

## The Planet.

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## AMERICAN IN OUR WEST

The New York Herald has the following regarding the success which the American farmers have met with in the Canadian Northwest:—

"Some five years ago the Canadian government did strenuous advertising throughout the cities of the United States with a view to disabusing the people's minds of the idea that Western Canada was a waste of frost and snow. The Government caused free lectures to be given, established bureaus from which large quantities of literature about Canadian possibilities in the way of farming and home making were issued and gave exhibitions of agricultural products at state and county fairs.

"The farmers of the Middle West in particular emigrated in large numbers, with the result that an American invasion of Canada began, and continued so steadily as to produce what a recent writer has called the 'Americanization of Canada.'

"One of the most noticeable results of the invasion is shown in the introduction of flax-growing on a large scale. The Canadians thought it unwise to attempt the cultivation of wheat, as they believed it hard on the land and a great protector of weeds. But the Americans have proved to the contrary, and with land selling at \$12 an acre and yielding an average of fifteen bushels to the acre of flax the newly bought farms have paid for themselves during the very first year."

That should be the finest kind of advertising for our farm lands in the Northwest and such reports will prove a great stimulus to immigration during the coming season.

## A FAIR PROPOSAL.

Mr. Whitney deserves credit for testing the sincerity of the Ross government's contention that it had no strategic motives in calling the legislature in advance of the election petitions. As was to be expected, Mr. Whitney's fair and just proposal was rejected, and it exposed Mr. Ross' pretence that his only object in summoning the legislature on the day fixed for the trial of the election petitions was to dispose of certain urgent business.

It was Mr. Ross who indignantly repelled the charge that he was calling the legislature two months earlier than it was called last year, in order to protect five of his supporters against proceedings in the courts. He regretted that the election petitions could not be tried before the legislature. The trouble was that money must be voted, and Temiscaming Railway legislation could not wait.

Upon these grounds, and upon these grounds alone, did Mr. Ross attempt to justify the calling of the legislature before the trial of the election petitions. Mr. Whitney's proposal made it possible for Mr. Ross to give effect to his disclaimer of the election trials. And how did Mr. Ross rise to the occasion? Simply by ridiculing a proposal which would accomplish the objects which Mr. Ross says he had in calling the legislature for Jan. 14, and at the same time test the right of five of the government supporters to their seats in the house.

The rejection of Mr. Whitney's proposal is straight admission from Mr. Ross that he called the legislature to bury the election trials and for no other purpose, that retention of office is preferable to imperilling his majority by the submission of the election petitions to the courts. The people of Ontario now know where Mr. Ross stands. They know why he summoned the legislature in hot haste. They know that he is determined to hold office on the strength of support that will not bear investigation by the courts.

These facts the rejection of Mr. Whitney's proposal revealed, and the leader of the opposition is to be commended for nailing the government to the real motives which prompted it to call a legislature which does not represent the people.

## LIFE'S OTHER FELLOWS.

Do you ever give the other fellow a thought? He is always near you, for the world is made up of other fellows, who are much like ourselves. That chap who has the seat next to you at the boarding house table, he is the other fellow to you, and you, my friend, are the other fellow to him. The man who sits next to you in the street car to-night, the person who works near you in the office, shop, store, or bank, he is the other fellow, and you bear the same relationship to him.

Be kind to the other fellow, wherever.

## The Itch Fiend

That is Salt Rheum or Eczema,—one of the outward manifestations of scrofula. It comes in itching, burning, oozing, drying, and scaling patches, on the face, head, hands, legs or body. It cannot be cured by outward applications,—the blood must be rid of the impurity to which it is due.

## Hood's Sarsaparilla

Has cured the most persistent and difficult cases. Accept no substitute for Hood's; no substitute acts like it.

ever you find him. You appreciate a kind word, don't you? You feel down and out once in a while, and a bit of encouragement is a great tonic. This other fellow is just like you. He has his off days, the days that are dark with the dawn, days that commence wrong and keep wrong till the night, has come, and the weary head is rested in sleep. The other fellow has his days of planning, even as you.

