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PLANET KNOWS

Blue Ruin John Recognises the Universal Prestige of This Great Home Journal.

Blue Ruin John Lee, M. P. P. of Highgate, was in the city yesterday. When interviewed by a Planet reporter as to all those wild weird stories of his about the state of the crops and land in this fine section of the Province, he drew himself up haughtily to his full height and replied: "Oh, well, The Planet knows more about the conditions of the corn, beans and oats around here than I do."

Without seeking to display too much egotism, it might be pointed out that The Planet is supposed to—indeed, it is—rather fortunate that this great home journal does.

NOW WALKS

His Majesty Slowly Paces the Deck of the Royal Yacht Without Assistance.

London, July 30.—King Edward's progress continues to be in every way satisfactory. During the day he slowly paced the deck of the royal yacht Victoria and Albert, without any assistance, and the exercise is reported to have done him good.

The Earl of Denbigh, one of the King's lord-in-waiting, speaking at a public meeting to-day, said he saw no reason why the King should not be strong enough to undergo the fatigue incident to the coronation on August 9.

The Times says the fleet has been ordered to assemble at Spithead on Aug. 7 instead of Aug. 11. The fleet will salute King Edward as he crosses from Cowes to Portsmouth on Aug. 8. The royal yacht will leave Cowes on Aug. 18 for Sandown Bay, to enable His Majesty to view the fleet dispersing.

Queen Alexandra, while attending the coronation fetes at Whippingham Isle of Wight, this evening, continued His Majesty's splendid progress, and said he could now walk across the deck of the royal yacht, and that he preferred remaining off Cowes to taking another cruise.

The King has signed his approval of the arrangements for the coronation procession, which provided that their Majesties shall travel to and from Westminster Abbey in the great state coach, and that the route originally arranged. His Majesty himself feels entire confidence in his ability to carry out this intention.

ROUSED HIM

The Planet Runs Across an Indignant Citizen Who Thinks this Journal Wronged Him.

There was fire in Vital Goodreau's eye, when he was approached by The Planet this morning. This was viewed with considerable surprise by the latter, who always thought Mr. Goodreau such a quiet, unassuming, and modest sort of a fellow—especially when he is relating his own experiences with the rod. His usual sunny "good morning," was omitted on this occasion, so The Planet knew that a storm was brewing.

"See here young man," he proceeded, as he drew himself up to his full height, folded his arms over his manly chest, and assumed the mien of a man who was righteously indignant. "The Planet has wilfully slandered me, and I demand an immediate retraction!"

After this first outburst of pent-up feelings he appeared greatly relieved and proceeded with a little more equanimity to relate the circumstances of the unfortunate case.

"Now I saw an article in The Planet a few nights ago," said he, "in which I was compared as a fish story teller, to A. C. McKay, E. J. Maguire and the late J. J. Ross. Now I have been in this fish story business for some time, and have told a few good ones in my day, and when I saw my name mentioned in your paper along with such medium fishermen as Mr. MacIntyre and Mr. McKay and a mere beginner like Rev. Mr. Ross, I naturally felt a little slighted."

And then Vital struck the attitude of a man who was determined to assert his rights, no matter who opposed him. He suddenly tumbled from his high pedestal of indignation, however, and continued a little more leniently.

"Now, I wouldn't mind seeing my name associated with such a renowned and energetic fisherman as—Oh, I beg pardon—but, anyway, kindly omit my name when you mention any of the gentlemen to whom I have referred."

As Mr. Goodreau's reputation in this respect is equalled by few in the province, it is thought by those who know him that the article in question will not be considered a very serious factor in robbing him of his well-deserved fame as an experienced fish tale-teller.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the House. Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

MONEY TO LEND

ON LATE MORTGAGE, OR CHATTEL MORTGAGE, OR ON NOTE. To buy property. Pay when desired. Very lowest rate. J. W. WHITE, Barrister, Opp. Grand Opera House, Chatham

The Summer Clearance

Out go the summer duds by dozens and half dozens. Customers are showing in the clearest way how they value these all round reductions on the most wanted garments of the season.

Splendid choosing still in men's unlined suits and boys' cotton sailor suits—all $\frac{3}{4}$ priced now.

Natty straw hats at half price—no store ever made such a sweeping out so early in the season.

Another move! Every bicycle suit in the store is reduced to \$1.50. Plenty of fine tweeds among them; some that sold as high as \$5.50. Also odd bloomers up to the finest, clearing now at 50c and \$1.00. You'll never have such a chance again in outing wear.

THORNTON & DOUGLAS, In Liquidation

HEMLOCK BARRED DAY'S DESPATCHES

Increasing Value of this Timber Leads to Its Being Placed in Same Category as Pine.

