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## PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet.  
Toronto, Nov. 12.—10 a. m.—Fair and mild, with occasional light showers.

**THE LOCAL BUDGET**

Leslie Shepley left to-day for Baltimore.

A. D. Bott, of Walkerville, was a Chatham visitor yesterday.

J. McCarty, of Tilbury, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Abroad of grain and pork broke down at the C. P. R. track on King St.

Wm. Leek ran a large splinter in his hand at Piggott's mill to-day.

O. L. Lewis was in Tilbury village to-day attending Division Court.

L. H. Shepley, of Dealton, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends.

Mrs. Simpson, who was injured by a L. E. & D. R. train yesterday, is doing nicely.

Colonel Young, of London, and Capt. Geo. Massey are enjoying a few days' quail shooting.

Headmaster Harry Morris, of the Lake Erie, was in the city yesterday on business.

Boy Chrysler, the well-known news agent, is seriously ill with typhoid fever at his home.

Miss Nellie Mayhew, of Thamesville, was the guest of Miss Maud Marshall yesterday.

W. Turner, of the Bell Telephone Company has returned from a business trip to Dresden.

W. D. McAlpine, inspector for the Canadian Saving Company of London, was in the city to-day on business.

Joseph Jewell, of Dover, has purchased Joseph Gore's McCreary farm on the 6th concession, Dover. The price paid was \$2,750.

Wm. Chrysler and J. R. Reid have purchased the bankrupt stock of E. M. Coyne at a rate on the dollar, and will be opened on Saturday.

The firemen had a show run to Seap's back last evening. The cause of the alarm was a badly burning chimney. No damage was incurred.

Frank Tschirhart found a piece of money yesterday with an engraving of Queen Victoria's head on one side and of Napoleon Bonaparte's on the other.

Mrs. O. S. Sheldon and daughter, Miss Dorothy, left to-day for New Mexico. They will spend a few days at Mount Clemens and at Kansas City, on the way.

Jacob Sparks has received the contract for the erection of a new residence and office for Dr. Hayes, of Wallaceburg. J. L. Wilson & Son are the architects.

Miss Keizer, of Chatham Township, brought a beautiful red poppy into this office to-day. It is a phenomenon at this time of the year, as poppies grow in spring.

The debating society of S. S. No. 1, Harwich, met last evening, when the following debate was given, "Resolved that the man behind the plow does more for civilization than the man behind the gun," the negative winning out. The sides were led by Neil Maynard, affirmative, and J. Houston negative. It was decided to hold their annual concert this year in December.

Court McGregor, No. 6, I. O. F., held a very successful basket assembly in the I. O. F. Auditorium last evening. Fritchard's orchestra furnished music for the dancing, which was kept up until a very late hour. The ball was under the direction of the following committee: Reception—L. A. Cummings, D. Podge, J. Vanstone, G. Flater, A. Keely, O. Papp, W. T. Simpson, D. H. Diamond, J. Glover, J. Goldberg; floor managers, E. Stanton, P. Trudell, Pete Dezelski, R. Shaw, T. Wilcox, and H. A. McLeod.

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Miss Jean Aldis left last night for Chicago.

Jumbo night shirts, sizes 14 1/2 to 18 1/2, at The 2 T's.

W. Spentall spent yesterday with friends in Dresden.

J. Jeffs, of Dresden, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

W. L. Underwood, of London, was a visitor in Chatham to-day.

R. Doyle, Washburn trainmaster from St. Thomas, was in Chatham to-day.

Lewis Bates, Detroit, is visiting his brother, William Bates, Taylor Ave.

J. M. Boyle, of Guy Bros. Miners, was in the city yesterday.

County Commissioner Rycraft and Warden Rankin were in the city to-day.

Sam Kennan, of the G. T. R. offices left to-day to attend the funeral of his niece in London. His niece was the little daughter of E. H. Johnson, a prominent lawyer of London.

The 15 year old lad fined for using bad language on the streets was released to-day. His mother paid the fine, which was a dollar and costs, \$7.25 in all.

**NEW STORE**

Mrs. Weldon, proprietress of Chatham's fancy goods store, has moved from the Taft Block to her new premises, in A. I. McCall's old stand.

Mrs. Weldon is one of Chatham's most energetic business women and the stock she carries in her store is of the very best procurable.

