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TO-NIGHT

The 24th Brass Band will meet for practice at 8. Court Chatham, No. 6, C. O. F., in their rooms at 8. Chatham Encampment, No. 10, I. O. O. F., Temple, at 8. "On the Bridge at Midnight," at Grand Opera House, 8.15. Local Branch No. 21, Association of Steam Engineers, Eberts' Block, at 8 o'clock.

PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. V. Toronto, Oct. 5.—11 a. m.—Fresh northwest to north winds, fine and cooler. Friday, light to moderate winds, fine and comparatively cool.

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

THERMOMETER.

Highest yesterday 78. Lowest during night, 52. This morning, 63. Barometer, 29.36. Direction of wind, northwest.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Guns and Ammunition at Brisco's. Follow the crowd to the Grand tonight.

W. R. Veale, of Tilbury, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

W. E. Hall and E. L. Wilham, of Blenheim, were in the city yesterday.

"On the Bridge at Midnight"—prices 25, 35, 50 and 75—no higher.

License Commissioner Jarvis, of East Kent, is a Chatham visitor to-day.

John Hooper, a former bailiff in this city, has returned to reside here.

"On the Bridge at Midnight," a \$10,000 production at the Grand tonight.

G. F. Worden, of Blenheim, called on his many Chatham friends yesterday.

H. McDonald and D. Burns, of Tilbury, were visitors in the city yesterday.

First class waist and skirt makers wanted. Apply to Miss Wright at Thomas Stone & Son's.

Alfred Crow, of Flint, Mich., is spending a few days with his brother, Dr. W. W. Crow.

W. T. Campbell is still selling coal at the old stand, Victoria Block, Fifth street; phone 109.

Messrs. Primeau & Richardson have added an extension to the Urban in order to make room for their increased stock.

Miss Lillian Pratt, Chatham's talented and accomplished pianist, took part in a concert given at Merlin last Tuesday evening.

Good wages paid to good waist and skirt makers. Apply at once to Miss Wright in charge of Thomas Stone & Son's new dress making department.

Joe Tucker has received a fine deer bound from Toronto. He leaves the latter part of this month for Parry Sound, where he will spend a few days deer hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Plewes attended the Wallaceburg Fair yesterday. Mr. Plewes was judging the school work, while Mrs. Plewes was judge of the ladies' work.

J. & J. Oldershaw expect two carloads of cement to reach the city to-day. For the past week it has been impossible to get Portland cement from any of the dealers.

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Walter Drouillard, of Windsor, is spending a few days in the city.

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Mrs. William Hartick will be at Home at the residence of Mrs. Richards, King street west, on Friday, Oct. 6th, from three to six o'clock.

Charles Ayres, formerly of this city, now of Detroit, came back to Chatham to undergo an operation on his throat on Sunday. He is improving nicely.

Mrs. (Dr.) Jenner, of Essex, who has been visiting in Chatham during the past week, is now in Toronto the guest of Mrs. Timothy Eaton, 182 Lower avenue.

Mrs. Prudence Coughlin, an old and esteemed resident of the Maple City, is leaving Chatham to-day to take up her residence with her daughter Mary in Brooklyn, Iowa.

Robert Campbell, who has been preaching in the Northwest, arrived home on Saturday. He returned to Toronto yesterday, where he will resume his studies in Knox College.

The members of the "Entre Vous Club" met at the home of the Misses Reid, Stanley avenue, and spent a very enjoyable evening, after which lunch was served and officers elected. It was decided that the club should meet every other Wednesday evening at the different members' houses.

Martin's, corner Wellington and Adelaide streets.

CRUSHED BETWEEN CARS.

John Morrow loses Life While on Duty at Owen Sound.

Owen Sound, Oct. 5.—John Morrow, a car repairer at the C. P. R. yards here, was almost instantly killed yesterday afternoon about 4.30 o'clock by being crushed between two cars.

Morrow was standing in between two cars, which were about three feet apart. He went to step out, but as he did so the cars came together, and he was caught squarely between the couplers. He was terribly crushed, and lived only a few minutes.

Morrow was 58 years of age, and came here a few years ago from near Prescott. He leaves a wife and two daughters, Miss Mary and Miss Merle Morrow.

Superintendent Badly Shocked. Port Arthur, Oct. 5.—Thomas McCauley, general superintendent of the street railway, had a narrow escape from being electrocuted Tuesday night.

In picking up one end of a wire at the power house he formed an arc through the circuit. The shock was a severe one and it was some time before he recovered. His hand was badly burned.

Fireman Ran Down and Killed. Hamilton, Oct. 5.—Arthur Heath, a fireman, was run down by a street car and killed yesterday morning while riding home on his wheel for breakfast. He rode on the "devil" strip.

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THE SOVEREIGN FIRE

A Strong Financial Institution

The announcement of the incorporation of the Sovereign Fire Assurance Company of Canada, has aroused a great deal of interest throughout the country, and the publication of the Company's prospectus in to-day's issue will be read with interest by business men. The appearance of the company is expected to prove of great importance to the business life of the country, for one of the objects of the new corporation is to secure a large portion of the immense volume of fire insurance business now going to foreign countries. The Sovereign Fire Assurance Company of Canada will be when it begins business, one of the strongest institutions of the kind on the continent of America. It will have a Paid-up Capital of \$1,000,000, and a Board of Directors thoroughly representative of every section of the country, as well as capable of securing the absolute confidence of business communities. The demand for fire insurance in Canada within the past few years has far surpassed the facilities, and the necessity for a new corporation of ample strength to take care for the surplus business being taken by the United States companies, has long been felt. Insurance men agree that the Sovereign Fire Assurance Company of Canada will be refusing rather than seeking fire insurance business after it commences operations.

The personnel of its Directorate will also, it is assured, give the new corporation a prominent place among the great companies of the Continent, including as it will names so well and favorably known throughout the country.

Mr. Addison H. Hoover, who will be remembered as the insurance expert to whom much of the recent great success of the Sovereign Life Assurance Company was attributed, has been secured to manage the preliminary affairs of the new Fire Company, and he will have charge of the Company's organization.

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