.. The Planet .

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FOREST CULTIVATION.

Canada may with profit study closely the methods of the State of New

York in the matter of forest protection and forest cultivation, says the Brockville Times. At Ithaca, N. Y., a state college of forestry is maintained in affiliation with Cornell University and, though this college of forestry has been in existence but a short time, we are told it can already show some very practical results. Ninetyfive acres formerly burnt over have been planted with pine and Norway spruce; two nurseries have been established with about a million seedlings, and the college is prepared to furnish annually fifteen thousand cords of wood and from two to four million feet of logs.

If the state of New York with its comparative dearth of land available for forest culture has been able to accomplish so much in such a short time what limit can be put upon the possibilities for forest reproduction in Canada? Every year the people of this continent are becoming more acquainted with the rapidly increasing value of the forests, and it seems the height of folly for people to neglect the cultivation of this ever increasing source of individual and national wealth

THE PIPES INSULTED.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier need look for the Scotch vote no longer, claims the so low that it is to be doubted if a Hamilton Spectator. No more need lower depth can be reached. he make pretence that Laurier is French for Laurie, and that he is a lineal descendant from Annie of the swan's neck and snowdrift brow. Sir Wilfrid has insulted all that is Scotch. He has applied French cusswords to the sacred bagpipe! Minister Dobell treated his sensitive conscience to a blowout the other day. He invited a lot of Liberal members to eat something at Aylmer, and as several of his guests were Scotch, he had a piper along. On returning to Parliament hill the whole outfit marched into the parliament building with the piper in the lead, playing for all he was worth. The drones of the pipe outdroned the droning in the legislative chamber, and Sir Wilfrid got angry. He collared Dobell and made remarks in French that-translated into Scotch-would make every Scot in the land the pre-mier's personal enemy. The Laurier their denials, and it is more than possible vill yet learn that the Highland piper takes a back seat never. He will learn that the proper fingering of The Campbells are Coming is much more important than any lawmaking that ever was done at Ottawa. He will learn that the motto, "Nemo me impune lacessit," means something.

CAN THEY SINK LOWER?

Two acts of the Ross Government or in which they are concerned, have just been committed that defy parallel in any country under responsible government. One is the bill to lengthen the life of the of the present Legislature on the pretext that the next session may not be through by March 29th, 1902, when the life of the Legislature expires. Of course the proposed measure is wantonly unnecessary; all that needs be done in to call the Legislature earlier if it is desired to complete another session For the Legislature itself to assume to extend its term is an unheard of thing since the days of the Long Parliament, the "Rump" of which was brazenly engaged in passing legislation to establish it permanently in office when Oliver Cromwell forcibly dissolved it and drove out the members with his soldiery. The attempt of a Legislature in the 20th century its loss. to perpetrate similar nefarious legislation should prompt a rebuke from the populace that will forever put the ban upon party tyranny ever again attempting such a violation of constitutional usage and good faith. The principle urged by Premier Ross cannot safely be permitted. If the Legislature can extend its life for a couple of months, it can extend it for a year, or indefinitely, and save its members the trouble of appealing to the electors at all.

The other act referred to is that by which census enumerators are asked to perjure themselves by giving information gathered from their official inquiries, in which they are sworn to secrecy, to the Liberal machine. They have been asked to prepare lists for Liberal members and candidates of all males over 16, withtheir politics and religion. This information, which every political committee strives to get as best it may, the Liberal machine orders the census enumerators to furnish, at the cost of the country and in defiance of their oath or secrecy. No honest man can do what the census enumerators are asked to do, and no honest man could ask it. Yet Premier Ross admitted that the Liberal party fathered these

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circulars and condoned the offence. The Liberal party has indeed sunk

THE "LIBERAL" WAY.

