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BE CONSISTENT!

Whatever may be the result, The Planet must ask, earnestly and inmistently, for a reconsideration of certain decisions arrived at by the Board of License Commissioners for West Kent at their recent meeting.

To the mandate that accords John Pleasence, of the Hotel Rankin, a scant thirty days in which to negotiate a sacrifice sale of his property, this journal is unalterably opposed. In taking this position The Planet is now quite aware that it is at me with the executive committee of the Conservative Association of West Kent-a coterie of gentlemen whom it holds in the highest respect, This estrangement it regrets sinmerely; but, should it prove necessary to enter a protest with the sioners, this journal-holding life-long convictions on the policy of true Liberal-Conservatism as represented, we believe, in the Whitney Government of to-day-would lack the courage of those convictions, did it fail now in what it conscientiously believes to be a duty to itself and the principles it is proud to represent.

Frankly, we have no axe to grind; it would prove much more palatable to maintain a discreet silence. John Pleasence is nothing to The Planet. He does not enjoy our particular admiration-he never has. Occasionally we have interchanged publicly a few caustic compliments; we may do so again. He has been, in our opinion, a politician of the stamp that did not always reflect credit on himself or his party-and we have never hesitated to say so.

Doubtless about twenty-five per cent, of the political indiscretions urged against him are quite true; doubtless, also, if any unfortunate Conservative had dared to make twenty-five per cent, as much noise as did "Irish Jack" under the late Ross maladministration, he would have been decapitated without mercy. At the same time we must not permit ourselves to fall into the iniquities which we so severely condemned in the Rossites. The Liberal-Conservative party has always stood-and stands to-day-for liberality and justice and equal rights to everyone and everyone includes even "Irish Jack.

There is not a Conservative in the constituency that did not, with The Planet, experience a thrill of pride an reading the magnificent letter of Hon. Mr. Hanna outlining the policy now to characterize the administration of this department of Provincial Government. It bespoke the true principles of the Conservative party-in power or out of it-and can we honestly remain loyal to our oftexpressed convictions, and, at the same time, tolerate or condone the old, revengeful and retaliatory methods we so long and vigorously condemned in that discredited thing Let us be honest and just in this

case, doing nothing we would have condemned-or did condemn-in our opponents. What are the facts? While, as has been said, John Pleasence was actively engaged politically in a manner that did not reflect credit on himself or his party, he is, in many ways a good citizen, and The Planet is emphatically in favor of giving him an opportunity to continue his business so long as he conforms honestly to the requirements of the law. His house is conducted possibly as well as any of its class in Canada; he is improving it as fast as his means will allow, and this journal would earnestly counsel that he be granted a reasonable extension of at least six months. If, at that time, the Commissioners have no fault to find with the way he is conducting his business, he should then be treated precisely in the same way as other holders of licenses are treated-nothing more and nothing less.

And, in the position it takes, The Planet is pleased to know that it has the hearty endorsation and support of so large and influential representation of the strong Liberal-Conservatives of West Kent.

GENEROUS GIVING

Holy Trinity church was handsomely decorated on Easter Sunday. This was the pleasing work of the Willing Workers under the supervision of Mrs. Watsou Walker and Miss Ball in the absence of Miss Edith Tackaberry, convener. On Easter Sunday the congregation of Holy Trinity church were asked for a collection of \$300 to be used in the schemes of the church. The request was readily met by the congregation and at the morning service aione \$230 was received.

A courtship sometimes reverts to

HE KNOWS NOW

Mr: Fewster Alleges he Didn't Know he was Plaintiff till his Goods Were Seized - Curious Outcome of Suit.

Henry Fewster, Chatham Tp., is now a devout believer in breaking the news gently. He says that he never knew that he had been plaintiff in a suit and had tost it till the bailiff seized his live stock. The bailiff walked into his yard one day and said, "That's a fine horse you have there, Mr. Fewster," Mr. Few-ster glowed with pride and replied that it was and was worth a couple of hundred easily.
"All right," said the bailiff, Till just seize it."

Then explanations were in order. It seems that William Reed and Mr. Fewster were executors of the late Mr. Macdonald, of Darrell. They sued the sons for some hundred dol sued the sons for some hundred dollars for services rendered. The sons put in a counter claim sufficient to cover the amount claimed and had it allowed. It was then up to Messrs. Reed and Fewster to pay the costs. An execution was issued against Mr. Fewster, who is quite well off, and he says that the first time he knew there was any trial was when the execution was served. Thomas Scullard, yesterday morning, acting for Mr. Fewster, moved that his client's name he struck out and his client's name be struck out and the action dismissed so far as he

concerned.

