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CANADA'S PROSPERITY

A contemporary, while admitting that the fifteen years between 1898 and 1911 were extremely prosperous, denies that Liberal trade policy had much to do with it. If our contemporary meant that this country would prosper under any kind of customs tariff, or none, we should be inclined to agree with it. But it does not take that position. It is rather disposed to argue that the prosperity of Canada between 1896 and 1911 was due to "the Tory trade policy." This, we suppose, is our friend the N. P., established in 1879.

The first difficulty that occurs to us is how it was that the policy established in 1897 by Tories and administered by them for eighteen years, did not work out until 1897, when the Grits took office. There were a few years of prosperity in the early eighties, but after that the charm did not work. Booms burst. The census of 1891 was exceedingly disappointing. The growth of the country was slow until the Liberal ideas as to trade and the development of the west were worked out. Since 1897 there has been progress that was not only rapid, but steady. What was the cause? Were the Liberal principles and policies better, or were they more skillfully worked out? We think that both questions could be answered "Yes." We also believe that Liberal training gives a special advantage in dealing with new communities like our western countries. Conservatism has always broken down in dealing with these, whether they are colonies of the British empire, or newly opened parts of Canada, or newly opened parts of Ontario. Conservative administration was marked by two rebellions in the Canadian west and by a long period of stagnation. New Ontario was neglected by the Whitney government until very recently, when it was forced into action by discontent.

We recognize that the prosperity of Canada is due to causes other than government; but we say that government is an element in prosperity, and that for fifteen years, from 1897 to 1911, Canada was governed with exceptional ability. Our neighbor says that the Liberal tariff policy was not applied to Canada. It was applied, so far as it was within the power of the Liberals to do it. The Liberal policy was freer trade with the world, especially with Great Britain and the United States. Freer trade with Great Britain was given through the British preference. Freer trade with the United States was postponed until the United States were ready for fair trade, reducing or removing duty for duty. When this time came the Liberals stood ready to fulfil their pledge. A majority of the people of Canada were persuaded to reject the measure. But the Liberals did their best. "Tis not in mortals to command success," But the Liberals did more; they deserved it.

HON. MR. PUGSEY

(Halifax Recorder)

Our Tory contemporary has returned to the habit of abusing Hon. Mr. Pugsley, this time commenting upon a few slips in prophecy made by that gentleman. The proverb about people living in glass houses is very applicable here. From 1896 to 1911, that journal regularly prophesied in glaring headlines how the Tories were sure to sweep the country in the ensuing elections; and we know the measure of those "sweeps." During the election campaign of 1911, it scarcely indulged in any forecast at all, and the Tories won; so it appeared that as long as that journal loudly predicted success for its party, that party was in for a trouncing, and it was only when the prophetic role was given over that fate was propitious.

Dr. Pugsley may have missed the mark when he predicted victory for Mr. Copp in the Local elections in New Brunswick, but it might be well to remember that every one of the

contracts for public work during the period of his ministry was completely approved by a committee appointed by the Borden Government for the deliberate purpose of condemning them and of discovering graft in connection therewith. After years of abuse of every public act of Mr. Pugsley's, the Tories at length vindicated and approved them—and are now busily engaged in carrying them out. The Doctor may make slips as a prophet, but as Minister of Public Works he seems to have been unimpeachable and impeccable.

More than 100 years ago a sailor died, leaving an apple orchard comprising 21 acres of land then in the suburbs of the City of New York. He left it for the purpose of establishing a home for aged, indigent and infirm sailors. This was the foundation of the Sailors' Snug Harbor, on Staten Island, where nearly 900 worn-out sailors are enjoying all the comforts of home in their declining years. The little apple orchard of more than 100 years ago is now in the heart of New York City, with a value estimated at \$20,000,000.

Calgary is engaged in "town-planning" for an expected population of 200,000. The outstanding features of the scheme are a civic centre, play grounds for children in the residential quarters, adequate railway terminals and tress everywhere. As it is only a matter of time before the I.C.R. will be double tracked, Amherst might well get in line with Calgary as to "town planning." The west is always shouting what it is going to do. Is it not time the east took on a little optimism?—Amherst News.

Amherst News:—Brother Bryan is at Baltimore. He has lately been meditating on the story of Bruce and the spider. He has tried only three times. There are four more tries to the spider's credit.

Progressive is the popular adjective in American politics. It is used freely by trade obstructionists as well as by believers in commercial emancipation.

VALUE OF PUBLICITY AND ORGANIZATION

(From The Maritime Merchant.)

