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SOME LATE OPINIONS OF THE NATIONAL POLICY

In order to show that dissatisfaction with the National policy is becoming widespread and general, and is not confined to any one political class, we quote some opinions which we have of late observed.

The Toronto World has always been a conservative paper, and one of the most loyal supporters of the National policy since the time of its first inauguration. The following from its editorial pages is therefore significant:—

There is some reason to hope that a more earnest and thoughtful spirit is abroad in the land than that which has prevailed for some years past. The revelations of the last census, combined with the obvious lack of growth and progress in most of the villages and towns of the Dominion, notwithstanding its unquestionable richness in natural resources, is compelling serious thought, and is fastening upon many who had pinned their faith to the national policy the conviction that something is wrong with our fiscal system. Now is the time for all thoughtful men to enquire, to investigate, to deliberate and to resolve. The speeches of the minister of finance and the tone of some of the leading Conservative papers would seem to indicate that the government is wedded to its protective policy. It remains to be seen whether the premier, who alone can speak with full authority, will shut his eyes to the evidence of failure and reaction and endorse that position. We make bold to doubt it. Pledged as the government is to take some measure of tariff reform, its future will, we believe, depend very largely upon the spirit in which it carries out that pledge. Such statements as that lately prepared by the farmers of the Northwest cannot be safely ignored by the head of a government so pledged. The policy which compels the tillers of the soil, who are at the best toiling under disadvantages, to pay a heavy toll either to the Ontario manufacturer or to the government on his lumber, twine, coal oil, fencing wire, and above all on his ploughs and reapers and binders, is a policy which can hardly be submitted to indefinitely by the free and intelligent people of the prairies. And this is but a sample of the class of questions which are now before the people of the Dominion, and which the premier and his colleagues will be obliged to discuss. That they will be discussed to the full by the opposition may be taken for granted. We shall wait with interest the utterances of Sir John Thompson on the tariff question.

The following appeared in the pages of a leading Scotch paper. They purport to be the opinions of two Manitoba farmers, one praising, and the other condemning, the country, and both denouncing the National Policy. The first one says:

"There are some disadvantages which can be remedied. The Dominion government pursues a protective trade policy, which makes us pay two prices for our implements, binder twine, hardware and other necessities. The Canadian Pacific Railway Co. have a monopoly in transporting our wheat to the coast, and they get the lion's share of the farmer's profits. If these two last evils were remedied it would greatly add to the prosperity of the country." The other letter-writer declares "the emigrant has to pay exorbitant prices for farm implements, clothing, light and fuel, besides excessive freight rates—all on account of a foolish protective system, which, by the way, discriminates heavily against the mother country."

From the farther west come late opinions of the Moosomin Spectator, a conservative newspaper, and the Regina Leader. The former refers to the fact that in his late speech at Montreal the

premier obtained heartiest applause when making the assertion that the conservative party intended to stand by the National Policy, and argues from this that the tariff will not be appreciably lowered and that the maintenance of the present schedule is the result of the predominance of eastern manufacturing interests. It enumerates articles which the farmers of the west would like to see cheaper, "lumber, coal, oil, binder twine, rigs, fence wire, clothing etc. It declares its belief that 'under existing arrangements the North-West is in reality in the position of milch cow for the eastern provinces, and the cow is milked too much and fed too little;' and on the whole has adopted a very unfriendly attitude towards the government which it has in the past so staunchly defended. The significant fact is that both newspapers seem to have caught a suspicion regarding the sincerity of the government and its leader when they promise tariff reform, and their present language is intended as a warning to the premier to carry out his promises if he wishes to stand in well with the farmers of the west.

THE YACHT RACES.

The first of the series of yacht races which are to take place for the America's cup was held Thursday. The Vigilant had been selected to defend the cup and Lord Dunraven's British yacht the Valkyrie, was her antagonist. The course was 15 miles to windward or leeward of Sandy Hook lightship and return, and the result of the race leaves no doubt in sporting circles that the cup will go to England. Cwing to the lightness of the wind neither yacht made the whole distance inside the time limit, and the race was declared off. The Americans had claimed that the Vigilant was superior to the British yacht in light winds, and that in windward work the latter would be badly defeated. But the racing yesterday flatly contradicted these theories. During the first part of the race the wind was very light, but the Vigilant did not gain any upon her rival. Then the wind changed to a head wind at the same time considerably freshening; so that there was plenty of opportunity to test the windward capabilities of both vessels. The result was that the British yacht literally ran away from her rival and finished the course a couple of miles ahead. The race will be sailed again today and there are four races yet to be held, the yacht winning three out of the five contests to capture the cup. The second race will be over a triangular course of 10 miles each way. The third and fourth races will be similar to the first, and the fifth like the second.