A short time ago she started a woman's exchange in the Taft Block and has since succeeded in building up a lucrative business. She has now enlarged her stock and in her new store she will conduct a fancy goods trade.

She has now been in her new quarters for about a week and is still busily engaged in straightening up her stock in preparation for the late fall business. She will now handle all kinds of fancy goods, souvenirs, ladies' and children's wear, corsets, wools, etc. A specialty will be made of children's wear, of which a beautiful array will be found to choose from.

Mrs. Weldon is well deserving of the patronage she receives and it is generally believed that her business will continue to grow and expand.

**WANTED.**

WANTED—A good hotel girl. Apply to F. Merrill, Merrill House.

GIRL WANTED—Apply Grand Central Hotel.

WANTED—Girl for housework, also a nurse girl about 17. Mrs. A. D. Westman.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. A. W. Thornton, Wellington St. West.

**FOR SALE OR TO RENT.**

FOR SALE—A few good farms, also some desirable houses and lots in the city at low prices and easy terms of payment. Apply to J. A. Walker, Barrister, King Street.

HOUSE FOR SALE—Mrs. Shackleton has a house and lot on King Street East for sale, cheap, and on monthly payments. There is 1-4 acre of land and a fine orchard. Apply to 113 King Street.

TO RENT—Two hundred acres, Lot 18 and 19, Second Con., Harwich, 150 acres clear, balance in bush and pasture, 18 acres wheat in ground, good house and buildings. Possession given at once. Terms easy. Apply to A. H. Patterson, Quinn & Patterson, hardware Merchants Chatham.

FOR SALE—That desirable house and lot, with all modern conveniences, situated corner Adelaide and Water street, with beautiful lawns extending from Water street to water's edge; everything pertaining to same in first class order. A desirable place for small family. Apply to H. Clements.

TO LOAN—Private, trust and company funds to loan at lowest rates, with terms to suit. Apply to S. B. Arnold, Barrister, Fifth street.

**Gibson's Studio**

Has been removed over A. I. McCall's Drug Store, Cor. King and 5th Streets. Entrance King Street.

**Mrs. J. E. Weldon**

Has removed her stock of

**Wools and Fancy Goods**

to the store lately occupied by A. I. McCall & Co. and next to Malcolmson's Grocery.

Mrs. J. E. Weldon, King St.

**GRABBED HAT**

Student W. E. Cruickshank did Not Wish to Leave any Evidence.

Toronto, Nov. 12.—The row between the medical students and the police on Halloween is being investigated. Several Chatham boys were in the crowd.

The investigation into the charge brought by Dr. Reye and the medical faculty of the University of Toronto against the police of rough treatment of the medical students on Halloween, was opened before the police commissioners with the exception of Mayor Howland, who was absent.

Lieut. Col. Grissett, chief of the police, was also present in the interests of the force.

The purpose of the evidence was that the students to the number of 400 or so had been entertained to a dinner on Halloween by Dr. Reye in the University gymnasium building.

When it was over, about 11 p. m. those who lived in the east-end of the city, where most of them live, started by two on the fourth side of College street. They were singing college songs and occasionally indulging in a college yell.

At the corner of University Ave. Sergt. Goulding and three mounted men were stationed. The sergeant said to them, "Now boys, you had better go along more quietly and not have any trouble."

This the sergeant swore was all he intended to say or do to them, when a stone was suddenly thrown and struck him on the left arm. Thereupon he said, "Come now you will be to clear the street," which he proceeded to do, followed by the other mounted men.

The evidence of the subsequent proceedings was to the effect that the mounted men rode the boys down on the sidewalk, and even in the Conservatory of Music lawn, chasing them hither and thither and striking them with rawhide whips, although they offered no resistance and had not previously abused the police. No arrests were attempted to be made.

Several students swore to having been struck with the whips, and some to having been struck by the fists of one or two dismounted men, who were also on the corner. A number of the students complained to Dr. Reye, who remonstrated with Sergt. Goulding, but not until the students had been thoroughly scattered did the police assist.

Among those who testified to having been assaulted by the police was President G. E. Wilson, of the University medical faculty, who swore that he was first struck by a policeman on the cheek without any warning, however, and immediately afterwards received a blow from a man's fist on a broken rib. Nothing was said by the policeman, and no attempt was made to arrest him.

