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THE PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special. ronto, April 23.—10 a. m.—North to winds, fair to-day; and on Tuesday not

Bicycle repairs at Brisco's. Dr. McKeough's new cottage at the Eau is to be called "Bobs." Miss Mamie Glasco, Taylor ave., is visiting friends at Magna Villa. Grand Organ Recital, Victoria Ave. Methodist Church, Thursday, April

Miss Etta Breaton, Northwood, spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. lasco, Taylor ave. See our Step and Extension Ladders, 18c. per foot. John A. Morton. 2tetc

Andrew Pattulio, M. P. P., of Woodstock, has disposed of an interest in the Sentinel-Review to J. F. MacKay, of the Montreal Herald, formerly of

Lost—Between Conservatory of Music and Catholic Church a pair of ladies' brown kid gloves. Will the finder please leave at J. R. Reid's store, King street, and be suitably rewarded. 140-142

Court Royal, No. 796, C. O. F., of Dover, will hold a celebration on May 24th, at Mitchell's Bay. The nature of the affair has not yet been decided

The school trustees of 4th Con., Harwich, are offering for sale the brick schoolhouse by public auction, as advertised elsewhere. It will be sold on Tuesday, May 8.

L. H. Shepley, principal of one of the Public schools in the city of Strat-ford, opent the Easter holidays with relatives in Raleigh, and returned on

A musical treat is in store for all who attend the recital in Victoria Ave. Methodist church on Thursday night, on the occasion of Prof. W. H. Hewlett's first visit to Chatham. Come

Money to Lend on Mortgages.—Far-mers and others wanting to borrow money on mortgages at best rates and saver expenses and time, and secure other advantages, should apply per-sonally to the Chatham Loan & Sav-ings Company.

Taken Mortgages.—Far-mers and time, and secure other advantages, should apply per-sonally to the Chatham Loan & Sav-ings Company. John W. Carter, of Toronto, su

preme grand secretary of the Sons of England Benefit Society, will make an official visit to Chatham on Monday, April 30. Bro. Carter will speak on the progress of the order. Rehenral this evening in the Lecture Room, Victoria Ave. Methodist church. All who are assisting in the

opening of the new organ are kindly requested to attend, especially those in the quartettes and choruses. The parties who have been helping themselves to the corn and chickens belonging to Wm. Manning, are advised to keep away from the farm in future, as each member of the gang is known and will be punished to the fullest extent of the law if seen on

the premises again. Christ Church Guild will hold a sale of work Wednesday and Thursday in the vacant store lately occupied by Westman Bros. A light tea will be served each evening from five o'clock to eight, for which ten cents will be

Bad eyes are what I am looking for of that sort in this day and age, but they must be cared for, and it I cannot correct them of Boer activity.

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It is reported that Sir Chas. Warren No matter what you think the trouble is don't do a thing until you see me. That will cost you nothing and you may save ing Sir Redvers Buller, but there is something.—E. J. MacIntyre, leading little doubt regarding his removal and

optician, opposite Grand Opera House Chatham. The great amount of design work done at the Victoria Avenue Green Houses is sufficient proof of the ex-cellence of the work. Nothing but the best at the lowest prices. Telephone 181.

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TILBURY.

April 23.-Mrs. J. Balmer, of Woodstock is visiting her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Stewart. Mr Wood and his family leave to-day for Detroit, where he has secured a position as

on Saburday evening, John Morris was presented with a handsomely engraved gold watch and a flattering address by the fire company, of which he was a member, and the employees of the handle factory, where he has been employed, on the occasion of his departure for Delray, Mich., where he

has secured employment.

Miss Johnson, of Blenkeim, is the gues
of her brother here, W. A. Johnson. Chas. Peltier, of Staples spent yesterday

n town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw returned of
Saturday from a visit to Elmer, Mich.

Mrs. Hoskin, of London, is in town.

Miss Annie Reaume, of Detroit, is visit

ng at her home here.

The Daily Planet is on sale at John son's Drug Store.

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Notice to Contractors. Bulk and separate tenders will be received by the undersigned architects and by the proprietor, Dr. R. N. Fraser, M. D., Thamesville, up till 7 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, April 25th, inst., for concrete and masonry work, tinsmithing, painting, glazing, and slating work of a brick dwelling house to be elected at Thamesville. Tenders to be addressed: Tender, to Dr. R. N. Fraser, M. D., Thamesville, Ont.

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Aatkerstroom, near Dewetsdorp, Saturday, April 21.— Fighting was continued to-day, mainly with the arcontinued to-day, mainly with the ar-tillery. The yeomanry and mounted infantry pushed forward on the right flank and were subjected to shelling and heavy rifle fire. The Royal Irish Rifles captured a Free State flag. The Boers are well entrenched and hold their ground tenaciously. The British casualties have been light. FIGHTING AT WEPENER,

London, April 23 .- A despatch to the Times from Jammersberg, dated Sat-urday, says: 'The Boers are display-ing renewed activity. Five guns were used freely to-day from four new positions against ours. Rifle fire from the south and west was heavy and

continuous.

"Officers and men are on duty day and night in the trenches and the heavy rains of late have made their task a feat of endurance and pluck."

