The Planet

S. STEPHENSON, Proprietor.

REGISTER.

Every male British subject, who is twenty-one years of age, has resided in the Province of Ontario one year, and in Chatham three months prior to October 15, is entitled to register at the sittings for registration, which will epen in this city on the above-named date, and thereby secure his right to vote for a representative from this constituency in the Commons, in the election to take place on November 7.

Chathamites, whose names may not have been placed upon the Provincial Voters' Lists, should not neglect to attend at the sessions for registration, which will last only three days—October 15, 17 and 20—and thereby protect their rights and help to relieve Canada of the rule of the pledge-breakers.

HERE IN THE WEST.

The Ridgetown Dominion this week publishes a terse and accurate summing up of political prospects in this Peninsula. It points out that news from reliable sources is favorable to a big political change here in the western peninsula. The Liberals are safe only the West Elgin and South Middlesex hives, and possibly in West Lambton. Beattie, Ingram and Clancy are certain to hold London, East Elgin and Bothwell. In Kent everything is going Smith's way, and even prominent South Essex Liberals admit that Lew. Wigle will do up Cowan. With the party re-united, as it is now, North Essex will elect a Conservative. In North Middlesex Mr. Sherritt is slated to defeat Valentine Ratz. This time there will be no third party candidate in East Lambton and it will return to the Conservative fold. Mr. Dunlop is just as able and a more popular man than Mr. Calvert in West Middlesex, and we have the best assurances from men who know the riding thoroughly that he will be elected. Thus it will be seen that all the hysterical shouting about a solid west for Laurier is so much moonshine. The Liberals are going to sure defeat and this peninsula is going to help do the job.

MR. RANKIN'S APPOINTMENT.

THE PLANET, in its news columns yesterday, recorded the visit of Lieut.-Col. Holmes, commanding officer of the militia in this district, and through him was enabled to give the first publication of the draft of prospective officers, as slated by the Department.

There is one appointment which will give universal and especial satisfaction. In the selection of J. B. Rankin, B. A., Q. C., as Commanding Officer of the Battalion, a wise choice has been made, and one which will receive the hearty endorsation of all who have the interests of the re-organized regiment at heart. Major Rankin has been the main promoter of the present project, and the most earnest worker for its consummation. He is a gentleman thoroughly conversant with all the intricacies of the military system, and has had exceptional success therein. His experience covers graduation as a member of the 60th Rifles, Toronto, and service with the Queen's Own, 32nd Bruce Battalion, 24th Kent Battalion, and 27th Lambton Battalion.

Mr. Rankin's appointment will ensure the success of the organization. His presence in command will give an increased prestige to and confidence in the project, which signifies so much to Kent County. It means that the Battalion will get our best officers and recruits; that it will be conducted on the highest principles, and that it will prove a source of true pride and unbounded satisfaction to the entire community.

Yes, it is a very proper enquiry. What has become of Sir Wilfrid's royal commission which was to investigate the election frauds of the past? Nobody seems to have heard anything of the commission since it was appointed. Like Sir Wilfrid's other pledges, this has failed to materialize to be of any service in the approaching general election. It would seem that Tarte-Laurier & Co. can be relied on—to break faith.

In commenting editorially on the definite fixing of the date of the elections, the Globe says that the Liberal party "will leave nothing undone to secure a victory." The Globe is more than usually candid. We had hoped that with the West Huron and Brockville election frauds and disreputable methods still fresh in the minds of the electors, it might have been deemed advisable to partially muzzle the machine.

"There is no principle in the theory of responsible government more vital to its right working than that parties shall take their stand on the prominent questions of the day, and mount to office or resign it, through the success or failure of principles to which they are attached. This is the great safeguard for the public against clap-trap professions, and when strictly enforced it makes men seriously consider ere they commit themselves on leading questions. If a public man can hold one set of principles out of office, another set in office, responsible government is a farce."—Hon. George Brown.

BLOOD

We live by our blood, and on it. We thrive or starve, as our blood is rich or poor.

There is nothing else to live on or by.

When strength is full and spirits high, we are being refreshed, bone muscle and brain, in body and mind, with continual flow of rich blood. This is health.

When weak, in low spirits, no cheer, no spring, when rest is not rest and sleep is not sleep, we are starved; our blood is poor; there is little nutriment in it.

Back of the blood, is food, to keep the blood rich. When it fails, take Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil. It sets the whole body going again—man woman and child.

We'll send you a little to try, if you like.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto.

