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FRENZIED FINANCE LAWSON.

Thomas Lawson, of Boston, himself formerly a stock manipulator and exploiter of inflated companies, has been passing through Canada on his way to Chicago, travelling in his private car and shedding interviews with characteristic energy. For nearly a year past Lawson has been one of the most abused and most ridiculed men in the United States. Since he declared war against the high financiers of Wall street the batteries of capital in the United States have been trained upon him in an endeavor to discredit his propaganda, but, while much may be said in criticism of the man, it is notable that there has been no defence put up against the charges he has launched at what he calls "the System." To Lawson may be attributed the characteristics of a man who turns king's evidence, but that makes the evidence no less valuable to the public provided the evidence remains uncontroverted. One of the most striking evidences of the ramifications of the capitalistic influence in the United States has been the number of reputed high class and independent publications which are now discovered to be turning their guns on Lawson in defence of the trusts and stock manipulators. Newspapers and periodicals in which the mass of the public had the greatest confidence until the appearance of Lawson on the scene are now found ranged more or less openly on the side of the trusts and against the public. To critical observers this is one of the most significant phases of the frenzied finance campaign, and stamps the Lawson crusade with an importance which these same organs are doing their utmost to discredit and belittle.

When Lawson first came out with his article on frenzied finance the first impression of those who read them was that he would be in jail and a pauper as a result of criminal and civil libel actions before six months were over. The articles admitted of no other reply unless it were an admission of their truth. The revelations which he made read more like a fairy tale or chapters from the bandit legends of school boy days than a serious expose of the manner in which the high financiers of the United States had been brazenly and systematically robbing the public for years past. Names and details were given in each transaction cited, but no suits for damages resulted, neither was there any denial of the facts made public. "The System" contented itself through its organs with trying to diminish the effect upon the public mind by ridiculing the author. This, by the way, is an old trick with smaller combinations than "the System."

Lawson's attack has now concentrated itself into a very simple objective. He has told the people of the United States that the great millionaires and billionaires of the trusts have become such by inflating stocks, investing them with a fictitious value on the market and selling them to the public. He suggests to the public that it now sell out these stocks while their fictitious value remains and unload them upon the inflators. The result of a combined action of this sort on the part of the public, would be to let the hot air out of the inflation and bring finances down to a hardpan basis. Lawson says that the same scheme of inflation exists in Canada on a smaller scale than in the United States and he is pressing upon Canadian investors the same advice. According to him financial affairs in America to-day are in a South Sea Bubble condition and it is his mission to prick the bubble. If he were not a self-confessed renegade to "the System" he is exposing his task might be easier; on the other hand he would not be in possession of the prolific sources of information which enable him to convince any who take the trouble to examine it of the absolutely bona fides of the man.

It appears that the Twelfth of July incident in London was greatly exaggerated. According to the Advertiser the incident consisted merely in a drunken man grabbing at an American flag which was hanging from a bystander and thereupon desisted. There was no crowd, no disturbance, and the flag was not molested. "Flag intolerance," said the London Advertiser, "is the last offence that can be charged against the Canadian people and the citizens of London are grossly libelled by the story given currency." We rather suspected there was more booze than patriotism in the incident.

Local Briefs

Lots of good ten cent Cigars, but only one best—the Lord Lake.

W. S. McRener, of New York, dropped in on his Chatham friends for a couple of days this week.

Smoke Quail on Toast Cigars—So, Clear Havana filled.

Mrs. G. A. Robertson, of Ridgeway, spent yesterday in the city.

Boy wanted for the Planet job room who has had about two years experience.

Thomas Scullard is building a fine new residence on Victoria avenue, adjoining John A. Walker's premises.

A King street merchant asked this morning if it was necessary for the steamer City of Chatham to blow its whistle so often and so long. The only object he could see was to make people sorry that they could not take in every excursion to Detroit.

Dr. A. W. Thornton is greatly interested in an item which appeared in the papers on Wednesday referring to the burning of a hotel in Wabasha, Minn., when six persons lost their lives. Dr. Thornton taught school in Wabasha 20 years ago and boarded at the hotel that was burned.

CRAZY WITH THE HEAT

Wednesday morning a man was noticed lying on the sidewalk near the Grand Trunk station. He was thought to be torpid with drink and was moved to a shady spot, where he remained until evening, when some Good Samaritan passing by went over to investigate. He found that the man worked on one of the gravel trains and was prostrated with the heat. Dr. Holmes was summoned and removed the man to his office where, under medical care, he recovered.

QUITS AS A SENATE LEADER

Sir Mackenzie Bowell Announces His Retirement—Trading Stamp Bill Passed—Prorogation To-day.

Ottawa, July 26.—Sir Mackenzie Bowell sprang a sensation on the Senate last night, when, on the motion to adjourn, he announced that when the Senate met again next session he would relinquish the post of leader of the Opposition. Sir Mackenzie said he would devote his time and attention to the business of the Senate, but desired to be relieved of the duties which fell upon a leader.

