

## The Planet

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No notice can be taken of anonymous communications. Whatever is intended for insertion must be authenticated by the name and address of the writer, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith. We cannot undertake to return rejected communications.

**TO SUBSCRIBERS IN CHATHAM.**  
You will confer a favor by reporting irregular service by telephone No. 25A. The complaint will receive prompt attention.

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TUESDAY, JULY 22.

### THE ONE THING NEEDFUL.

This great home journal is in receipt of a somewhat lengthy communication, signed "Hughie," pointing out, among many other interesting things, that the editor is "dense," "behind the times" and "possesses motives." All this may be very true, but our anonymous admirer forgot to enclose his card. As we have assured correspondents some "teen hundred times and more, The Planet does not publish anonymous letters, unless the name of the writer accompanies the manuscript. If "Hughie" will, therefore, comply with the conditions he will be accorded the opportunity of presenting us to the public "as iters see us."

### THE MATTER OF PROTESTS.

The Toronto Globe and other Reform papers now practically concede that Ross cannot carry on the work of government with his present slim following, but they profess to look forward with great confidence to the bye-elections, which they claim will afford the honorable gentleman a sufficient working lead.

The Liberal organs in this matter are counting their chickens before they are hatched.

In the first place of course, certain members will have to be uneaten before any new contests take place and the chances all seem to be in favor of the bulk of such vacancies occurring in constituencies now represented by Reformers.

The Rossites went into the recent fight with plenty of money, and that they did not fail to use it is abundantly demonstrated by the reports from various constituencies. The Conservatives on the other hand had to depend mainly upon the excellence of their cause and candidates, and they were not subjected to the debasing influences associated with the big campaign fund.

Suppose for the sake of argument that both sides break even in this matter; and even then the probabilities of success do not rest any more with the Rossites than the Whitneyites; indeed, many people will think not at all.

It is one thing for a government to go into a bye-election contest with all the prestige attaching to an assured lease of power; it is quite another thing for a government to go into such a contest when it has been repudiated by a vast majority of the popular vote and is tottering to its fall.

Taking all things into consideration the conservatives have every reason to look forward with a good deal of confidence to the developments of the almost immediate future.

### LAWLESS ATTEMPTS AT JUSTICE.

The lynching of Joshua Anderson near Owensboro in Kentucky was a deed of lawlessness for which there is no excuse, properly comments the Toronto Star. The crime with which he was charged was that of shooting his wife—a straight case of murder without atrocious details, and there was no reason to suppose that the law would fail in its duty. There was not the case for it that existed in the other illegal execution reported on the same day from Mississippi, where a negro was burnt at the stake for assaulting a white woman. In the latter case public passion was aroused to fury by the nature of the crime, and retribution could not wait the slow pace of justice. If we cannot approve the course of the Mississippi mob that burned the negro alive, we can at least understand the terrible anger that moved them.

The lynching of the man in Kentucky, however, was a plain act of lawlessness, done without any better reason than that the perpetrators of it sought excitement, and had a pretext for gratifying their desire in this direction. A man had murdered his wife and they took him out and lynched

him. It is pretty safe to say that those who did it were glad of the first crime as a plausible excuse for the second. If the law can be thus flouted in Kentucky, law is without effect there. If the mob can lynch men without trial, and bear no more about it, the mob can create a sentiment in another case that will prevent the execution of a criminal. It is, then, not law, but popular opinion, that rules, so that if a murderer can be defended in his cell while the lynchers batter the walls and try to get at him, the chances are that he will escape punishment altogether after the people calm down and begin thinking of something else.

Here we have a different system. The people leave criminals in the hands of the law for punishment, and the results are sure. The first fury of popular opinion does not injure the criminal, and the popular indifference that subsequently sets in does not aid him in the least in his efforts to escape his fate. Months may elapse, but if the fickle public forgets, the courts go on with the case just where they left off, and justice is served. If the man who was executed in Toronto on Friday had secured as many adjournments and had gained as much time in courts in the United States he would not have been executed at all. It is not justice, but revenge, that inspires lynchings and enters as a motive into the actions of criminal courts across the boundary line. The criminal must be executed while the people are angry, or he escapes capital punishment altogether. The introduction of the spirit that works out in this way must be avoided by us.

### A DAILY THOUGHT.

Henry Ward Beecher.  
He is the happiest man who can carry the golden thread of boyish enjoyment farthest along through the web of life.