He has his board to pay, and his new clothes to buy, and his salary isn't much. Perhaps he is a business man. Well, what odds? He is only the other fellow to some banker or some other business head. He has his anxious hours of buying and selling, of meeting balancing days at the bank, and of keeping his account covered to the satisfaction of the manager.

Don't forget the other fellow. Did he do a nice bit of work, tell him, it will do him good, and he will be more likely to repeat the performance to-morrow. You remember when some one told you, and you were glad. Pass it on. Did he hold you up on the street, and ask you for a nickel? Slip him a dime. He, at that moment, is the other fellow to you.

Does this other fellow compete with you in business, or is he opposed to you as a salesman, covering your ground? Remember you are the other fellow to him, and how would you like him to treat you?

Life is crowded with other fellows. When we stand in front of the street car, the motorman is the other fellow, and if we are on the rear, (the conductor and the chaps who smoke are all other fellows. When we lunch, it is the waiter and those at the table with us who are the other fellows. In the church, it is the man in the same pew, and at the club the other fellow may sit across from you at the card table. How would you like him to have a card up his sleeve, or stack the pack? If we buy a paper, the newsboy for the moment is the other fellow, and if we have our shoes shined, it is the other fellow to us who gave us the shine. And so it goes through our existence, we are always meeting other fellows, be we rich or poor, learned or ignorant.

So be good to the other fellow, as you expect him to be kind to you. The world is wide, yet not so very. A Methodist minister, who is now in Montreal, who used to live in Hamilton, and whose name is spelt much like Henderson, delivered a lecture in an eastern town near Brockville. He had been through the civil war, and his lecture was punctuated with thrilling experiences. He told of the battle of Lookout Mountain. He described how the Northern force, to which he belonged, climbed step by step. Foot by foot he took his hearers. Death stared from the mountain top. Cannon belched at them, and rifles shot them, but they did not waver. They took that hill, and one section capturing a cannon from the now fleeing Southerners, turned it on them. As the speaker told his

There is no specific for consumption. The nearest approach to a cure is right living and Scott's Emulsion. No matter what the treatment may be Scott's Emulsion will prove a valuable addition. It has often turned the scale of health the right way. Because Scott's Emulsion contains the pure cod liver oil it furnishes heat and fat. The hypophosphites provide tissue-food, blood-food and marrow-food. The combination of the two represents a wonderful form of nourishment and one that can be readily taken and retained at any stage of the disease. Scott's Emulsion gives best results when used most regularly. Made a part of the consumptive's regular diet it will invariably afford relief. Occasional use of Scott's Emulsion is a test unfair to the Emulsion and the patient.

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## Lonely Overcoat Sale . . . . .

We are offering 187 New Overcoats branded \$7.50, \$10.00, 13.50, to the first comers at

\$6.49,  
\$7.89,  
\$10.00

Just because they are 'Lonelies,' last of lots singles, stay behinds—Overcoats which were bashful about putting themselves forward or sent in late from factory.

Don't let the Bargains Get Away from you. Sit on our doorsteps all night rather than fail to be in time at this sale. Our loss, your gain.

## MEYNELL

3 Doors West from  
Market, King Street

story there was an impressive silence. Then, with one of those touches of real drama with which our lives are so magnificently colored, a man jumped up in the audience, and with a voice keen with emotion, he interrupted the lecturer and shouted: "Yes, sir, and I was one that helped you turn that gun."

He was the other fellow of 40 years before. Remember the other fellow to-day. You may meet him 40 years from now under circumstances as peculiar as this.—Charles F. Raymond.

## PRIVATE GAMEY.

In the Ontario legislature the other day Premier Ross called Mr. Gamey a pirate, with the result that the "faithful" press has been holding its sides through excessive laughter ever since. There is one solitary exception, however. The intelligent compositor fooled the Hamilton Times into telling the truth by making the reference read "private" instead of "pirate" Gamey.

