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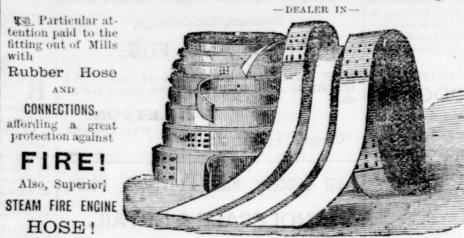
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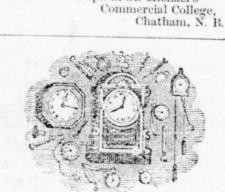
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(From the Freeman of 30th ult.) "Until Mr. Tilley makes his public statement as to the policy of the next Government of the Dominion, of which he will be a distinguished member, it is only a waste of time to discuss the matter." So wrote Mr. John Boyd on July 19th, respecting the meaning of the Tory policy of the readjustment of the tariff, and the report that Sir John A. Macdonald had named 35 per cent. as the rate of duties

which should be imposed upon imports.

the hundreds who heard his speech or o the thousands who read the reports of it has any clearer or more distinct idea of what the Tories would do if they got into power than he had when Mr. Boyd called upon us all to suspend discussion. Mr. Tilley said it was absurd or im possible that Sir John A. Macdonald ever named 35 per cent. as the rate of duty.

That is a point to be settled between Sir John and the reporter of the London Advertiser. For the public the only importance of the statement was that it gave outline to a policy previously shadowy and shapeless, and that it seriously restricted the extent of the threatened retaliation, the American duties on several artic run as high as fifty, sixty, and even eighty

Mr. Tilley declared that Sir John neve could have said that the Canadian tariff was reduced to fifteen per cent. to induce the Maritime Provinces to accept Confederation. It may be he thought, that some thing Sir John said of reductions made after Confederation was misunderstood. That Sir John made the statement on this point attributed to him was never before even questioned, and we all know as matter of fact that we were assured that the Canadian duty on what we called unenumerated articles would be reduced to fifteen per cent.; that fifteen per cent. was the duty fixed by the Act passed in the first session of the Dominion Parliament, and that, although several changes were made afterwards, increases of various kinds, and not reductions, were made until 1872, when the duties on tea and coffee were abolished because the duties on these R. H. ARNOLD. articles had been abolished by the United States Congress. Mr. Tilley's declaration on this point is contradicted by the evidence of several Ontario papers, and the fact that no contradiction was previously

attempted anywhere by anyone. He asserted that no increase of duties was necessary to meet the expenditure o 1873-4, but admitted that some change which would increase the revenue would have been necessary for the next year, as he stated in his Budget speech in 1873. That statement, which fortunately was recorded, was evidently embarrassing. It prevented his repeating many of the reckless assertions in which the Ontario Tories so frequently indulge.

But, while admitting that an increase o revenue was then necessary, he declared that if he had been a member of Parliament he would have opposed almost every proposition submitted by Mr. Cartwright.

SHIPS' MATERIALS. It was always the policy of the Government of New Brunswick to encourage ship building, one of the most important in dustries, by admitting duty free all the articles used in the construction of ships. It was true that Mr. Tilley himself once caused a duty of 21 per cent. to be im posed upon all those articles, but in framing the Canadian Tariff that was struck off, and he would have opposed the imposition of the duties proposed by Mr. Cartwright. This was a fair criticism on the tariff, and in all probability the duties, onstruction, as well as furniture, contained there- although trifling, are objectionable to many. Vessels to be owned and sailed by rates. Steam Saw Mills, Vessels on the stocks-or our own people may undoubtedly taxed like any other property without injury to the business of the country, but nothing used in the construction of vessels built for sale in British or Foreign markets should be taxed. Mr. Tillev was right when he said that the abolition of Light House dues does not afford any ground for the imposition of a duty on any part of a ship's materials, as foreign ships derive as

He talked a great deal about the duty on tea. He said that until 1874 there was no duty on tea, except the ten per cent. on tea purchased in the United States. This he certainly did not mean, as he afterwards compared the mode of taxation under the Macdonald Government, with that now in operation. In fact under the Macdonald Government, until the abolition of the duty on tea by the United States compelled us to abolish duties also, we paid about twice as much duty on tea as we lay now, and all the clamour which some of the Tories, and especially Sir John, raise about taxing the old woman's teapot is as impudent as it is hypocritical. Mr. Tille v did not complain that tea has been made a subject of taxation, but he asserted that great injustice is done to the Maritime Provinces by having a specific instead of an ad valorem duty. In his time the duty was partly specific and partly advalorem, and according to his present views this must be considered as a policy half just and half unjust. The people of the Upper Provinces use green THE largest and best assorted stock of WHIPS | tea chiefly and we prefer black. Green tea costs more than black, and, therefore, if an advalorem duty were imposed tho se who use black tea would pay less than those who use green, and the difference would be greater than that now made by the tariff, which imposes six cents on green tea and five cents on black. This would, tea, because we were compelled by our poverty to do so, but if we use it of choice, as the people of Ontario use green tea, and we are, take us man for man, as rich as they, and they use as much tea in proportion to numbers as we use, it may

certainly would not lose the \$2,000. Even \$2,000 is more than we should be required to pay unfairly, and if the people of New Brunswick think they are treated unfairly because they only pay a sixth less on every pound of tea than the people of Ontario, they should demand redress. He spoke also of the great injustice a specific duty does to the poor man, who, if he uses very cheap tea-and, by the way, our working people, generally, like good tea-pays on tea costing 17 cents, about 30 per cent., while the very rich or the very choice teas pay only about ten per cent. The Tory mode of half and half would have diminished not removed this injustice; but we all know that there is much to be said in favour of specific duties in many cases, and especially when the duty is so small as the present duty on tea, and very little indeed is used of the tea on which the duty is thirty per cent., and still less of tea on which the duty is only ten per cent., and many persons do say that it matters little in reality to the consumer how the duty is levied, as the price to him is the same in either

