

The Planet

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Business Office No. 53 A
Editorial Rooms No. 53 B

RATES OF SUBSCRIPTION.
THE DAILY PLANET, one year \$4.00
THE WEEKLY PLANET, one year \$1.00
THE PLANET will be sent free of postage to any address in Canada or the United States.

RATES OF ADVERTISING.
Schedule of advertising rates will be promptly furnished on application to the business office.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.
No notice can be taken of anonymous communications. Whatever is intended for insertion must be accompanied 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. 53 A. The complaint will receive prompt attention.

TO SUBSCRIBERS OUTSIDE OF CHATHAM.
If your paper fails to arrive regularly, or if you can suggest a better connection, or a better route, please communicate with the circulation department.

It Means Something

To have the largest circulation in Western Ontario, to carry more advertising than any other newspaper printed or published in this district. It means that.

"The Planet"

gives an advertiser the kind of satisfaction he wants, at a price he is satisfied to pay. It is the real reason. The secret others are seeking to solve. That The Planet is ever winning increased patronage and approval.

THURSDAY, AUG. 29.

CARRIE NATION.

Mrs. Carrie Nation, the so-called heroine of many joint raiding expeditions, according to a late dispatch has landed in Canada and has her hatchet with her, comments the London News. Whether this woman is a real desperado, an expert advertiser or insane, is a question which cannot be determined.

Whatever she may be we have no need for her in Canada. There may be some excuse for her unusual acts in Kansas, for liquor sellers there are law breakers, and outlaws. Here hotelkeepers are protected by law and legally their property is as sacred as that of any merchant.

If she is a clever advertiser, as she doubtless is, there is more reason to leave her alone. Americans will go to any length to put themselves in the way of making money. Canadians should not encourage them. Canadians are too serious to see any interest in the actions of a demented woman. We do not find amusement in the hallucinations of the insane, and we find no humor in the antics of this unbalanced Kansas woman.

Her visit to Canada is certainly not welcomed by any one, nor is it amusing. If she acts disorderly here she should be taken in charge at once and sent to the proper place, either to jail or to a lunatic asylum.

THE TURK.

Nations are like individuals in many ways, and now we find that one of them, Turkey, declines to pay debts, says the London News. The Turk is heavily involved, and his paper is in the strong boxes of nearly every nation on the face of the earth.

The Turk is for all the world like a delinquent debtor who is conscience proof, bluff proof and proof against all forms of attack in the money line. The Turk does not take the opposite side of the street when a creditor comes in sight. He pursues his own course with bluster and swagger as though a debtor is to be honored rather than condemned.

Finally France, which has no more money than is necessary for ordinary purposes, is forced to be harsh with this dishonorable debtor. The Turk blusters, then delays, procrastinates, says that pay day will come day after tomorrow, next week, August 26. The French have become annoyed at the whole business and have closed down pretty abruptly on Mr. Turk. But it is an even wager that France does not recover the money after all. It was an evil day for Europe when the Turk crossed the Hellespont. At one time he was feared as a barbarian conqueror, but now his presence is loathsome to the entire continent.

But with all that, even though the financial conditions are in a bad state, yet it must be admitted that there are other nations in Europe which are not upright in all re-

spects when dealing in money matters. This struggle between France and Turkey, however, is an interesting one.

HELP YOUR OWN.

The London Daily Express just to hand contains a very remarkable article on Canada which it is to be hoped will have due effect in Great Britain. It is written by one who knows Canada and her resources more than once laid down in these columns, as those which ought to be followed by the people of the mother country. In their dealings with the "possession beyond the sea," and more especially with Canada, it has always appeared extraordinary that the British people should expend enormous sums of money in investments in South America and elsewhere and not attempt to benefit their own kith and kin and empire. This is duly noted in the article referred to and referring more especially to Canada, the writer attributes its apparently slow progress as compared with the United States to the apathy of the mother country. There is, of course, no reason why the progress of the Dominion should not be quite as great as that of the United States, and it is not unworthy of notice that in the early stages of the career of the country, when it was more directly under the fostering care of the Imperial authorities, its progress was relatively as great, if not greater than that of the republic. It is only reasonable to ask, why the Imperial government does nothing to promote emigration to Canada. The common interest of the country ought to encourage such a course. We have a granary and as has been facetiously said, a "pantry" for Britain sufficient to supply all the imported food stuffs she needs if we only possessed the rural population necessary to produce the quantity. More than that such a pantry would tend to create a shield and bulwark for British interests which in the hours of trial would be a great strength. What has lately been seen on a small scale would, had we twenty-five or thirty millions, be seen on a very large one. And the Express writer reasonably asks why it is that "British capital does not seek investment in civilized, law-abiding Canada instead of going to semi-savage South American Republics, in which they held annual revolutions instead of annual elections?" That is a question that is most difficult to answer, for the course of the British capitalists in this respect is apparently inexplicable.

