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BIRTHS. MABRIAGES AND DEATHS

MARRIAGES.

BISHOP-MULLIGAN .- At the residence of the bride's parents, 12th con., Dover, by Rev. C. F. Clarke, Miss Eliza Bishop, of Dover, to John Mulligan, of Glenwood.

DIED.

PARKIN-On Thursday, Oct. 4, Wm. Parkin, aged 68 years The funeral will take p residence of his son, corner Foster and Pa on Friday, at 2 p. m., Cemetery.
Friends and acquaintances will please

TH E PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special. Toronto, Oct. 4 .- Moderate to fresh easterly to southerly winds; fine and

Read the opening chapters of our new story on page six to-day. Colonel Sam. Holmes was busy stowing away a large shipment of Irish and Scotch whiskey, direct from the old sod, this morning.

The Lake Erie R. R. are to-day putting in the steam hoist in their new coal docks at the head of Wellington St. This work was formerly done by

There will be choir practice in the Victoria Ave. Methodist Church to-night. As next Sunday will be Mr. Humphrey's last day as leader, he desires a large turnout at the practice to-night.

In the latest Militia Orders occur the names of Mr. W. Mowbray, Chatham, and Mr. F. T. C. O'Hara, Ottawa, both of whom have been awarded Captains' certificates by the Royal School of Infantry. Mr. O'Hara's regiment is the Governor General's Foot Guards, while Mr. Mowbray holds a commission in the Wellington Rifles.

Wm. Parkins, who resided with his son on Foster St., passed away this morning in his 68th year. Mr. Parkins was born in England and on coming to this country took up his resi-dence in Brantford, where he lived until about five years ago, when he came to Chatham to reside with his son, J. V. Parkins, who manages the pickle and canning factory. Mrs. Jas. Flood, of London, is a daughter. The funeral will take place on Friday at 2

o'clock. Harry Goodland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Goodland, Victoria Ave., has re-turned from a visit to relatives in Michigan, accompanied by his uncle, Rich. Gregory. It is twenty-five years since Mr. Gregory visited Chatham and he speaks enthusiastically of the progress the Maple City has made in that time. Yesterday with Mr. Goodland he took a drive through the country and characterizes Kent country as the finest farming land he has seen for years." has seen for years, ()

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All the directors of the Agricultural Society are expecting great results from the fair on Oct. 9, 10, 11. The Peninsular Fair this year certainly promises well. Allie Drake, travelling passenger agent on the Lake Erie, has returned from a trip to Idaho. Mr. Drake says that the party he was in killed 11 deer. He himself bagged a bear and a deer. The bear, however, was

a young one. NINE YEARS' GOOD WORK. J. W. Humphrey has tendered his resignation as leader of the Victoria avenue Methodist church choir. For nine years Mr. Humphrey has gratui-tously given his services to the church and the many sacrifices he has made and the many sacrifices he has made have been warmly appreciated by the congregation. At the recent meeting of the managers of the church, the resignation wasn't accepted, but Mr. Humphrey says that it is impossible for him to spare the time, as the choir work interferes with his busi-

THEY SHOULDN'T GET HOT.

To the Planet, -As per your item of yesterday, why the Liberals should get hot, and for that matter the Conervatives also, because I ask for evidence of your contention that the necessaries of life are unnaturally high, it being simply a question of political economy, is a mystery to me, which I care but little, and certainly The Planet should not mind such thing. Trot out your figures Mr. Planet, and oblige. 4 October 4th, 1900. (

RUSHING THE WORK. Manager Stockton stated this morning that they expected to get the foundation for the King St. pavement completed as far as the C. P. R. hotel by Saturday. The cement that should have been here early in the week hadnot arrived and the work was stopped to-day until the arrival of the cement. The delay, however, didn't affect the work materially, as the time was spent in removing the crossing at the C. P. B. hotel. The revenue of the control of t C. P. R. hotel. The pavement at Fifth St. bridge has been slushed and pleted at once. Mr. Stockton pointed out how neat the rain intakes looked, and he said that in five minutes after

disappeared from King street. Read the opening chapters ew story on page six to-day.

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HERE AND THERE

The width of a fash of lightning has been measured by Mr. George Rumker of the Hamburg observatory. A photograph was secured as lightning struck a tower a third of a mile away, and from the distance of the tower and the focal distance of the camera objective, it was possible to calculate the breadth of the discharge shown in the picture. It has been determined that the flash was one-fifth of an inch wide. Ramifications shown in the photograph on each side of the main discharge are attributed to the strong gale that was blowing, the phenomenon appearing like a silk ribbon with shreds floating

in the wind. Mr. Buckley, of the firm of Long & Buckley, brought to our office a lot of hardware, consisting of nails, tacks, screws, part of door hinges and what not, the total number being 136 pieces that were taken from the second stomach of a cow which weighed about 1,300 pounds. The cow was in perfect condition and as fat as a butter ball, and one of the finest cattle killed in these parts in quite a while. We failed to learn whether she was fattened on the hardware, but it certain-

ly did her no harm .- Frankfort Call. On the new locomotives of the Denver and Rio Grande railway nozzles have been placed on the roofs of the cars pointing to the rear of the tender and the platform of the front end of the baggage car. These connect to the hot water of the boiler through a cock convenient to the engine driver or fireman, who can instantly send a jet of mixed steam or boiling water, at 200 pounds pressure, that would effectively kill anybody happening to be in its range. The jet is for protection against train robbers.

