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PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.
Toronto, Sept. 19.—10 a. m.—Moderate winds, fair and cool. Friday, southwesterly winds, cool and mostly cloudy.

Local Budget

Bicycle repairs at Brisco's. If R. C. Burt is in Detroit to-day.

Carl Sheldrick is in Detroit to-day.

R. C. Burt is in Pontiac to-day on business.

G. Goldworthy, of Guilds, was in the city to-day.

Remember Park street tea-meeting, Oct. 21st.

Owen McKay, of Windsor, was in the city to-day.

The C. P. R. pay car went through the city yesterday.

John Moore, of Raleigh, is spending the day in Detroit.

Thos. Beatty, of Comber, was a city visitor yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Bray are spending the day in Detroit.

R. Maginn, G. T. R. tie inspector, was in the city yesterday.

William H. Brackin is spending the day in Detroit with friends.

Mr. Wilson, of the firm of Collett & Wilson, is in Detroit to-day.

Chas. A. Bodger, Queen street, has purchased a fine trotting horse.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Eberle were visitors at the Fair at Chatham last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Arlein, of St. Thomas, are visiting relatives in the city.

Graham Smith left yesterday to visit friends in Ottawa for a short time.

The "Humbag" Company left this morning for Toledo, where they play to-night.

Mrs. N. M. Moore, of Warton, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Cathart, Joseph street.

Mrs. (Dr.) H. Martin, who has been visiting in the city, left this morning for Detroit.

Gordon Bennett, of J. A. Morton's hardware establishment, is in the City of the Straits to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. William O'Brien, Wellington street, returned yesterday from a visit to the Pan-American.

Harry S. Northwood, who has been visiting in the city for some time, returned this morning to Calumet, Mich.

King Buffalo is a high class cigar, that is sold for five cents at all leading cigar stores and by druggists.

Just

J. Maguire, of the C. P. R. freight office, found a stray plover in the yards yesterday and is making quite a pet of it.

When you ask for a five cent cigar you want the best. Try our "King Buffalo" and you will smoke another.

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Architect Carswell has been instructed and is now busy getting out plans for a large school and assembly hall for the R. C. Diocese at Windsor.

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DENTIST

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There was no police court this morning.

M. Sharp, of Tilbury, was a city visitor to-day.

T. A. Young, of Blenheim, was in the city yesterday.

H. C. Hall, of Blenheim, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

J. H. Wilson, of Tilbury, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Robert Lynn is spending a few days with his grandfather, in Dresden.

Chas. Athroy, of Thamesville, is in the city to-day on business.

Thomas Stanton, Lansdowne avenue, has returned from a business trip to Godrich.

Mrs. and Miss McDonnell, Queen street, returned last night from the Pan-American.

Morton Sheldon, Harvey street, has returned from a visit to the Pan-American exposition.

The S. Hadley Lumber Co. received a large shipment of Spanish and Tobacco mahogany, to-day.

Mrs. Will Richards has returned from Buffalo, where she has been attending the Pan-American.

Misses Maggie and Lillie Walker have returned from visiting their uncle, John Mains, of Detroit.

Miss Gertrude Terry, Baldon street, left this morning for a visit with friends in Detroit and Windsor.

Miss Dell, McLean, Wellington street, returned last evening from a visit with friends in Brantford.

Mrs. Reid, Foster street, has received a second crop of black raspberries from her bushes this year.

J. W. Burris, formerly a dry goods merchant here, now of London, is spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. Benn, of Wallaceburg, underwent a very critical operation at St. Joseph's hospital yesterday morning.

Miss Eugene M. Grover, Emma street, left this morning for Pontiac, weeks' visit with her sister in Pontiac.

The Victoria Avenue League meets to-morrow evening. It will be a temperance evening and all are invited.

Mrs. Matthews, of Grand Rapids, and Miss Morrison, of Ridgeway, are the guests of Miss Maude Blake, La-croix St.

Mrs. Sam. Mercer, who has been seriously ill in St. Joseph's Hospital, with typhoid fever, is somewhat better to-day.

Paddy Young, of Thibodeau & Jacques, has gone to Milwaukee, where he has secured a very lucrative position in a dry goods store.

A social will be held at Chatham on the evening under the auspices of the young people of the Presbyterian church of that place.

Mr. Edward Green, who has been the guest of Mrs. Wm. Terry, Baldon street, returned to her home in Windsor this morning.

Miss Eugenie M. Grover, Emma St., left to-day to attend the State Fair and pay a couple of weeks' visit to Mrs. L. H. Rose, Pontiac.

Application for the probate of the will of the late Mary Crawford, late of the township of Oxford, was to-day made by Barbara Blue, widow. The estate is valued at \$875.

Missionary Geo. Buskin begs to gratefully acknowledge the receipt of \$25.40 from the friends of Chatham in aid of the Colportage Mission of behalf of the Northwest.

W. R. Peck, writing from Buffalo, says the Fair is beyond his expectations, and makes special mention of the great electrical display. He will return home this week.

Moses Calron, of Pain Court, is seriously ill. Mr. Carron was visiting in our city ill. Mr. Carron was visiting in our city ill. Mr. Carron was visiting in our city ill.

A bay mare was stolen from A. E. Field's residence near the cemetery, on Tuesday night and a reward is offered for the return of the animal.

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TIS TRUE—AND PITY 'TIS TRUE.

"A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches."—Proverbs xlii. 1.

Certain of our patrons of American birth, but for some years past highly esteemed residents of the Maple City—have called upon The Planet to cancel their subscriptions to this great home journal.

They have a grievance—or fancy they have. They complain of an editorial in Monday's issue under the caption "Let us Forget," in which The Planet pointed out that the severe chastisement, which the neighboring republic has so recently suffered, might prove a blessing to the nation if, in the solemnity of the immediate presence of death, it cause the strong minds and the patriots to pause and ask whether the people were drifting as a result of the mad rush for wealth and aggrandizement, the sacrifice of national betterment for personal ambition.

Alluding to the results to the state of this policy, The Planet said:—

To-day the United States, nominally recognized as a Christian country, is characterized by political rotteness, atrocious lynchings, labor upheavals, desecration of the Sabbath, heathenism of morals and an appalling et al. It's a serious, stern arraignment, but alas! a true one.

And the republic has a proud history, dating from the landing of the Pilgrim Fathers.

Perhaps the present affliction will cause the strong minds of the great nation to arise and act. It is to be earnestly hoped that it may.

It is to the above that our esteemed late subscribers take objection.

But the facts, deplorably, are just as The Planet stated them. And, moreover, the matter cannot be righted by closing the eyes to them. Publicity is the ablest and most potent champion of reform. The best minds of the republic are realizing this and devoting their energies, both from the pulpit and platform and in the press, to bringing the American people to a realization of existing conditions and the immediate necessity and demand for their amendment.

Patriotism is a grand thing and loyalty to the land of birth much to be admired. But patriotism and loyalty, The Planet submits, are most faithfully conserved—not in a discreet ignoring of the indefensible and wrong, but in an endorsement of every appeal for true reform, for the betterment of existing conditions and for the real and permanent prosperity of the nation and its people.

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