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PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.

Toronto, Nov. 13.—10 a. m.—Strong winds and moderate local gales, gradually shifting to southwesterly and northwest, unsettled, occasional rain. Friday, cooler.

The following figures were registered to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:
Thermometer 56.
Highest yesterday 68.
Lowest yesterday 55.
Direction of wind, south.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

W. J. Graham shipped a bulk car of apples to-day.

Fr. James has gone to Louisville, Ky., to give a retreat.

The planking of the C. P. R. Queen street crossing is in bad condition.

The remainder of the stone for the front of the new library has arrived.

The Northwood Produce Co. have three cars of potatoes of good quality via C. P. R.

The third storey of the Blonde Lumber and Mill Co. new mill has been started.

Broken stone is being unloaded on Tecumseh Park for the new, pavement which will run past the park.

A number of Chatham young people attended the dance given by the bachelors of Blenheim last evening.

J. Heath, contractor, has completed the remodeling and repairing of the buildings on the fair grounds.

The pupils of Miss Adele McLean's dancing school gave an assembly to a number of their friends last evening.

The Koffage unloaded its cargo this morning and leaves to-night for Johnson's Harbor. This will be the last trip of the season.

Grading is being done on the roads on Innes Ave. and Lorne avenue.

The United Order of Workmen are putting in a new benefit in connection with the lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Avichouser and son Harry have moved to Simcoe to attend the funeral of Mr. Avichouser's father, the late Henry Avichouser, who died on Tuesday.

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The Daughters of R. Bokah meet to-night.

Alf. Bourassa, formerly of the Powell & Davis drug store, but who has been for the last two months, living at the Soo, has gone to Wyandotte, Mich., on a visit. He was accompanied by Amedy Bechard.

A promenade concert will be given in the C. B. C. next Friday evening. This concert was to have been held some time ago but was postponed on account of Mr. McLachlan's illness. A number of local artists will take part in the program.

A very happy event took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. King, 3rd concession, Dover, Tuesday evening, when their daughter, Miss Delema King, was united in marriage to Joseph Laplante, a prosperous and popular young farmer of the same township. Both bride and groom are very popular in the township and the marriage was a most important one. The ceremony took place in the Pains Court church, after which the guests were invited to the home of the bride, where a very enjoyable time was spent during the balance of the evening. The presents were very numerous and beautiful. The young couple will reside on the Creek Road, Dover.

MEET TO-NIGHT

The Provisional Committee in connection with the formation of the Young Men's Association will meet to-night in the Sunday School hall of St. Andrew's church, at eight o'clock. A full attendance is requested to discuss the reports of the sub-committees.

CANADIAN EXHIBIT

The Dominion Government intends making an exhibit of the productions of Canada at Osaka, Japan.

In consequence of this S. Glenn & Son, of this city, have been asked by W. H. Hay, accountant of the Department of Agriculture, Central Experiment Farm, Ottawa, to make up an exhibit of corn of the varieties grown in this part of the country. Among those already collected by the firm for the exhibit are White Flint, Early Learning, Compton's Early Twelve Rowed, Longfellow Eight Rowed Yellow, Gold Coin, Butler's Early Dent, White Dent, Black Dent, and several other varieties.

AWFUL ROADS

Dr. J. P. Rutherford was called to Mull yesterday on professional business. On his way out from the city he was crossing the Indian Creek bridge when his horse stepped in a hole in the planks and twisted its shoe. It is a mystery how the horse escaped from more serious injuries. As the shoe could not be straightened the doctor was forced to turn back and have his horse re-shod, thereby losing a considerable amount of valuable time. As it happened there were no serious results caused by the delay, but the doctor wishes to call the attention of the council to the dangerous condition of the bridge. It is not repaired immediately some teamster will meet with a serious accident, and perhaps draw the council into a suit for damages.

HOME FROM FRONT

Joseph Lynn, of Leamington, who has been serving in the constabulary force in South Africa, was in the city yesterday on route home and called on his friend Frank Ryall at the Fire Hall.

Mr. Lynn went to South Africa at the same time as did Charles Ryall, a brother to Frank, and since that time he has been in the same force with Charlie. A few months ago he (Mr. Lynn) was taken ill and obtained his discharge with permission to come home. In an interesting conversation with Mr. Ryall he describes the conditions which prevail in South Africa at the present time. The country is still in a somewhat devastated condition, but the Boers are now all quiet and seem to have settled down, contentedly. The most of the trouble now is with the blacks who, since the war has ended victoriously for the British, seem to think that they should have all their own way.

