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PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, April 10-10 a. m.-Northerly winds, fine, not much change in temperature. Thursday, fine and stationary or a little higher temperature. G. N. W. Special.

Miss Frances Kemp is visiting in

R. Victor Carter returned from De-Miss Olive Kendell,

wisiting in the city. O. K. Watson, of Ridgetown, is in the city to-day on legal business. The regular meeting of Wellington Chapter of Royal Arch Masons will be held this, evening.

Full rehearsal of opera, Pirates; of Conservatory to-night at 7 p. m., sharpi

Mrs. R. Victor Carter is visiting her mother, Mrs. G. E. Copeland, Vic-toria Ave., Windsor. The infant daughter of Frank Merrill was reverently laid to re-Maple Leaf Cemetery yesterday at

The new desks for the Standard Bank have been built by John Pig-gott & Sons, and are now ready to be put in the bank.

At six o'clock this evening E. Dudley Poile and Miss Mabel Shea will be united in the bonds of matrimony. The wedding will be a quiet one. In addition to the regular sale of work, the Ladies of Christ Church will sell Homemade Pies and Cakes on Thursday and Friday, the 11th

The county criminal board of audit has completed its work, and the 'accounts for the March quarter are now in the hands of County Treasnrer Shambleau.

Dugald Brodie, of Chatham Tp., died at the Public General Hospital yesterday after-noon. Mr. Brodie was a well-known young farmer of Chatham Tp. Consumption was the cause of his death.

Miss Maude Eberts and Willie Taylor, of Wallaceburg, who have been spending their Easter holidays with Mrs. R. K. Wanless, Adelaide street, returned home to-day. W. H. Darr, son of Policeman Darr, was one of the Maple City young men

to enlist in the Royal Canadian Regiment, with headquarters at Halifax. The recruiting officer was here last John Brandon and Mrs. Wright, charged with an offence under sec-tion 278 of the criminal code, and

Owen Dooley, charged with horse-stealing, are appearing before Judge Bell this afternoon for election. Jos. Savage met with a nasty acci-

dent yesterday. He was working in a cellar and struck his head against a beam, inflicting an ugly wound on the right side. Dr. Rutherford was summoned and dressed the wound. Lottie H. Kennedy, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Kennedy, lot 1, Con. 11, Chatham Township, passed away yesterday. The funeral will take place Thursday at two o'clock to Maple Leaf Cemeters.

Good Blood,

Mrs. Horace Black, Raleigh is

ously ill Mrs. G T. McKeough returned from

Mrs. Geo. Kemp has returned from visiting friends in Petrolea. Dr. Holmes was in Ridgetown yesterday

T. H. Cade, foreman of Blonde Bros & Co's mill, is seriously ill. Christ Church ladies hold a sale of fancy articles in the Victoria block

Peter Ferguson, a well-known Raligh resident, is very low with ill-

Miss Emma Hall has returned to London after visiting her brother Harry, and Mrs. Kemp, Second street. E. & D. Bicycles and some ladies' and gents' second-hand wheels for sale at this office. sale at this office.

John Gilligan cut the first finger off his left hand this morning. Dr. Tye dressed the wound. John Piggott & Sons are enlarging their offices and are at present occu-pying temporary quarters across the

Chatham Encampment, No. 10, I. O. O. F., will hold a special meeting this evening for the purpose of conferring

At the police court this morning Patrick Kennedy pleaded guilty to striking Alex. Cunningham and was assessed \$1 and costs.

At next week's sitting of the High Court at Orangeville before Chancel-lor Boyd is a drainage case, Rayfield vs. Amarant Township, which the Chancellor declines to try. It has been referred to Referee Rankin.

Official Drainage Referee Rankin will try the case of Russell Township vs. Mountain Township et al. at Cornwall, on the 22nd inst. This case involves a \$77,000 drainage scheme in the counties of Dundas, Russell and Stormont.

H. S. Clements, of this city, has let the contract for the building of a gasoline launch. The boat will be 26 feet long, have six feet beam and be able to make from 8 to ten miles per hour. The models for the boat were prepared by Mr. Partridge, of Detroit. This summer Mr. Clemens expects to have the neatest thing in boats on the river.

A TROUBLESOME BAR The Owen left at Sunday noon for Walkerville, but being unable to get across the bar at the mouth of the river returned to Chatham, yesterday morning, but left port last night again. The W. S. Ireland, unable to get across the bar, returned to Chatham this morning.

MADE A RUN OF IT.

Samuel Sidddell, an old offender, was charged at this morning's police court with the larceny of a watch from the person of Wm. Bonnett on Saturday last. Bonnett claimed that he was walking with the prisoner when the latter snatched the ticker and made a run of it. The case was enlarged till Monday.

AN INJUSTICE.

"The water commissioners did a serious injustice to the landlords," said Judge Houston this morning, "when they resolved to charge the water rates of the tenants against them. It would be as fair to charge the tenants' gas bills or even butcher bills against them. What the commissioners should do is to turn the water off when the rate is not paid."

