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PROBABILITIES

Special to The Planet. Toronto, Jan. 28 .- 10 a. m.-Fair and very cold, much below zero in most places to-night. Wednesday, fair and cold:

The following official figures were registered at noon to-day at Burt's weather bureau:

Lowest yesterday, zero. Direction of wind, west *********

Barometer 30.20.

Thermometer zero.

Highest yesterday 17.

Inspector Park is visiting the Dres-W. Easton, of Brantford, was in the

Local Briefs

E. Cohill, of West Lorne, was in the city on Saturday. S. L., Wellwood, of Merlin, was in the city on Saturday.

Gibb Arnold is smiling over the happy advent of a daughter. Melvin Stanfield, of Toronto, spent Friday with fireman Alex. Holmes. REMEMBER THE CITIZEN'S MEETING TO-MORROW NIGHT -

AND BE THERE. Mrs. John Kenny, Taylor avenue, entered St. Joseph's Hospital to-day for surgical treatment. REMEMBER THE CITIZEN'S MEETING TO-MOBROW NIGHT -

AND BE THERE. Geo. Griffiths, of Toronto, traveling inspector of the Bernardo Home, was in the city this morning.

A. Purser, Bay City, and Miss Lily Wright, of St. Thomas, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Purser, Dover. W. J. Boyce and Dudley Beckwith, of London, who were visiting friends on Stanley avenue, left for Willoughby, Ohio, yesterday.

Miss Minnie Shea, Elizabeth street, received word to-day that a friend, Mrs. Irving, of Chicago, who died a short time ago, has left Miss Shea

Owing to the presentation at the Grand Opera House of "R. U. A Maon" on Thursday evening, the Old Boys' Reunion mass meeting will be held to-morrow night. Marriage license was issued yes-

Marriage incerse was marriage of Isiah Mathews, of the city, and Miss Ada Williams, of North Buxton. The knot will be tied by Rev. W. H. Jones, of North Buxton. "We were very much pleased with

the design you sent. It was beautiful and appropriate." The Victoria Ave. Greenhouses receive such words of commendation every day. Telephone No. 181. A mass meeting of the citizens will

be held to-morrow evening to make preliminary arrangements for the big Old Boy's Reunion to be held here next July. All good citizens should

"New York," discussing the critique of the opera Little Tycoon, which appeared in this journal. Unfortunately the letter was received too late for insertion to-day. It will, how-ever, appear in to-morrow's Planet.

The marriage took place yesterday of Edwin R. Cupit and Miss Effie Mae Turner, both of Detroit. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. J. J. Ross at the manse. The young couple stayed at the Garner House and returned last evening to Detroit. Mr. Cupit is a merchant of Detroit.

GOOD WORK

Much of it has Been Accomplished by the Members of Ladies' Assisting Society.

A large number of Maple City ladies, who are zealously engaged in the good work of the Assisting Society, met at the residence of Mrs. Glenn, Park street, yesterday afternoon on the occasion of the regular monthly meeting of the Society. The meeting was a most encouraging one and evidenced the fact that much splendid effort had been accomplish-

The visiting committee for Decupied the pulpit in the Methodist church while Dr. Cook filled his pulart and H. Taylor, reported 33 patients admitted and 30 discharged, two deaths and two births-an aver-

age of 34. For January Mrs. McGarvin and Miss Williams reported 33 admitted, 32 discharged, one death and two

Mesdames Banning and Stevens were appointed to act for the month of February. On February 13 three nurses will

formally graduate and, on this oc-casion, Mesdames Kingsmill, Taylor and Thrasher were appointed a com-mittee to superintend hall decorations and other pleasing features of the

exercises.

It was decided to hold the annual neeting of the Society on February
in Harrison Hall.

At the conclusion of the meeting light refreshments were served ere

ONE Fact is Better than Ten Hearsays. Ask Doctor Burgess, Supt. Hospital for Insane, Montreal, where they have used it for years, for his opinion of "The D. & L." Menthol Plaster. Get the genuine, made by Davis & Law-rence Co., Ltd.

EVERY Housekeeper must often act as a family physiciam. Pain-Killer for all the little ills, cuts and sprains, as well as for all bowel complaints, is indispensable. Avoid substitutes, as there is but one Pain-Killer, Perry Davis'. 25c. and 50c.

Theatrical

A good house greeted the King the Opium Ring at the Grand last evening—and the audience evidenced considerable appreciation, although with the exception of the acrobatic and juggling specialties—which were especially fine—the production was not above the average. The stage settings were excellent.

The attraction at the Grand Thursday night will be the great farcical success, "Are You a Mason?" This is the unquestioned hit of the year in both New York and Chicago. Here will be seen the splendid cast, which achieved such a triumph in these two cities. In New York it accomplished mething never before achieved in farce annals in New York City. The company included besides Mr. Leo Ditrichstein, the adapter, John Rice, Thomas A. Wise, Geo. Richards, Chas. Edwards, Chas. Halton, Charles J. Greene, and Misses Mattie Ferguson, Esther Tittell, Grace Hadsell, Hazel Chapple, Amy Muller, Sally Cohen and Maude Travers.

The Letter-Box

WHOSE DUTY IS IT ?