Smith, Clancy, and Victory!

Your first duty is to register.

Yes, it's quite time for a change.

The government has fixed the date, but the date will fix the government.

Every day adds new recruits to the followers of Mayor Smith—the peoples' candidate.

If the demands of the contest require Tarte's presence in Quebec, why not have Bourassa and Monet, his able lieutenants, visit Ontario?

Perhaps the perusal of the open letter of H. H. Cook, his political colleague, may influence Ald. Stephens to gracefully abandon his hopeless position.

Now let the Conservatives give four weeks of hard work to the campaign, and they will repeat the history of 1878.

While confident of victory, the Liberal-Conservatives must yet work as if everything depended upon polling the last vote for the party.

Yes, we have good times in Canada. And that Canada has so largely shared in the prevailing prosperity is due in great measure to the statesmen who fostered our industries and developed our great transcontinental railway system. Without our factories and rail and water-ways where would Canada appear in the progress of nations? Had the Liberal views triumphed Canada would not to-day possess the facilities she enjoys, enables her to reap the harvest of good times.

"The record of our party, while it has been in power under its present leaders, is one long, shameful story of promises unfulfilled and pledges broken; of reckless extravagance; of jobbery and corruption; and of utterly disgraceful betrayal of every principle for which as a party we have stood. For the purpose of securing themselves in office the men who have been entrusted with positions of leadership have brought disgrace upon our party and dishonor upon the name of Liberalism."—Mr. H. H. Cook, ex-M. P. (Liberal candidate in East Simcoe at the last election.)

The quality of Carling's Ale is its chiefest recommendation. It is at all times pure, sound and thoroughly aged. Bottled only at the brewery, and at agencies operated directly by the Company.

CARLING LONDON

Cook's Cotton Root Compound

Is successfully used monthly by over 10,000 Ladies. Safe, effectual. Ladies ask your druggist for Cook's Cotton Root Compound. Take no other, as all Mixtures, pills and imitations are dangerous. Price, No. 1, $1 per box; No. 2, 10 degrees stronger, $3 per box. No. 1 or 2, mailed on receipt of price and two 3-cent stamps. The Cook Company Windsor, Ont.

Nos. 1 and 2 sold and recommended by all responsible Druggists in Canada.

No. 1 and No. 2 sold in Chatham at Central Drug Store. C. H. Gunn & Co

Why should you not vote for George Stephens?—The Banner.

There are many reasons, and The Planet would willingly give them to its doubting, meditating and questioning contemporary. But information on this matter from a political friend would doubtless be more acceptable than the arguments of an opponent. The Planet would therefore suggest to its bewildered contemporary the advisability of publishing the letter of Mr. H. H. Cook, ex-M. P., Liberal candidate in East Simcoe at the last election, and counsel a study of its contents. It will furnish an adequate response to the Banner's query.

TARTE MUST GO.

Hamilton Spectator.

The Laurier government does not put Tarte out of the cabinet. But the Conservative party has undertaken the job.

WINNING COLORS.

Toronto News.

Khaki is a winning color in Britain, but greenbacks are quite as popular in Canada.

THEIR COMRADES' VERDICT.

Hamilton Spectator.

Five thousand young men are to be registered in this city to say whether they approve of feeding their brave comrades in Africa on Borden's Dog Biscuit.

MORE CAMPAIGNING FOR THEM.

St. Thomas Times.

Laurier and Borden cannot escape their soldier victims. A few hundred of them are on the sea now, and will be here in time to tell the story of the dog biscuit, and to use ballots as they have been using bullets—against the enemies of their country.

A BIBLICAL LESSON.

London Free Press.

When Joseph was adviser to the King they stored up in the years of plenty against the years of famine. The Grit policy in Canada is to spend every dollar and levy additional debt in the years of plenty, leaving the future to take care of itself. Joseph displayed the better wisdom.

ANOTHER GLOBE BLUFF.

Toronto World.

The Globe yesterday denied that Hon. James Sutherland, minister without portfolio in the Cabinet of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, had written a letter to an official of a political organization to the effect that Roman Catholics would not be put in nomination for fear of awakening the suspicion of Protestant Ontario. The Globe is bluffing. The letter is in existence, and may have to speak for itself. It is marked "Private," but was written in an official capacity, to be shown around among those upon whom it was intended to have an effect. It has been so passed around, and in a considerable way. The World's information regarding it is definite.

MR. COOK'S ARRAIGNMENT.