The Mail-Enterprise gives this account of the evidence of W. E. Cruickshank, a Chatham boy:—

HAD EXPERIENCE IN SCRAP.

W. E. Cruickshank, a tall, red-headed student of cheerful visage, furnished no little amusement by the unintentional humor of his narrative. When the police charged upon them at College and University streets he was almost ridden over, and either stumbled or was ridden down. In the melee his hat fell off and he grabbed it in an effort to leave anything by which he could be identified.

—Laughter. In doing so he got a bat over the side of the head. Judge McDougall—Who struck you?

Mr. Cruickshank—"Oh, ask me."

—Laughter.

"It was a policeman, however," he Judge McDougall—Did you see any arrests made?

Mr. Cruickshank—I didn't wait. I cleared out at once. I was in a scrap with the S. P. S. a year ago, and had a rib broken, and made up my mind that I would be caught in no more.—Laughter.

Lieut. Col. Denison—Why did you object to your hat being found, if you had not been doing anything out of the way?

Mr. Cruickshank—Excuse me, gentlemen, I have been a reporter and I know what the police say after these things happen.—Laughter.

OTHERS WHO WERE STRUCK.

Other students who swore to having been struck without offering resistance, and without any attempt to resist them, were E. T. Jessop, J. D. Sproule, (who said he was also seized by a policeman and thrown to the ground), W. J. Sheridan, Wm. Brown, F. W. Hall, son of Dr. W. R. Hall, Chatham, Wm. Eccles, F. W. Stevenson and Chas. Hurburt.

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OUR GROCER  
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**AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE**

Andrew Thomson, Jr., has received instructions to sell all the furniture, etc., on Thursday, Nov. 13th, at one o'clock, at the residence, corner of Gray and Raleigh streets, consisting of the following:

One parlor suit, consisting of six pieces; 24 yards of parlor carpet, velvet; one easy rocker, one small table, one brass lamp, 6 pictures and frames, cushions, rugs; one pair chenille curtains, two pairs of lace curtains, one oak stand and cover, one cane rocker, one mahogany upholstered, one mahogany rocker, leather, one yellow rocker, one child rocker, one easel and picture one mantle clock, one side table and drape, seven pictures and frames, hall carpet, hall lamp, one bedroom suit, three pieces, toilet set, spring and mattress, 25 yards tapestry carpet, one secretary, one drop-head sewing machine nearly new, one extension table, one lamp, 3 chairs, one baby buggy, three pictures, curtains and blinds, one refrigerator, rag carpet, one range, coal or wood; dishes and glassware; hall table, five chairs, four lamps, silverware, coal stove, good order, with oven; wood stove, one bedroom suit, three pieces, ash, mattress and spring, 12 yards of carpet, toilet set, one oak bedroom suit, 3 pcs, a beauty; mattress and spring, 4 pairs of curtains, 4 blinds, one toilet set, one rocker and cushion, bedding, and other articles too numerous to mention, all will be sold, no reserve. Remember day and date, Thursday, November 13th, one o'clock.

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Men's hard and soft felt hats, worth \$2.00 and \$2.50, Sale Price \$1.00.

Men's white and colored shirts, slightly soiled, worth \$1.00 and \$1.25, Sale Price 69c.

Men's and Boys' fine shoes, some patent leathers worth \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00, Sale Price \$1.98.

Men's and Young Men's suits and overcoats, worth \$10.00, Sale Price \$6.98

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I. Women's long wraps, in Oxford grey or black, with self-collar, bell sleeve, with and without flounce, trimmed with satin, lined throughout with fine grade of mercerized satin. \$13.50

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

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

IV. 42 inch jackets of fawn or black broadcloth, tight fitting back, double breasted, body lined, neatly stitched, velvet collar, bell sleeve. \$8.50

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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

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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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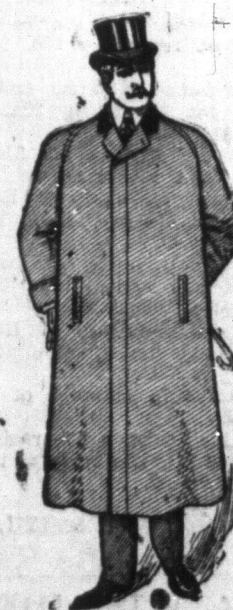


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