## EVERY PHYSICIAN KNOWS

About the great merit of Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut, which cleanses the system, cure constipation and piles. Use only Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Price 25c.

## THE STAGE

"All the world's a stage  
and all the men and  
women merely players."

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Chatham Grand:—  
Ritchie Co.—Jan. 25.  
A Thoroughbred Tramp—Jan. 27.  
Gorton Famous Minstrels—Jan. 28.  
Henry VIII.—Jan. 29.

(Subsided to The Planet by Press Agents.)

## STAR COURSE TO-NIGHT.

Ritchie's paraphernalia, always good, has been much increased for the coming season, and his program will show several new experiments, and a special "illusion," which promises as good results as the famous Levitation feat, which will, however, continue to be a part of the performance. Lyceum committees, long ago learned the lesson that "all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy," and the management can give a positive assurance that the clean, crisp and wholesome performance given by Ritchie and his companion entertainers will fully satisfy the requirement for something amusing in the lecture course, not for the young folks alone, but for all, old and young alike, to whom the "good medicine" of a hearty laugh will bring a new lease of life. Especial attention is called to Ritchie's supporting company. No expense has been spared, and no effort omitted to make this company as strong and as novel as such an organization can possibly be, and with the able trio of artists he has gathered for his support, Mrs. Ritchie, Miss Jackson and Mr. Howison, he feels equal to the demands of the most exacting committee.

Among other interesting situations, "A Thoroughbred Tramp" contains a thrilling race between a woman on horse back and a fast flying express train. The sound of the oncoming train is accompanied by the hoof beats of its speedy rival of flesh and blood. As this race was progressing in a nearby town a well-known gentleman was seen to gradually rise as the scene progressed. Just as the light was flashing along the track and the noise of the on-rushing train was drowning the hoof beats of the horse, the old fellow sprang to his feet and waving his arms yelled: "Come on here gal—come on here— or dern you you'll be too late." The girl came on in time, but she didn't make half as big a hit as the old gentleman.

Grand Opera House, Wednesday night, Jan. 27.

## Extraordinary Bargains in

## Carpets and Housefurnishings

## CARPET BARGAINS—

Union carpets, full yard wide, odd pieces and short lengths, of 8 yards to 15 yards each, regular value up to 35c a yard, clearing at 25c

## HEAVY UNION CARPETS—

Two patterns heavy union carpet, full yard wide in good reversible patterns and colorings, regular 50c a yard, clearing at 38c

## HEAVY WOOL CARPETS—

Five patterns in heavy wool carpets, firm weave, with cotton chain warp, an excellent weave, fast colors and choice reversible designs, good value at 60c to 65c a yard, clearing at 48c

## TAPESTRY CARPETS—

Several choice choice patterns, in fine English tapestry carpet, excellent quality, good value anywhere at 60c a yard, clearing at 47c

## BRUSSELS CARPETS AT 69c YARD—

Four pieces Kidderminster Brussels carpet, in good designs and colorings, worth 90c a yard, clearing at 69c

## \$1.00 BRUSSELS CARPET AT 83c YD.

Two patterns fine heavy Brussels carpet, regular \$1.00 a yard, clearing at 83c

## ENGLISH BRUSSELS CARPET—

Five pieces extra quality English Brussels carpet, new designs, rich colorings, guaranteed in wear, regular value \$1.15 a yard, clearing at 98c

## \$1.25 VELVET CARPETS AT \$1.10 A YARD—

Eight patterns superior quality English Velvet Carpet, rich heavy pile, beautiful colorings, and designs, body and borders to match, the best \$1.25 velvet carpet in Canada, clearing at a yard \$1.10

## ENGLISH LINOLEUM AT 30c YARD

One piece heavy English Linoleum, 2 yards wide, excellent patterns, regular 40c a yard, clearing at 30c

