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PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, Nov. 14-11 a.m.—Decreasing northwest to west winds, fair and cold. Tuesday, fresh southwest to south winds, fine and a little milder.

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

THERMOMETER.
Highest yesterday, 40.
Lowest during night, 32.
This morning, 32.
Barometer, 29.96.

Local Briefs

Mr. Morgan, of Sorel, is visiting his son-in-law, Mr. Baby, of this city.

Dr. Schenck, of Detroit, was in the city yesterday on professional business.

Laurie, the young son of Dr. A. W. Thornton, who has been seriously ill with symptoms of typhoid fever, is gradually improving.

Found Sunday, a pair of double sighted glasses at the corner of Sixth and Wellington Streets. The owner can have them upon paying for this ad.

Mrs. (Dr.) Kerr and children, of Bay City, Mich., who have been the guests of relatives in the Maple City for the past week, left for home this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Hicklin, of Pontiac, Mich., are in the city to-day attending the funeral of Mrs. Hicklin's sister, Mrs. Hymers, who died in Fort William. The funeral took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence of Mrs. Mains, Raleigh St., to the Maple City. Mrs. Hymers was 33 years of age and was formerly Miss Addie Mains, and at one time a Maple City public school teacher. The funeral was very largely attended.

Word has reached this city of the death of J. W. Doelle, of London. Mr. Doelle died yesterday morning at four o'clock after a short illness. Deceased was well and popularly known in this city and his many friends will be grieved to hear of his death. W. A. Morley, who was a warm personal friend of Mr. Doelle, will attend the funeral, which takes place in London to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

OLDEST LOVE LETTER.

The oldest love letter in the world is in the British Museum. It is a proposal of marriage for the hand of an Egyptian princess, and it was made 3,500 years ago. It is in the form of an inscribed brick.

BUSY DAY

Judge Houston Has a Good Sized Docket at the Police Court—Some Interesting Cases.

It is not an uncommon thing to see a man fall owing to the fact that he has too many friends. Such is the case of Augustus Smith, a familiar character around the city.

Gus used to be a frequent visitor at the police court but for some time he has been pretty good and the records show that his last social call at the police court was in October, 1903. W. G. Richards, who was in court, thought that Gus was making his annual renewal on the records.

Last Saturday night Gus was, according to his story, taking a quiet stroll down King street when he met a few friends who invited him to have a drink out of their bottle. Gus knew his falling and refused, but after some coaxing he was finally induced to take one little "touch."

With the result that he took another and still another, and when P. C. Groves found him later, all his friends had departed, but he was having a good time. Mr. Groves thought he was having too good a time to be at large and so Mr. Smith found himself behind the bars and his good time ended in a sudden end.

Gus looked bright and rosy this morning for a man 41 years of age and pleaded guilty to the charge of drink. He was fined \$1 and costs, \$5 in all. He was given a week to raise the money.

Ray Shaw and a young man named Bradley came up on a charge of assaulting Wilson Purdie.

It seems that Mr. Purdie had secured the name of Mr. Shaw, Sr., in connection with the prisoner, on a note which was in payment of Purdie's taxes. The note fell due and Purdie didn't have the money. Judgment was secured against Purdie and also Shaw, his backer. It looked very much as if Shaw would have to pay the note.

Last Saturday Shaw and his son Ray came down King street when they chanced to meet Mr. Purdie. Mr. Shaw, Sr., at once asked him about the note and when he was likely to have the money to pay for it. This led to a quarrel and Purdie is alleged to have used some strong language in reference to the elder Mr. Shaw.

This made Ray wrathful with the result that he gave Purdie a few stinging blows in the vicinity of the eyes and cheeks. It is alleged also that young Bradley helped the good work along.

Both of the young men pleaded not guilty this morning and they were remanded until Wednesday, bail \$200 each.

Purdie made his appearance in court with his whole head covered with bandages with the exception of a small hole for one eye. If his injuries are as bad as the bandages would indicate Shaw must be a second Jeffries. W. G. Richards is defending and H. D. Smith prosecuting.

