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PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.

Toronto, June 19.—10 a. m.—Moderate southerly and westerly winds, a few scattered showers, but mostly fine and warm; Thursday, warmer and fair.

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

Barometer 29.40.
Thermometer 80.
Highest yesterday 81.
Lowest yesterday 60.
Direction of wind, west.
Rainfall, 6.3-4 tons to the acre.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Friday will be children's day in North Chatham—other folks in the evening. See the race of the nations Friday, 6.15 p. m.

John Kime and Miss Maggie Horn will be married this evening at 6.30, at the residence of the bride, Delaware Ave.

Mr. Fenning, West St., is using green peas from his garden already. He showed some to The Planet this morning, which are the first we have seen this season.

McKeough school annual picnic on Friday evening. In the evening there will be sports, refreshments, an outdoor display of elegant views, good music by the band, and grand illumination of the building, accompanied by a fine pyrotechnic exhibition in charge of Mr. I. E. Brock.

Mr. Etches found a piece of metal near the gunboat the shape of Vick Robinson's sea serpent. The piece is said to be of gold, and Mr. Etches intends having a pin made out of it. He also has a couple of buttons off the gunboat, and is having a pair of cuff buttons made out of them.

Dan J. Yake, a resident of Edgar street, showed The Planet a peculiar mass of worms which he claims to have got from his waterworks pipe. He says that he has frequently got these worms from the tap. The worms are horrible looking things, all tangled up in a ball. They are only size of a thread.

Mrs. H. MacLaughlin, of Erieau, who has been seriously ill for some time, and was taken to the Public General Hospital last week, died some what unexpectedly yesterday from a stroke of paralysis. Mrs. MacLaughlin leaves a husband and two children to mourn her loss. The remains will be taken to Amherstburg for interment.

Frank Doleen died in Detroit last night. The funeral takes place tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the G. T. R. station. Mr. Doleen lived in this city for a long time; he was troubled with rheumatism, which crippled him while here. He was familiarly known around here as "Girt." Mr. Doleen was 42 years old when he died.

There Comes a Time.....

In almost everyone's life when the question of eyesight has to be considered. There are several unmistakable symptoms of eye weakness. Nearly everybody heeds these warnings sooner or later—few, very few, heed them soon enough.

The proper time is on the first appearance of the first symptom—the first aching, burning sensation, when reading by lamplight first becomes unpleasant—when frequent rests are necessary—and the letters blur and run together.

The longer this condition lasts the more difficult it will be to cure. So call as soon as you can. Examination always free.

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ON THE TRACK OF ESCAPED CONVICTS.

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about six o'clock last evening. One, who by the boy's description, was Epperson, was walking ahead. Abram, Siddals and another man, who is evidently a stranger, brought up the rear. Shortly after the boy noticed them Abram got up on a fence and commenced talking to a farmer who was working in a field near the road. The man supposed to be Epperson asked the young lad the way to Tilbury.

After gaining all the information they could from this source the posse proceeded to Fletcher. A number of young men were standing in front of a grocery store when the rig pulled up.

Officer Groves stepped out and addressed the crowd and asked if any one had seen a short stout man with a fair complexion and sandy moustache in that vicinity during the evening.

"Do you mean Sam Siddals?" asked one in the crowd.

"That is the man," said Officer Groves.

"Why, yes," replied the genial farmer. "I saw Sam Siddals and



P. C. DODSON.

(Who assisted in the long chase.)

three other tough looking fellows around the M. C. R. station to-night about 7 o'clock.

"Are you sure it was Siddals," enquired the canny officer.

"Yes, I am sure it was he. I know him as well as I do anybody."

He was then asked the description of the other men.

The description he gave tallied exactly with the description of Epperson, Abram and the stranger.

Another man named Kelly saw the four men in question on the M. C. R. track about a mile west of Fletcher. A west bound freight train was coming along at the time and he thought the four men could have easily boarded it if they so wished.