FIFTY-FIVE YEARS MARRIED. Mr. and Mrs. Barnatus Wemp, King street east, celebrated the fifty-fifth annistreet east, celebrated the fifty-fifth anniversary of their marriage at their residence on Tuesday afternoon. There were present:

—Dr. Wm. Wemp, Orford, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. James Wemp and family, Dover; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Wemp and child, Lacroix street; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wemp and child and Mr. and Mrs. George Wemp and child, of Dover; Mr. and Mrs. George Bartlett and Miss Scott, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. B. Wemp were married in the and Mrs. B. Wemp were married in the County of Addington in 1846 and came from Amherst Island to this county in 1861 and resided in the Township of Dover until '85, resided in the Township of Dover until '85, when they took up ther residence in this city. There has only been one death in the family in the last half' century, the eldest daughter who died many years ago, and Mr. Wemp lost a brother who was killed in the St. George railway accident. Mr. Wemp is seventy-one and The Planet joins with their friends and relatives in wishing them the pleasure of these happy family gatherings for many

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Colesberg, April 10 .- An intelligence officer stationed at Petrusville was threatened by Commandant Hertzog with death, by shooting, in the event of his being caught. The officer subsequently accompanied the troops in the Orange River Colony, and was captured at Jagersfontein, tried, and sentenced to death by Hertzog. He was kept waiting until the sentence was confirmed by De Wet. He was then made to witness the digging of his own grave. When the time came for his execution, he was told that he was let off, this time. The officer he was let off, this time. The officer was practically stripped of his cloth-ing, and then released.

GREAT THING FOR BOARDING HOUSES

Crowd Both Them and the Hotels.

The establishment of mineral baths n the Maple City, as contemplated and proosed by the Chatham Mineral Water Co., will be a valuable acquisition to the community. In addition to the excellent and unsurpassed adverisement which will accrue from such establishment it will be a practical asset to all the hotels and boarding houses within the corporation. This phase of prosperity can hardly be over-estimated. At Mt. Clemens during por ions of last season the tran-sient population was estimated at 6,-000 per day. There is no reason why, with full and elaborate mineral bath

equipment, the business of Chatham should not only equal but surpass this enviable record. The presence of thousands of wealthy visitors will make itself felt upon the commercial pulse of the community, it will in-augurate almost perpetual "good times," and it will be instrumental in promoting prosperity by leaps and bounds. Every citizen should do all in his power to encourage this splended project, because like Mount Clements it will turn almost every second building into a boarding house and bring hundreds of thousands of dol-lars annually to the city.

DEATH OF MRS. McNEILAGE.

There passed away this morning at her home in Chatham Township, after a short illness, Mary, relict of the late Donald McNeilage, in her 71st year. The deceased lady resided for many years in this city, where she was first married to Mr. McNichol, from which under the control of the control from which union two sons, John R., of Rochester, N. Y., and Alex., of Detroit, survive. The deceased was marof Chatham Township, the following of Chatham Township, the following children surviving:—W. D., Chat-ham; Mary I. and James, at home, and Allen, also of Chatham Township. The deceased was a native of Scot-land and resided in Chatham from '52 to '65. The funeral will take place on Friday at 2 p. m., from the home to McVicar's Cemetery.

DOMINION ASSOCIATION FORMED

Ottawa, April 9.—An association, to include all the leading gun clubs of Canada, was formed at a meeting held here last night after the end of the St. Huberta gun club tournament. The organization was named the Dominion of Canada Trap Shooting and Protective Game Association. Those present at the meeting from outside places included Dr. Overholt, T. Upton and C. Brigger, representing the Hamilton Gun Club, and Fred Westbrook, of the Brantford Gun Club. Col. Tilton presided. It ford Gun Club. Col. Thron presided. To was decided to hold an annual tournament, the first to take place at Ottawa about the middle of August next. At this tournament the Mail trophy will be put up for the collection of all the collections of the collection. for competition among teams of six men each. A constitution was adoptmen each. A constitution was adopted and officers elected as follows:—
President, W. Galbraith, Montreal; First Vice, Thomas A. Duff, Toronto; Second Vice, Dr. Overholt, Hamilton; Secretary. vice, Dr. Overhoit, Hamilton; Secretary-treasurer, A. W. Throop, Ottawa; Commit-tee, Fred Westbrook, Brantford; J. N. Deslaurier, Ottawa; J. Walton, Sherbrooke; W. H. Hayes, Ottawa; J. A. Thompson, Toronto; C. L. Panet, Ottawa: F. C. Eaton, Montreal.

Intending passengers for any Paci-fic Coast Points, including San Fran-cisco, Los Angeles, Seattle, Tacoma, Portland, Victoria or Vancouver, will consult their interests by calling on W. E. Rispin, general passenger and ticket agent, 115 King street, who will issue tickets to any of the above points on any Tuesday from now until the end of April at \$38.70 each.

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