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**Reliance Loan & Savings Co**  
**OF ONTARIO.**  
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## THAT BEET SUGAR BY-LAW.

It is the duty of every useful newspaper to have a pronounced stand on every public question, and it is also its duty to make an earnest study of the questions of the day and to offer advice to its readers along such lines as it believes to be in the best interests of the community.

On Friday next the ratepayers of Chatham will be asked to vote on a proposition to grant a loan of \$75,000 to the Keystone Sugar Company, who in return promise to move the Warton beet sugar factory to this city. The Planet's stand on this question has been previously announced and it is safe to say that there is not a ratepayer in the city who does not know the position taken by this journal.

The Planet has not jumped at hasty conclusions in this matter. The subject has been given sufficient consideration and investigation which, in our opinion, warrants the stand we have taken, and our advice to the electors is to oppose the passing of this by-law.

One of the chief objections from the first has been the matter of security. We are of the opinion that when the ratepayers are asked to loan such a large amount they should know how they are to be secured against any loss should the factory not prove a success, and also who are going to guarantee the repayment of the loan. It is the undisputed opinion that the company's bonds are not sufficient guarantee for the city. The question then is, what trust company is going to insure the bonds to the amount of the loan tendered by the city—or are the city's bonds going to be hawked about to unload the machinery that a few capitalists purchased at a rate on the dollar, on another company which it is hoped will be formed. This trust company has never been named and the ratepayers who are asked to vote on the question have no assurance that they will suffer no loss.

There are other objections to the scheme that have been pointed out from time to time, and which have not been met with straightforward answers from the men who are pushing the by-law. It seems to be a suspicious circumstance that none of the well-known business men who are said to be in the Keystone Company and who are so anxious to secure the loan from the city are not here personally to deal with the electors. The only man the citizens know in connection with the proposition is James Fowler, a paid promoter who is receiving money for coming here and talking up the scheme, and if possible to work the tactics used when the by-law was last submitted and defeated. Mr. Fowler's methods are not confined to an open course of action in order to get the by-law through. This in itself is a sign of weakness in the scheme he is promoting.

Some of Chatham's heaviest ratepayers and most influential business men have expressed themselves strongly against the by-law, but, unfortunately, the men who are opposing the measure have taken no steps towards influencing the other ratepayers. This inaction on the part of men who understand these propositions is indeed regrettable.

There are still a few days before the by-law will be submitted. Every elector should make a personal study of the proposition in order to vote intelligently, and we are of the opinion that if this is done Mr. Fowler will be forced to seek some other location to unload the sugar factory.

Three little babes were nestled in bed,  
"I'll name William, Willie and Bill,"  
mother said,  
Wide was her smile, for triplets they be,  
She lays her good luck to Rocky Mountain Tea.  
(Great baby medicine.)

A. I. McCall &amp; Co.

No one ever reaches the top of the ladder unless he starts at the bottom of it.

## JUST A LITTLE BIT OFF THE TOP

Toronto has been hit with the "investigation fever," and it is difficult to say where all this plying of muck-rakes will stop at.

Dynamite bombs were found in the Earl's garden. This of all the fine vegetables that would have been destroyed, had the Earl stepped on one of them.

The Lib. papers are making much Bastardo about nothing.

Workmen employed in building a hotel in New York dropped a policeman from the eighth story. Few policemen ascend to the third story of a hotel. They are usually content to take their drop behind a door on the first floor.

The Embro Courier tells us that a grip, containing whiskey, indignantly left a barn-raising at Zorra and disappeared under a buggy, when confronted by a number of the residents of the W. C. T. U. We have heard whiskey termed strong drink, but we are inclined to think that the brand used at Zorra raisings must be of unusual strenuousity.

Mr. Shearer was the father of the Lord's Day Bill. But the real shearer got to work when the bill hit the Senate.

"Sweetheart, where is that soda siphon I put in the ice-box last night?" asked Younghub.  
"Oh, dear!" cried the June bride.  
"Did you want that I used it this morning sprinkling the plants?"  
—Detroit Free Press.

## CAN THEY SUE?

Coates, Sen & Co., Give Government Notice of Their Intentions.

Toronto, July 14.—That memorandum whereby Hon. Richard Harcourt, when acting for the Provincial Treasurer, agreed, as they understood, to allow Coates, Sen & Co., the financial agents of London, England, to float the permanent provincial loan to redeem the bills issued in connection with the T. & N. O. Railway, promises to attain still wider publicity than it acquired in the House last session.

The English firm recently wrote to the Provincial Treasurer, pressing their former claim for brokerage at one-quarter of one per cent. on the \$6,000,000, or about \$15,000.

The claim was again disputed by Hon. Mr. Matheson, in accordance with the decision of the Cabinet. He reminded them that they had on two occasions had the opportunity of tendering for the new loan. Both times their tenders were so low they could not be considered.