The posse then concluded from the evidence received that the four men were enroute for Tilbury.

After telegraphing to Campeau at Windsor, warning him to be on the outlook for the men, the party proceeded to Tilbury with the object of cutting the men off.

They arrived in Tilbury at twelve o'clock midnight, and from that time until morning every freight, both east and westbound, was cautiously and carefully examined and watched but the men did not put in their appearance.

The party then thought that the desperadoes might have passed through Tilbury before 12 o'clock. In the morning, therefore, they proceeded to Comber, but the officials there had seen nothing of the men. The officers were then at a loss to know what to do. This they did and here fresh news awaited them.

William McFadden, who resides near Fletcher, was driving about two miles west of Fletcher when he saw the four men proceeding from the M. C. R. track, where they had evidently been walking, and were making in the direction of Jeannette's Creek. Two of the men were ahead and the others were coming behind.

As it was too late to start out on a fresh run, and as the horses had already covered a great distance, the officers decided, therefore, to return to Chatham and await further orders, which they did, arriving at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The officers' return was due to the fact that the horses were played out, while the convicts' "horse" steady search had well worn out the pursuing party.

That they were actually close upon the convicts the police do not for a moment doubt, and have telegraphed all villages in the vicinity to the effect that a continuous keen lookout will be kept.

The mode of operation of the desperado trio and their associate is to do their travelling at night, usually by side roads and railroad tracks, while the day is spent in the seclusion of the bush, which is very dense at that point.

The officers' theory is that the men are gradually making their way westward, and it is probable that a second posse will proceed this afternoon from Jeannette's Creek, while Detective Campeau at Windsor has organized a corps, which is now working eastward over the same ground.

The Planet has made arrangements for the immediate communication of all developments to this journal.

PAN-AMERICAN. BUFFALO, N. Y. Parties who intend visiting the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, can secure private accommodation within ten minutes walk of the grounds. For particulars and rates address M. H. Terry, formerly of Chatham, 1262 West Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

"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.

TELEGRAPH NEWS

The electric road between Woodstock and Ingersoll has been completed.

Fears are entertained for the safety of the schooner Acacia, which left Oswego, coal-laden, on Friday last.

Norman Thompson, aged fifteen years, while out shooting groundhogs at Holland Landing, shot himself dead.

The Commandant's prize for rifle-shooting at the Royal Military College was won by Cadet Francis, of Montreal.

According to the best information there are about 2,000 armed Boers in Cape Colony, and they continue to secure a few recruits.

UP THE CREEK.

Ivor E. Brock, city, occupied the pulpit of St. Paul's at Sunday's service.

Dugald Lundy, Windsor, is visiting his parents for a few days. Mrs. Andrew Smyth was called to West Lorne Saturday by the serious illness of her mother.

J. M. Houston and J. P. McCormick are each building bank barns.

Alex. Houston, Alvinston, is renewing old associations on the Creek. Donald McDougall is nursing a bad arm, a case of threatened blood poisoning.

The condition of Mrs. J. McCormick remains unchanged. Dr. Sivewright considers her chance of recovery as hopeless.

A lawn social will be held on the beautiful grounds of Donald Johnston on the 24th.

The thorns that are trimmed off the hedge fences are the cause of some nasty wounds to bare-footed school children.

Arthur Miller, teacher at No. 2, is severing his connection with the school at vacation time.

Pathmaster A. Fields has put his division in splendid shape. A. McCormick won the prize put up by the secretary of the H.R.C. in Saturday's rifle match.

TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, for heating, plumbing, painting, glazing and carpenter work at the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Chatham, will be received up to 6 p. m. Friday, 21st inst. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of J. W. Carwell, architect, old Market building, from whom all necessary information can be obtained. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

For sale—A hot air furnace, nearly new and in perfect order, with piping, will be sold at bargain.

J. E. THOMAS, Manager.

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By order, A. E. ROBINSON, Clerk.

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