The motion was laid over for 10 days to admit of William Reed being S. B. Arnold appeared for William Reed, and M. Houston for McDonald

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It Reminded Him

The best remedy against a lapse of memory is the piece of thread tied about the finger. But there is a well authenticated case of a man whose wife tied a piece of thread around his finger in the morning to remind him to get his hair cut.

On his way home to dinner he noticed the piece of thread. "Yes I remem-

on alls way nome to dinner he noticed the piece of thread. "Yes, I remember," he said and, smiling proudly, entered the usual shop and sat down before the accustomed artist.

"Why, I cut; your hair this morning, sir!" said the astonished barber.

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DIED IN NORWICH

Cameron, North Court street, has been the scene of very trying experiences during the past week, their eldest daughter having been called away on Thursday last, whilst death also removed Mr. Cameron's father on the following Saturday, and at present writing his mother, who has also resided with him, is apparently sinking rapidly, beyond hope of recovery. In addition to these troubles, at one time the second daughter was quite serious ill and grave doubts arose as to her condition, Happily, Cameron, North Court street, has arose as to her condition. Happily

arose as to her condition, Happily, however, matters have changed for the better in this respect and she is now recovering.

Violet M., the daughter who has been called away, was only in her seventh year and was a bright and promising pupil in the younger class in the Public school. She was taken sick on the Sunday evening before her death, and rapidly sank under a severe attack of pneumonia. At the funeral on Satarday, which was largely attended, the sympathy which the funeral on Sararday, which was largely attended, the sympathy which was aroused amongst the citizens and the many triends of the family was abundantly manifested. The little coffin was covered with floral con-tributions, amongst them being wreaths from schoolmates in the Pub-lle school and in the Sunday school the school and in the Sunday school which she attended, also a wreath from a relative in Michigan. The service was conducted by Rev. J. H. Cameron, assisted by Rev. H. H. Bing-

ham.

The death of Mr. Stephen B. Cameron, father of Mr. Arden Cameron, took place on Tuesday, 18th inst., in his 82nd year, as a result of physical troubles peculiar to advanced age. Deceased was born in Wentworth County and spent most of his life in this section. He was forty years a school teacher and nad been for averal years in receipt of a pension a school teacher and had been for several years in receipt of a pension from the Superanuated Teachers' Fund. The funeral took place on Thursday afternoon, the proceedings being of a private character on ac-count of the illness of Mrs. Cameron,

Sr., who still survives him, but at last reports seemed to be growing weaker and nearer the end,

The most profound sympathy exists throughout the community with the bereaved family.—Norwich Garatte

zette.

The mother, Mrs. Priscilla Lee Cameron, passed away on April 21, three days after her husband, in her 77th year.

The family left are: Albert Cameron, postmaster, Bush Lane, Norfolk County; Duncan Cameron, East Dayton, Mich.; J. A. Cameron, Loretta (Pears), Winnipeg, Man, Agnes (Wheatley), Tillsonburg, Ont.; Emma (Piett), Simose, Ont.; Arthur Cameron, Woodstock, Ont.; Arden Cameron, Norwich, Ont.; Edna (Patten), Sanilac Centre, Mich.

PASSED AWAY

James Meredith, one of the most beloved and respected of Kent's pi-oneers, passed to his reward at 7 o'clock on Tuesday, April 18th, He

was in his 69th year.

For the past eleven years Mr. Meredith has been an invalid, and for the last two or chree years a very great sufferer. His afflictions were borne with great patience, and, although unable to speak at the last, his perfect mental aculties were retained to the end.

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Mr. Meredith was an adherent of the Methodist Church. He was born in the County of Haldimand, near the village of Caledonia, and when still a young man came and settled in Camden Township, where he resided till about ten years ago, when he moved to his late residence in Chatham (Township.

Mr. Meredith was married in 1862 to Miss Maggie McKenzie, daughter

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Mr. Meredith was married in 1862
to Miss Maggie McKenzie, daughter
of the late Alexander McKenzie, of
the village of Louisville, whose kind
and untiring efforts to relieve him
and comfort him through his long
suffering will surely be rewarded.