The Messrs. Coates regretted the decision of the Cabinet and placed the matter, as they notified the Government, in the hands of their Toronto lawyers, Barwick, Aylesworth, Wright & Moss.

As the Government cannot be sued without the consent of the Attorney-General, some delicate negotiations may be anticipated.

## BOLT HITS ORANGE HALL.

One Man Killed and Over 100 Rendered Unconscious By the Shock.

St. John, N. B., July 14.—During the severe electrical storm which passed over this section of the province early Thursday morning lightning struck the Orange Hall at Wolfville, while members of the lodge were celebrating the 15th.

One man, Ludlow Nase, was instantly killed; a young woman was terribly burned, and over a hundred rendered unconscious by the shock. The hall was badly damaged.

A panic ensued, and for a time it was feared that many would be crushed to death as the lights were out off and the hall was left in darkness. Most of the people who were stunned by the shock recovered after a few minutes, but in some cases the action of the lightning was most marked.

Lightning struck several houses in this city, and the whole fire department was called out to save valuable buildings in the north end.

Use your talents.

**2 in 1**  
**Shoe Polish**  
Black, Tan and White  
"2 in 1" has no substitute. It was the first polish of its kind produced. Millions use it and refuse all imitations. It is the cheapest and best—the only one. Insist on it from your dealer.



## \$10.00 ATLANTIC CITY, CAPE MAY AND RETURN

Four seashore excursions via Lehigh Valley Railroad July 20th, August 3rd, 17th and 31st. Tickets good 15 days, stopover allowed at Philadelphia. Tickets only \$10 round trip from Suspension Bridge, Niagara Falls. For tickets, call on or write Robert S. Lewis, Canadian Passenger Agent, 10 King Street East, Toronto.

## FLY THE OLD FLAG.

My predecessor in the Congregational Tabernacle here, the saintly William Wetherald, used to tell me of his former Academy for Boys at Rockwood and always said, "Jim Hill was the smartest boy in my school." I am pleased to be under obligations to Mr. Hill for a motto:

**Fly the Old Flag.**  
(All rights reserved.)  
The western winds come sighing,  
And whisper to us of rest;  
But to keep our colors flying  
They do their duty best!

Chorus:  
Fly the old flag! 'tis a stately rag!  
Fly the old flag, what's the matter!  
We'll fly the old flag, if it's only a rag!  
It shall fly to the very last tatter!

'Tis dear to us, and dearer  
Than are all the flags that fly  
And to each ambition nearer—  
A love that will not die!

Chorus:  
Canada's hope and glory,  
Is ever among the free  
To recount her stainless story  
Of peace and liberty!

Chorus:  
—Wm. Wye Smith, in The Globe,  
St. Catharines, Ont.

## CANADA'S DISTINCTION.

Dominion Possesses Poetic Literature Beyond Compare With Sister States.

"The Art of Bliss Carman" is discussed by "Aramis" in the current number of "Canada," the new weekly dealing with Canadian affairs published in England, as follows:

"Not one of the sister States in the great Imperial League of free and independent British nations possesses a poetic literature which can be compared with that of Canada, either in achievement or promise. Australia has produced several makers of songs and ballads (in which the lines gallop along like Virgil's 'quadrupeusque putem sonitu quatit Ungula campum'), but hitherto the wider vision has been denied to her poets. New Zealand has only one poetic voice, and South Africa is no better off. In the Frederickton school of poets alone Canada has an artistic brotherhood, the like of which has not existed since the decadence of the 'Lake School' (dwindled in those latter days to the Rev. H. B. Rawnley, that machine for turning out tiresome sonnets) in the Mother Country, where the 'poetry of beauty, sincerity, an elation' is out of fashion for the time being. Of the Frederickton poets, Bliss Carman, now that a collected edition of his work has been published and the critic can judge the full extent and vitality of his actual achievement, must rank as the strongest and best. His matter is quieter than his manner, but the few ineffables in his technique pass unnoticed in the broadening glow of his heartfelt inspiration, which, like a prairie fire making its own breeze, reaps the fire-brakes of the prosodist's commandments, and burns at a touch all the fences of conventional practice.

"Moreover, in some of his best-known poems—for example, in 'Low Tide on Grande Pre,' which begins:

The sun goes down, and over all  
These barren reaches by the tide  
Such unelusive glories fall,  
I almost dream they yet will bide  
Until the coming of the tide,

he makes experiments in form which are almost uncannily successful. In this poem the effect of the three long rhyming syllables (the third a sheer repetition of the first) is most noticeable. It suggests the haunted monotony of the setting of scenery, and the sorrow over what might have been, which is at the singer's heart. Perhaps the most insistent note of Mr. Carman's verse is the passionate love of his native land.

