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PROBABILITIES.
Special to The Planet.
Toronto, June 15.—10 a. m.—East-
erly winds, a little cooler; Sun-
day, easterly winds, fine and moder-
ately warm.
The following official figures were
registered at noon today at Burt's
weather bureau:
Barometer 29.40.
Thermometer 75.
Highest yesterday 85.
Lowest yesterday 65.
Direction of wind, east.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Eat Richards' Bread.
Mrs. R. V. Carter is spending today
in Ridgeway.
J. T. Little, of Vancouver, arrived
in the city last evening. He is the
guest of his sister, Mrs. S. C. Walker,
Elizabeth street.
The Macabees will hold their
church parade next Sunday. About
50 or 75 visitors are expected to be
present from outside points.
Court McGregor, No. 6, I. O. F., at-
tend divine service in Christ Church
to-morrow evening, when Rev. Rural
Dean McCosh will preach their an-
nual sermon.
While excavating for the sewer
and water pipes for the new Separate
the workmen yesterday unearthed the
remains of a man. The skeleton was
that of a person above the ordinary
stature.
Plans have been prepared by Jas.
Carwell for the remodeling of the
Bank of Commerce and tenders will
be asked for the work. It is the in-
tention to rebuild the stairs and make
other improvements.
The K. O. T. M. held a good full
meeting last night in their hall over
Gordon's Store. Nine members were
initiated. Final arrangements were
made for the parade next Sunday.
number from Comber, Tilbury.
Forty members will be present from
Wallaceburg, 30 from Dresden, 40 from
Thamesville, and bothwell. It is ex-
pected that 300 Macabees will take
part in the parade.
"There is material for a splendid
lacrosse team here," said the City En-
gineer this morning. "An excellent
practice was had last evening by
about twelve enthusiastic lacrosse
players and they proved to have the
makings of a good team in them."
Warden VonGuten was in the city
today. "The heavy court was the
cause of my second trip this week,"
said the Warden. "The expenses are
very high, the Petit Jury alone has
cost over five hundred dollars. The
objection I have to the County pay-
ing the expenses is that the County
Council have very little control over
the finances of the County, and yet
if a crime is committed they have
put up the money."

Tell Your Eye
Troubles to Us

We want to remove them for you. It's folly for you to suffer from weak eyes when
the remedy is so simple and easily procured. It is a hundred to one that there is
nothing wrong with your eyes that a properly fitted pair of glasses will not remedy
—and remedy it quickly too. However, we don't tell that is wrong until we examine
your eyes. Then we'll know all about your case—and exactly what to do to rectify
any defect which may exist.

See us To-day About it

A. I. McCall & Co.
Druggists and Opticians

Captain Hanna brought a cargo of
lumber up the river a few days ago
for J. Piggett & Sons.

Wanted, a smart honest boy, to
earn a good trade, one who is will-
ing to apply himself. Address Planet
office in own handwriting, or person-
ally.
Rev. J. J. Ross, has returned from
attending the Western Baptist Asso-
ciation in Florence, Mr. Houston, of
this city, has been appointed to suc-
ceed Rev. Mr. Dewey, of Wheatley,
as moderator of the Association, for
the coming year.
The Wabash Railway, announces
excursion rates to Buffalo on Tues-
day, June 18th, and Tuesday, June
25th, return tickets Chatham to
Buffalo for Pan American exposition,
good returning following day at \$3.25
each. For tickets and further in-
formation we refer our readers to
W. E. Rispin, city passenger agent,
115 King street.

SCHOOL NEWS

Interesting Educational Happenings of
the Week—Many Matters
of Importance.

Inspector Park has been inspecting
the school on the Lake Shore this
week.

There will likely be some changes
in the school, including the
erection of a new school.

Mr. Park will go to Wallaceburg
and Dresden to inspect the schools
there Monday and Tuesday.

