passenger train which left Troy for New York at about 1 o'clock yesterday. None of the passengers was injured, but one switchman killed and another seriously injured.

Fireman Falls From Train.

Cornwall, Dec. 8.—Leo Kletty, of Brockville, son of Mr. Kletty, the provincial factory inspector, was badly hurt near Eganville Wednesday night and is still unconscious in Hotel Dieb, Cornwall. Kletty was fireman on a G. T. R. freight train, and evidently fell off the cab on the bridge over the River Aux Raisin. He was missed a mile or two further west and was found unconscious, with a fractured skull, on the bridge.

Lockmaster Killed.

Thorold, Dec. 8.—Thomas, Cowan, lockmaster at lock 22, Welland Canal, was instantly killed at 3 o'clock yesterday morning while locking a vessel through. He was walking along the coping when he fell into the lock, his head striking the gate. (He leaves a widow, one son and two daughters. He was a life-long resident of Thorold.)

Crushed Between Cars.

Ottawa, Dec. 8.—George Kidder, aged 22 years, brakeman on the Grand Trunk, was killed yesterday morning at Admaston. He went between two freight cars to arrange the air brakes and the train moved, crushing him to death.

London Fireman Injured.

London, Dec. 8.—While the chemical engine was dashing to a fire the rear wheel swerved on the car track, wrenching the wheel off the axle. Oscar Hannah, fireman, was crushed beneath the wagon as it dragged, and suffered painful injuries to his legs. The driver was also slightly bruised.

Leg Broken By Kick.

Campbellford, Dec. 8.—Yesterday afternoon while unloading some live stock at the station here, B. Caraw of Warkworth, had his leg broken at the knee by a kick from one of the animals.

Shoots His Fingers Off.

Peterboro, Dec. 8.—Edward Webb, while out hunting near the city yesterday afternoon, laid his gun on the ground. When picking it up the trigger caught and the charge entered his head. It was found necessary to amputate four fingers.

Eleven Drowned.

Christiania, Norway, Dec. 8.—The timberland steamer Fram was sunk yesterday in Christiania fjord. Seven of her crew and four passengers were drowned.

LAURIER TO BERNHARDT.

Apologizes For Students and Says L'Evenement Doesn't Count.

Ottawa, Dec. 8.—Sarah Bernhardt has received the following telegram from Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who is in Quebec:

Quebec City, Que., Dec. 7, 1905. Madame Sarah Bernhardt, Ottawa:

I regret, madame, more than I can say, the acts of violence which you and your company were the victims as you left Quebec. I only learned on my arrival here yesterday what had taken place the night before, and I express to you the universal regret caused by behavior so unworthy of the well-known character of a city so remarkably careful of its renowned hospitality and courtesy. As to what was said by L'Evenement, pay no attention to it! It is a newspaper which for me does not count.

(Signed) "WILFRID LAURIER."

WAS KICKED BY A HORSE

Jno. McKellar up the Creek
Was Suddenly Killed
at Noon To-Day

He was One of The Most Respected Residents of Harwich—His Death Mourned by Many

One of the saddest accidents, which has occurred in this county in years happened at noon to-day, when John McKellar, who lives on the 5th concession, Harwich, up the creek, was suddenly killed through being kicked by a horse.

Mr. McKellar was engaged this morning shredding corn and a number of the neighbors were assisting him. When the men who were working the shredder quit work at noon they repaired to the house for dinner.

Mr. McKellar remained behind to feed his horses, which were running loose in the barn yard. When some men came in from the field, shortly after twelve, with a load of corn they found Mr. McKellar lying on the ground, about 50 yards from the trough where he was feeding his horses—dead—with his face and clothes covered with blood. It is supposed that after being kicked he attempted to reach the house, but became exhausted after he had gone about 50 yards. He was, however, able to pass through a small gate and close it behind him before he was overcome. No one was with him at the time and no one saw the accident.

A coroner was notified of the accident. The deceased gentleman was about 60 years of age and is survived by three brothers—Peter and Archie J. of Harwich, and Neil, of Chatham. Registrar Peter McKellar, of this city, is a cousin. He was one of the most highly respected farmers in Harwich, being an upright, honest man, and leading a very quiet and retired life. His sudden and shocking death has caused a deep gloom to spread over the entire community.

MONUMENT TO 562 DROWNED.

Unveiling of Memorial to Steamship Atlantic Victims.

Halifax, Dec. 8.—A handsome monument was unveiled at Terrence Bay yesterday in the presence of a large concourse of people, which was erected to the memory of 562 men who lost their lives in the wreck of the White Star steamship Atlantic in 1873.

The unveiling was performed by Rev. J. W. Ancient, secretary of the diocese of Nova Scotia, who rendered valuable assistance at the time of the disaster.