Copius Gore was charged by Jas. A. King, his partner, in the Frost & Wood agency, with three cases of theft. King alleges that Gore collected money for which he made no returns—one on July 21 of \$46.50, one on March 9 of \$17 and the other on June 21 of \$64.

This case was enlarged until Friday. W. F. Smith is defending and Crown Attorney Smith is prosecuting.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES

Large audiences greeted Evangelist McHardy, at the opening meeting in Victoria Avenue Methodist Church yesterday. Mr. McHardy took a strong hold of his audience from the outset. He has an attractive personality and is an able speaker. His sermons are well illustrated and were pointed and forcible expositions of saving truth.

In the morning he took for his text James V., 20, "Let him know that he who converteth the sinner from the error of his ways shall save a soul from death and shall have a multitude of sins." The sermon was a plea for co-operation on the part of all Christians in the work of bringing men to Christ. In the evening Mr. McHardy preached a fine sermon from I. Sam. 26:21, "Behold I have played the fool and have erred exceedingly." The leading points of the sermon.

1. Men play the fool and err exceedingly when they do not take God into account in planning their lives.

2. They lay themselves open to this charge when they reject Christ and neglect the salvation that is within their reach because they cannot solve all the mysteries of life.

3. Men act foolishly when they refuse to believe that God can help them live Christian lives anywhere.

The services will continue each night, except Saturday night. Song service at 7:45. Regular service at 8 p. m.

ONTARIO WINTER FAIR.

At Guelph, Ont., December 5th to 9th, inclusive.

Round trip excursion tickets will be sold from all Buffalo Division (L. E. & D. R. R.) stations, to Guelph, Ont., December 5th to 9th, inclusive, good to return until December 12, at rate of one fare for the round trip. Ask agents for particulars.

When a woman wants to kill time she just knocks off a couple of birthdays.

THANKSGIVING DAY.

Excursion rates to all stations on Buffalo Division, (L. E. & D. R. R.) and to points on connecting lines. Tickets will be sold on November 16 and 17, good to return on or before November 21, at rate of one fare for the round trip. Ask ticket agents for particulars.

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FILL COAL BINS

Reading, Pa., Nov. 14.—The annual prediction of Elias Hantz, the 90-year old goosebone weather prophet, was made this week after Mr. Hantz had examined the breast bone of a goose hatched last spring. He said—

"I find that the bone is dark all the way through, and according to the discolorations the winter of 1904 and 1905 will be very severe. It will start early in November, and will continue late in the spring. The indications are that we shall have some great snow storms. The bone indicates that the temperature will be very low, and there will be an immense crop of ice. My advice to the people is—Fill your coal bins, and do it early, and you'll never have cause to regret the advice of the goosebone man."

EVERYBODY READS IT

"Four-Track News" for November. Read article on Land of Evangeline. For sale at all newsdealers.

Young Woman Severely Burned.

Berlin, Nov. 14.—Mary Heist lies in a critical condition at the home of her father, John Heist, about three miles from Berlin, as the result of burns to limbs, hips, hands and forearms sustained while boiling cider, her skirts having caught fire.

John Hay's Brother Dies.

Washington, Nov. 14.—U. S. Secretary of State Hay has received a despatch announcing the death of his brother, Major Leonard Hay, U. S. A., retired, in the 70th year of his age. He died Saturday night at the Hay homestead in Warsaw, Ill.

Bishop of Sault Ste. Marie.

Peterboro, Nov. 14.—The official announcement from Rome with regard to the division of Peterboro diocese was read yesterday morning in St. Peter's Cathedral. This was accompanied by the documents appointing Rev. Father Scollard of North Bay bishop of the diocese of Sault Ste. Marie, the name of the new jurisdiction. The latter will be 300 miles in extent and includes Nipissing, Algoma and Thunder Bay districts.

CALIFORNIA.

The Chicago & North Western Ry. has issued a new publication entitled "California." It contains a beautiful colored map of the state, a list of hotels at California tourist resorts with their capacity and rates; and a most interesting series of pictures showing California's resources and attractions. The prospective visitor and settler should be in possession of a copy of this profusely illustrated folder. Sent to any address on receipt of two cents in stamps. Low rates from all points. B. H. Bennett, 2 East King St., Toronto, Ont.

