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PROBABILITIES.

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Toronto, Nov. 7.—11 a. m.—Moderate variable winds, cloudy, scattered showers of sleet to-night. Tuesday, fresh northwest winds, cloudy to fair and continued cold.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

R. F. Sutherland, M. P., North Essex, was in the city Sunday.

W. McK. Messer, of McCall's drug store, spent Sunday with friends in Essex.

Bugle Band Minstrels Wednesday night—funny men and a great singing party.

Mrs. H. C. Layman and Mrs. J. A. Halliday, of Merlin, are guests in the city to-day.

Misses Mabel Austin and Lulu Collier, of Blenheim, are visiting in the Maple City.

E. B. Northwood, Chatham's popular prode dealer, is receiving the congratulations of his many friends to-day, over the birth of a little daughter.

Harry Jordan, who has been spending a few days at his home here has returned to Toronto, where he is attending the Canadian Horological Institute.

All with the Bugle Band Minstrels, Wednesday night—Famous Tinkers' Chorus, the Black Dora, Flora, Will Wilson and Octette, Chrysler and Shepard, the Big Indian act.

J. W. and Neil Smith, of Stewart, are guests at the Garner House to-day. Neil returns to-day to the Dental College, Toronto, after spending a few days at his home.

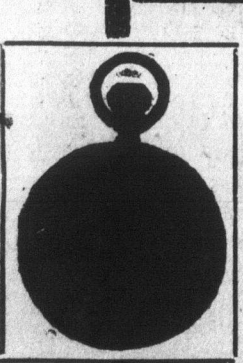
Warren Martin was called to Reed City, Mich. last week, owing to the serious illness of his son-in-law, F. Short. Mr. Short is seriously ill, but his Chatham friends hope for his speedy recovery.

Carlyle Camp, 82, Sons of Scotland, have secured the following artists for a concert to be given on the evening of Nov. 30, in the Grand Opera House: Flora McIlvion Craig, soprano; Donald McGregor; Owen A. Smiley, elocutionist; Pipe Major Beaton, and the Duncan Sisters, Highland dancers. This is the best Scotch talent that has ever been secured for a Scotch concert in this city.

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VONGUNTEN BROS.

BRITAIN'S STANDING ARMY.

Opposition Leader Says It Should Not Be Raised and Colonies Should Provide Their Own.

London, Nov. 7.—(C.A.P.)—Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, criticizing Britain's military expenditure at Edinburgh, said the standing army should not be raised. If any country, colony or dependency required an additional force for its own purposes let it be done as its own affair at its own charge.

Sir Henry, speaking on fiscal affairs, said protection went like a mauler under an assumed name, such as "retaliation" or "free trade," whilst others resort to jugglery and evasion. Mr. Chaplin had honestly proved that a colonial preference involves taxation of food.

Our Apples On View.

London, Nov. 7.—(C.A.P.)—A fine display of Nova Scotian apples and other fruit has again been arranged for at the Canadian Court in the Crystal Palace—the British Columbia fruit which recently gained the Horticultural Society's gold medal being transferred to the Palace. An exhibit is also coming from Ontario.

Glasgow Herald's View.

London, Nov. 7.—(C.A.P.)—Though expecting a Laurier victory in the Canadian election the Glasgow Herald is surprised at the increased Liberal majority, and says the Conservatives expected to gain considerably over the Dundonald incident and in (loyal) Ontario, not only from the moribund condition of the Ross Government, but by the diplomatic use as election material of the solidarity of the French vote and the strength of French influence at Ottawa. It thinks the Government gained support by its liberality in giving Canadian producers benefits under the G.T.P. contracts. It says there is no denying the Laurier party has shown a strong disposition towards the prospects of protectionism and that the promise to revise the tariff is generally understood to mean an increase in some of its schedules.

Give Colonies Peersages.

London, November 7.—(C. A. P.)—Professor Lodge of the chair of history, Edinburgh University, speaking at Glasgow, said more life peerages ought to be created to include as many as possible eminent colonial politicians who could be induced to return to the Mother Country.

Kensington to Blame.

