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| Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits | 4,700,000 |
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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28, 1907.

MR. BORDEN'S PLEDGE.

"Let the people send to our aid at the next election a reinforcement of sixty men, the best that Canada can produce, pledged to stand for a progressive policy, to maintain the rights of the people, to uphold honest government, and no other, and to enforce decency in public life. In return you have my pledge that any administration which I am called upon to form shall be so constituted that it will not be unworthy of the great country which it is to serve."

In these words Mr. R. L. Borden, in the inaugural of a series of addresses to the people of Canada, in express terms pledged his honor to the electors of Halifax and of the Dominion to give them what is today most desired by the vast majority of Canadians — "honest government and no other, and to enforce decency in public life."

Has it been of design that the Liberal press, great and small, has sought to obscure this outstanding covenant with the people to give the country what it so greatly needs, and of which it has been so shamefully deprived? With Hon. Messrs. Emmerson and Hyman in forced retirement, for reasons which need not be mentioned, says the Ottawa Citizen, and a third minister freshly indicated for a similar fate, it is perhaps only natural that Liberal writers should ignore Mr. Borden's pledge, and content themselves with finding fault with certain planks in his platform.

This may be good politics for the Government and its defenders, but will it avail at this hour, when the country is shocked over the revelations of scandals in the public and private lives of leading members and ex-members of the Laurier cabinet?

The memories of Canadians are not so short that they should have forgotten that a party platform is not all. A party with a platform but lacking principle is not to be depended on to secure good honest Government. Did not the Liberals go to the country in 1896 on the platform constructed by the party's leaders in 1893, when the people had not discovered their lack of principle, and were entrusted with power? And later did not the Liberals wake up to the fact that those leaders either would not or dare not live up to the platform?

Mr. Borden has a platform that will commend itself to the people of this country. But Mr. Borden has more: he has honorable instincts and a blameless record which would make it unthinkable that he could be a party to a betrayal to the people's rights, while added thereto is his formal engagement "to maintain the rights of the people, to uphold honest Government, and no other, and to enforce decency in public life."

No man ever lived long enough to regret the right.

DISTRICT

BLENHEN

Blenheim, Aug. 27.—Mrs. N. L. McLeod and Mrs. W. H. Lugsdin, Erieau, were Blenheim visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Bentley, of Detroit, visited their daughter, Mrs. J. W. Shillington, last week. The ice cream social, which was held on Mr. R. Coburn's lawn last evening, was very successful, financially and otherwise.

Mr. Percy S. Shillington, our worthy clerk, has been quite ill for the last few days.

Miss Bessie Devereaux, of Collingwood, has been engaged to teach at English's school house.

Mr. F. Goulet has purchased the millinery and fancy goods business formerly owned by the Misses E. and C. Ward.

The baseball match last night between Blenheim and Guilds resulted in a victory for Blenheim, the score being 9 to 1.

Mrs. Lloyd, of Blenheim, leaves this week for Stavelly, Alta, where she will visit her daughters, Mesdames Frank and Charles Norton, for two months.

Mrs. W. B. Geron, formerly of Blenheim, has been appointed demonstrator of operative dentistry at the Western Reserve University, Cleveland.

Messrs. R. Coburn and Sid Burke left yesterday for Berlin, where they will represent Court Harwich, No. 98, at the meeting of the High Court of the I. O. F.

Mr. Geo. Snoblen, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Snoblen, 4th line, Harwich, leaves to-day for the Northwest. The Blenheim and South Kent Telephone Company have commenced the construction of their line, and expect to have it in working order between Blenheim and Guilds in a very short time.

Miss Gertrude Hollinrake, who has had a vocal class in Blenheim, for the past year, was made the recipient of a handsome present and address by some of her Chatham friends on the eve of her departure from the city. Miss Hollinrake has also the best wishes of all her Blenheim friends.

About 10 o'clock last night a very large and beautiful meteor passed across the sky. It moved slowly, thereby giving an excellent opportunity for a good look at it. The body seemed to be a light green and the tail was red, and it was so brilliant that it cast quite a bright reflection.

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DRESDEN

Dresden, August 28.—Mr. Jack Green, of Toronto, is spending a few days with Dresden friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James McVean announce the engagement of their niece, Eva C. McVean, to Mr. Wm.

A. Peace. The wedding will take place on the 18th of September. Mrs. (Dr.) Clapp left for Bad Axe, Mich., on Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Tiffin. She was accompanied by her nephew, Walter Tiffin, who has been spending his holidays here.

Miss Anna Bibble and Master Ian Laird returned home on Saturday after a pleasant visit with the former's uncle, Mr. Samson, in Blenheim.

Mrs. C. A. Hubbard leaves on Monday night to attend the Toronto Exhibition.

Mrs. Henry Kerby, Miss Eva McDonald and Miss Lena Green, who have spent the last week as Mrs. Kerby's guest, leave for Toronto on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. S. Law and daughter Irene are visiting friends in Wallaceburg. Mr. Cal. Caister left on Monday for Berlin as a delegate from the Dresden Lodge of the Canadian Order of Foresters.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay are the guests of their son, the Rev. Norman and Mrs. Lindsay.

The party of young people who have been camping at Corunna for the past two weeks, returned on Monday night, reporting a most enjoyable outing.