Senator Scott expressed regret at the announcement. There were few men, he said, who were so familiar with past history of the Dominion. Referring to a remark made by Sir Mackenzie in regard to his own reported retirement, Senator Scott said it was the first he had heard of it. It was merely newspaper talk, and it was not his intention to resign unless it was the desire of the Government that he should do so. He hoped to lead the Government forces in the Senate for at least another year.

Prorogation at 5 p. m. The Senate adjourned till 2 o'clock to-day, and prorogation is booked to take place about 5 this afternoon.

The trading stamp bill was read a third time. Senator Landry had backed up his opposition to the anti-trading stamp bill with the longest speech of the session. Shortly after the uper Mouse met at 11 o'clock, Senator Landry took the floor against the measure. He talked until 4 o'clock, and then announced that he would resume at 8 o'clock and repeat his observations in French.

There was some doubt expressed as to the force of that clause of the bill which brings the bill into effect on November 1, and after Senator Landry had been induced to close off at 9 o'clock, Sir Mackenzie Bowell arose and said he had received the assurance of the promoter of the bill in Commons (Mr. Gervais) that the intention and effect of the clause was that the act shall come into force on the date named, and he considered this satisfactory.

Moreover, it was intimated to Mr. Landry that the Government was determined to have the bill go through, and Mr. Landry might count on having to hold the floor all night unaided.

Brief Commons Session. Ottawa, July 26.—There is a certain mild satisfaction in sitting around here doing nothing while the Senate is working. So said Mr. R. L. Borden yesterday morning after the House had sat forty minutes and were adjourning without any definite word as to when the Senate would be ready for prorogation.

"It will not take place to-day, but I hope it will be to-morrow," said Sir Wilfrid Laurier, provoking Mr. Borden's remark above quoted.

Members received the news with some disappointment. The House adjourned till 11 o'clock to-day, when it will clear up the order paper as well as the measures from the Senate.

At 3 o'clock to-day the first session of the tenth Parliament of Canada will be duly prorogued.

The session has lasted ten days over six months.

ONE DOLLAR SAVED REPRESENTS TEN DOLLARS EARNED.

The average man does not save to exceed ten per cent. of his earnings. He must spend nine dollars in living expenses for every dollar saved. That being the case he cannot be too careful about unnecessary expenses. When a few cents properly invested, like buying seeds for his garden, will save several dollars outlay later on. It is the same in buying Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It costs but a few cents, and a bottle of it in the house of ten saves a doctor's bill of several dollars. For sale by All Druggists.

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Who Has Used Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets—No Case of Stomach Trouble Too Far Gone for Them to Cure.

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It remains that you can't find a Dyspeptic who has used Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, but you can find thousands of healthy, happy people in Canada who were once Dyspeptics but who have used Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

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I have to acknowledge receipt of additional subscriptions on behalf of fund to endow citizen's bed in the Free Hospital for Consumptives at Gravenhurst:

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Three hundred dollars are required to endow a bed, and will be glad to receive and acknowledge further contributions to the amount needed.

J. R. GEMMILL,
Treasurer Chatham Branch.
July 20, 1906.

HAY FEVER ABOLISHED

Medical Science Discovers a Cure for This Malady by Breathing Hyomei.

Among the important additions made to medical science in recent years, none is more notable than the positive announcement of a cure for hay fever. Exhaustive experiments with Hyomei prove that this treatment will prevent the attacks of hay fever if used for two or three weeks before the annual appearance of the disease, and it may be relied upon, if used faithfully after the sneezing and other annoying symptoms have appeared, to relieve at once and afford a permanent cure.

Stomach dosing cannot cure hay fever. A change of climate is the only treatment that gives any relief, and Hyomei, which medicates the air you breathe, acts upon this principle, giving in your own home a climate as refreshing as that of the White Mountains or other health resorts.

The complete Hyomei outfit costs but \$1. extra bottles, 50 cents. The Central Drug Co. have seen the good effects following the use of Hyomei to many cases of hay fever that they are willing to sell the treatment with the understanding that if it does not give satisfaction, the money will be refunded to you.

BLENHEIM

July 21.—Kenneth Fraser, who has been telling the Standard Bank since its opening in 1884, has been removed to another branch at Brussels.

A very successful lawn social was held at the residence of Wm. Page, Ridge Road, on Wednesday evening.

R. M. Thomson left this week to attend the Grand Lodge of the A. F. & A. M., which is held at Hamilton this year.

Postmaster Morris leaves to-morrow for Port William, where he will spend a month's vacation.

CHOLERA INFANTUM.

Child Not Expected to Live From One Hour to Another, but Cured by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Ruth, the little daughter of E. N. Dewey, of Agnewville, Va., was seriously ill of cholera infantum last summer. "We gave her up and did not expect her to live from one hour to another," he says. "I happened to think of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and got a bottle of it from the store. In five hours I saw a change for the better. We kept on giving it and before she had taken the half of one small bottle she was well." This remedy is for sale by All Druggists.