Dalhousie's campaign for four hundred thousand dollars was a source of inspiration and suggestion. The fact that a hundred busy men should give up the better part of their time for a week to go up and down the city soliciting subscriptions to Dalhousie's funds, as well as to contribute generously themselves, and the further fact that people should receive them so generously and give so freely, indicate a very good civic spirit and an enlightened recognition of the claims of higher education. Whatever pessimists may have to say, that week's work shows that there's something sound in the state of Halifax. There is a unanimity to be found among the people whenever anything is proposed calculated to call it out.

The results of the campaign are suggestive to business men. They show the value of publicity and organization. Had it not been for the hearty co-operation of the press, the movement might not have gripped the city with such force. This part of the campaign was carried out with such faithfulness and presented in such popular manner, that as soon as the canvassers commenced their work they found the way prepared. People knew what they wanted and that the cause was a good one; they had all the evidence to prove that it was worthy of their support; accordingly it was scarcely ever necessary to argue the question with anyone. This is exactly what good publicity does in every campaign—philanthropic, political, business. The good business man knows that his success comes easiest when he has paved the way by means of publicity that imbues the mind of the buying public with the buying spirit. The publicity given in the Dalhousie campaign was simply a business method applied to the selling of another kind of commodity. The dealer uses advertising to sell goods; the Dalhousie man used it to sell a participation in a great public movement.

Organization is the other element that alike in business and in any other campaign makes for good results. Business learned the value of organization from the army and other social factors. The nation's place could only be maintained by an organized army, religion by an organized church, the state by an organized government. In like manner business requires the organized force. When all the units in an army work

in complete harmony, it is at its highest efficiency. That harmonious working characterized the little army of canvassers who cleaned up the latter part of two hundred thousand dollars for Dalhousie a week ago. It is good organization that carries the modern business house along to success, quite as much as any other factor, in fact a big business without perfect organization is an impossibility; it cannot stand.

REPEAT THE DOSE

If one hundred men could do what we have discussed above for Dalhousie they could do the same thing for the City's industrial development. A harmonious body not influenced by political or other prejudices, and having a definite object in view, is a tremendous force for the carrying forward of any propaganda. The key to such an undertaking of course is the proper spirit and this in the case of Dalhousie, was as we said in the previous article, developed by the newspapers. It is a long time since, if ever, we have seen such a striking example of the influence of the press as in the campaign referred to, and we see no reason why from time to time, when something revolutionary is necessary to show the city its duty the dose might not be repeated.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

JUNE 28

1712—Jean Jacques Rousseau, famous writer and publicist, born in Switzerland. Died in France, July 8, 1778.

1776—Charles Mathews, celebrated comedian, born in London. Died in Plymouth, England, June 28, 1835.

1827—Winnebago Indians massacred white settlers at Prairie du Chien, Wis.

1838—Coronation of Queen Victoria. 1840—Samuel McKean, U. S. senator from Pennsylvania 1833-9, died in Burlington, Pa. Born Sept. 19, 1790.

1855—Railroad across the isthmus of Panama opened to traffic.

1857—Massacre of the British at Cawnpore.

1892—Farragut ran the Vicksburg blockade and began the bombardment of the city.

1863—Confederate advance called back by Gen. Lee to concentrate at Gettysburg.

1889—Maria Mitchell, famous astronomer, died at Lynn, Mass. Born at Nantucket, Aug. 1, 1818.

1896—Semi-centennial of Wisconsin as a State celebrated at Milwaukee.

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EPWORTH LEAGUE MEETING

Centralia, Ill., June 27—With Bishop Quayle of Oklahoma City, scheduled as the chief speaker, the members of the Epworth League of Illinois, rallied here in force today and began their biennial state convention. The sessions will continue over Sunday. The program is one of the most attractive ever prepared for a convention of the state organization.

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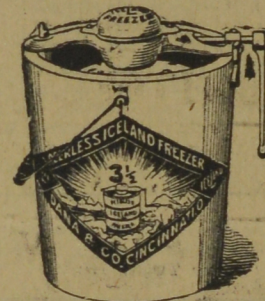
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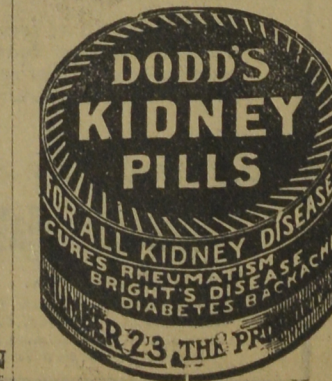
To the Editor of The Telegraph:

Sir,—I have read in some newspapers that I was to support the Fleming administration. I beg to state that my good Liberal friends in Madawaska county have elected me as a supporter of the opposition and I shall remain faithful to my party. Hoping that you will publish the above explanation. I am, dear sir, Yours very truly,

L. AUGUSTE DUGAL.

Edmundston, N. B.,
June 26, 1912.

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