### THE PORT HOPE GUILLESS GUIDE.

Alexandria Glengarrigan.  
The Port Hope Guide man thanks a subscriber for a 6 1/2 inch strawberry. Somebody has been palming off a young pumpkin on him.

### WIRELESS TELEPHONES.

Alexandria Glengarrigan.  
The hello rate has been raised in Kempsville and a number of subscribers have had their phones taken out and will do their hollaring out of the front doors hereafter.

### CAN'T BUY BOTH WET AND DRY GOODS.

Alexandria Glengarrigan.  
The Hawkesbury Post man intimates that the granting of extra licenses has caused a falling off of general business here. Too much money goes for booze.

### THE RANKEST THAT HAS BEEN.

Mail and Empire.  
It appears that Mr. Ross went to England to have it decided that he and his colleagues rank higher than members of Parliament. Certainly his Government outranks the worst Canada has known.

### COL. CLARK IS A FIGHTER.

Hamilton Spectator.  
Hugh Clark is a fighter. He will ask the full court of appeal on the soundness of Justice Osler's recent decision and he has entered a cross-petition asking for the disqualification of his Liberal opponent, Dr. Stewart.

### BETTER THAN GRASS.

Chicago Chronicle.  
Jacob Rills is urging upon the New York City authorities the necessity of more and larger playgrounds. "Boys are better than grass," he says, referring to "keep off the grass signs," and he appeals to the philanthropic people to give the boys something more than a runaway between gutters. Give us more playgrounds and there will be less need for penitentiaries."

### NOT A FISH—BUT THE STORIES!

Nelson, B. C. Economist.  
And they said unto themselves, "Behold it is the Sabbath. Let us hie to the waters of Kootenay even while it is yet morning and fish." And so they cast the line and did troll mightily, rowing the boat in divers places. And they did not hook one small bass—not even a tenor or a soprano. But the stories they told were prodigious, so that this generation, when in their day than the children of light, did wink openly and bite their thumbs, saying, "Lord how this world is given to lying."

### MOTHER AND BABY

When it is found impossible for the mother to nurse her baby in hot summer weather, it is well to know that Lactated Food is a perfect substitute for the mother's milk. This life saving food is relished by the babies when milk and other dangerous foods cannot be tolerated by the weak stomach. Lactated Food should be used by every mother who would have her baby strong and happy.

Bad example spoils many good precepts.

## MEYNELL'S Clothing Sale

is in Full Swing

### A Few Specials...

For This Week

3 pc. suits \$4.75, Sale Price \$3.49

3 pc. suits \$6.50, Sale Price \$4.39

Blouse suits, good sound

serges, trimmed with

fancy braid, Sale Price

\$8.00, \$1.15 and \$1.40

JUST NINE SUITS

Children's Tans up to 50c

On Sale for... 19c

Vests suits, up to \$5.00,

Sale Price \$2.15

Our great success is due

to advertising facts.

## Meynell's

Three Doors West From Market,

King St. Chatham

Complimentary.

Miss Vera Oldmadyen was hardly to

blame

For feeling as proud as a queen.

On the swell hotel register after her name

The gallant clerk wrote, "Suite 16."

—The Standard and Times.

Her Wish.

"If I had to earn my own living,"

she remarked thoughtfully, "I think I

should try to get a position in the municipal

department of contracts."

"Because that's where they receive

proposals, isn't it?"—Chicago Post.

When Man.

When man takes woman's place and she

shall go to do the work of men.

Ah, he will have a joy that we

are now deprived of; there will be

but little spring housecleaning then.

—Chicago Record-Herald.

Woman's Way.

"I would like to see my letters,

and yet I don't like to ask her."

"Well, just postscript them, 'Please

burn,' and she will be sure to preserve

them."—New York News.

A Task For All.

No matter what the future has in store,

The thing to aim at is to grace

And dignify your present place."

—Philadelphia North American.

Just a Hint.

"Are they happily mated?"

"I don't think so. I overheard his

wife telling him that she thought

mourning was very becoming to her."

—Chicago Post.

A Luxury Misled.

The man who never makes mistakes

Must forfeit much delight;

He cannot feel the sweet surprise

Of sometimes being right.

—Baltimore American.

His Capacity.

"Mrs. Talkington's husband ought to

be a good listener."

"He is. He can listen to nearly 200

words a minute."—Smart Set.

## WARNING

The Chatham Binder Twine Company,

Limited.