Excellent food is now being provided for the soldiers, which is a great relief to them. Last Christmas the soldiers' dinner consisted of one hard-boiled egg, but this year things will be far different and something better is expected. A lady cook is now stationed in each camp.

Charlie was in the best of health and spirits when Mr. Lynn said goodbye to him, and sent many kind messages to his many friends in Chatham and vicinity. He has no present intention of desire to return home.

Personal Pointers

Frank Quick is in Blenheim to-day.

Stanley Bill, was in Wallaceburg yesterday.

W. E. Gurdy was in Windsor to-day on business.

Wm. Snell, Lorne avenue, is improving slowly.

Paul Huff, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday.

W. W. Hay, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday.

J. Foster of Hightate was a Chatham guest yesterday.

Bob Wanless, who has been quite ill is able to be out again.

J. C. Britt, of the Detroit Journal, was in the city to-day.

Nelson Martin, of the 6th concession, Dover, is quite ill.

E. D. Mitton, of Ridgeway, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

F. C. Crawford, of London, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

D. J. Thompson, of Dutton, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

H. Middleton, of Ridgeway, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Bogart, Adelaide street, who has been quite ill, is improving.

N. B. Lindsay, of Wallaceburg, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

Louis Brady, Colborne street, east, is recovering from his recent illness.

Samson Russell, who had an abscess, taken from his lip, is improving.

C. McKenzie, of Petrolia, was registered at the Rankin House yesterday.

Frank Heath, of Detroit, an old Chatham boy, is spending a few days in town.

James Rushton, of Ridgeway, was among the many visitors in the city yesterday.

Dr. McKeeough was in Dresden this morning in consultation with Dr. Macdonald.

Mrs. Boulter, and son, of Exeter, are spending a short visit with friends in the Maple City.

Miss Hodges, niece of Mrs. Turrill, of this city, is quite ill in the public general hospital.

The little child of S. Russell, Queen street, who has been quite ill, is gradually recovering.

Mrs. Richardson, who underwent a critical operation in St. Joseph's Hospital, is doing well.

C. Crowder and W. H. Bradley of Ridgeway were registered at the Garner House yesterday.

Tom Bowers, of the Wallaceburg Car Company, is in the city for a few days on business.

Will. Thomson, who has been visiting relatives in the city, has returned to his home in Toronto.

T. Marshall and E. A. Drake, of the Lake Erie, Walkerville, were in the city yesterday on business.

Miss Prescott, Millner at Thoburn & Jacques', left yesterday on a short visit to friends in London.

Miss Goddard, who has been ill in St. Joseph's Hospital, returned on Sunday to her home in Pain Court.

Mrs. F. W. Braunstein, of Cincinnati, is spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rutley, of this city.

Frank and Bert Ross, Roger Hutchinson, Frank Brundage and Arthur Kipp were among the number who attended the dance in Blenheim last evening.

English as she is wrote.

The gradual spread of the English language leads sometimes to curious results. Take, for instance, the following, which recently appeared in an English paper printed in Korea.

"Seoul, Korea, May 23, 1902."

Lately the police headquarters ordered to forbid the servants, & to run the horses fastly on the big streets, with their sougines, pressed the children down and hurt them on the ground and the police stopped a man running a horse hardly on its back, but a number of soldiers came along quickly and captured the poor fellow. Compare the foregoing with the choice English of the modern American newspaper, as expressed in a recent issue of "The Girard, Ill. Weekly Observer, in the following sentences:

"There is a mad dog scare here at present. Every dog that acts like he had wheels in his head is killed. Three dogs, one old cat, and an old rooster has been killed that was claimed to have been bitten."

Oriental Logic.

A man brought three pounds of meat and brought it home to his wife to cook for dinner, and then sent his way to his place of business in the bazaar. The wife was hungry and ate the meat.

In the evening the man came home and asked for his dinner.

"There is no meat," said his wife, "for the cat ate it."

"Bring the cat," said the man, "and a pair of scales."

"Weigh the cat," said the man. The cat weighed three pounds.

"If this is the cat," said the man, "where is the meat? And if this is the meat, where is the cat?"