The following school news for the
week was obtained from Inspector
Park:

The board of entrance examiners,
viz., D. S. Patterson, W. J. Twohey,
Robert Park and Miss Abram meet
for organization to-night at the
College Institute.

The board of arbitrators that met
last Saturday in Harrison Hall for
organization will meet at Merline at
10 a. m. Saturday, June 22nd, to con-
sider and take evidence in the matter
of changing certain lots from Union
School 5 to section 15, Raleigh.

The board will consist of D. Halliday,
Fletcher; W. F. Robertson, Valetta,
and Robert Park, of this city.

The township of Tilbury East ap-
pointed W. F. Robertson, of Valetta,
and Romney appointed, ex-Warden
Geo. Robinson in conjunction with R.
Park as arbitrators to consider the
formation of a union school section
at Sycamore from parts of school sec-
tions Nos. 6 and 8, Tilbury East, and
1 and 6, Romney. No date has yet
been made by the Inspector for the
first meeting, but it will likely be
during the summer vacation.

Mrs. John Clark, of Sycamore, is
visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
James Jewell, of Northwood. She
called on her friends in the Maple
City today.

H. K. Hopkirk, of Ottawa, arrived
in the city yesterday to succeed Mr.
Mercer as teller in the Bank of Mon-
treal. Mr. Mercer leaves in a few
days for St. John N. B.

Thos. F. Stockton, of Flint, Mich.,
is in the city today. Mr. Stockton is
the superintendent of the Lynch &
Lynch Company, who put down the
pavement on King street.

Richard Jordan has returned from
attending the Pan American exposition
at Buffalo. He will return to
Buffalo to-morrow, having secured a
lucrative position there.

Lost!—On Saturday, a small, black,
bitch pup, about six months old, with
tips of hind feet white, answers to
name of "Daisy." A reward will be
given for her return to The Planet
or to Jas. Charrand, King St. West.

A great sale of Magnolia
Dimities, beginning Monday—
See Gordon's Window.

W. E. Cruickshank, of the medical
department of Toronto University,
arrived in the city yesterday and will
spend his vacation here. Mr. Cruick-
shank has successfully passed his
first year's examinations.

The Historical Society held a meet-
ing last evening and decided to ask
the city council for \$250 to help de-
fray the cost of bringing the gun
boat down to the park. The request
will be made Monday evening.

A delightful and excellent musical
was given at the residence of City
Clerk Merritt last evening by the
clever pupils of Miss Maude Weese.
The pupils all did splendidly and their
work evidenced the results of careful
and intelligent teaching. The parents
were all highly delighted with the
splendid manner in which the little
ones acquitted themselves. The pupils
participating in this first exhibi-
tion of musical ability were Lily
Thomson, Erva Thomson, Winnifred
Arnold, Irene Miller and Lily Guy.

For hot weather, the Gordon
Magnolia Dimities, just the
thing at 5c.

ALMOST SCORCHED US.
The fire fiend struck rather near
home this morning when the stable
and barn belonging to The Planet
establishment was almost destroyed.
The conflagration started in the
hay mow and the whole upper part
of the building and several tons of
hay were burned. The loss will be
about \$250.

The fire was discovered by W. R.
Peck and John Dunlop. It started
in the hay in the mow and the origin
is a mystery. It is thought some
weary wayfarer must have sought
this hallowed precinct beneath the
sheltering wing of this great family
journal to enjoy a night of slumber
and departing carelessly left his pipe
or a match fall in the hay.

The Chatham Loan and Savings Co.
39th Half-yearly Dividend.
Notice is hereby given that a
dividend at the rate of six per cent.
per annum upon the paid up capital
stock of this company has been de-
clared this day for the current half
year ending June 30th, 1901, payable
at the company's office, on and after
July 2nd, 1901.

The transfer books will be closed
from the 20th to 30th June inclusive.
By order of the Board,
S. F. GARDNER,
Manager.