## 35c FLOOR OIL CLOTHS AT 29c YD.

15 pieces heavy quality floor oil cloth, 11-4 and 11-2 yds wide, in choice floral and block designs, the best 35c quality, clearing at a square yard 29c

## SCOTCH LINOLEUMS—

Five patterns, 3 yards and 4 yards wide, heavy Scotch Linoleum, in new floral and tile patterns, guaranteed in wear, clearing at a square yard 48c

Seven  
Stores

## THE NORTHWAY CO. Limited.

Two Large  
Factories

## GORTON'S MINSTRELS.

The approaching engagement of Gorton's Famous Minstrels at The Grand, on January 28, is looked forward to with much pleasure by all lovers of this popular form of amusement. Gorton's company has long been regarded as one of the standard attractions, which always more than fulfilled all of its promises, and the addition this season of many new and important features insures a performance of unusual excellence. A grand street parade will be given by the entire company at four p. m., special attention being called to the magnificent and costly equipment.

STARTLING STORY  
OF MRS. ADAMSSTROKEN WITH BRIGHT'S DISEASE  
ALL HOPE OF LIFE WAS  
ABANDONED.Her Restoration to Health Causes a  
Sensation in the Medical World.Doctors Gave Her Up, but Dodd's  
Kidney Pills Cured Her  
completely

Collingwood, Ont., Jan. 25.—(Special).—While Canada stands aghast at the terrible inroads Bright's Disease is making on the ranks of the brightest and best of her citizens; while the medical profession stand helpless before the dread destroyer of life, Collingwood has among her citizens one who knows all its terrors, who has been carried down by it till the portals of death were open to receive her, and who to-day is a strong, healthy, happy woman—a woman who knows Bright's Disease in all its hideousness, but who fears it not, because she knows its cure.

Mrs. Thomas Adams is this lady's name, and she has now been a resident of Collingwood for a year and a half. Before that she lived in Burk's Falls, where she is widely known and highly respected. Mrs. Adams feels it her duty to spread the good news all over Canada, all over the world, that she has found a cure for Bright's Disease, and that cure is Dodd's Kidney Pills.

MRS. ADAMS' STORY.  
"Yes," she said, when interviewed regarding her case, "my friends can tell you how terribly ill I was. My doctor pronounced it Bright's Disease and Sciatica, but I got no relief from anything he gave me. It was Dodd's Kidney Pills that drove away the terrible disease, raised me from my bed of suffering, and made me a well and happy woman."

"I was for years troubled with a pain in my back, at times I would have to keep my bed. In March, 1900, I got so bad with pains in my back and hip that I was more helpless than an infant, and at times gave up all hope of getting well. I had no power of my back or limbs. "I was for eight months an invalid, and my sufferings during that time were something too terrible for words to describe. My doctor said I had Bright's Disease, but he could do nothing to give me relief."

## HOW THE CURE CAME.

"It was then a friend of my husband induced me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I had no faith in them, for I never expected to get better. But I tried them, and I thank God that I did. They brought me relief almost from the first, and after taking three boxes I was able to do my own work and look after my children. "It is three years since I started using Dodd's Kidney Pills, and I have not had a return of my trouble since. When I feel a little out of sorts I just get a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and they drive all the pains away."

It is needless to say Mrs. Adams' friends all use Dodd's Kidney Pills. They find that a remedy that cures Bright's Disease easily disposes of all the earlier stages of Kidney complaint.

In Demanding  
That the Magi  
Water be  
Served to You

is to insure getting the water of Caledonia Springs which is what you want.

J. J. McLaughlin, Toronto, AGENT.

## Genius in the Bed.

A lady who was "Aunt Kate" to James MacNeill Whistler all his life, although not a relative, gives in a London journal a glimpse of Whistler the boy. She had known him ever since he was a child of two years. She was a neighbor of the Whistlers, and after a long absence from home she called upon them and asked at once:

"Where is Jemmie?"

"He was in the room a few minutes ago," was the answer. "I think he must be here still."