London, Nov. 7.—(C.A.P.)—The Admiralty Court has found the Dominion liner Kensington solely to blame for the collision with the barquentine Kodan, off St. Pierre, on the Bank of Newfoundland, on July 4. The Kodan became water-logged and became a menace to shipping and was set on fire.

Britain and Argentine Cattle.

London, Nov. 7.—(C.A.P.)—In consequence of the disappearance of the foot and mouth disease from the Argentine, the republic has addressed pressing demands to Great Britain with a view to the re-opening of the ports to Argentine cattle.

Prince to Go Round World.

London, Nov. 7.—(C.A.P.)—Reynolds' newspaper professes to have information that the Prince of Wales is in ill health and will shortly start on another voyage "around the world," when Canada will be visited.

"Unmitigated Frisbeed."

London, Nov. 7.—(C.A.P.)—Lord Knollys, the King's private secretary, denied the statement that the Prince of Wales is in ill-health as an unmitigated and mischievous falsehood.

Hope For Canada Yet.

London, Nov. 7.—The Newcastle Chamber of Commerce has resolved to co-operate with the Glasgow Chamber in the matter of having the act of 1896, prohibiting all free importation of live Canadian cattle into the United Kingdom, reconsidered.

To Be Tried By Judge.

Berlin, Nov. 7.—Charles Sach, the hood boy, charged with manslaughter in having killed his sister, Mary Sach, by shooting on Oct. 24, was arraigned before Judge Chisholm Saturday morning and elected to be tried by the judge rather than by jury. Barrister H. J. Sims appeared for the prisoner, and Crown Attorney Bowley for the Crown. The trial was fixed for Friday, Nov. 18, at 10 a.m. The prisoner will not be fourteen years old until Nov. 19, and the code provides that in the case of a prisoner under that age being charged with manslaughter the Crown must establish that the accused was competent to know the consequences of his conduct and to appreciate that it was wrong.

Shot His Own Father.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 7.—Edward Howard was shot and instantly killed yesterday by his son Arthur, aged 21 years, while the elder man had his wife and daughter pinned to the floor by their throats. Howard was so holding them when Arthur came in. He secured a revolver and caught his father by the shoulders. As the father turned the revolver was discharged accidentally. Arthur and his mother insist. Howard died and the young man is under arrest.

Str. Germanic Burned.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 7.—The steamer Germanic, owned by Hutchinson & Co. of Cleveland, and valued at \$45,000, was burned to the water's edge yesterday, in the St. Clair River. The Germanic had been aground since Friday morning, and was loaded with 2,000 tons of soft coal.

Steel Ties For Railway.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 7.—Lake Shore Railroad officials have placed an order for 7,000 steel ties to be used as an experiment, probably on eastern terminals of the road at Buffalo.

Crown Princess Dead.

Mont. Nov. 7.—The Crown Princess and her husband died Saturday night.

TO INVESTIGATE

Mysterious Circumstances Surround the Death of John Pigeon—An Inquest Ordered

A couple of weeks ago John Pigeon, and Simon Thibodeau, Chatham township, went out duck shooting at Bear Creek with fatal results. Pigeon was killed having received the charge from a shot gun full in the face. Particulars of the affair were very meagre. Thibodeau claimed that Pigeon had been killed by the accidental discharge of his own gun. The gun, however, was missing.

The Crown Attorney, H. D. Smith, thought that there were several things in connection with the shooting which were worth investigating. He also gave orders that Pigeon's gun, which was missing, should be secured. The gun was found Saturday and the Crown Attorney at once ordered an inquest. There are several facts in connection with the affair which the neighbors desire cleared up and it is only fair to Pigeon's companion on that day that the mystery should be probed.

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Mr. Robertson succeeded at Turner's by A. D. Campbell, of Barrie, who has recently been working in Wallaceburg. Mr. Campbell is a 1904 graduate from Pharmacy School and is a thoroughly competent man.

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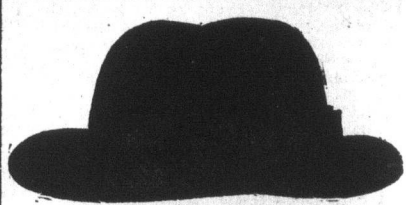
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