Sponges

Those we have in our window are the kind which do not fall to pieces after being used a few times. A great many others besides ourselves will appreciate the importance of this.

We have them at all prices from 5c to \$1.75

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Up-to-date Millinery. C. Austin & Co. Fashionable Dressmaking

A SHORT WEEK BUT A BUSY ONE

Only five days for business this week, as Thursday we close to observe our Natural Thanksgiving Day. We want as much business, as regularly comes in six days, and in order to secure it have many lines here at prices to stimulate extra buying.

At the first counter you will find very special Dress Goods Values, at the opposite counter a big sale of Hosiery is in progress, down at the Linen Counter some special Thanksgiving Linens are being sold, and right on through the store something to please you in every department.

To-day we start to tell you about a few special bargains in the Millinery Department—

A Snap in Millinery

We have prepared a table of trimmed millinery and ready-to-wear hats worth from \$3.75 to \$4.50, for \$3.50
Ladies' and Misses' beaver hats, in brown, navy and black, in four different styles worth from \$3.25 to \$4.25 for \$3.00
Children's untrimmed shapes and ready-to-wear hats in brown, navy, castor, and cardinal, in different styles, worth from \$1.25 to \$2.25, for \$1.00
An assortment of ready-to-wear hats, one each at \$3.00
Baby bonnets, in white, fair effects, all sizes \$1.00

Women's Jackets

These are the busy days of full stocks and new fair prices but we are constantly watching every chance for your price advantage, no matter how eagerly you are buying at regular prices.

Here is the opportunity for you to buy a Stylish Winter Jacket at a remarkable low price.

Here to are some interesting values in Serviceable Winter Coats for the little folks.

\$7.50—Three quarter length jacket, loose and belted, of black and white, mixture, with strappings of black. \$4.25
\$7.50—A variety of styles in the shorter jackets, light or semi-fitting with belt, or without, plain colors, and fine mixtures, some are finished with capes prettily trimmed. \$4.25
\$8.50—A favorite number of Vicuna cloth, black, navy and grey, tight-fitting, side pleats, from shoulder, velvet collar, belted. \$6.50
12.00—Three-quarter length jacket of brown or green tweed effect with collar, cuffs and strappings of plain color. \$6.25
CHILDREN'S REEFERS—Of navy, blue cheviot, double breasted, lined, full sleeve with cuff and cape, finished with white piping. These range from size for 6 years old, at \$3.25, to size for 12 years old, at \$4.25
CHILDREN'S ULSTERS—Handsome and serviceable of navy, and white mixtures, double breasted, fancy cape, collar, and cuff, finished with stitching and piping, for 2 years at \$4.25
For 12 years at \$6.50
A GIRLS' ULSTER—Very stylish design of checked cloth light and dark grey, full box style, large sleeve, trimmed with broad straps of plain grey with myrtle piping, 30 inch long. \$6.25
36 inches long, \$7.00

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SIDEBOARDS

Made from thoroughly seasoned material in solid quarter cut golden oak, surface oak and Kalkaska Elm—in prices ranging from \$10 to \$37.50.

A few hints at the values:—

Solid Quarter Cut Oak Sideboard

Golden finish, highly polished, one drawer lined, top 23 x 54 inches, extreme height 84 in., fitted with the Elder Extension top, bevelled British mirror, 18 x 36 in., price, \$37.50

Solid Oak Sideboard,

22 x 50 in., golden finish, polished top drawers and door panels, quarter cut oak, bevelled mirror 18 x 30 in., price, \$20

Sideboard—

Natural grain Canadian Ash, swell front, solid brass pulls, large bevelled plate mirror, price only, \$15. Same board in solid Oak, \$17.50

Solid Hardwood Sideboard—

Surface Quarter Cut Oak finish, top 21 x 46 in., 14 x 24 inch mirror, price only, \$10

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Watches

In Every Style, Quality and Make. Our Holiday Stock of Watches is now complete and larger than ever in Elgin, Waltham, Regina and the best on earth, THE KEYSTONE—a pleasure to show them to you.

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