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FROM THE PEOPLE

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Editor of The Planet:

Dear Sir,—I am very much interested in the communications of H. T.

I see three or four tthings in the last week's Planet. Firstly, on page 2, on Church Taxation, you quote from the Toronto Star. Again, you quote from the Regina Standard, condemning the bonus bug. You quote also from the Winnippeg Tribune, on page 10, stating that the U. S. people have been cured of railway subsidies. On page 16 is an account of a big strike on the C. P. R. in the West. Surely the people of Canada ought to wake up. I hope the Tory party will lead the country to a solution of these awful conditions. I express my approval of what he has said, and I hope he will keep his quill sharp. I hope to see his suggestion in his letter to put the strikers on land carried out. There are millions of acres of land held by speculators near Winnipeg that should be made available in small holdings, rent free, to strikers at all times.

WM. C. BLACK.

R. R., Harwich.

Chatham, Ang. 13, 1900. Editor of The Planet:

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Dear Planet.—As I promised in my last letter to tell some things we ought to remember in the study of economics let us remember there is in a revenue tariff an incidental protection. We Canadians have never been free from protection. During the McKenzie regime the revenue called for 17½ p c ad valors n on all imports. Observe that the protection involved in that is not intended but is incidental. I submit "that protection is all that should ever be given" (quoted from the late Dalton McCarthy.) How had the manufactures of of Canada developed before the national policy was born? I see in the last Planet on page 11 that Squire Geo. Jacobs had a tannery in Chatham in 1843, which was 44 years before the national policy was born in 1878, and as I have spoken of leather I would remind our readers that the leather trade had come to maturity bofore the N. P. was born. The foreman of his shop was Wm Hogg, a Scotchman, Moreover, Mr. Fisher, of Montreal, sent patent leathers skirting, dash and collar as well as carriage top leathers, and the foreman of his shop was Joseph Bureau, a French Canadian. Both of these houses carried home the highest honors from all the leather manufacturers of the world in fair competition. I said a great many of the tanners went down as a result of the N. P. Mr. Fisher was one who went down while the Craigs are doing less than one quarter of the business they did then.

iter used to spim woollens for farmers in the Niagara District during summer and weave cloths in the fall and winter. This in the early twenties, as she was married in 1827, I was born in 1847, an Wellington county and went to Georgetown, Halton county, in 1863, to learn my trade. There was there at that time a firm, Barber Bros. William, Joseph, Robert and James, who were carrying on woollen manusum as as good as Gooder-law & work in a constructed. The past thrown out of the lateral ditches is fast aun drying and will be ready for use as con as the factory is constructed. The past thrown out of the spring. The pest thrown out of the spring. The provided will be at the end of the switch where there is a high knoll with very little work land company haven's as yet decided whether to build this fall or early in the spring. The spring manusum of the office of the William, Joseph, Robert and James, who were carrying on woollens, and with suffice many dames opened paper mills, two miles from the village, at the law of the work of the work of the William and Robert went to Streetsville and made paper and woollens there. There were more than 500 woollen mills in Canada and the work had come to maturity.

I went to New York in 1871 to develop the knowledge of my to develop the knowledge of more than 500 woolen mills in Canada and the work had come to maturity. I went to New York in 1871 to de-velop the knowledge of my trade, be-ing acquainted with a chap in a wholesale woollen jobbers. One side of wholesale woollen jobbers. One side of the warehouse on the second floor was marked Canadian tweeds, I looked at the names of the makers. I saw Bara ber Bros, name on large quantities of of goods. It made me feel at home to see the name of old-friends. What of all this? Seven years before the N. P. was born Canadian woollen manuwas born Canadian woollen manu-ctures had come to maturity. Barber Bros. also went down under the sword of the N. P., in the early eighties. Let us not forget that sleigh, wagon and carriage making did not begin with

the N.P.

My father bought a threshing machine in 1855 in Palermo, county, of Halton, a good machine, and worked in the neighborhood for 25 years, a reaper in 1858, at Brampton, county of Peel, another from H. A. Massey, in 1867 (this is the man later known Massey, Harris Co) I submit, Mr. Editor, we owe nothing for the maturity tor, we owe nothing for the maturity of our manufactures to the N. P.

But was there not a lie steam fire engine named "Merryweather" made in Chatham also, long before the N. P. came to light. I should say right here that the makers of agricultural implements were protected by the owners of the patents under which they worked in the exclusive use of the territory as purchasers of the patent right.

WANTS TO KNOW WHO H. T. IS To The Planet:-In a recent issue of

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The Planet we have been reading some splendid sayings from H. T. How we wish we could know him. We are anxiously waiting for next week's paper, hoping to hear from him again. It is so rare a thing nowadays to hear of a man that when he speaks to the public will strike straight out from the shoulder. Still we keep saying, who is he? What does H. T. stand for? We envy an editor. He has so many secrets and knows so well how to keep them.

(MRS.) J. E. NELSON.

(MRS.) J. E. NELSON. Cedar Springs, Aug. 20th, 1900.

Is All That is Being Done so Far in the Peat Beds

At the Eau-The System Very Successful-ro Fuel Will be Marketed This Year.

"We will not make any peat fuel this year," said J. L. Scott in speaking about peat prospects at the Eau. "The drainage scheme so far as carried out has proven highly satisfactory and our success is beyond our expectations. We constructed a large ditch parallel with the creek and the peat thrown out from this ditch was used large ditch parallel with the creek and the peat thrown out from this ditch was used as a dyke. The high shore of the lake protects the south-west side and the railroad makes a good dyke along the south-east side. Lateral drains have been run into the big ditch and the water as it drains into this ditch is pumped out over the track whence another ditch takes it off into the Eau. The engine is kept running night and

where there is a high knoll with very little on it. Certain improvements are being introduced into the eastern factories and our company desire to see these tried and proven before putting in their plant.