All persons obtaining twine from

the above named Company are hereby

warned against paying the purchase

price of the same to Mr. J. J. Ross or

any member of the new board of directors

(so called) or to any of their employees,

servants or agents—as such payment must be made to the Company or its legally authorized representatives.

Such payments may safely be made by depositing the amounts in the credit of The Chatham Binder Twine Company, Limited.

All persons and banks are further warned against negotiating or otherwise dealing with any promissory notes, cheques, or other negotiable securities of the said Company upon the endorsement thereof with the names of Arthur Leverton, as President, or J. J. Ross as Secretary-Treasurer, and from paying the proceeds thereof to the said Ross, Leverton, or any other member of the so-called New Board of Directors or their employees, servants or agents.

Persons taking binder twine or other property or owing the Company will be held strictly accountable unless they pay their indebtedness to us or our representatives or pay the money into the bank account as above mentioned to the credit of the Company.

By order of the directors.

M. J. WILSON, President.

T. C. SMITH, Secretary-Treasurer.

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## The Northway Co's. Moving Sale

### A Pronounced Success

Our Great Moving Sale which has been the means of distributing thousands of dollars worth of merchandise at ridiculously low prices, will be continued only ten days more. The public evidently appreciate our values since our store is daily crowded to its fullest capacity. We again repeat as in our previous announcements this sale is not a matter of choice—WE ARE FORCED TO SACRIFICE and there are still thousands of dollars worth of choice new goods here that we are determined will never enter our New Store. We have made prices that will move them lively—here are a few of them.

Ladies' Rain Coats, finest quality in latest styles, regular \$7, at sale price \$1.98.  
Fine Imported Rain Coats, our regular \$6 line, at sale price \$3.98.  
All our \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50 Rain Coats at sale price \$3.48.  
Ladies' Wrappers at 63c. 8 Doz. good quality Print Wrappers, choice patterns and colorings, prettily made, sizes 32 to 42, regular 75c to 90c, at sale price 63c.  
\$1.25 Wrappers at 89c.—Five dozen fine print wrappers, desirable patterns and colorings, made with deep flounce, ruffles and gimp trimming on waist, at sale price \$1.19.

**MILLINERY**—Every hat and bonnet in the store marked away down for quick selling, at less than **Half Price** in most lines.

Lyons black dye, the best 75c French taffeta in Canada, at sale price 58c.  
Men's shirts at 25c each—5 dozen good quality flannel shirts, choice stripe patterns, fast colors, well made, sizes 15 to 16 1/2 inches, at sale price 25c.  
Men's 75c and \$1.00 cambric shirts at 49c.—6 dozen fine colored cambric shirts, in newest patterns, fast colors, soft or hard bosoms, sizes 14 to 16 1/2 inches, regular 75c to \$1.00 each, clearing at sale price 49c.  
Parasols—All our black and colored parasols marked to clear at Sale Prices.

## THE NORTHWAY COMPANY, Ltd., CASH ONLY AND ONE PRICE

## We Save You Money

When you buy your **Summer Suit** from us, because being the manufacturers we are able to sell our goods **CHEAPER** than other tailors, and for the same reason we can show the **LATEST SHADES AND PATTERNS** six months before the other people get them.

### FOR THE LADIES

We have a full range of the best Home-spuns, Venetians, Boxcloths, etc. Our own make of Ready-made Clothing at from \$6.00 to \$8.00 a suit cannot be beat. As we employ nothing but the best skilled workmen, we guarantee the fit or money refunded.

## THE T. H. TAYLOR CO. Limited, Flour and Woolen Mills

We are advised by W. E. Ripin, City Passenger Agent Grand Trunk and Wabash Railways, that he has a number of special excursion trips available for incoming tourists to Portland, Maine, to Tacoma, Spokane, Washington, Portland, Oregon, Vancouver, Victoria, and other British Columbia points, also summer tours to Atlantic and River St. Lawrence points, also lakes Huron, Superior and Georgian Bay, and would be pleased to give intending tourists full information and rates.