It is to be hoped that Professor Marienberger of Berlin will not become so alarmed by the earth's erratic course as to go and jump off it.

It is a Con census.—Hamilton Spectator. No, it is a Lib. census.—London News. Yes, decidedly both.

"Until the arable lands of the United States shall have been disposed of the rigor of the Canadian winters will repel the tide of European immigration. However well Canada may be governed, latitude counts against her," says the Philadelphia Record. Why, man, the Canadian winters are adorable. Run over here and escape sloppy weather.

The Trenton Courier says that Carrie Nation has a brother hiving in that town, and that the woman with the hatchet is coming over to Canada to visit him and may do some lecturing. How would her brother like to go over to the States to visit her? That would be nicer. It is his duty to go and not put his sister to so much trouble on our—we mean, on his—account.

WHY KINGSTON DECLINES.
Kingston News.

We know several Kingston men who wear corsets and pride themselves upon the appearance of their figures.

ANOTHER DREADFUL EXAMPLE.
Toronto Star.

The moral in the fate of that western man who dropped dead after drinking a glass of water is so obvious as to require no comment.

YOUNG MEN DO GET A SHOW.
Stratford Beacon.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier was a minister of the crown at 36, and Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper at 33. In the business and professional circles young men of ability have always occupied high positions in Canada.

IN ANY EVENT.
Chicago Record.

Experts claim that the best features of the Shamrock II. are borrowed from the Columbia and Constitution. If the foreign built yacht wins there will be the greater credit to the skill with which British builders apply American ideas to foreign glory and incidentally to foreign profit. If she loses it is not easy to see that British ship-building is to be reproached.

A HARD KNOCK.

Toronto Star.
Hamilton aldermen decline to make a grant in aid of the Art School, but will all buy tickets for the next prize fight.

THEY'RE ONTO HIM.

Belleville Intelligencer.
The Globe has dropped its "People We Meet" picture. The 'artist' don't meet any people now. They see him first.

UNCLE SAM'S BAD FIX.

Toronto Telegram.
Uncle Sam has only to lose a few more caps to Canada and he will be reduced to the necessity of drinking out of the bottle.

THE EDITOR'S "EXPERIENCE."
Kingston Whig.

The Hamilton Herald is of the opinion that Canadians are to-day more truly religious than they have ever been. On what evidence does our contemporary base this assumption?

TOO BIG A TASK.

Ottawa Journal.
Refreshing it would be if some Liberal leader or newspaper were to answer R. L. Richardson's arguments instead of denouncing him as a bad man.

SHOULD HAVE HIS LIQUOR STOPPED.
Galt Reformer.

The intelligent composer of a Hamilton newspaper, who made the linotype say that the "locomotive cut the cow in halves," should have his horns cut off.

PROBABLE DEFENCE.

Montreal Star.
A Georgia man has been arrested for singing out of tune with the rest of the congregation. The defence will no doubt be that the rest of the congregation were out of tune with the prisoner.

WHERE THE MAJAH SHINES.

Bobcaygeon Independent.
'Tilly' writes that she has been going with her latest beau for over a week and asks it too soon to allow him to take her on his lap. The Society Editor of this great journal being absent, Tilly's inquiry will be forwarded to Major Maude, of Ottawa.

A GEORGIA LEGAL HANGING.

Canton, Ga., Aug. 27. — Raymond Ross, colored, was legally hanged here to-day for assaulting a white woman.

CHEAP OCEAN RATES.

Liverpool, Aug. 27.—It is stated that the Cunard, Leland, and Dominion steamship lines, following the example of the Red Star line, are offering to carry passengers from New York to London for \$35.

TWO MORE ENTOMBED.

London, August 28.—Five of the ten miners who were entombed at the Donbrieste colliery, in Perthshire, were rescued yesterday when the sides of the mine again collapsed, entombing two of the rescuers. These, with the rescue party of four, who have failed to return, make eleven in all whose fate is still doubtful.

HAVING A GLORIOUS TIME.

Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 27. — The Canadian Press Association had a pleasant trip up the river to the capital to-day. They were driven about town, and taken over to Marysville, where Alexander Gibson showed them through his cotton and lumber mills, and then gave a banquet at his residence. This evening there was a dance.