"About 20 men are employed on the drainage work and where they are now working the peat is 10 feet deep while further out, it is still deeper. It is of splendid quality in fact the best to be found anywhere and there are neither roots nor anywhere and there are neither roots nor obstructions to impede work. The company have 328 acres including all the marsh land south-west of the railroad with exception of 10 acres, where Capt. Post's fish house stands. Everything is progressing nicely and we hope to be producing peat early next year.

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The work will be let in four section The work will be let in four sections, but intending contractors will be at liberty to tender on one or more sections, or on the whole work.

Grading must be commenced on or before the first day of September, and the whole must be completed not later than the 8th day of November, A. D., 1900.

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OWEN McKAY, Chief Engineer,

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LEAMINGTON.

Fug. 20—Ray McSween and Rex Whaley are spending a few days in Delray, the guests of Mrs. McBride.

Dr. Piper spent Sunday in town with his

Mrs. Deming and Miss Lena Deming are Peter Bruner, D. D. S., son of J S. Bruner, Ruthven, arrived in town Saturday evening with his bride. They were married

day morning.

The rural schools open to-day but the excessive heat will prevent the pupils from accomplishing any work.

Wilbert Simpson was home from Detroit

EXHIBITION.

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"Educational and entertaining, Aggressive and progressive," are the very appropriate watch-words adopted by the Toronto Industrial Exhibition this year, which will be held from August 27th to September 8th. This is the fewenty-second successive year of Canada's great Exposition at Toronto, and each year has not only seen an improvement in the agrangements as compared with the years that have gone, but the quality of the stock is very farahead of what it was at the beginning, thus proving the inestimable value of Fairs such as that held annually at Toronto. It is an old story to say that the exhibition immediately approaching will be superior to all its predecessors, but it can safely be said that arrrangements have been made, and negotiations are pending, that warrant the statement that the Toronto Fair of 1900 will fully maintain the reputation it has gained of being the best of all that are annually held. A good deal of the space has already been taken up, and a number of entries have been made, but there are so many divisions comprised in the prize list, with its 131 classes and \$35,000 in premiums, that there is ample provision for all; and, talking of those divisions, it is interesting to note that there are no fewer than 55 in class 128, knitting, shirts, quilts, cloths, etc.; 354 in class 54, poultry; and an average of 16 or 17 in each of the two dozen classes deveted to horses and cattle. This will give some idea not only of the scope of Toronto's Great Exposition, but also of the opportunities offered to secure a prize. It is a little early to refer to what is promised in the way of entertainment, but when it is stated that \$30,000 is spent annually on this department, visitors have ample guarantee that they will be abundantly provided for, and the admission to the Toronto Exhibition with its myriads of attractions is only 25c. Entries close on August 4th, and prize lists can be had by addressing H. J. Hill, Manager Industrial Exhibition, Toronto, las last year, so this, the whiltiant Mili

PLANTS FOR SALE.

The Sleepless Seven

"There were seven of the twelve," said one of the discharged jurors in speaking of the matter the next morning, "who didn't want to sleep themselves and wouldn't let the rest of us Whenever we dropped into a doze they came around and shook us till we were wide awake again."

"And you had to submit, I suppose, for they constituted the majority?" "Yes, they were the rousing majority," said the hollow-eyed juror, with

a pensive attempt to be facetious. Chicago Tribune. FUN IN THE FAMILY.

The Real Thing.—Johnny (who is Jealous of mamma)—Mamma likes me better than she does you! Evelyn (who enjoys teasing)-Why

no, Johnny; of course she loves Betty and me best;! Just think, she was our mother long before she was

yours!"
Johnny (scornfully)—Hoh, what of that? You are nothing but a sample copy, anyhow! And Betty's only a trial subscription! But I am the real thing!"-Life.

"Are you sure she is as gentle and' patient and amiable as she seems?" asked the friend. "Not quite sure," answered the young man who is in love "but I'm going to find out." How?" "I'm going to get her to call son up over a long-distance telephone and then watch her."-Washington Star.

Inconsistent .- "You keep me waiting so long!" complained the customer "Madam," said the worried grocer, who was economizing in his business by employing only one clerk, "ain't you the woman that was in here yes-terday kicking about short weights?"— Chicago Tribune.

Judge-You say that words passed between the accused and his wife. Did you hear what they were? Witness-No, I didn't hear them, but I saw them.

Judge-Saw them? Witness-Yes; they were in the dictionary that he threw at her.-Boston Transcript.

The One Thing Needful. Rair Customer-This cookbook appears to be all right with one excep-

Bookseller-Pray, what is that, mad-

Fair Customer-It has no pictures Bookseller-Of course not, madam One seldom sees a cook-book with il-

Fair Customer-But what's the use of telling us how to serve a dinner with-

There are some women who seem to be perennially youthful. The grown daughters are companions as well as children, and the color in the mother's cheeks, the brightness in her eyes, the roundness of her form, all speak of abounding health. What is her se-cret? She is at the middle age of life when so many women are worn, wast. cret? She is at the middle age of life when so many women are worn, wasted and faded, and yet time has only ripened her charms. The secret of this matronly health and beauty may be told in the brief phrase, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. The general health of woman is so intimately related to the local health of the delicate womanly organs, that where these are lated to the local health of the delicate womanly organs, that where these are diseased, the whole body must suffer. "Favorite Prescription" dries the debilitating drains, heals ulceration and inflammation, cures female weakness and imparts to the delicate female organs natural vigor and vitality. Women who have lost their health, and their beauty have been made "robust and rosy cheeked" by the use of this marvellous medicine.

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