ACHES AND PAINS.

You know by experience that the aches and pains of rheumatism are not permanent, but only temporarily, relieved by external remedies.

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One of Miss Stone's abductors has been captured by the Turkish police who have extracted a full confession from the brigand.

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WORLD OF SPORT

FOOTBALL

A picked team in the park gave the league team a practice game last evening, which resulted in favor of city team by a score of four or five to one.

The league team showed up in better form than usual and had better combination work.

The absence of a number of the league men, however, weakened the work of the team.

The team for the game with Darrell on Saturday, will be picked from the players who turn out to practice. There will be a game this evening with the Scrubs, 4.30 sharp.

AT ST. JOACHIM

St. Joachim, Ont. Nov. 12.—The international field game was started here at 3.30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Owing to the heavy rain, which fell during the greater part of the first day, only two heats of the three for the derby stake were played.

The sportsman complained of the scarcity of birds this year, which is even worse than the preceding year.

The event was run in accordance with the spotting system, and three-quarters of an hour was allowed for each heat, the dogs being run in pairs. Secretary V. B. Wells furnished the list of entries following:

Joe Frey, owned by J. B. Dale, Petrolia, Ont., and Revere Antonio, owned by Fisher, of Detroit, Mich.; Elfril II., owned by W. Donaldson, Windsor, Ont., and The, owned by Odershaw & Pickering, of Blenheim, Ont.; Duke II., owned by Odershaw & Pickering, and Deuce, owned by L. N. Hildebrand, Detroit, Mich.; Sutton Boy, owned by C. Woodson, Montreal, Que., and Daisy Meadowbrook, owned by L. E. Peterson, Woodstock, Ont.

The total of the Derby was \$167.50 and the result was as follows:—First prize, \$67, Duke II.; 2nd prize, \$33.50, Elfril II.; 3rd prize, \$25.13, Daisy Meadowbrook; 4th prize, \$16.75, Sutton Boy.

The all-aged stake was run yesterday, but was a evenly contested that the judges decided that it should be run again to-day with the following entries: Lightfield Joe, Thomas Reeder, Detroit; Sutton Boy, H. H. Wootton Montreal; Top Gallant, H. M. Graham, London; Mack M., W. E. H. Blenheim; Little Casino, Louis Hildebrand, Detroit; Tony Bae, J. Armstrong, Detroit; Counts Queen C. B. Cook, Richmond, Va.; Selkirk Selous, W. D. Wells, Chatham.

The prizes for the all-aged will be distributed as follows: First, \$34.00; second, \$25.00; third, \$12.75.

NOTES

At a meeting of "C" Company last evening a committee of sergeants was appointed to look after target practice.

Another committee composed of corporals was appointed to get up basketball and hand ball teams.

Tommy Burns expects to be reinstated within the next month and has made arrangements to ride for several stables on the coast. Next season will find him with W. C. Whitney again—J. H. Free Press.

Ed. Ball defeated J. H. Douglas in the singles yesterday, 22 to 19. A. E. Jewett defeated Wilson Taylor by one shot in the semi-finals of the singles.

In the doubles Wilson Taylor and Harry Collins have defeated W. W. Turner and J. Sowby (Peace) by five shots.

TOWN'S AUDIT

The auditing of the books in the County Treasurer's office is being proceeded with by Government Auditor Leing. Today the treasurers of the different towns of the County of Kent were in with their books. The following called on the auditor: James Bowers, treasurer of Ridgeway; Delia Macdonald, treasurer of Wallaceburg; A. A. Smith, treasurer of Dresden; W. H. Bradley, treasurer of Perth; Thos. S. Foster, Hightate, treasurer of Orford; James Leslie, Blenheim, treasurer of Hanwell.

PRETENDERS PUNISHED.

New York, Nov. 12.—Regarding the recent uprising in Morocco when a soldier who claimed to be an elder brother of the Sultan placed himself at the head of a following and claimed the throne, being afterward defeated, the Times correspondent at Fez, cabling by way of London, says the heads of twenty of the pretender's followers have been nailed to the city gates.

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STOLE \$117,000.

New York, Nov. 11.—A large reward has been offered on behalf of his government of Austro-Hungarian Consul General Deszeofsky, of this city, for the arrest of Victor Ketskemeti, who is charged with having left Budapest with \$117,000 in government funds which he was carrying to a bank. Ketskemeti was located in this city recently, and it is said obtained a respite by offering to return the money on the condition that there should be no prosecution.

