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**** · PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W. Toronto, May 15.-10 a. m.-Light to moderate variable winds, fine and warm to-day and on Saturday.

The following figures were register. ed to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:

Thermometer 50. Highest yesterday 68. Lowest yesterday 45. Direction of wind, east.

DIED

FLEMING-On Friday morning, May 15th, 1903, Mrs. Eunice E. Fleming, relict of John C. Fleming, aged 66

years.
The funeral will take place from the residence of her brother, S. J. Ingalls, Joseph street, Sunday morning at 8.30, for interment in Thameswill.

Local Briefs

Wear one of The 2 T's famous \$1.00 Hats.

The pay sheets for the past month amounted to \$164.89.

Gao. Boyes, of the L. E. & D. R. R., came home from Kingsville last evening and is very ill at his home, Grey It's time to change your hosiery from wool to cotton. Thibedeau & Jacques have the best value in the city. Try them.

To-morrow afternoon at 5:30 there will be a full practice of the lacrosse club. Every member is earnestly urged to be present.

Canocing is becoming more popular all the time. There are more canoes in the city this year than ever before, and the enthusiastic owners are considering ways and means for holding a big aquatic carnival here on the first of July.

Joe Martin, Dover To, was arraigned on the charge of stealing a tablecloth and two iron pois from his mo-ther. The charge as to the pots was dismissed, and the prisoner was re-manded on the other charge for one week. O. L. Lewis defended Martin.

ther. The charge as to the pots was dismissed, and the prisoner was remanded on the other charge for one week. O. L. Lewis defended Martin. The funeral of the late Mrs. Pearl Mary Clums, whose sad death occurred on Monday, took place on Wednesday from her late residence, concession 16, Harwich, to the Maple Leaf cemetery. Deceased was the beloved wife of Alexander Clums and had been married for one short year. She was 19 years of age and one of the brightest young ladies of the community. Her untimely death is deeply regretted not only by her relatives, but by everyone who knew her. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved husband in his sad affliction. Rev. Messrs. Robinson and Kelling. Rev. Messrs. Robinson and Kelling-ton conducted the funeral services, which were very impressive and large-ly attended.

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J. A. Elliott, of Comber, is a Chat-

ham visitor to-day. Twenty-five cars of cattle went through on the C. P. R. to-day. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Edwards, of Bothwell, are visiting in the city. W. W. Turner, A. H. VonGunten and or. J. P. Rutherford spent yesterday

in Detroit. John Lee, M. P. P., was in the city to-day. He says that some people can't take a joke.

Warden Robinson, of Romney, was in the city to-day attending the meet-ing of the House of Refuge commit-

Wm. Yeomans and Thos. Vince are in Jeannette's Creek repairing the pumping machinery in the Forbes Works.

The Growler advises the Board of Works to get busy and repair the corners cut off by Lord Minto in his rapid transit of the Maple City.

The House of Refuge committee of the County Council met this afternoon to consider applications for the posi-tions of superintendent and matron of the House of Refuge. Chairman Sifton and Messrs. French, Somers and the Warden were present.

The "Rock" show in the Old Town Hall Wednesday night, given by the West Kent Poultry and Pet Stock As-sociation, was well attended and a good show given. The next show will be of the other classes of chickens, and will be held June 3.

Col. J. B. Rankin, K. C., has received a letter from Geo. Stephens, M. P., stating that he had seen Col. McDonald, of the Militia Department, and that the blankets and tents for use at St. Thomas on the 24th of May would be shipped at once. Col. McDonald also promised to send the buttons, caps, etc., asked for by Ad-jutant Coltart.

Wm. Boyd, Jack McLeod, West, Jos. Oldershaw, Dr. Fraser, Wm. Ben-nett and J. W. Aitken attended the tournament of the Blenheim Gun Club to-day. They may be expected to clean up. W. S. Richards and Jack to clean up. W. S. Richards and Ja McCoig drove out this afternoon.

STRANGE STORY

Mrs. Brodie, a well-known characclub. Every member is earnestly urged to be present.