Chatham, June 4th, 1901.
"We were very much pleased with
the design you sent. It was beauti-
ful and appropriate." The Victoria
Ave. Green Houses receive such words
of commendation every day. Tele-
phone No. 181.

Wood's Peppermint Cure
The Great English Remedy
Sold and recommended by all
druggists in Canada. Only reli-
able medicine discovered for
coughs, colds, croup, whooping
cough, asthma, all effects of cold
or excess of mucus. Beware of cheap
imitations. Optimum or Stimulant. Mailed on receipt
of 25c. in stamps or cash. One trial bottle
sent free. Pamphlets free to any address.
The Wood Company, Windsor, Ont.

Wood's Peppermint Cure is sold in Chat-
ham by E. H. Gunn & Co., Central
Drug Store.

FALSE ALARM

There was no Case of Cruelty to Animals
But Officer Quinn and His Deputy
Showed Themselves Alert.

Humane Officer F. F. Quinn and
his deputy, Detective McGregor, were
aroused from their slumbers at six
o'clock this morning to look into an
alleged case of cruelty to animals in
connection with a car load of calves
and cows on the switch at the Lake
Erie cattle yards. The Humane Of-
ficer notified Gen. Agent Tillson and
learned that the cattle had been fed
and cared for. He also investigated
the case for himself but found no
reason to interfere.

Gen. Agent Tillson of the Lake Erie
was seen. He said that the car con-
taining cows and calves had arrived
in the afternoon from Toronto for
Leamington. Owing to there being
no train for Leamington till morn-
ing the car was left here over night.
Mr. Tillson personally superintended
the unloading of the car and had all
the calves removed to the pens except
eight calves. He also himself fed
and watered all the stock, including
the calves left in the car. These
latter, being young, no doubt, did
make a good deal of noise, but it was
from a feeling of separation, not
from cruelty.

Mr. Tillson was also aroused early
this morning and he felt hurt at the
persecution he had been subjected to
after all the trouble he had taken.
The car was reloaded and taken to
Leamington this morning.

MEN OF THE 24th

Several Changes in the Officers of the
Local Regiment as Gazetted
Yesterday.

Ottawa, June 15.—A Gazette con-
taining the appointments, promotions
and retirements in the militia was is-
sued yesterday.

His Excellency has been pleased to
pass upon the following in connection
with the 24th Kent Regiment:—Major
W. R. Hickey retires and is permitted
to retain the rank of captain on re-
tirement.

Lieut. F. A. Laurie retires.
Second Lieut. W. S. Ball retires.
Second Lieut. E. P. Donegan, having
left limits, his name is removed from
the list of officers of the active mil-
itia.

To be Paymaster with honorary
rank of captain, W. R. Hall, to com-
plete establishment.

To be medical officer with the hon-
orary rank of surgeon-lieutenant, W.
H. T. To complete establishment.

To be honorary chaplain, the Rev.
W. E. Knowles.

To be Second Lieut., provisionally,
N. D. Harper, E. G. Schenckland, vic-
e.

Capt. Wm. Mowbray, 24th Kent
Regiment, is gazetted in the Medical
Service.

FIVE YEARS

Andrew Epperson Receives Punish-
ment for Stabbing and the
Court Assault.

Andrew Epperson, sullen but docile
—a very different man from the wild-
eyed maniac who caused the commo-
tion on his last appearance in court—
was again in the prisoner's dock this
morning. The authorities were taking
no chances on further dramatic
demonstrations on his part and he
was closely guarded. Immediately in
front of him and facing the prisoner
sat Constable Cape, while on either
hand were seated Constables Peters
and Kenny.

It appeared, however, from Epperson's
behavior that the precautions
were unnecessary. The man ap-
peared to take no interest in the pro-
ceedings or his surroundings.

He was again tried on the charge
of assault, this time on Constables
Cape, Coogan and Thompson. Constables
Cape, Coogan and Thompson and one
of the jurymen who had witnessed the
food were examined and the prisoner
found guilty and sentenced to two
years for each offense, the sentences
to run concurrently. He was then
sentenced to three years for stabbing
Mrs. Ellison. The two separate sen-
tences will run consecutively, making
five years in all.