The tenarity of the enemy around Col. Dalgety proves that considerable forces are still there. Lord Roberts has ordered Lord Methuen to, retire from Boshof, probably for the same from Boshof, probably for the same reason. The presence of a Boer force at Frankfort looks like an intention to endeavor to cut off Methuen, who may next be heard of as retiring up-

on Kimberley. (
The Boers are said to half encircle
Bloemfontein in the eastward, in a
crescent formation. There have been several outpost affairs in that vicin-

eleventh division under Gen gade are operating towards Sannus

of Boer activity.
It is reported that Sir Chas. Warren is to be appointed governor of the Free State. Nothing is known regardrumor has it that Lord Kitchener will get an important independent com-

The Daily News has the following from Lorenzo Marquez, dated Friday, April 20: "It is reported here that Gen. Dewet has been killed. Other European ambulance corps beside the Ir-ish-American are taking up arms in-behalf of the Boers. The latter are un-

able to obtain smokeless powder.

"Trenches are being constructed for eight miles around Pretoria. There are 69 guns in position at Kroonstad and seven French guns at Pretoria. Twenty-five mines at Johannesburg have been charged with dynamite and

the Johannesburg fort has been dis

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DRESDEN

April 23. — Miss Edna Dennis, of Chatham, who has been visiting Mrs. (Rev.) A. N. Griffin for the past week, returned home Saturday evening. Los. Cronk spent Sunday with his

family here.

Miss Minnie Powell spent Sunday Miss Minnie Powell spent Sunday with friends in Chatham.

Ensign Slote farewelled at the S. A. barricks last evening. He will take charge of the Learnington corps.

Mrs. Jas. Stephens has returned home, after spending a week with Mrs. E. J. MacIntyre, Chatham, who, we are pleased to learn, is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. S. A. Peters leaves this week for a month's visit to her parents in Napanee.

Napanee.
Rev. Jas. Galloway exchanged pulpits with the Rev. Mr. Cook, of Wallaceburg, yesterday

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In the Civil Suits Which are to

be Tried Here

Are Mostly Claims For Damages -One a Slander Case.

There are seven jury cases and two non-jury cases at the assizes which opened Tuesday afternoon before Chief Justice

Armour.

The first case on the jury list is Park Bros. vs. Campbell, an action to recover possession of a threshing engine seld to James Allen. The case came up before Judge Bell at the December sittings but was postponed to this ceurt. Wilson, Kerr and Pike will appear for the plaintiffs and Frazer and Bell for the defendant.

In the case of Wellington Somerset vs. Henry Jewell, both parties to the action are farmers. Somerset claims \$2,000 damages for slander. W. F. Smith is for the plaintiffs; Lewis & Richards contra.

The alleged slander in this case is a charge

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of horse stealing.

The case of Ludlem and Fuller 's. M Wilson is a suit on contract. J. B. Rankin appears for plaintiff, and J. G. Kerr contra. Lockerbie vs. Tilbury West is an action due under a contract. Rankin, Q. C., for plaintiff; Wilson and Co. contra.

plaintiff; Wilson and Co. contra.

Tennent et al vs. Lunness et al is an action to recover \$615 alleged to be due on a hay deal. Wilson & Co. for plaintiffs; Osler & Co. contra.

Montgomery vs Duff an action to recover \$600 for loss of hogs through the alleged responsibility of the defendant. Wilson & Co. for the plaintiff; Rankia, Q. C., contra. Sager vs. Hadley Lumber Co. an action to recover \$1000 damages for injuries alleged to have been sustained while in the defendants' employ. Lewis & Richards for defendants' employ. Lewis & Richards for the plaintiff; Pearson & Denton contra.

Hicks vs. Johnston, a non-jury case, is a emnant from last court. O'Neill for plain tiff; McDonald contra.
Gibbons also non-jury is an action on ac ount Frazer for plaintiff; Graydon &

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Jas. Thompson has returned from holiday spent in Buffalo. Robt. Wodehouse has returned from trip to Detroit.

A. W. Bell, who has been indisposed for the past week, is somewhat improved. G. G. Taylor, of Chatham, was in

town last week. Mrs. A. Nicholls has returned home after a visit to Glebcoe. Jas: Springsteen is having the Pow-

ell house repapered.

Mrs. M. Carroll, of Whitebread,
was a Blenheim visitor last week. Miss Verna Sheldon, of Chatham, is visiting friends in town. Bert Gould of Glencoa maid as visto relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, of Aylmer, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. D. Miss Maud Westcote, of Leamington, who has been visiting in town,

has returned home. Mrs. W. F. Smith, of Chatham, is visiting friends in town. Miss B. Haff, of Guilds, spent last eek, the guest of Blenheim friends. Mrs. Henderson, of Detroit, is vis-iting her mother, Mrs. S. Todd.

Miss Etta Baird, who has been ill for some time, continues to improve. The Daily Planet is on sale at J. N. Babcock's Drug Store, where subscriptions will be taken, and the paper delivered to any part of the town. L. M. Appleford has disposed of his interest in the Blenheim Tribune to Theo. Pickering. Mr. Appleford in-tends leaving shortly for the north

The following officers have been elected to preside over the Citizens' Band organization: {
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