The ex-Empress Eugenie, who one of the wealthiest women in Europe, intends, it is said to leave a fortune of \$10,000,000 to the one of the Napoleon brothers who is accepted by the Bonapartist party as its leader. The entire wealth of the Bonaparte family is estimated to be not more than \$20,000,000, most of which is owned by the ex-Empress Eugenie. The actual claimants to the throne of France are not worth \$100,000 a year between them.

A mountain of alum rock is a natural curiosity which exists in China, about 12 miles from the village of Lion Chek. The mountain is about 10 miles in circumference at the base and its height is 1,940 feet. The stones are quarried in large blocks, and after being heated in furnaces are thrown into vats of boiling water. At the bottom of the vats the alum crystalizes in layers about six inches in thick-कि शार । हाला महान न ness.

The question is frequently asked why it is Fortress instead of Fort Monroe. The difference consists in the fact that a fort is designed to contain solely the garrison and attendant munitions, while a fortress is often a city with many non-combatant inhabitants. France, for example, has a number of important fortresses on her frontiers.

is completed. It will be opened for traffic on Monday. The piece in front of the Post Office will also be com-In Easthampton, Mass., a child four heart about his own age. The clerk made a pretense of writing a license but advised the young man to consult his father before taking so important a step.-Springfield Republican.

Attention is called by the Boston Evening Transcript to the fact that the modern rapid transit systems in our large cities are potent factors in checking the growth of centres of dense population. The low fare for distances permits persons of moderate means to live in the subur-

ban or semi-suburban sections. The American Lawver says that the Kentucky Legislature does not believe in the "didn't know it was loaded" excuse, as it passed an act some time ago which read as follows: "It shall be unlawful for any person to fire or discharge at random any deadly weapon, whether said weapon be loaded or un-

A curious legal wrangle has arisen in Chapman, Kan., over the attempt of the county authorities to collect the dog tax on a canine belonging to a clergyman. The latter insists that the animal watches faithfully about the sanctuary, and, therefore, as church property is exempt from taxation by State law.

In the last 40 years Massachusetts has had 15 governors, 10 of them lawyers and five business men. The lawyers were Andrew, Bullock, Gaston, Long, Butler, Robinson, Brackett, Russell, Greenhalge and Wolcott; the business men, Claffin, Washburn, Rice,

Talbot, Ames and Crane. Should the supply of asphalt at Trinidad become exhausted, according to an expert in the use of this material a still greater bed, which underlies a vast area of ground near Fort Duquesne, Utah, may be drawn upon. The ground is now part of an Indian res-

Some years ago one of the biggest railroad corporations of this country employed a confidential peacemaker, with the idea of preventing suits, as far as possible, for personal damages.

It has proved a profitable innovation
and is being taken up by other railroads.

The six robbers who recently broke into the residence of Mrs. Hilda Cole, in New Orleans, and robbed her of \$2,-000, wore evening clothes and silk hats.

Queen Margherita has the most beautiful bicycle in the world. The wheels are of gold and the frame is richly inlaid with jewels and mother-

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SENIX' LAMENT.

He is Not Doing Well in Detroit But Sends Good Wishes to Judge Houston.

The Maple City has suffered a distinct loss—of a more or less serious nature. Some citizens may not yet be aware of this fact, but a rathetic communication received by Judge Houston and postmarked "Detroit," will reveal it. The communication is addressed to "Michael Houston, Esq. hatham," and reads as follows:

September 14, 1900. September 14, 1900.

Sur to my Worship—Hartfull i took mi pen in hand to inform you that i am Well at present and I hope that those few lines find you and yoor family Well and doing well as it don't leave me doing very well for i had to leave mi little familiy or take the Mercer for a period. I got tired of taken it in and i hope that you don't blame me for it as i thorght i had paide a nuf of fines to yoor coort. Please oxcuse bad ritting and bad spelling from yoor friend, i remain,

SENEX BANISTER,

The ascetic allusion of Senex to "the The ascetic allusion of senex to the Mercer," will be better understood by Planet readers when they recall the fact that about two weeks ago he was convicted, on a charge of cruelty to a horse and sentenced to a period of sojourn within the class operainces of the county jail, with the option of a fine. Senex set forth to obtain the money for the latter and forgot to come back. In fact he boarded a train for Detroit with his belongings and expressed his back. In fact he boarded a train for De-troit with his belongings and expressed his intention of remaining there for a whole yesr. His resolve was communicated to Chief of Police Young, who took it very philosophically. It is even said the officer smilingly murmured something to the affect that if Senex adhered to his resolve all would be forgiven. would be forgiven.



Elward Warren in "Cowslip Farm," at the Grand to-night.

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Miss Minnie Budd, of Florence, visit-

ed Miss Etta Rudd yesterday.

E. J. MacIntyre, of Chatham, was n Chatham, was in Dresden yester-A boy named Rice was badly hurt at the fair grounds Wednesday, by beng run olver.

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