## Cigarettes For Rideau Hall.

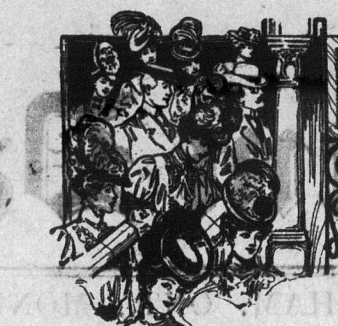
Bulwary correspondence of "South Africa" (London): "I need not say much more about the advancement of Rhodesia at present, but I might record the satisfaction I experienced on hearing of the great progress made with the tobacco industry. There is a big demand already throughout South Africa for Rhodesian cigarettes than can be supplied, and my readers will be interested to know that Lord Grey recently ordered two large cases of cigarettes, at the same time issuing a good-natured edict that no cigarettes but these are to be smoked by the staff at Ottawa Government House. His Lordship's heart beats true to Rhodesia, whose progress, is not to be measured by purely material considerations, however these may of necessity enter into the calculations of holders of charters and the possessors of mining scrip—good, bad and indifferent."

## Lived to Be Ninety-Three.

The death occurred the other day at Oakville of Mrs. Thomas Jaffray Robertson, widow of the late Thomas Jaffray Robertson, first principal of the Normal School of Upper Canada, at the advanced age of 93 years. At the time of her death Mrs. Robertson was residing with her daughter, Mrs. Applebe, who she had lived for the past thirty-nine years. Her husband died about forty years ago. Mrs. Robertson leaves three daughters and three sons. The latter are: Mr. Thomas Jaffray Robertson, barrister, Newmarket; Mr. H. H. Robertson, of the Imperial Loan & Investment Co., Toronto; and Mr. F. C. N. Robertson, auditor for the Pullman Co., Chicago. The daughters are: Mrs. Bristol and Mrs. Applebe, of Oakville, and Mrs. Lewis, wife of Mr. A. R. Lewis, barrister, Toronto.

## Postage on British Magazines.

It is understood that Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Postmaster-General, has begun negotiations with the British postal authorities looking to a reduction of postal rates on magazines from Britain to Canada. If successful the movement would have the effect of causing the circulation of British literature in Canada in a greater degree than at present, and tend still further to develop British sentiment in the Dominion. The opinion is entertained that Hon. Sydney Dumas, Postmaster-General in London, will be favorably impressed by the representations made to him, and that there is a prospect of successful outcome of the negotiations.



season to another. The choicest Spring and Summer Goods are here, and included in the reduced stocks—not a single undesirable item—all the finest and best the market affords. They are cheap only in price. If you would know all the charm of bargaining—the attraction of unusual money's worth; then you shouldn't overlook the Great Clearance Sale. Some specials for this week:—

## \$1.00 Dress Goods for 58c

27 pieces including 56 in. Tweeds, 50 in. French Chevots, 52 in. Basket Cloths, 54 in. Panama Cloths, 56 in. Homespuns, 48 in. Mohairs, etc., Blacks and full range colors, reg. 75c, 90c. and \$1.00 yard, sale price

## Carpets

4 pieces Heavy Union Carpets, reversible patterns, regular 35c. values, sale price

## 50c Union Carpets 39c

5 pieces heavy reversible make, reg. 45c and 50c. yd, sale price

## 40c Union Carpets 33c

Good heavy firm quality, full yard wide and reversible, new designs and colorings, reg. 40c. a yard, sale price

5 pieces extra quality Tapestry Carpets, reg. 75c yd, sale price

## 85c Brussels Carpets 58c

2 pieces only body Brussels, reg. 85c. yard, sale price

## 5 pieces English Brussels Carpets, reg. 81 a yd, sale price

## 35c and 40c Oilcloths 28c Yd

16 pieces best grade, 1 yd to 2 yds. wide, floral and tile patterns, reg. 35c and 40c. yd, sale price

## Curtain Bargains

46 pairs fine Nottingham Curtains, regular \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2 a pair, sale price

## Raincoats

Lot Men's Raincoats, clearing at

## One-Third Off

## \$1.25 and \$1.50 Lace Curtains 98c

39 pairs Nottingham Curtains, 3 yds and 3 1/2 yds. long, full width, choice patterns, regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 a pair, sale price

## 24 Pairs Brussels Net Curtains

Regular \$4.50, \$5, \$6 and \$6.50 a pair, clearing at sale price

## 14 pairs Brussels Net Irish Point and Swiss Curtains, white and ecru, reg. \$6 to \$9 a pair, sale price

## 10 pairs fine Cable Net and Nottingham Curtains, slightly soiled, sample curtains, reg. \$4, \$4.50, \$5 and \$5.50 a pair, sale price

## Rugs at Sale Prices

Japanese Rugs 6 x 9 ft, Oriental designs, reg. \$6.50 for

Size 7 1/2 x 10 feet, reg. \$10, sale price

Size 9 x 12 feet, reg. \$12.50, sale price

Size 12 x 14 ft, reg. \$16.50, sale price

Runners, size 3 x 6 ft, reg. \$2.50 sale price

Size 3 x 9 feet, reg. \$3.50, sale price

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