Toronto, July 30.—A meeting of the Ontario Cabinet was held yesterday. Messrs. Dryden, Davis and Stratton being present. Mr. Dryden, who was the senior Minister, presided, it being the first occasion on which he has been acting Premier. The most important matter attended to was the passing of an order in Council placing hemlock logs in the same category as pine logs after April 30 next, the end of the license year; that is, they must not be exported. Of late years a considerable trade in hemlock logs has sprung up, owing to the increasing value of this class of timber. The prohibition is in line with the policy of the Government of confining the manufacture of the products of the forests of Ontario within the confines of the Province. The order in Council was passed on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Crown Lands. Earlier in his administration of his department Mr. Davis placed pulpwood on the list of articles whose export is prohibited, and he thus is acting in conformity with the policy which he has previously followed.

REOPENING OF THE MAPLE CITY BREWERY.

Will be prepared to furnish the superior Maple City Lager Beer from and after Friday, the 1st, of August, next, in boxes of twelve (12) quart, or twenty-four (24) pint bottles, at One Dollar per case, delivered free, or in kegs or barrels.

TILBURY

July 31.—Mrs. McEaren, of Chatham, formerly of Tilbury, is visiting Mrs. Fred Lee.

Mrs. Scarff and her guest, Mrs. Mac Bruce, are spending the day in Detroit.

Samuel Warnock, of Chatham, is visiting relatives here.

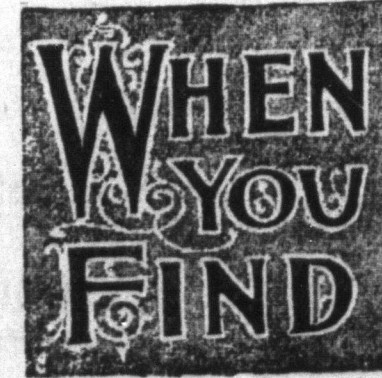
Mrs. E. Holmes, who has been visiting the Misses Stewart, returns to her home in Windsor to-day.

The Presbyterian Sunday school pupils are picnicking at the light-house today.

H. Giroux has sold his house and lot on Queen street and intends purchasing another.

Miss Minnie Campbell is spending the summer at her home in Detroit.

Mrs. Martin is taking the baths for rheumatism in Chatham sanitarium.



You don't get the best of the market on sale at our store, we want you to let us know. The way we're looking after the interests of our customers, will make happy all who appreciate a good thing. An example is our exceptional offer of men's worsted and tweed suits—

\$7.50 kind for \$5.00.
\$10.00 kind for \$7.50.
\$12.00 kind for \$8.50.
\$15.00 kind for \$10.00.

Remember our regular prices are lower than you pay at other stores. Underwear at less than cost—30c, 40c and 50c for suit.

Men's worsted pants, 63 pairs, up to \$4.75, choice for \$3.49. Cash and one price. Money refunded. Everything as advertised.

Meynell's

Three Doors West from Market, King St. Chatham

THREE WOMEN DROWNED.

Monticello, Minn., July 30.—Three young women—Miss Mabel Wells, of this place, and Eva Saker and Laura T. Tye, of Fairbault—were drowned in Lake Jefferson last evening. Their boat capsized during a storm.

KILLED THE POSTMASTER.

Evansville, Ind., July 30.—L. D. Zimmerman, postmaster for a quarter of a century at Linnville, Warrick county, was fatally shot late last night by two robbers, who secured over \$500 in money and made their escape on a hand car. A posse is in pursuit.

COAL FROM WALES.

Montreal, July 30.—In view of the uncertainty about the resumption of coal mine operations in the anthracite region, and the possibility of a coal famine, a local dealer has ordered with a cargo of Welsh coal, which will be shipped from Swansea, and reach Montreal about 15th of August.

DELAUREY'S DAUGHTER WEDS.

Cape Town, July 30.—The daughter of the Boer general, Delarey, and his secretary, Ferreira, were married at the Dutch Church here yesterday. The congregation made such a demonstration that the pastor, Rev. Mr. Steytler, threatened to stop the ceremony and clear the church. After this the ceremony proceeded quietly. Later on there was a great reception, which was attended mostly by Afrikaners.

HELD UP BY BOYS.

Toronto, July 30.—About noon to-day, as a woman was passing the corner of Huron and Wilket streets with a number of parcels in her arms, a couple of lads, the elder not over fifteen, made a dash at her, and before the astonished woman got the use of her lungs the youthful highwaymen disappeared round the corner with her purse. The booty was five cents and a bouquet of flowers.

FIRE AT LOURDES, FRANCE.

Paris, July 30.—A despatch to the Temps from Tarbes, gives news of a terrible fire at Lourdes, the town famous for its Shrine of Our Lady, to which many pilgrimages are made. The fire brigade was unable to check the flames, and when the despatch was sent an entire block of houses had been destroyed and a number of persons had been victims of the fire.

HEAVY DEFALCATION.

