

# The Planet.

DAILY AND WEEKLY  
Chatham, Ont.

WHAT THE CANADIANS HAVE  
DONE.

General orders issued at Pretoria on June 6, 1900, say: "The 19th Brigade has achieved a record of which any infantry might be proud. Since the brigade was formed, Feb. 12, 1900, it has marched 620 miles, often on half rations, seldom on full. It has taken part in the capture of 10 towns, fought in 10 general engagements and also 37 other skirmishes. In one period of 30 days it fought on 27 of them and marched 327 miles. Casualties, between four and five hundred. Defeated, nil. (Signed) John Hamilton, Major-General, 19th Brigade Office. Regiments comprising the 19th Brigade: Canadians, Gordon Highlanders, Shropshire Regiment and Cornwallis.

## WILL HAVE MANY USES.

The London Mail reports that a phonograph has been tested at Brighton that can be heard ten miles off. A message whispered into its mouthpiece is repeated in tones louder than the shrieks of a siren, and with perfect articulation. The machine is the invention of Horace L. Short, of Brighton. In appearance it is merely an ordinary phonograph with a large trumpet measuring four feet in length. Instead of the "records" being taken on wax in the usual manner, a sapphire needle is made to cut the dots representing the sound vibrations on a silver cylinder, and when the needle travels over the metal a second time, the vibrations cause the whistle to produce a series of air waves, and the machine thus becomes a talking siren, which transforms the human voice into a deafening roar. The possibilities of the machine are practically endless. It will render loud selections in the open air that can be listened to by thousands of people, or it will shout news messages that could be heard high above the roar of the traffic and the thousands of a big city.

## WOMEN AND THE FRANCHISE.

Rev. L. E. Keith, of Menlo, Iowa, writes as follows in The Woman's Journal, Toronto, for June: "Taxation without representation was a tyranny when the non-representative was a Yankee, but it is all right when it is a woman. A man is disfranchised for a crime he commits, but a woman is disfranchised for being born a woman—a crime, if it be crime, she could not help. Five times as many girls as boys graduate from our high schools, and while these educated girls marry the ignorant boys and want to know anything they are supposed to 'ask their husbands at home.' If a woman had the wealth of a Dives and the wisdom of a Solomon, and a man had the poverty of a Lazarus and the ignorance of a dunce he could make the laws and she would be compelled to obey them and pay his salary. Women can work weeks, months and years in rescuing drunks and be complimented by men for humanitarian work, but it would be 'womanly' and out of her sphere to cast a ballot to prevent drunkenness. The women read three-fourths of the books, monthlies and magazines of good, solid sense, and yet men say they do not know enough to vote; they grant this privilege to the most degraded ignoramus of the community who does not know enough to read his own ballot."

Among the British civil list pensions awarded during the last financial year are £200 pounds a year to Mr. Alfred Austin, "as poet laureate"; and £100 to Mr. Herman Charles Merivale, "in consideration of his literary work, and of his straitened circumstances."

The Lacey Bill has passed both houses of the U. S. Congress and is now law. This bill is in the interest of game and song bird protection, prevents the smuggling of game out of its boundaries, and the slaughter of birds for millinery purposes. The penalties for violation of the law are very severe.

Col. J. P. McMillan, of Cornwall, has received a sympathetic letter from E. J. Davis, Ontario Commissioner of Crown Lands, in reply to the application for a grant of land to the survivors of the force which repelled the Fenians in 1866-70. Mr. Davis expresses his sympathy with the movement, and says as soon as Mr. Southworth, Director of Colonization, returns from New Ontario, he will put him in communication with Col. McMillan, with a view of locating the sons and grandsons of the veterans in that portion of the province.

Arch. Blue, who has accepted the office of Dominion Census Commissioner, is an Orford man, having been born near Duart in 1840. After teaching school for a few years he entered journalism. From 1867 to 1879 he edited the St. Thomas Home Journal, going in the latter year to Toronto, where he was engaged in newspaper work until in 1882 he organized the Ontario Bureau of Industry, of which he was appointed secretary. In 1884 he became deputy minister of agriculture, and in 1891 director of the Bureau of Mines.

# Colds ON THE Chest

are dangerous; they weaken the constitution, inflame the lungs, and often lead to Pneumonia. Cough syrups are useless. The system must be given strength and force to throw off the disease.

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Should Archie Campbell decide to run in Kent again, it will be as a new or an old Liberal? There is a good deal of difference between them.

Wonder if the curative properties of the new mineral well would do anything for Archie Campbell's pre-election pledges, which are said to be in a sadly run-down condition?