**WANTED.**  
WANTED—A good, steady, single man to work on farm and house. Apply at Planet Office. 10  
WANTED—Two or three boarders can be accommodated at Mr. A. J. Pyke's, Joseph St. 10  
GIRL WANTED—At once. Wages \$3 per week. Apply to Mrs. John A. Morton, Third St. 10  
WANTED—In Detroit, girl for general housework; small cottage; family of three. Good wages. Apply Box 5, Planet Office. 10td  
WANTED—A female teacher, for public school No. 14, Dover Township, Kent Co., holding a second or third class certificate, able to teach French and English, duties to commence after summer holidays. Address, Robert A. Glover, Sec.-Treas. of S. S. No. 14, Dover Centre P. O., Kent Co., Ont. 13dw

**FOR SALE OR TO RENT.**  
BARN FOR RENT—Room for three horses. Apply to A. Trato, 218 Queen St., Dr. Stewart's late residence. 10  
FOR SALE OR TO RENT—Summer Cottage at Erie Beach, furnished. For sale or to rent. Apply to John Piggott & Son's Lumber Office. 10  
SEVEN LOTS FOR SALE—One on Victoria avenue, and six on Maple street. For full particulars apply to S. Stephenson, Planet Office. 10  
FOR SALE—Naphtha launch, 16 feet over all will hold eight people, and has a speed of six miles an hour. Apply to J. W. Young, Planet. 10  
LOTS FOR SALE—One and one-half acres at the head of Victoria Ave., and six lots on Maple St. Apply to Mrs. Tiesman, Victoria Block, or The Planet. 10  
HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—125 Wellington St. West; lot 50x208. House in good repair; brick foundation; 7 rooms, closets, pantries, bath room, etc. Leaving the city; will sell cheap. For full particulars apply to J. A. Tilt. 10

**Wedding Stationery**  
The PLANET  
Carries a large assortment of this stock. You can get what you want in short notice.

**Meat Meat Somerville's**  
For a Glass of  
**Ice Cream and Soda Water**  
Known as the Best in Town.  
Pure, rich Ice Cream, made by the most perfect apparatus in absolutely clean rooms.  
Refreshing, foaming Soda Water with exquisite Fruit Flavors.  
**Somerville's**  
Restaurant and Lunch Rooms  
King St. Phone 95

**It Will Pay You Best in the End**  
CANADA BUSINESS COLLEGE,  
Chatham, Ont.  
Has issued its annual list of students placed during last year. The number is 96. What do you think of it? The number for the year preceding that, 39.  
Does this magnificent showing and increasing demand not tell you something?  
Full term opens Tuesday, September 2nd. If interested, write for list and handsome catalogue.  
D. MCLEACHLAN & CO., Chatham, Ont.  
Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

**They are not a cure-all; write of your case to the Resident Physician and learn if the MAGI Caledonia Waters and Baths will benefit you.**

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## SEWERS.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned, at the City Clerk's Office, to 4 o'clock p.m. of Monday, the 28th day of July, 1902.  
For the construction of a Glazed Pipe Sewer on Van Allen Avenue, from Solkirk Street to Forest, thence on Forest Street, from Van Allen Avenue to Delaware Avenue, and on Delaware Avenue to the north limit of lot 16, north of Gladstone Avenue.  
Also for the construction of a Glazed Pipe Sewer on the S. S. of Kirk St. from Adelaide Street to the easterly limit of D. J. O'Keefe's property, (about 252 feet).  
Tenders to be strictly in accordance with specifications at Engineer's Office, also to contain a marked cheque for 25 per cent. of the sum tendered, which cheque will be held as well as 20 per cent. on the contract price, until work is satisfactorily completed.  
Tenders to state a lump sum for the work only. The Corporation will supply all material except shoring.  
The Board of Works reserves the right to reject all or any tender.  
By Order Chairman.  
W. G. MERRITT,  
City Clerk.

## INITIATIVE NOTICE

### Granolithic Sidewalks

Notice is hereby given that the Municipal Council of the City of Chatham, will proceed under section 689, of the Municipal Act, and under the General Local Improvement By-law No. 337, 1899, to construct Granolithic Sidewalks upon following streets within the limits mentioned, after the expiry of one month after the last publication of this notice for two weeks in the Chatham Daily Planet and the Chatham Daily Banner-News, and the assessment of the costs of such works made upon the real properties to be benefited thereby, unless the majority of the owners of such real properties, according to the last Revised Assessment Roll, representing at least one-half in value thereof, petition the Council against the same within one month after the last publication of this notice.

W. G. MERRITT,  
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City Clerk's Office, July 15th, 1902.

## GRANOLITHIC SIDEWALKS.

Fifth Street, West Side, King Street to Harrison Hall; Joseph Street, West Side, Amelia Street to North end of street; Emma Street, South Side, Louise Street to Ursuline Avenue, Queen Street, West Side, G. T. Ry. south to Park Avenue.  
J15-22.

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