Boston, Mass., July 30.—The assignment of the Dudley Hosiery Mills at Newton, Upper Falls, is said to have disclosed the fact that the \$120,000 claim of the Bowker Fertilizer Company against the concern is for notes of the Bowker Company alleged to have been wrongfully handled by Henry F. Coe, until three weeks ago treasurer of both Dudley mills and Bowker Co. It is alleged that Mr. Coe has confessed to the officials of the Bowker Co. that he is responsible for the defalcation.

KILLED BY AN EMERY WHEEL.

Sarnia, July 30.—Wm. McLaren, of Sarnia, is dead at Pontiac, Mich., of injuries resulting from the bursting of a large emery wheel at the factory of the Vehicle and Implement Spring Company, there. A. J. Pullaw was showing Mr. McLaren through the works, when the wheel burst. One piece striking Pullaw on the right elbow; breaking his arm in five places, and another piece striking Mr. McLaren in the abdomen, inflicting injuries from which he died. Mr. McLaren was 48 years old and was prominent in Masonic circles.

COLONIAL PREMIERS IN CONFERENCE.

London, July 30.—Colonial Secretary Chamberlain presided at to-day's conference of the colonial premiers. The principal topic discussed was the political relations of the Empire. It was practically decided that similar conferences should follow every four years. Other points discussed were mutual protection of patents throughout the Empire, acquisition of ocean cables, and regulation of wireless telegraphy.

THREE CHILDREN AT A BIRTH.

Quebec, July 30.—Mrs. Clovis Boissel, of Arthabaska, yesterday gave birth to triplets—a boy and two girls. All are doing well.

FORTY LIVES WERE LOST.

Singapore, July 30.—In a collision off Malacca, Straits Settlement, between the British steamers Prince Alexander and Ban Hin Guan, the former vessel was sunk and forty lives were lost.

PRIZES PRESENTED.

London, July 30.—Col. Burland yesterday presented the money won in prizes at the Bisley rifle matches. Sergeant-Major MacDougall, of the 5th R. C. A., who topped the score in the MacKinnon cup competition, got £5, and the other eleven competitors £2 each. The total winnings of the team amount to £314 14s 11d.

FOOD FOR THE FLAMES.

St. Mary's July 30.—The barns of Wesley Reynard, about one mile out of town, were destroyed by fire after midnight last night, and all the hay crop, farm implements and machinery were lost. The cause of the fire is supposed to have been overheating of the hay. The loss probably will reach \$2,500; insured.

GUESTS OF THE IRISH LEADER.

London, July 30.—John Redmond, leader of the Irish party in the House of Commons, entertained Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Prime Minister of Canada, and E. Barton, Prime Minister of the Australian Commonwealth, at dinner to-night in the House of Commons. The twenty-two guests included John Morley, Sir James Charles Mathew, Lord Justice of Appeal; Father Cronin, of Buffalo; Percy Scott, of Ottawa, and W. T. Stead.

MET AT RANQUET.

London, July 30.—Alfred Rothschild gave a dinner last evening at which many persons prominent in literature, art, and the drama were present. The lions of the occasion, however, were Lord Kitchener and General Lucas Meyer, formerly of the Orange Free State army. When the generals met all eyes were upon them. They shook hands most cordially and conversed several minutes.

WORD OF WARNING.

London, July 30.—A correspondent writes to the London Globe warning people against indulgence in extravagant expectations from the career of Lord Dundonald in Canada. "Those interested in Canada's military service," says the writer, "need not be too sanguine of the results of Dundonald's accession to office. If the new general officer commanding effects what his distinguished predecessors failed to carry out, Lord Dundonald will deserve well of the mother country and the Dominion."

PIERCE'S STEEL.

New York, July 30.—A new time fuse, for use on armor-piercing shells loaded with a recently discovered secret explosive of great power, has been invented by war department ordnance experts, and will, it is said, revolutionize foreign warship building.

TESTS OF THE EXPLOSIVE AND FUSE HAVE BEEN MADE AND SO LONG AS THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT HOLDS THE SECRET.

Foreign battleships either must double their steel walls or be as wooden frigates against the new destroyer. Ge. Crozier, chief of ordnance, is quoted as having said that a test of the new explosive has been conducted with eminent success at the Sandy Hook proving ground, that the shell carried its contents through the thickest armor and that the fuse lived long enough to have exploded in the interior of a ship of war. The greatest penetration secured was that of a shell fired from a 12-inch gun. It pierced 14-inch Krupp armor before detonation. The heaviest shield now in use is said to be only 12 inches thick.

BOER LEADERS SAIL FOR ENGLAND.

Cape Town, July 30.—Generals Botha, De Wet and Delarey sailed for England to-day. The boys of the Dutch schools dragged the carriages carrying the generals to the steamship dock, through cheering crowds.