Lezert, charged with bigamy, was
sentenced to one year. Mrs. Hall,
charged with bigamy, was sentenced
to three months, and Mr. Huckle, also
charged with bigamy, was sentenced
to two months.

Earley, charged with perjury, was
sentenced to two months.
Mary Johnson was sentenced to six
months in the Mercer Reformatory
for perjury, and Adelaide Johnson,
also charged with perjury, was sen-
tenced to two months in jail.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
Sealed tenders will be received by
the undersigned until six p. m. Fri-
day, the 14th inst., for the several
works required in the erection of
new office building and addition to
Gas Works. The plans and speci-
fications can be seen at the office of
T. J. Rutley, architect. The lowest
nor any tender not necessarily ac-
cepted. Address to
P. S. COATES,
Manager.

Chatham, June 4th, 1901.

Marked tender.

ONE TEASPOONFUL of Pain-Killer
in hot water sweetened will cure al-
most any case of flatulency and in-
digestion. Avoid substitutes, there is
but one Pain-Killer, Perry Davis'.
25c. and 50c.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in
Cows.

Dr. Susie C.

Rijnhart's

NEW BOOK

With the Tibetans

Tent and Temple

Now Ready

Intensely Interesting, Well Illustrated,
Nicely Bound.

Dr. Rijnhart is the first Canadian
who has entered the "Forbidden
Land" and the book is beauti-
fully illustrated from drawings and
photos now published for the
first time.

NEW BOOKS

ARRIVING DAILY

Dingman's
Books & King St.
Stationery Chatham.

SMALL AND SCARCE

The Strawberry Crop will be a Com-
parative Failure this Season—
Other Crops all Right.

"The strawberry crop is very poor
this year," said John Tisdale, down
the river, to The Planet this morn-
ing. "In fact," continued he, "my
strawberry crop has never been so
poor as it is this year. This is un-
doubtedly due to the cold weather we
have had this spring. The crop last
year was only fair. The best crop
that I have had yet was grown two
years ago. Strawberries are a very
uncertain crop and unless the spring
weather is very good they are bound
to be a bad crop."

Mr. Tisdale spoke very encouragingly
of the other crops. The corn,
which has been held back considerably
this spring, is looking well and if the
weather continues fine, the yield will
be abundant.

ACCIDENTAL

No one Responsible for the Death of
Brakeman Beavely on the M. C. R.

"That the deceased, G. F. Beavely,
brakeman on the C. P. R., came to his
death by being run over by an M. C.
R. train about 11 o'clock on the night
of Tuesday, June 11, that his death
was accidental and that the company,
officials and hands were exonerated
from all blame,"—such was the ver-
dict at the inquest held by Coroner
Hanks at Charing Cross to enquire
into the death of G. F. Beavely. The
four train hands were the only wit-
nesses who could give any information
as to the terrible accident by
which the unfortunate man met his
death. John A. Walker, K. C., was
present at the inquest in place of
Crown Attorney Douglas, who was en-
gaged at court.

THE MARKET

Record of this Morning's Mercantile
Doings on the Maple
City Market.

There was a good market this
morning. Strawberries were the chief
feature. They sold at 21 cents
a box. Butter sold at 14 cents and
eggs at 10c. There were a few goose-
berries offered at 8c a quart.

Grain dealers report a good demand
for beans from Western points.
It is expected that the demand will
clean up the stock of all the local de-
alers. The price has increased 15c
on the former price. All coarse grains
are lower in price and the demand is
very slack especially in corn.

The following are a few of the
prices:

HOUSEHOLD SUPPLIES.
Lamb, per quarter, 85c to \$1.15.
Mutton, per pound, 7c to 9c.
Strawberries, per quart, 12c.
Gooseberries, per quart, 8c.
Eggs, per doz. 10c.
Eggs, dealers' price, 9c.
Butter, per lb. 14c.
Chickens, each, 25 to 35c.