MOUNT CLEMENS, MICH. "THE MINERAL BATH CITY."

The above is the title of an illustrated booklet, issued by the Grand Trunk Railway, containing facts in regard to the cures in the cases of thousands of rheumatic sufferers, who yearly visit these noted baths and also gives much useful information in reference to hotel and bath rates. Mount Clemens is situated directly on line of the Grand Trunk, a short distance from Detroit, and is easily and comfortably reached by fast and well equipped trains, from any point in Canada. Copies of booklet, time tables and any information on application to Grand Trunk Agent, or by addressing J. D. McDonald, District Passenger Agent, Toronto.

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REEFERS

Of blue chinilla or plain greyfrieze, lined with serviceable tweed linings, storm collar, slash and side pockets, bone buttons, full of comfort, for ages 5 to 15, at \$2.75 and \$3.50.

OVERCOATS

Of Oxford grey chevots, long, stylish, very grown-up looking, made plain or yoke, raglanette style, sizes 7 to 16 years, at \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$5.00.

RUSSIAN COATS

Of plain grey chevots and roughchinillas, button close to neck, velvet collar, detachable capou, with leather belt, very swell, for boys 4 to 9 years, at \$4.50 to \$6.00.

Flannelette Gowns—Ready-made

Think of all the time and patience and nervous stitches you will save in such an investment as this—to say nothing of the comfort they afford. Soft, warm and serviceable and can be bought for a trifle above the price of the material.

At 50c Ladies' and Misses Gowns of striped flannelette, finished with narrow frills.

At 75c. Of plain colors, yoke, collar and sleeves trimmed with frills and wide torchon.

At \$1.00, Pink, blue and white, double yoke, trimmed with hemstitched frills, also extra outside size.

At \$1.25, with yoke of hemstitched tucks and trimmed with frills of embroidery. Pink, blue and white.

The New Petticoats

Well and attractively made of black sateen, are stylish, slightly and serviceable. Two principal features are the diversity in styles and the extreme moderation in price. Descriptions of a few:—

At \$1.00—Umbrella ruffle, finished with three narrow ruffles, feather-bone cording and narrow stitched bands.

At \$1.50—Of heavy black sateen, with deep knife pleating, finished with narrow ruffle, lined.

\$2.50—Deep flounce, with 4-inch knife pleating, flounce is corded in clusters.

\$3.50—Deep flounce with three knife pleatings, 5 inches deep, each pleating is finished with a fancy braid stitching.

\$2.00—Petticoat, with umbrella flounce, trimmed with two knife pleating and narrow ruffles.

\$3.75—Of good black moreen finished with a deep full knife pleating.

WOMEN'S JACKETS AND FURS

The weather up to now has not been of favoring influence or tendency for Wrap and Fur selling. Yet our business has been enormously great. Perhaps it is due to the fact that there isn't a missing link here in the whole chain of fashion as applied to women's outer garb. A QUARTET OF EXCELLENT VALUES.

I. Women's long Wraps, in Oxford grey or black, with self-collars, bell sleeves, with and without flounce, trimmed with a tuck, lined throughout with fine grade of mercerized sateen. \$13.50

III. "Monte Carlo" of fine quality heavy weight chevot, stitched collar and yoke, trap, new sleeve, with turn back cuff. Lined throughout with aurah twill. \$10.00

II. 36 inch jacket, double breasted in fawn, grey or black, velvet or self collar, finished with stitching or tucking. Bell sleeve with turn-over cuff. Lined throughout. \$10.00

IV. 42 inch jackets of fawn or black broadcloth, tight fitting-back, double breasted, body lined, neatly stitched, velvet collar, bell sleeve. \$3.50

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Best English make of pure wool Che-viot, color and wear guaranteed, one of our most stylish materials for ladies' fine suits or separate skirts, 50 to 54 inches wide, at a yard 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25

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Medium and dark shades, guaranteed not to crack, spot or shrink, fine, all wool materials of good weight and best finish, 50 to 56 inches wide, at 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25

Homespuns

Black, navy, brown, fawn, dark, mid and light greys. We show three weights of the best makes of this popular cloth. Have us make you a skirt of one of these. Price per yard 50c, 75c and \$1.00

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