Miss Alice Hughes left on Monday for Toronto to attend the millinery openings. Miss Mabel Leonard left for Toronto also, and will go from there to Galt, where she is engaged for the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sharpe left for Toronto on Monday.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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TILBURY

Tilbury, Aug. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Powell, of Durand, Mich., are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Powell.

Miss Sara Crawford, of St. Thomas, is the guest of her brother, Mr. W. C. Crawford.

Mrs. Allan Pearson leaves to-day to visit relatives in Toronto.

Mrs. Kinsman and daughter, who have been visiting Mrs. Crawford, left yesterday for their home at Seginaw, Mich.

Gordon Murray, of the Dominion Bank, is holidaying at his home near London.

Fred MacLean, of the Merchants Bank, has returned from a two weeks' vacation at his home in Windsor.

Miss Belle Shaw leaves to-day to attend the Toronto millinery openings.

Miss Louie Gahan, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. Buchanan, returns to-day to her home in London.

Manager Hagarty, of the Dominion Bank, has returned from a month's trip to Scarborough Beach, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beuglet returned on Sunday from their honeymoon trip to Buffalo.

Tilbury, August 28.—Mrs. Geir, of Cleveland, is visiting relatives here.

The Ladies Aid and Olan Circle of the Methodist church held a very successful ice cream social on the lawn of Mr. James Powell last evening. Wheatley brass band furnished the music and there was a good crowd present.

Mrs. Striven, aged 88 years, died yesterday after a lingering illness at the home of her son, John E. hardware merchant of this place. The remains were taken to Springfield to-day for interment.

Miss Margaret Norry, of Detroit, is the guest of Miss Gertrude Stevenson.

Misses Charlotte and Millie Brady, of Detroit, are visiting relatives here.

Woodstock baseball team played the local intermediate team here yesterday afternoon and won by a score of 18 to 12.

There was a good attendance at the races held here yesterday, there being between four and five hundred present. Excellent music was furnished by Wheatley brass band. Following are the results:

2.30 Class
Golden Wilkes, J. B. Marchand, Tilbury, 1, 2, 3, 2.
L. L. H. Trudell, Tilbury, 4, 1, 1, 1.
Don J. Kelly, S. Wellwood, Merlin, 2, 4, 4, 3.
Wild Bars, T. Beattie, Comber, 3, 3, 3, 4.
Time, 2.30 1-4, 2.30 1-4, 2.31 1-4, 2.31 1-4.

2.50 Class
Harold B. D. Suskey, Rompey, 1, 1, 1.
Big Squaw, C. Crow, River Thames, 3, 3, 3.
Della K., J. Paisley, Iderton, 2, 2, 2.
Betsy B., J. Hare, Middlemas, 4, 4, 4.
Time, 2.35 1-4, 2.36 1-4, 2.35.
Starter—J. D. Wesner.
Judges—J. W. Dwight, G. T. Crow, E. L. Smith.
The 2.17 class had only one entry and the race was called off.

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All wool and correct styles, reg. \$2.25 to \$3 each.
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Beautifully made and trimmed, reg. \$10 each.
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8 Only Ladies' Duck and Percale Skirts,

White and light checks, all this season's best styles, reg. \$1.50 and \$1.75 each.
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98c

7 Only White Indian Head and Galatea Skirts,

Beautifully tailored garments, reg. up to \$3 each.
Clearing at

\$1.48

5 Only Ladies' Tweed Coats,

Early fall weight, loose or fitted styles, short lengths, reg. \$7 each.
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1 Only Ladies' Cream Serge Coat,

50 in. long, fine quality, trimmed with black velvet, reg. \$17.50.
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10 Dozen Rich Black Satin Underskirts,

Beautiful styles, trimmed with ruffles, flounces, tucks, etc., reg. \$1.50 each.
Clearing at

\$1.19

Ladies' Rain Coats,

16 only English cravenette, colors grey, fawn, and green, full length, up-to-date styles.
Clearing at

\$5

3 Doz. Black Satin Wrappers,

Fine quality, pretty styles, prettily trimmed, reg. \$1.75 each.
Clearing at

98c

50c and 60c White Lawn Waists,

Clearing at

29c

\$1 White Lawn Waists,

Clearing at

68c

1 Only Black and White Shepherd's Check Coat,

Long length, fine quality, velvet trimmed, reg. \$15.
Clearing at

\$9.90

15 Only Ladies' Tweed Skirts,

Light and dark checks and mixtures, all correctly tailored and up-to-date in style, sample garments, worth reg. up to \$6.50 each.
Clearing at

\$2.95

14 Only Black Vicuna Skirts,

Sample garments, all up-to-date styles, worth reg. up to \$6 each.
Clearing at

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Ladies' Rain Coats,

16 only English cravenette, colors grey, fawn, and green, full length, up-to-date styles.
Clearing at

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3 Doz. Black Satin Wrappers,

Fine quality, pretty styles, prettily trimmed, reg. \$1.75 each.
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WANTED.

COOK WANTED—Cook wanted at Hotel Merrill.

WANTED—Local organizers and route men. Apply: Alfred Tyler, wholesale tea importer and spice grinder, London, Ont.

WANTED—Man to make barrels, good job, steady work. Write or telephone The Western Salt Co., Mooretown, Ont.

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