MAY SEND A WARSHIP.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 27.—H. M. S. Amphion yesterday loaded three scow loads of ammunition, and the report was current last night that it has been ordered to proceed to proceed to Panama, and the torpedo boats Virago and Sparrow Hawk are to go with it.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Bulk or separate tenders will be received up to noon, Aug. 31st, 1901, for the erection and completion of a frame residence with brick foundation, for Peter Ennett at Turnerville, Ont. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of James W. Carswell, Archt. Tenders to be left at the office of the Archt., and the lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES W. CARSWELL, Archt.

Bridge Tenders

Tenders will be received till September 5th, 1901, for building a bridge across the Hyatt Outlet Drain on the Fourteenth Concession Line, at Lot 13, Dover East. The bridge to be forty-five feet span and sixteen feet wide. For plans and specifications, see commissioner, N. W. half Lot 17, Con. 14.

PETER CRAWFORD, Commissioner.

Cook's Cotton Root Compound

is successfully used monthly by over 100,000 ladies. Safe, efficient. Laid out your druggist for Cook's Cotton Root Compound. Take no other, as all Mixtures, pills and Purgatives are dangerous. Price, 25c per bottle. No. 10, 10 degrees stronger, 50c per box. No. 10, 10 degrees stronger, 50c per box. No. 10, 10 degrees stronger, 50c per box. The Cook Company Windsor, Ont. No. 1 and 2 sold and recommended by all responsible Druggists in Canada.

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

The Northway Co., Limited

The Busy Cash Store

The Northway Co., Limited

We Put Them on the Floor

For the prices of the goods To begin with quality for quality, we sell carpets for less money than any firm within your reach. In addition, we cut make and lay free of charge, any carpet bought here at or over 50c yard. We mark everything in plain figures. We have only one lowest price, fair, fixed and final. We're practical economical homefurnishers.

Some Hints to Point the Way

Thirty-six inch union carpets, new patterns and colors, put on your floor the yard.	50c.	Extra super, two-ply all wool carpets, made clean scoured yarns, good patterns and colors, cut, made and laid the yard.	75c.	5 pieces English brussels carpet, shades in brown, green, blue, terra and crimson, regular \$1.25 quality, made and laid, special	\$1.00
Heavy union carpets, 36 inches wide, reversible patterns, new colorings, special at 30 and	25c.	Standard, best three-ply all wool carpets, 36 inches wide, choice colors and patterns, cut, made and laid, the yard.	\$1.00	4 pieces English brussels carpet, in light, medium and dark shades, splendid value at \$1.00, special at	85c.
175 yards union carpets, our best 50c quality, patterns that have not moved quick enough to suit us, special at	36c.	300 yards tapestry carpets, good colors and patterns, all this season's imported, were special at 65c goods, special at	50c.	Hemp carpets, in floral and stripes, good reversible patterns, good firm quality, at 20c, 15c, 12 1-2c and	10c.
Thirty-six inch reversible carpets, made with a cotton warp and all wool filling, good colors, and patterns, a splendid serviceable carpet, put on your floor, the yard	60c.	250 yards tapestry carpets, good colors and patterns, good value at 50c, special at	35c.	Floor oil cloth, in floral and tile, in 4-4, 6-4 and 8-4, all to match, good quality, new patterns, special per yard	25c.
Twenty ounce, super, all wool carpets, good patterns and colors, 36 in. wide, cut, made and laid, the yard	58c.			Floor oil cloth, in floral and tile patterns, best quality, very dainty patterns, in 4-4, 6-4, 8-4 and 10-4, special at 35c and	45c.

The Northway Company Limited, Cash Only and One Price.

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Leave Your Measure For a Summer Suit

Ordered Clothing Department

Now is the opportune time to place your order for a Summer Suit. Don't leave it until the rush—the first. We are now in a better position to serve you in every way. You will have first choice of our New Summer Goods of which we carry the largest and best selected stock of any in the City. Our Cutter, Mr. Williston, is a thorough mechanic and has none but first-class Men Coat makers under his directions. We guarantee to save you money on Ordered Clothing and make them stylish and up-to-date. We also carry a stock of READY-MADE CLOTHING. We have the best \$3.50 and \$2.00 Ready-Made Pants in Canada. Try us for a pair.

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Put up in quarts and pints and are made of pure malt and superior quality only. Undoubtedly the best value ever offered to the public.

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THE BEER OF THE YEAR, is renowned for its softness and delicacy of flavor, its purity and genuineness, which makes it particularly adapted for medicinal use.

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Are a nourishment for the weak and a tonic for the athlete, and are highly recommended by the medical profession.

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Central Drug Store and F. A. Robert's Liquor Store.

In pint bottles, suitable for table use. It is the best and most pleasant of Mineral Waters. Try one case of two dozen bottles or even a smaller quantity.