Whitewash the Hog House.

Whitewash is cheap, and there is no reason why it should not be used more than it is in the hog house. Whether the boards that compose the hog house are smooth or rough, the whitewash will be found to be a help. It will stop up the hiding places of vermin and will tend to give a sweeter smell to the places where the hogs stay. In addition it adds light, as does any light color placed on the walls. It shows the dirt more plainly than the unpainted boards and acts as a reminder to the owner to clean out the hog pen often.

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35c RIBBONS AT 19c—

700 yards rich pure silk taffeta and liberty silk ribbons, 3 to 6 inches wide, full range of colors, regular 25c and 35c yard.

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GREAT HOSIERY BARGAINS—

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Special at 12 1-2c.

LADIES' HOSE 15c—

Black or tan, in fine quality, full fashioned, seamless feet, double heels and toes, regular 20c a pair.

Special at 15c.

BLACK LACE LISLE HOSE 20c—

15 doz. Ladies' Fine Black Lisle Hose, in fancy open-work patterns, seamless feet, regular 25c.

Special at 20c.

CHILDREN'S TAN HOSE—

Plain and fancy lace patterns, seamless feet, sizes 1-2 to 8-12, at a pair 15c, 18c, 20c, 22c and 25c.

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I will be at the Garner Hotel, Chatham, on Saturday, July 22nd, between 9 and 6 o'clock, to show how dressmaking can be taught in two weeks. Why spend from six to nine months learning dressmaking in a shop, when I teach you everything from measuring to finishing in the making of ladies' and children's garments in two weeks. I have taught over 700 girls in this way within the past three years, and all were more than satisfied. If you are the wife or daughter of a farmer, mechanic, laborer, merchant or millionaire, you should learn Dressmaking. No accomplishment you can acquire will prove of such every-day, life-long value to you as a practical knowledge of Dressmaking. And if you have this knowledge you can, by saving dressmaker's bills, be able to dress much better, with less money, than you probably do now. I teach you how to put together, not only the lining, but all the outer goods, in coats, skirts, waists, wrappers, sleeves, in fact everything in dressmaking. And you are losing nothing by trying, for if you are not satisfied at the end of the term, then there will be no charge. School teachers, college girls and everybody who are having your holidays now, do not fail to take advantage of this splendid opportunity. You may never get another like it.

Charge for full course is \$10, when you are through, if satisfied, including one of the most perfect fitting systems in use, which I give you free! I will also at the same time teach part of the course, consisting of shirtwaists, sleeves and skirt, and teach you how to use the system for \$6.

I will teach at Chatham from July 24th to August 5th. Hours from 8.30 to 5. All wishing to learn, or for full particulars, be sure to see me in the upstairs parlor of the Hotel Garner on Saturday, July 22nd, at the hours named above.

An evening class will also be taught at Chatham this time. Full particulars for it can be had upon application on July 22nd.

MISS R. ELLISON,
Dressmaking Teacher,
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1.50 BLACK UNDERSKIRTS 98c—

9 doz. Ladies' Rich, Black, Mercerised Underskirts, beautifully trimmed flounces, ruffles, tucks, braid stitings, pleatings, etc., regular \$1.25 to \$1.50.

Special at 98c.

1.50 SHIRTWAISTS 98c—

Eight dozen ladies' fine India lawn waists, prettily trimmed with embroidery, insertions, tucks, all-over embroidered fronts, tucked back, sleeves, collar and cuffs, sizes 32 to 42, regular up to \$1.50 each.

Special at 98c.

2.00 WHITE WAISTS 1.39—

Your pick of five dozen beautiful white lawn waists, assorted styles and sizes, regular \$1.75 and \$2.00 each.

Special at 1.39.

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AT 8c YARD—

Muslins, dimities, lawns, etc., in choice new designs, fast colors, regular up to 15c yard.

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AT 12 1-2c YARD—

Muslins, zephyrs, dimities, etc., all this season's best styles, regular up to 20c yard.

Special at 12 1-2c.

25c WASH GOODS AT 15c YARD—

Fine zephyrs, muslins, swisses, lawns, batiste, etc., handsome range of patterns, all fast colors, regular 20c and 25c yard.

Special at 15c.

MEN'S \$10.00 SUITS FOR \$6.90—

Your pick of 39 fine wool tweeds, worsteds and serge suits, excellent qualities, superior linings, sizes 34 to 44, regular up to \$10.00 each.

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Three pieces heavy table damask, 62 inches wide, firm weave, choice designs, extra good value at 40c yard.

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34 pieces stylish dress goods, including voiles, tweeds, plain and fancy mohairs, serges, etc., in good range styles and colorings, regular 50c, 65c and 75c yard.

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