Hamilton Herald, Independent.

There are no new charges in the severe arraignment of the Laurier government which has appeared over the signature of H. H. Cook, ex-M. P. They have all been heard from Conservative platforms and read in Conservative journals many times. But the force of this new utterance comes from the facts that Mr. Cook is a life-long Liberal, has fought the battles of the party, has sat in parliament as a Liberal representative, and claims to be a true and consistant Liberal still. That such a man, on the eve of a general election, has deemed it to be his duty to publicly denounce the Laurier government as being recreant to Liberal principles and as having betrayed its trust and violated its pledges, is a matter of serious import. And the worst of it is that very much of what Mr. Cook charges is true. Liberals cannot deny it.

What is Your Favorite Color?

Women are learning to develop themselves and their virtues and their talents by means of colors. The various colors are said to have a wonderful influence over emotional natures.

For instance, the timid girl will show you her room all draped in bright scarlet. She will have the brightest shades of red obtainable all about her; her gowns will be red, and her reading lamp, even, shade with it. When you ask her the reason for this she will tell you that it is because red is the courage color.

The hypersensitive creature with great, far-seeing eyes and a collection of books on spiritism and psychis, will always manage to surround herself with hues of violet and purple. This is the psychic color, and she determines to develop her psychic faculties by having a great deal of it about her.

The literary maid has also her color. She will tell you that she cannot write with proper enthusiasm without being surrounded by yellow, and plenty of it.

Green is the color for hope, blue for truth, and white for purity. The up-to-date maid has the symbolic list at her fingers' ends, and her own apartment is sure to display the result of her recent divings into color lore.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

The Habit of Generosity.

George William Childs believed that the habit of generosity should be cultivated as other habits are, and said: "I have often felt that it is a great mistake to put off being generous until you are dead. In the first place, you lose the pleasure of witnessing the good that you may do; and, again, no one can administer your gifts for you as well as you can do it yourself. It is a great pleasure to be brought into personal relations of that kind, and to make people feel that you are not a philanthropist in the abstract, but that you are interested in them personally, and care for their welfare. In that way you benefit them, not merely in a natural way, but you make them feel that men are really brothers, and that they were made to help one another. Not only is that feeling agreeable in itself, but it will be apt to prompt them to carry out the principle themselves. Put yourself into all you do, and let others feel that you are there. Do not only contribute to a charitable object, but go yourself and help. It may seem an inconvenience at first, but soon you will come to consider it worth any inconvenience."

How to Use Lemon Juice.

Lemon juice is the most healthful acid for the system, but an authority says that it should not be taken in its natural state, as it is too strong for the stomach. A good way to prepare lemons is to take two dozen and roll each one separately on a smooth, hard surface until it is quite soft; then cut off the end and with a dull knife scrape out all the juice and pulp. Strain this carefully through a thin cloth; then make the juice almost thick with sugar, bottle in glass, using a cork stopper, and stand in a cool place. It will keep a long time, and to make a glass of fresh lemonade you have only to put in a tumbler of cold water enough of the sugared acid to suit the taste.

SETTLERS' EXCURSION.

Low rate Settlers' Excursions, Oct. 2-16, from Chicago to points in Minnesota, Dakota, Montana, Washington, Kootenai District, Vancouver and North Pacific Coast points, via Chicago and Northwestern R'y. Best service, quick time. For full information, apply to nearest ticket agent or address B. H. Bennett, 2 King street East, Toronto Ont. 29-6-13

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

THE FALL FAIRS.

Moravian town, Oct. 17 to 19.
Orford, Highgate, Oct. 12 and 13.
Wallaceburg—At Wallaceburg, Oct. 17th.
Moravian Indian Fair—At Moravian-town, October 16th, 17th, 18th and 19th.

—You never read of such cures elsewhere as those accomplished by Hood's Sarsaparilla, did you? It is America's Greatest Medicine.

WANTED

WANTED—At once at the C. P. R. Hotel, first and second Cook. 101

GIRL WANTED—Must be a good cook, in a family of two. Highest wages. Apply at this Office.

GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Apply to Mrs. R. J. Gardiner, Wellington Street.

GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Apply to Mrs. P. S. Coate, Riverside Terrace. 101

WANTED—Married man, experienced in farm work to take charge and work my farm. Apply to G. W. Kelly, Queen St. South. tf

WANTED GOOD GIRL—No washing, ironing or sweeping. Apply to Mrs. Thomas, Canadian Bank of Commerce. 101

COOK WANTED—At Tecumseh House, Walsingburg. Apply to T. Bourassa, 92 Earth St., Chatham, or apply at hotel. 101

WANTED RELIABLE MEN—In every locality throughout Canada to introduce our goods, tacking up show-cards on trees, fences, along roads, and all conspicuous places, also distributing small advertising matter. Commission or salary $60.00 per month and expenses not to exceed $2.50 per day. Steady employment to good, honest reliable men. No experience needful. Write for full particulars.
The EMPIRE MEDICINE Co., London, Ont.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—75 Lorne Avenue. Apply to W. H. Nichol, King St.

HOUSE TO LET—A comfortable and commodious brick cottage on Wellington St. West, with stable, porches and windows, also window screens etc., good well and cistern. Matthew Wilson. 101

TO RENT—The blacksmith shop and contents situated at the corner of the 5th concession and Lower Town Line. Possession at once. Apply to Dungah Post Office, or at Planet.

FOR RENT—That large and conveniently located private residence on Grant Street, formerly the homestead of Mr. Rufus Stephenson. City and soft water. Rent very moderate. Possession given on and after 1st November next. Apply to Mr. Stephenson, Victoria Ave., tf

FOR SALE—House and premises, including garden and orchard, corner Victoria Avenue and Forest Street, Chatham, occupied by the family of the late Robert O'Hara, Esq. Apply to Miss R. O'Hara, Executrix. 1mo

HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT—A 7 room cottage on Park Ave., with all modern improvements, good well, cistern, etc., with either one or two acres of land. Terms moderate. Apply to
JAMES CARSWELL, Architect.
122-tf

$500—Will buy one and a half acres on Victoria Avenue, $400 will buy 6 Lots in one block on Maple Street. Apply at Planet Office.

FOR SALE—Grocery business, in live country place, will be sold at a bargain, best of reasons for selling. Address "J" Planet Office. tf

SEVEN LOTS FOR SALE—One on Victoria Avenue and six on Maple Street. For full particulars apply to
S. STEPHENSON, Plane Office.
tf

LOTS FOR SALE—One and one-half acres at the head of Victoria Avenue, and six lots on Maple Street. Apply to,
MRS. TISSIMAN,
196 tf Victoria Avenue or the Planet Office

TWO HOUSES FOR SALE—Corner Harvey and Lacroix Sts., fine gardens attached to each, city water. About eight minutes walk from Post Office. Apply to
LOUIS STANIEWICZ,
268-tf Planet Office.

FARM FOR SALE OR RENT—Being N. W. Lot 17, Con. 13, West Bear Line, Dover East, containing 100 acres—95 acres tillable land, about 60 acres meadow 12½ acres in wheat. Well drained and fenced. Good frame house, barn 36x72, stable, granary and good cow stable and other out buildings. Three artesian wells power mill on barn. For terms, etc., apply to,
WM. TROTTER,
Wallace ngx8

YOU will confer a favor by telling the advertiser you saw his announcement in the Planet.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

1900--Dominion Elections--1900

Registration of Voters in the City of Chatham

Qualification—21 years of age, British male subject, resident in the Province one year, and in the city three months, prior to the first day's sitting of the Registrars.

Name.....

House Address.....

Business Address.....

Occupation.....

Fill out the above at once and send to or leave with Ward Stanworth, the Secretary, Odd Fellow's Temple, who will notify you when, and where to present yourself before the Registrar's, to have your name entered in the official voters' list.

Chatham's Millinery Store

We Have Just Received

A new assortment of Wings, black, gray and brown, in the three sizes, large black birds and gray. New Ready-to-wear Hats in new shapes and colors.

We have studied the Millinery business so long that we know how to buy goods to suit the trade.

C. A. COOKSLEY, Opp. Market

THE PLANET

has a larger circulation . . than the combined . . . . . issues of any . . . .

Four Papers

. . in this county. An . . advertiser is guaranteed . that his anouncement . . . will reach nearly . . .

5000, Homes

. . If you are interested . . we shall be glad to quote . . . . . you rates. . . . . .

PLANET PUBLISHING HOUSE CHATHAM.

In the Surrogate Court of the County of Kent.