There are those who say the Dominion elections will surely take place in October—Ottawa Citizen.

Then again there are those who think they will not take place until June next, and The Planet is and always has been one of them.

A young man in Hull was fined \$20 and costs for swearing on the street. If that penalty were made general in Chatham, as it should be, we could run the civic government on police court receipts.

We have every faith in the curative powers of the recently resurrected mineral water supply. The odor ought to be sufficient to kill the most active microbe in existence, even without dosing him with the water.

The Cobden Sun says:—A judgment of which farmers and threshers will do well to make a note, was delivered here on Friday by Judge Deacon. A Pole, named Krinsinski, brought an action against a thresher, who had disappointed him after the plaintiff had gone to the trouble and expense of making all preparations for the thresher's coming. The judge decided that the plaintiff was entitled to damages. This virtually means that in his jurisdiction threshers must keep their appointments no matter how tempting a job offers itself to one of them while on his way to work for which a contract has already been made.

## NAME WITH A PERSPECTIVE.

St. Louis Post-Dispatch. Mr. Otterbaubenpostelinnerhshubenbecker is a prosperous resident of Pine Bluff, Ark., who has never lobbied in any legislature to have his name removed.

## NOT GUILTY.

The Columbian. "Robert, dear how do you suppose those dozens and dozens of empty bottles ever got into the cellar?" "Why, I don't know, my dear. I never bought an empty bottle in my life."

## WHO PUBLISHED SAM'S INDISCREET LETTERS.

Ottawa Citizen. Whether it was more foolish, the author of Col. Sam Hughes' private letters to friends in Canada, or those Canadians who spread them before the public? If a penalty attaches to them it should not be exclusively visited upon the compiler.

## A MISTAKEN IMPRESSION REMOVED.

Bienheim Tribune. Rev. Mr. Drumm, editor of the Thamesville Herald, preached two very fine sermons in the Presbyterian church here last Sunday. Some members of the congregation now say they never knew before that an editor could tell the truth long enough to preach a sermon. Mr. Drumm, however, has disproved the theory. Thanks, Rev. Drumm.

## A GENERAL BREAK-UP.

Toronto Mail. Another old line Liberal, in the person of Mr. Penny, of the St. Lawrence division, Montreal, has dropped out of public life, and will not run for parliament at the coming general election. Montreal has gone back to its first love, the Conservative party, and the new Liberals are not expected to carry a seat there.

The list of old Liberals who are withdrawing is a growing concern. It includes Mr. Speaker Bain, Mr. James Somerville, Mr. Livingston, Mr. Erb, Mr. Spetsinger, Mr. Wood, of Hamilton; Mr. Bostock, Mr. Britton, Dr. Landerkin, and Mr. Penny; and it is understood that Mr. Comstock and Mr. Ellis, of St. John are ready to join in the exodus.

There is apparently a general "break-up" with the local leaders, deserting their commandos.

# Ralph Orton's Margue, etc.

By Harriet Boyen.

"Please, do you need a model?" asked a sweet voice, and an instant later Ralph Orton saw the loveliest face framed in by dancing golden curls. He stood an instant, lost in rapt admiration; then the overwhelming desire to paint her, his ideal, seized him. "Return in half an hour," and she turned away, a bright, winsome light on her face.

Orton, with wealth and friends on every hand, had chosen art as his profession, and was now in the zenith of his fame.

His dances, Irene Howard, was posing for him, but her face lacked the delicate feeling which he sought. For, while Irene was beautiful, still, under her charming exterior there lurked a heart that was cruel and hard.

Ah! but now he had seen the "Marguerite" of his dreams!

With consuming anxiety Ralph waited. Why did she not come? But at last his impatience was rewarded.

Winifred Grey was an orphan, and the sole support of an aged grandmother. She was well loved in the studio, where her gentle ways won her many friends as well as engagements.

As the sittings went on, the picture progressed rapidly; so also did the acquaintance, and from mere friendliness Ralph soon found that he loved her as never before, but, too honorable to break his pledged vows, he suffered in silence.

Winifred, arriving first at the studio one day, smelled smoke; turning to retrace her steps, she heard the door closed and the key turned, and a low, exulting laugh started her.

"Ha, ha, my pretty bird; trapped at last! Now will you steal my lover? Best your dainty wings and cry, but it will be in vain. Ha, ha!" It took her only a second to realize that she was shut in to burr.

A week later Winifred came out of a period of unconsciousness. The surroundings were all strange; so was the kind-looking lady who smoothed back her hair. To Winifred's inquiry the gentle answer came: "I am Ralph's mother and you are at his home. Now rest, dear," and with a kiss she left her.