Ten children blessed the happy union, six sons and four daughters. The
sons are James Edward, Edgar, Orval, of Chatham Township: Charles
Vansen, of Petrolia: Thomas A., engineer on the Pere Marquette R. R.,
and William John, at home. The
daughters are Mrs. Hassey, California: Mrs. Wm. Willeox, of Chatham
Township: Mrs. Wm. Hazelett, of
Camden, and Miss Gladys, at home.
The deceased printleman is also
survived by six sisters and three
brothers—Mrs. Wm. Ross, of Camden; Mrs. R. Wilson, Seaforth; Mrs.
John Laidlow, Caledonia: Mrs. Ed
Philips, Woodstock: Mrs. Walter
Payn, Dundass; Mrs. P. McConichia,
Detroit: John, of Caledonia: David,
of Woodstock: Thomas, of Camden.
The family were all present, with
the exception of Mrs. Hassey, to bid
farewell to a good husband and kind
father.

The funeral service was conducted
by Rev. Mr. McKelvey, assisted by
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A most successful entertainment was held in St. Joseph's Hall Monday evening. The hall was crowded to the doors and the entertainment well merited the large attendance.

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The evening opened with a burlesque, Mrs. Busby's Pink Tea, in which the following ladies participat-

lesque, Mrs. Busby's Pink Tea, in which the following ladies participatical:—Mesdames Stevens, Trudell, Day, Blonde, Dekoy, Walker and Fleming, Misses B. Taylor, A. Blonde, McLaren, Mabel Evott, and John Stevens, Mrs. Trudell was presented with a beautiful bouquet of roses.

Chas. Wregg gave an excellent bass solo, "On the Deep," and Miss Olive Richards gave a selected number. Miss Richards has a beautiful voice and she sings well. Her number was greatify appreciated. Miss May Peate, contraito, gave two songs in excellent voice. Harry Flowers also sang and was very favorably received by the audience.

The burlesque, Mikado, followed, and was amusing in the extreme. Those who figured in the cast were, Messrs. Reg Pleasence, J. Brennen, Nicol, Weldon, H. Philp, H. McDonald, Welsh, Coatsworth, DeKoy, Ridley and Masters T. Dezelia and H. Nicol.

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WALLACEBURG

April 24.—Special music was given in our churches yesterday, 'They were also attractively and suitably brightened with flowers, etc.

Mr. Fred. Yates, of New York, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Miss Lelah Whitebread was the guest of Mrs. Chas. McDougall for a few days.

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Mr. Allan Fraser, of Detroit, spent
Sunday at the home of his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fraser,
Mrs. J. T. Saint and Mrs. T.

O'Donell spent yesterday with friends in Port Huron, Mr. W. J. Boulton, Jr., of Kloch, Ont., spent the holidays at his home

Mr. Temp Kelly, of Toronto, visited at his bome for a few days.
Miss Annie Early, of Detroit, was
the guest of Miss Bertha Wellman
for a few days. for a few days.

Miss Ethel Hooktwith spent Easter at her home here.

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BLENHEIM

Arr 1 25.—Mr. and Mrs. S. Sullivan leave this week for Chatham, where in future they will reside. Leonard Jamieson, of Western Uni-versity, London, is visiting friends

versity, London, is visiting friends in town,

The annual Easter vestry meeting of Trinity church was held last evening. Meeting adjourned to be held again on Wednesday, April 26, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Collar are visiting relatives in Detroit,

A good sized audience was present at the play in the Opera House last evening, it being the Shapesperian play "The Taming of the Shrew," Mr. Asa Putnam is very sick. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Osborne are visiting relatives at Merlin.

April 26.—O. Fuce, of Toronto, and Mrs. Sullivan, Raleigh, spent Easter at Mr. and Mrs. J. Fuce's.

On April 24th, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo.

H. Bell, a daughter.

Miss Ferson, of London, visited Miss H. Eiggar over Eunday.

Miss Jessie Flater is visiting relatives in Petrolia.

The choral concert given by the united choirs of the town, under the

auspices of the Presbyterian Church. last evening, was enjoyed very much by those present, a good number being present.

Miss G. M. Shillington returned from London and Parkhill last even-

ing, where she has been visiting during Easter.
Rev. Geo. McLean is visiting at

Courtright.

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Mrs. W. Sterling, of London, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Stewart, returned this week, accompanied by her grand-daughter, Miss Nellie Stewart.

Wm. Dean is making alterations to the restaurant at the station by enlarging it.

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