Presently Jemmie's tiny form was discovered stretched on the under shelf of a table. The visitor went to secure the prize and asked:

"What are you doing there, Jemmie?"

"I'm drawing."

## New and Old Wonders.

The seven world wonders of antiquity were:

The pyramids, Babylon's gardens, Mausolus' tomb, the temple of Diana, the colossus of Rhodes, Jupiter's statue by Phidias and the Pharos of Egypt, or, as some substitute, the palace of Cyrus.

The seven wonders of the middle ages were:

The coliseum of Rome, the catacombs of Alexandria, the great wall of China, Stonehenge, the leaning tower of Pisa, the porcelain tower of Nankin and the mosque of St. Sophia at Constantinople.

The seven wonders of the new world are:

Niagara falls, the Mammoth cave, Old Faithful, the tireless geyser in Yellowstone park; the big trees (sequoia) of California, the Grand canyon of the Colorado, the great fresh water lakes and the Great Salt lake.

Some people acknowledge that they have a skeleton in the closet, and don't make any bones about it, either.

## FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

LOTS FOR SALE—One and one-half acres at the head of Victoria avenue. Apply to Mrs. Tissiman, room 11, Victoria Block.

HOUSES FOR SALE—A house on Grant St., and house and lot on Victoria Ave. For particulars, apply to Thomas Scullard, Victoria Block, or at this office.

STORE AND DWELLING—To rent in Port Alma. Good chance for anyone wishing to open a general store. No opposition. Apply to S. Cooper, Port Alma.

FARM FOR SALE—North east half of lot 16, Front concession, Township of Harwich, 133 acres. All cleared, clay loam, two good sized frame houses. Large frame barn and cattle shed; stable and driveway combined; granary and implement house. Buildings all in good repair; about five acres of orchard; artesian well, windmill and pump; three other wells. Price \$8,000.00. Apply on the premises to Mrs. John J. Walrath, or to W. E. Smith, barrister and solicitor, Chatham, Ont.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

## WANTED.

TEACHER WANTED—For S. S. 22, D. C. C. I. Duties to commence February 1st, 1904. Applications, stating qualifications and salary, to be addressed to W. H. Babcock, Secretary-Treasurer, Dresden.

WANTED—Men wanted to learn barber trade; only eight weeks required by our system of constant practice; tools furnished; diplomas given. Full tuition \$25. Call or write, Detroit Barber College, 48 Woodward avenue, Detroit, Mich.

TWO AGENTS—For the largest wholesale importing house in this line in Canada. Every lady a customer. Anyone can make sales; best inducement given to good solicitors; special attention given to beginners; steady employment; yearly contract; new proposition. Cooper, Drawer 531, London.

## GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Monday, Jan. 25th.

C.C.I. Star and People's  
Popular Course.

Humorous Impersonations.  
Old Fashioned Songs.  
Shadowgraphy.  
Reading.  
Bird Warbling and Imitations.  
Mirth Born of Mystery.  
Magic.  
Levitation.

Seats on sale Saturday morning at Briscoe's. Prices to non-subscribers—25c, 35c and 50c.

## GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Wednesday, Jan. 27

Elmer Walters

A

## Thoroughbred Tramp

A Forever Favorite.

Seats now ready for purchase. Prices—25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.

The Play, Compa and Scenery guaranteed to please every theatre-goer partial to sensational comedy drama.—E. WALTERS.

## GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Thursday, Jan'y. 28.

GORTON'S

Elegant New

MINSTRELS.

Extraordinary Company.  
Special Engagement. Big European Novelty Acts.  
This Season Everything Entirely New.  
See the finest Minstrel Parade on Earth.  
Seats now ready at Briscoe's.  
Prices—25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.

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Most thrilling story ever told; largest and best book; splendidly illustrated; unusual edition, retail only \$1.50; best terms; credit given; outfit free. Send 10c for postage, price at once be sent in the field; \$10.00, to get the

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