Strength is quickly gained in pleasant environments, and soon Winifred heard of the fire and Irene's treachery, also the other story (which is old, but ever new) of Ralph's love for her.

Winifred is now married and the happy mistress of a dainty home.

"PLEASE, DO YOU NEED A MODEL?"

The place of honor in her parlor is filled by the "Marguerite," and as the bright falls softly on the husband, draws his wife to him, and, glancing at the picture, murmurs softly, "My 'Marguerite.' I find, but almost lost you, but now you are mine forever and ever."

## CAT WAS A HEROINE

Really Saved the Life of Her Friend and Mistress.

Pussy's mistress came from Sweden to live in America, says the Boston Beacon. She had been very comfortable in her old home, with a good house and large garden. But she had never been used to gas, and knew nothing about it.

One night while she was visiting some friends in the new country, she went up stairs, taking her pussy with her. The house was lighted by gas, and her friend never thought to explain to her how to manage it. She, unthinking, blew out the light and went to bed.

She was tired and soon asleep. But it was not long before she was feeling very uncomfortable. There seemed to be a weight on her chest, and she could hardly breathe. Her pussy was on the bed beside her, mewing, rubbing against her face, and patting her with her paw.

The gas was coming from the pipe into the room. She was not wide awake enough to know what was the matter, and she tried to quiet pussy and go to sleep again. But Pussy persisted, and finally roused her. She called her friend, who came quickly, without a light, and turned off the gas. If she had brought a lighted lamp into the room, there would have been great danger of an explosion.

The cat really saved the life of her mistress. If she had not waked her, Pussy was a little friend, but a very faithful one.

## WHAT A WOMAN THINKS

The man who thinks he knows everything has the most to learn in life. One of the hardest things to forgive in this world is the success of your equal.

One of the most refreshing sights is the husband and wife who are still lovers. To more than one young couple matrimonial ties become a very knotty problem.

A wise woman never takes the world into her confidence about her troubles or her family affairs.

When you are tempted to complain of your lot in life, visit a hospital full of crippled children.

Imagination is that faculty which enables us to believe that the things we want and can't have are a great deal better off without.

# CITY FIRE ALARM.

LOCATION OF BOXES.

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No. 13—Corner William and Wellington streets.  
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No. 15—Corner Thames and Head streets.  
No. 16—Corner of Baldwin and Head streets.  
No. 21—Corner of Selkirk street and Victoria Ave.  
No. 23—Corner Colborne and William streets.  
No. 24—Corner Colborne and Prince streets.  
No. 25—Corner of Stanley Ave. and Prince street.  
No. 26—Corner King and Princess streets.  
No. 31—Corner of Prince and Park streets.  
No. 32—Corner of Grey and Queen streets.  
No. 34—Cor Park avenue and Queen street.  
No. 35—Corner of Harvey and West streets.  
No. 36—Corner Lacroix and King streets.

## TELEPHONE ALARMS.

No. 3—General Hospital.  
No. 4—Corner of Lorne avenue and Lacroix street, residence of Chief Jacques.  
No. 5—Corner of Duke and Park streets, store of Henry Weaver.  
No. 6—Central Telephone office.  
No. 7—C. P. R. Station.  
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## Municipality of Raleigh.

Take notice that the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Township of Raleigh, will meet in the Township Hall, on Monday, the 6th day of August, 1900, at 10 a. m., for despatch of business.

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## Notice to Creditors.

In the matter of George Taylor, of the City of Chatham in the County of Kent and Province of Ontario, to-beaconist.

Notice is hereby given that George Taylor, of the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent aforesaid, carrying on business there as tobacconist, has made an assignment under R. S. O. 1897, chapter 147 and the amending acts of all his estate, credits and effects, to George W. Sulman, of the said City of Chatham, merchant, for the general benefit of his creditors. A meeting of his creditors will be held at the offices of Messrs. Lewis & Richards, Oddfellows' Temple, King street, in the said City of Chatham, on Friday, the 3rd day of August, 1900, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to receive a statement of affairs, to appoint inspectors and fix their remuneration and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally.

All creditors of the said estate are hereby required to file their claims with my solicitors, Messrs. Lewis & Richards, Chatham, Ont., with the proofs and particulars thereof as required by the said act, on or before the date of such meeting.

And notice is hereby further given that after the 24th day of August, the assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the debtor amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof, so distributed, to any persons or persons of whose claims he shall not then have notice.

G. W. SULMAN, Assignee,  
LEWIS & RICHARDS,  
Solicitors for Assignee.

Dated the 23rd day of July, 1900.  
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