A section of the Liberal press of Canada has an easy, off-hand way of disposing of things which might damage their party, comments the Spectator. The plan is simple to deny the existence of the unwelcome thing. Thus when Mr. Whitney drew the attention of Mr. Ross to the circular sent to the census enumerators, this section of the Liberal press promptly denied the existence of any such circular, and that, too, after Mr. Ross had not only admitted its existence, but had defended it, and had jeered at the opposition because the effect of the circular would be beneficial to the Liberal party. But now comes Mr. Sutherland, the Liberal whip, who acknowledges the circular and says it was issued by the machine. Of course there is nothing to that they will do so. But the falsehood will be useless. Many Liberal papers have established for themselves a reputation for unveracity which effectually kills their attempts to misrepresent things.

Hugger Preston is talking libel suit again. But is it possible to libel Preston

The horse show that counts these days, is the exhibition of horses in front of seed drills and harrows.

There seems to be just and sufficient cause for doubt whether last week's "function" in Toronto was a horse show or an an exhibition of mil-

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The Ottawa Journal says: W. T. R. Preston threatens to try a libel suit against the Journal, Some on, Macduff, and curst be he who first

Preston knows better than to start a libel suit. We all remember the way in which he cabled an order to prose cute the Toronto World man for crim-

It is again reported that Paul Kruger i coming to the United States in June. No time should be lost in inviting him to be a quest of honor at the Pan-American exposition. There are few men whose presence here would awaken greater interest than this aged chief of a dying nation, which still

Certainly. Get Kruger, and you'll have to build another bridge to accommodate the rush of Canadians auxious to do homage to his whiskers.

Not as a sad memento of her death but as an ever present token of thanksgiving that so good a Queen was sent upon this earth, the 24th of May will be honored throughout Canada as long as the name of Victoria is revered. But what are we going to call it? Not the Queen's Birthday-that title belongs now to another day, in mid-winter. Probably usage will make it Victoria Day, but why not fix its title at once?

TO RECORD THE CENTURIES. Belleville Intelligencer.

It will soon be time to get the cy clometer put on the lawn mower.

A NATURAL DEDUCTION. Belleville Intelligencer. Two Hamilton boys raced away from

the Yankees in the big Marathon race at Boston. This proves what we have always suspected-the longest-winded people on earth come from Hamilton.

HYMAN'S WARM HOSPITALITY. London News.

If they don't believe in Ottawa that this is a hot town, let them ask Dr.

> THE CRICKET LESSON. Ottawa Citizen.

Premier Ross and his ministers are to undertake a stumping tour are to undertake a stumping tour but no sense. He was a conspicuous failure in Canadian politics, and will stump the province, but they will get be no better in Ireland. This great stump the province, but they will get bowled out when their time comes.

NICE LOT OF DUBS.

Toronto Telegram. With the exception of Hon. G. W Ross, the esteemed Ontario Government is made up of public speakers who can banish insomnia from the province by putting every audience to

THE THING TO BE SETTLED.

FIRST. Ottawa Citizen.

The Globe suggests that the costs of "the useless Cook investigation" to be charged against the Conservative majority in the Senate. That is a minor issue. The question is the settlement of Cook's charges.

WHAT COTESIS AFTER. Toronto Mail.

If Mr. Tarte can get the census figures for Quebec sufficiently stuffed he will be able to reduce Ontario's representation at Ottawa by eight. This is the fulfilment of the promise to "take the life out of them in On-

YES, WHY? Ottawa Citizens.

Why should editors of papers in Cape Colony be sent to prison for libeling British generals, while W. T. Stead is allowed to publish such treasonable rot as his pamphlet, Hell Let Loose, and circulate it with impunity not only in Britain, but in South Africa? There may be some excuse for the Dutch press in South Africa because sectional feeling is running high there, but for Stead there is none He is simply a seditious busy-body making mischief for self-advertising purposes.

> PICTURE OF A PATRIOT. Toronto Star!

The man is a true patriot who pays his debts, whose dog does not bark at night, whose hens do not get through the fence, whose children keep off the neighbors' lawn, who votes as he likes and lets others do the same, and dies leaving a respectable family reasonably well provided for. Patriotism isn't speechmaking at banquets; it's holding one's end up when the state leans upon the peo-

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