The other part of the story about tea.

was that the imposition of a duty of ten

per cent, on tea not imported directly,

built up a great domestic tea trade and

cording to this theory, be gainers; we

encouraged the shipping interest, and that Mr. Tilley has spoken, and not one o the abolition of that duty forced a large number of merchants to remove their business to the United States. We wondered to hear Mr. Tilley repeat this absurd old story. While that ten per cent. duty was in operation a few merchants did engage in the importing trade, and all the grocers in all parts of Canada, who for any reasons were compelled to buy tea at this side of the Atlantic, were compelled to go to those importers, and pay them nearly if not quite the full ten per cent. in addition to the prices current at New York, and what was the advantage to the business of the country, which, according to this trouble and inconvenience to grocers and loss to the purchasers. Two or three times our tea laden vessels sailed direct from China to Montreal. The year before the duty was abolished no vessel from China arrived in any part of this Dominon, we believe. Tea imported by Canadians from China, via New York, was admitted as a direct importation. The merchants in the trade found it convenient to have the markets of the United States open to them, and the markets of Canada closed against the merchants of the United States, and therefore they imported nearly all the tea they hoped to sell, through New York, keeping it there in bond so that they could dispose of it in either market, so that the people of Canada, after the first year or so, did not receive the slightest benefit for the ten per cent. on tea they were forced to pay a few Montreal merchants. Mr. Cartwright deserves the thanks of the people of all the Province for the abolition of that duty, and we be-

> a pound. This did not satisfy those gentlemen who were accustomed to the large profits which enabled them to acumulate enormous fortunes in a few years and they suspended work. That the American refiners really do receive a bounty is questioned by many, and when the refiners were summoned before a committee of the House of Commons they refused to give the evidence which would enable the committee to form a judgment on that point. Those who are in the trade could tell Mr. Tilley that the refined sugar now chiefly used in this Province, and probably in the others, is Scotch sugar, and the Scotch refiners certainly do not receive a bounty, and they have to take the raw sugar from the West Indies to the Clyde, and send the refined all the way back to this country. If refiners in Montreal or in Halifax, where Mr. Tilley assumed that a great refining business could be done, although none was done under the Macdonald-Tilley regime, with all the advantages of position, can not compete with the Scotch refiners in Canada, should we all pay an additional price for the sugar we use for the sake of having it refined in Canada, and for the sake of adding to the wealth of a few refiners and affording employment to a few people? Mr. Tilley argued that we should. He hinted that a farthing or half cent a pound would be sufficient protection, but if his principles are sound he should be prepared to go further if necessary. Now we use in Canada not much less than a hundred million pounds of sugar every year. A farthing a pound on this quantity would be a half a million dollars. A cent a pound would be a million dollars, and one or other of these amounts Mr. Tilley would have us pay. Six hundred men at most would do all the work of refining and he would tax us from \$850 to \$1,700; year for each of the men so employed. Could any proposal be more preposterous than this? In justice it should not be forgotten that he alleged that if the sugar we use were brought, as in olden times, direct from the West Indies our trade with those Islands would be larger and more profitable, our vessels getting return cargoes, etc., but on the other hand there is more than double the freightage when sugar is sent from the West Indies to Scotland and brought thence to Canada, and we get a large share of all the carrying trade. It would, all will admit, be desirable that we should import our sugar direct and refine it in Canada, but the Messrs Redpath and Mr. Tilley and the Tory party wish us to pay entirely too much for the sentimental satisfaction of using Canadian refined sugar, and on the Mr. Tilley's speech produced an impression the very reverse of what he sought to THE POOR MAN'S TOBACCO, WHISKEY, ETC.

Not only by the manner in which duty is levied on tea is the poor man unfairly

Mr. Tilley, must have more than offset lieve he has received them. Mr. Tilley talked as much about sugar as he did about tea. According to his present views the people of Canada suffer seriously because they do not pay a higher price for sugar. The two or three refineries of Canada are closed, and this, he says, is because the refineries of the United States receive a bounty in the name of a drawback, and so are enabled to undersell onr refineries. The duties on raw and refined sugars, etc., are to-day precisely what they where when Sir F. Hincks was Finance Minister and when Mr. Tilley was Finance Minister, only that by an order in Council the Mackenzie Government made a change which would operate to the benefit of Canadian refineries to the extent of about a farthing

would pay more, we would, perhaps, ac- have done when the increases were pro-

much benefit as our own from the abolition perhaps be specious if we used the cheaper | business part of the audience this part of

be doubtful whether it would be just to ! treated, according to Mr. Tilley, but the make them pay more than the additional increase of duty on the poor man's tobacco. twenty per cent. duty they now pay, be- he said, is 14 per cent., while the increase cause of their preference for green tea. on the rich man's cigars is only 4 per cent. The apparent earnestness with which he | -ad valorem-so the increase of the duty denounced this injustice became almost on the poor man's whiskey was much ludicrous when he stated that the loss this | greater than that of the rich man's wines Province sustains by not having the half and brandy. The audience must have devoting a very small portion of your leasure time specific half advalorem plan applied in been disgusted with the clap trap which raising the present amount of duties is the | Mr. Tilley chose to resort to when thus see fit to; but the service I require of you is both difference between \$38,000 and \$40,000. labouring to excite the poor man's preju-If we chose to use green tea though we dices. He did not say what he would