Resignation Ends It.

San Domingo, Dec. 8.—Senor Sanchez, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, has resigned.

This ends the differences between President Morales and Vice-President Carazo.

The country is quiet.

THE FAST TRAINS

To California are run over the Union Pacific, via Omaha, 16 hours quicker to San Francisco than any other line. No change of roads, no detours. "The Overland Route" all the way. Be sure your ticket reads over the Union Pacific. Inquire of H. F. Carter, T. P. A., 14 James Building, Toronto, Canada, or F. B. Choate, G. A., 128 Woodward avenue, Detroit.

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\$6.00

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These suits are extra good value at the regular price, but owing to the sizes being broken up, we are going to sell them, at reduced prices—\$8.00, and \$7.50

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2 lbs. New Mixed Nuts, 25c.
2 lbs. Fresh Roasted Peanuts, 25c.
1 lb. Mixed Peel, new goods, 20c.
Maple Leaf Salmon, a can, 15c.
3 Cans Peas, Corn and Tomatoes, Red Feather, 25c.
4 lbs. New Dates, 25c.
6 lbs. New Cooking Figs, 25c.
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C. AUSTIN & CO. NEW IDEA PATTERNS

In the Austin Men's Store

SATURDAY

Special December Suit and Overcoat Sale
Over 300 Men's Suits, regular \$10 to \$15 values, go on sale Saturday morning, Dec. 9th.

Your **\$9.99** See Fast King
Cho'ce Street Window

We have gone through our stock and find there are too many Suits and Overcoats and decided to have a cleaning up sale just when the people want them. The Suits are made from the seasons popular novelty pattern Tweeds, Worsteds and plain Cheviots and Serges, the new long Lapel, double breasted three button sack and full cut single breasted sack coat; well built shoulders, No. 1 linings and trimmings, exceptional pleasing fitters, big selection, sizes 33 to 44.

The Overcoats

Consist of the long full cut Chesterfields. The very popular garments this season. Light and dark Tweed mixtures, coats that are regular value \$12.00 to \$13.50.

SATURDAY

\$9.99

A Cashmere Sock Special

7 pairs for \$1.00

25 dozen Imported Cashmere Sox in plain black only—seamless—regular value at 20c a pair, Saturday they go at 7 pairs for \$1.00.

Come while you can Get Them.

If It's a Morris Chair

IT'S HERE

We have twenty different styles of Morris Chairs, new designs, all moderately priced for quick selling. Below we give descriptions of a few of them:—

Solid oak frame, Morris Chair, quarter cut oak arms, reversible velvet cushions, price only \$7.50.

Morris Chair, solid oak frame, wide arms made of quarter cut oak, spring seat, reversible cushions, in assorted figured velours. Price \$8.75.

Morris Chair, solid quarter cut oak frame golden finish, highly finished, wide sloping arms, spring seat under reversible velvet cushions. Priced specially low at \$10.00.

We give you a special invitation to come and see the many pretty pieces of Furniture we are showing for the Holiday Trade.

Bear Skin Cloaking

Special for Children's Winter Coats—Cream Ground, heavy thick fur with black dash effect, 50 in. wide. Regular \$2.50 value, special price \$2 per yard. Also 1 piece Cardinal Bear Skin Cloaking, with black effect, 50 in. wide. Regular \$3.00 yd, special price, \$2.50

Wool Shawls

All Wool Crocheted Shoulder Shawls in fancy and plain weaves, plain or knotted fringe, in Cardinal, Black, Grey and Cream shades, at each..... 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50

Eiderdown Quilts

A very suitable Holiday Gift. Made of fine English Seteen and Down Proof Cambric—pure down filling, nicely quilted, full bed size..... \$4.50, \$5.25, \$5.75, \$6.50 \$7.00 each

Plaid Dress Goods

Very popular this season for Waists or Dresses. Special all pure wool Tartans at 50c a yard. Representing the Drummond, MacDuff, Fraser Hunting, 42nd, MacLean of Duart and Royal Stewart clans. 40 inches wide.

Black Chiffon Taffeta

Extra Special Black Chiffon Taffeta Silk—for fancy Waists or Dresses. Bonnet's celebrated make, beautiful finish, guaranteed not to cut, 19 inches wide. Regular \$1.00 value, special price per yard..... 85c

Bed Comforters

Special Fancy Silkoline Comforters. Covered on both sides with fancy floral silkoline—pure white filling, nicely quilted, 60x90 inch. Regular \$1.40. Special..... \$1.25 each

Wool Blanket Special

Canadian Pure Wool Blankets, heavy thick nap, fancy blue borders, clean, thorough scoured yarns. Warmed unshrinkable, size 64x84 inches. Our regular \$4.50 value, while they last..... \$4.00 per pair

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