In the matter of the guardianship of Melvin Ray and Samuel Gordon Sloan, the infant sons of Samuel Sloan, late of the Township of Harwich, in the County of Kent, and Province of Ontario, farmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that after the expiration of twenty days from the first publication of this notice, application will be made to the Surrogate Court of the County of Kent, for a grant of Letters of Guardianship of the person and estate of the above named infants to Mary J. Sloan, of the said Township of Harwich, widow of the said Samuel Sloan, deceased.

Dated at Chatham this 26th day of September, A. D. 1900.

W. F. SMITH,
Solicitor for Applicant,
d21t Chatham, Ont.

FRESH PORK

Frankforts, Tenderloins and Sausages

For Saturday

At the Pork Packing House

F. Chaplin Opera House Block 'PHONE 240.

A DILEMMA.

Driver of Terrified Pony—Pull your confounded dog away, you silly idiot!"

Leader of Playful Boarhound.—Beg pardon, sir, but master told me particularly not to cross 'im, or 'e might collar me!"

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

TO CONTRACTORS.

Separate sealed tenders will be received up till 7 o'clock p. m. Thursday, Oct. 11th, next, for the different trades required in the erection of a brick residence in Dresden for Dr. J. I. Wiley. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenders to be addressed to Dr. Wiley, Dresden, Ont., at whose offices plans and specifications are to be seen, also at the office of the architects.

DR. I. WILEY, Proprietor,
Dresden, Ont.
J. L. WILSON & SON, Architects,
1w Chatham.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a court will be held pursuant to the Ontario Voters' List Act., by His Honor, the Judge of the County Court of the County of Kent, at his chambers in Harrison Hall, in the City of Chatham on the 5th day of October, 1900, at eleven o'clock, a. m., to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the voters' list of the Municipality of the City of Chatham, for 1900.

All persons having business at the court are required to attend at the said time and place.

W. G. MERRITT,
Clerk of Chatham.
Dated, Sept. 24th, 1900. tf

New Telephone Directory

THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CANADA, Limited, will publish a new issue of their Subscribers' Directory within a few days. Those contemplating becoming subscribers should place their orders at once in order that their names may appear in this book.

Corrections in the names of firms, or other desired changes and orders for duplicate entries should also be handed in now to ensure attention.

F. D. LAURIE,
Local Manager.
Chatham, Sept. 22nd, 1900.

GERHARD HEINTZMAN

Pianos

Canada's Greatest Pianofortes—Send for Catalogues and Prices.

B. J. WALKER
62 Ouellette Ave.
WINDSOR

AUCTION SALE
—OF—
Farm Stock and Implements

on Lot 12, Concession 12, Township of Dover, on

Monday, Oct'r. 22nd, 1900

Commencing at 1 p. m.

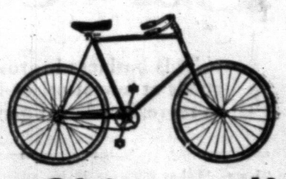
1 good work team of horses; 1 gray horse eight years old; 1 brown horse nine years old, from John E. Hamilton; 6 good milch cows, all supposed to be in calf; 1 farrow cow; 2 heifers three years old, in calf; 1 steer two years old; 1 heifer two years old, 4 yearlings; 1 spring calf; 3 good brood sows, one to pig about time of sale; 14 good shoats; 1 Poland China boar; 1 Brantford binder; 1 Toronto mower; 1 Hoosier drill, nearly new; 1 Sharp rake; a new American cultivator, with bean cutter, 1 Small cultivator; 1 Chatham wagon, nearly new; 1 spade disc; 1 Cockshutt riding plow; 1 walking plow; 1 set iron harrows; 1 democrat; 1 buggy; 1 fanning mill and bagger; 1 scraper; 1 Dale roller; 1 set bob-sleighs; 1 Gurney's platform scale, capacity 1500 pounds; 1 set heavy double harness; 1 set light team harness; 1 feed pan; 20 bronze turkeys and a lot of geese, ducks and chickens; 10 acres of standing corn; about 10 tons of timothy hay, together with forks; chains and a good many other articles.

Everything will be sold without reserve as the proprietor is leaving the farm.

TERMS:—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount, twelve months' credit will be given by furnishing approved joint notes. A discount of 8 per cent. allowed for cash on all credit amounts.

McCOIG & HARRINGTON,
Auctioneers.
21-sw JAS. G. STEEN, Proprietor.

....The....



"Chicago"

Bicycle

is fitted with all the latest improvements and sells for

$30

AT—THE—

PLANET OFFICE

CHATHAM.

Before Making Your Purchase it will pay You to see this Wheel.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.