Lost, on King street, on Saturday, May 9th, a pair of gold rimmed spectacles. On case is the name of Dr. Ovens. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

W. E. Cruickshank, a student at the Toronto medical school, has taken a position on the reportorial staff of the Banner during the summer vacation.

Canocing is becoming more popular all the time. There are more canoes

known to the police, as she has been out of her mind before, and the police have had her in charge on more than one occasion. She is married, but her husband has left her.

The woman can travel just like a snake, moving over the ground in the same way as a reptile without using her hands or feet. She sat in the prisoners' dock on one occasion when

BOX 52 PHONE 295 Fifth St., 1st Door from King.

Ed. Cahoe, Chatham Tp., appeared before Judge Houston in the County Court last Friday to answer to a charge of getting a cow from Augustus Joseph, under false pretenses. Before Joseph's sale of farm stock, Cahoe had promised that he would give his note, endorsed by his mother, for anything he might purchase. This he had not done for a cow which he had bought. After hearing the evidence the case was adjourned till to-day to give the prisoner a chance to give the note promised and pay the costs of the court. Cahoe did this and the case was dismissed.

CAHOE DISMISSED

SPLENDID OPENING

A very large crowd attended the opening of the new Taylor flour mill last evening and a very interesting time was spent by everyone who availed themselves of the opportunity of viewing this splendid modern mill. The mill was crowded with delighted spectators from early in the evening until eleven o'clock, and many were the expressions of wonder at the excellent manner in which the mill is fitted up. The Taylor company have great reason to feel gratified over the success of their opening.

The 24th Regiment Band was in attendance and provided excellent music both morning and evening. The band were placed on the roof of the elevator and their music could be heard distinctly all over the city.

THE AFTER EFFECTS

One of the lads who was present at the raid on the Lorne avenue house of gilded reputation, appeared before Judge Houston this morning. The boy had thrushed another lad for telling the police about the raid. Judge Houston gave the boy a very severe lecture, and it was only at the earnest request of the boy's father that he escaped a two year's gentence. Judge Houston was very strong in his remarks on the case. He said—"Instead of being ashamed of their work, the boys concerned in the raid appear to glory in it. The neighbors are a good deal to blame for this in making heroes out of the boys. The little fellow who was thrashed was accused by his comrades of telling the police who the raiders were. The lad also complained that he was ostracized and ruled off the ball field. As a matter of fact, the boy in question had neither seen the police or told them anything. This, however, didn't prevent him being brutally treated. If any of the boys who ordered the lad off the ball ground are brought before me, I will impose sentence. Some of the lads concerned in that raid apparently have overlooked the fact that they have been leniently treated and have forgotten that they are only on probation. The next case of this kind that comes to my attention will be dealt with severely." One of the lads who was present at the raid on the Lorne avenue house

BLEW UP THE NARONIC. New York Police Find a Startling Note.

New York, May 15 .- Among the effects of the man who sent the internal machine to the Cunard Line dock last week was a piece of paper on which was written in French; "The destruction of the Naronic was complete. Mr. Le Brun, who made the box, has this

moment gone to Chicago."

The Naronic leit Liverpol Feb. 11, 1898, with 4,000 tons of freight, a crew of 55 men, and fifteen passengers, who had gone to England on the previous trip in charge of a cargo of cattle. She was never seen after she leit the

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BASEBALL

Two teams from Wm. Gray & Sons' factory will play on Tecumseh Park to-morrow evening.

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	(8), Frisbee, Madison, Delehanty 2, Steel- man 2, Winham 2: b) Winham (6), Golden
L	3, Carr, Toft, Kissinger. Stolen base- Madison. Left on bases-Toronto 10, Wor- cester 5. Time-1.50. Umpire-Kelley. At-
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Sept	701	704	701	$70\frac{1}{2}$
Corn—	45	458	44%	451 B
Sept	443	443	441.	418
July	325	331	$32\frac{1}{2}$	33
Sept	301	301	301	301/2
July	1717	1717	1717	1717
Sept Lard—	1660	1667	1655	165
July	887	895	887	895
Sept Ribs—	892	900	892	990
July	935	940	930	940
Sept	917	925	917	922

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