GRAINS.
Oats, 28c to 29c.
Wheat, 65c.
Barley, 75 to 80c.
Corn, 36 to 37c.
Beans, \$1 to \$1.15.

The Gordon Store Monday
morning place on sale, 2143 3/4
yds of Fancy Magnolia Dimi-
ties at 5c a yd.

TEA and TEAS

Glass & Company, William Street

Import direct from London, England, the
finest Ceylon, Assam and China Teas. Try
our English Breakfast Tea, 35c and 40c.
N. B. Cottages at Dresden to rent for the
season.

Chatham's
Greatest Store C. AUSTIN & CO. Chatham's
Cheapest Store

Dress Goods
Department

Our June clearing sale still continues.
More lines have been reduced to replace lines
sold out. The big attraction this season is
our bargain tables. Here are piled odd pieces
of every description of color and design. Goods
worth regularly from 75c to \$1.50 per yard are
offered here at 35c per yard in any length re-
quired.

3 ends Beyedere, pure silk and wool, regular price \$1.50 per yard.
4 ends Beyedere, light shades, regular price 75c per yard.
3 ends Beyedere, dark shades, regular price \$1.25 per yard.
3 pcs. Fancy Stripe, navy, regular price 60c per yard.
3 pcs. Fancy Check, O. K. shades, regular price 75c per yard.
4 pcs. Broche, dark shades, regular price 70c.
2 ends Broche, silk and wool, regular price \$1.25 per yard.
2 pcs. Annure, brown and navy, regular price 50c per yard.
14 ends Fancy Effects, light and dark, regular price 50c per yard.
9 ends Fancy Effect, light and dark, per yard 65c.

One Price 35c For All

Extra Staple Bargains

You will always find this department full of the very best of all kinds of staple
goods, and at right prices.

White Cottons

15 pieces extra value English white
cotton, know white color, linen finish,
soft make, 34 inches wide, value
8c.

10 pieces, each of the same make
of cotton, same finish, same widths,
at per yard, 7c, 9c and 10c.

When you want this make of cotton
ask for the Princess Calico.

White Lawns

Our stock of white lawns were slow
in coming in this season. They have
just arrived, and open up fine.

20 pieces, choice Victoria lawn, 40
inch, 10c yard.

10 pieces, extra fine, 45 inch lawn,
special finish, at 15c yard.

Prints

12 pieces best English Indigo and
turkey red prints, just in, full 30
inches wide, very choice patterns, and
free from dressing, worth 14c, close
price
12 1-2c each.

20 pieces, superior quality, 42 inch
lawns, fine finish at 12 1-2c yd.

Towel Specials

2 Dozen Pure Linen Kitchen Tow-
els, red border, hemmed ends, dark
linen and fine twill. These towels are
very handy for all kinds of use; size
25x29 inches, special, at 12 1-2c each.

See the Pure Linen Towel that we
are selling 3 for 25c. They're a big
snap.

Table Linen Special

2 Pieces, fine bleached table dam-
ask, choice patterns, fine satin finish,
71 inches wide, special, 50c yd.

3 pieces, extra value, unbleached
table damask, new designs, fine soft
make, 60 inches wide, value
35c yd.

Velvet Carpets

Our stock of this line of floor coverings had got quite
low, and though it is now "between seasons"

We have just placed in stock a splendid assortment of
English Velvet Carpets

To the purchaser who needs to buy now, this affords
an excellent opportunity to obtain

THE VERY LATEST PATTERNS AND
COLORINGS

These designs also represent what will be most pop-
ular for the coming fall trade.

There are no better Velvet Carpets at the price,
and few superior shown anywhere at any price. Made
and laid at per yard

\$1.15

C. Austin & Co.
The Bargain Centre.