To the Editor of The Planet: While the efficiency of our city po-lice commissioners and city police is being weighed in the scale of public opinion, I. would just like to ask whose duty is it to see that the laws of our Province are carried out? Does not the duty belong to our police? I refer to the laws governing our hotels and saloons. Does not that law provide that all such places shall close their bars at cleven p. m. each night of the week, and seven p. m., or Saturday evening, and remain closed until Monday morning at 6 a. m.? Is it not a bare fact that there is hardly an hotel in our fair city where you cannot get liquor at any hour, of the day or night, Sunday or week days? day or night, Sunday or week days? This, I say, caunot be denied. It is done so publicly that they might just as well have their bars wide open on Sunday as other days. This state of affairs is a disgrace to the citizens of Chatham. If our hotel keepers are not honorable and honest enough to carry out the law, then we ought to know whose duty it is to see that they do. If any of the other lines of business attempted to do business on Sun-day the police would soon have them prosecuted. If then it is the police's duty, why do they not do their duty in this respect. If they have not been given to understand that this is a part of their duty, then our police com-missioners or city council must be to blame. If our hotel keepers have no respect for the Sabbath, then whoso-ever's duty it is should see that they be made to carry out the laws of our and Province,

Thanking you for your kindness,

BLENHEIM

Jan. 28.-A very pleasant surprise party took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson last evening, it being the occasion of Mrs. Johnson's 79th birthday. Oysters were served and about 10 p. m., the brarty broke up, all having declared they spent a

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Agar, of Chatham, are visiting friends in town, Our blacksmiths are kept very busy these days, taking care of the extra

WALLACEBURG

Jan. 28.-Miss C. Baker has returned after a visit to Sarnia. Mr. T. W. McEachren, who has been clerk in the Bank of Toronto here for several months, left to-day to accept position in the head office, Toronto Rev. Stephen Bond, of Dresden, oc-

pit at Dresden yesterday.

A. Gordon, Sr., is still quite ill.

A baptismal service will take place place in the Baptist Church next Sun-day evening, the candidates for immersion being several young ladies.

COULD NOT WALK.

Some people become se crippled ith rheumatism that they cannot walk for months at a stretch. Mr. John Connell, Bedford Mills, Ont., suffered great agony with musular rheumatism in his legs and could not walk for two months. Four bottles of Dr. Hall's Rheumatic Cure made a well man of him. This great blood purifier is put up in bot-tles containing ten days' treatment, 50 cents, at all drug stores, or Dr. Hall Medicine Co., Kingston, Ont.

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tweeds and plaid goods, from 40 to 54 in. wide, at cut in two prices, 12½c to 50c per yard.

Blankets—10 pair of 7 and 8 pound all-wool Blankets greatly reduced, and a few pair child's crib blankets at cost price.

Children's Reefers -A table of ulsters, sets in plain and fancy curls. all colors, \$1.25. Shawls-Heavy Scotch wool shawls, shoulder wis and capes, ere we enter 25 per cent. off. Walsts-Ladies' black sateen and mercerized

sists, the best dollar goods ever sold. Scotch Shakers-Flannelettes, eiderdowns and outing flannels, white, cream, pinks, blues, plaids and stripes, from 5c up.

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THAMESVILLE

Jan. 28.-Sam. Cudmore, of Kippen, was in town yesterday.

John Harmer, travelling agent for

John Harmer, traveling agent for the Massey-Harris Co., Toronto, spent Sunday at J. N. Harmer's. Rev. Mr. Redman, preached in the Methodist church Sunday morning and Mr. McGee, of the Herald, in the evening. Owing to the illness of Mrs. evening. Owing to the illness of Mrs Redman, Mr. McGee also conducted

service at Florence.

A large number attended the carnival in the ice rink Saturday. Misses Nellie Mayhew and Kate Syer captured the ladies prizes, and Wm. Webberley the gentleman's.

A number of young people drove to Bothwell last night, where they enter-

tained by Mrs. Reynolds. The local curlers left yesterday for The local curlers left yesterday for Detroit to attend the bonspeil. Acong those who went were E. S. Hubbell, D. J. Davies, W. Ferguson, W. F. Mayhew, A. Nichol, Frank Syer, A. Lush and M. K. Cornwall.

Mrs. W. F. Mayhew and Mary, are visiting friends in Detroit

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DRESDEN

Jan. 28.-Geo. Caister and son, Wendall, of Windsor, are the guests of I. Caister, North Dresden. They leave tomorrow to visit relatives in Wood-

A. McDonald, P. L. S., of Chatham, was in town on business yesterday. Exeavations for the Beet Sugar Fac-tory foundations commmenced yester-

Mrs. (Dr.) John Wiley entertained few friends last evening. MONTH After Month a cold sticks, and seems to tear holes in your throat. Are you aware that even a stubborn and long-neglected cold is cured with Allen's Lung Balsam? Cough and worry no longer.

TILBURY.

Jan. 28 .- The ladies aid of the Methodist church will give a supper this evening at the home of Hampton Cowan from 6 to 8. Conveyances will be at the Methodist church at 6 o'clock, and also at 7 o'clock. Admis-

J. J. Jackson, of Essex, was in town Mr. Crawford is giving an At Home

to-day from 4.30 to 6.30 p. m. Miss Morris, of St. Mary's, is visiting her sister, Miss Aggie Morris. Mrs. W. A. Johnson and daughter Fennel, are visiting in Dresden.
The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnston's Drug Store.

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