CRIME IN YORK COUNTY.

Within the past twelve months York has certainly stepped well to the front among Canadian counties in the matter of the commission of crime within her borders. There have in that time been two murders, and one conviction for arson, while the present term of the County Court is occupied with the hearing of three criminal causes two for aggravated assault, and one for highway robbery. A peculiar feature of all these crimes, is the fact that in only one of the whole number, namely the assault made by Joseph Morgan, has the criminal been directly or indirectly under the influence of liquor. In all the other cases the prisoners were habitually temperate men, or were free from intoxication when the crime was committed. This is especially true of the two cases of murder referred to. Both the criminals who by the way are colored men, were temperate by habit, and sober at the hour when the murders were committed. This fact may prove nothing, but it is certainly worthy of serious consideration by those who are interested in the moral aspects of the drink problem.

The daily Telegraph of St. John has lost its old editor Mr. J. E. B. McCready, who has resigned, after a nine years' connection with that paper, and will be succeeded in the editorial chair by Mr. James Hannay. Mr. McCready is an able, careful and courteous writer, whose leaders in the Telegraph always commanded attention and respect. He has a thorough grasp of political matters, and an acquaintance with Canadian public men such as few newspaper writers can boast of. The Daily Telegraph intimates that Mr. McCready will in the future probably be able to do good service for the liberal party in a wider field of usefulness than St. John affords. His successor Mr. Hannay, has long occupied the foremost place as a historical writer in the

province of New Brunswick, while in the field of political polemics he is no mean combatant. He will preside over the editorial department of the Telegraph with dignity, eloquence; and general ability.

THE AMERICAN HOUSE OF LORDS.

The tactics adopted by the English House of Lords in rejecting a bill which bore the endorsement of the popular branch of the legislature, is being imitated as far as possible by their counterpart in American politics, the United States senate. The Sherman Silver bill has now been for some weeks before that body awaiting their approval after having passed the House of Representatives. Although the silver men have scarcely a majority in the senate, still the feeling is so evenly divided that they have thought it worth while to adopt a policy of obstruction and delay. The debate is still dragging along, the silver men declaring that they will resist repeal to the last. Meanwhile the same feeling of uncertainty and uneasiness which precipitated the late financial panic in that country still continues, while the senate is wasting the precious time in useless debate.

While all are certain of the ultimate repeal of the bill; and an that account the present delay may not produce much material harm to the country, it serves to draw the attention of the popular parties in both England and America to the spectacle of an irresponsible body striving to thwart the popular will; and will without doubt furnish another specious argument against the practical utility of such bodies in any scheme of popular political representation.

We heartily welcome Lieutenant Governor Boyd, a man of the people, whose honours are due to intrinsic merit, to the provincial capital. We feel that we are greeting one of ourselves, superior to us only in those qualities of mind and heart which are after all, the sole tests of a man's worth; one who has known an humble and lowly position, but whose rare gifts and sterling worth have placed him at the head of the Provincial executive.

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For terms of Sale and other particulars apply to C. E. Duffy, Barrister, Fredericton, N. B.

Dated at Mangerville July 24th, A. D., 1893
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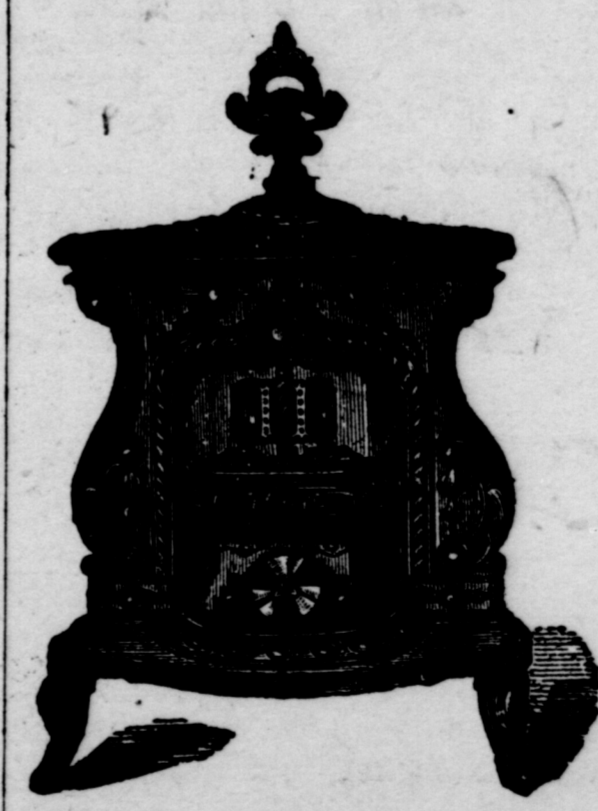
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