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RECIPROCITY NOT DEAD

The reciprocity question is not dead by any means and it will not die. The returns made public by the clerk of the crown in chancery a few days ago show that the Borden government owes its success to the overwhelming vote which it received in Toronto and other urban districts where the monied interests of the country got in their work. Rural Canada as a whole voted for Laurier and larger markets. The Tory flag flappers were able to fool the farmers in York and in some other sections of New Brunswick, but they did not fool them in the prairie provinces where reciprocity sentiment is very strong. The intelligent farmers of the country, both east and west have since had ample opportunity to calmly study the situation for themselves and must know by this time that the policy put before them by the Liberals was sound and business like and would have worked greatly to the advantage of the country as a whole.

The Dominion Grange, an influential organization of farmers met in Toronto on Wednesday of this week and devoted considerable attention to tariff matters.

"We believe that the Dominion Grange should make it perfectly clear that reciprocity is not dead," said the report of the Committee on Legislation, presented by Mr. W. C. Good, Brantford. "The late Dominion election was in no sense a fair referendum upon the single issue of reciprocity with the United States. Numerous other issues were inevitable mingled with it, and the bitterness of the party fight led to such distortion and misrepresentation, such an extensive importation of alien questions, and such appeals to international prejudice that any fair submission of one question became impossible."

Following the reading of the Master's address, Mr. Henry Glendenning, Master-elect, said it was hard to keep politics out of any large question. Reciprocity was only kept out of politics for a week after it had been introduced in the House of Commons. The opposition to it rose right in Toronto, and Mr. J. W. Flavelle set about to educate the people by way of the press. Graphically Mr. Glendenning told how Hon. W. S. Fielding, was defeated in Nova Scotia. "The control of newspapers was brought up," The Montreal Star was sent to every elector. Ten speakers with automobiles were at work in the riding every night.

"Nothing could stand up against a battery like that," he went on. "Mr. Flavelle knew what he meant when he said the people must be educated. It meant the power of money must be exerted against the farmer. There was nothing illegal in it. It was perfectly proper. But how clumsy the old way of paying three or four dollars for votes compared with this way of educating the people."

Mr. James McEwing, ex-M.P.P., for West Wellington, was well to the front in the discussion. "When are the farmers going to wake up?" he asked. "Were the money powers to have the say about every big question that came up? It was the money filched from the farmers by the protective tariff that won the election."

After questioning the value of the verdict against reciprocity last fall, when so many outside issues were drawn in the report of the Committee on Legislation goes on to say:

"In addition to these considerations there is the very important fact that even upon the assumption that the election was a referendum upon reciprocity, 616,943 electors voted for it, while only 660,331 voted against it. Surely not a sufficient blow to even stun reciprocity, much less to kill and bury it! When, out of a total of \$462,000,000 of imports into Canada in the last fiscal year,

\$285,000,000 came from the United States; whereas, out of total exports of \$274,000,000, \$104,115,000 went to the United States, and all this in spite of high average Customs duties, it becomes very evident that the improvement of trade relations between Canada and her southern neighbor is, and until all restrictions are abolished, must continue to be, one of the most important questions that confront the Canadian people."

Mr. O. S. Crockett, M. P. for York who gained more votes by reason of the Ne Temere decree at the last election than any other candidate for political honors in Eastern Canada, never opened his mouth when the Lancaster bill was before Parliament on Monday. Several Tory members from Ontario had the courage to stand up and tell their leader that they were unable to see eye to eye with him on this question, but not so Mr. Crockett. He wanted the troublesome question shelved and voted accordingly. What do the empire savers of Stanley, Hamtown, Nashwaak Village, New Maryland, Magundy and other sections who gave Mr. Crockett such a strong support in the recent election, think about it anyway?

Toronto Globe: It is said that 25,000,000 bushels of Canadian wheat depends on the new railway route to Minneapolis for a profitable market. What would it mean to the farmers, and to every other interest dependent on the farmers' prosperity, had the American duty been removed and the higher prices paid? That loss is part of the price Canadians must now pay for the success of the campaign of deception, prejudice, and the race have organized and carried out by the privileged Big Interests. And this is only the beginning.

Montreal Herald: In Mr. Graham's case, looking to the near or the remote future there is far more interest than in that of three-fourths at least of the Ministers. The men in South Renfrew who undertook not to bar his return to Parliament may be censured by the narrower minded of their party friends, but they have the approval of the general community. That is why the Conservative who is particular about such things realizes that his party is "in wrong."

Boston Globe: The country will second President Taft's welcome to the Duke of Connaught, Governor General of Canada, who is to pay a flying visit to the capital. We have only good will for the Duke and his office and we trust that his brief stay will convince him and the people over whom he presides, that the United States is fully as friendly to her northern neighbor as when we adopted the reciprocity agreement.

Tory chickens are still coming home to roost. Mr. Borden's Nationalist followers are in open revolt on a question of patronage. They want the heads of the members of the Montreal harbor commission and as a protest against the failure of Premier Borden to act, twenty-two of them have packed their grips and left Ottawa. The revolt has created a big sensation at Ottawa.

Hon. Frank Cochrane, minister of railways, does not think that the population of Canada can be only seven millions, in view of the fact that up to the present time about ten million people have applied to the Borden government for jobs.

CHURCH SERVICES

SALVATION ARMY

Services on Sunday conducted by Capt. Howland assisted by visitors from St. John as follows: 11 a. m. Holiness meeting 3 p. m. and 8 p. m. at Y. M. C. A. Rooms. Bright singing and music. All heartily invited.

BRUNSWICK STREET BAPTIST

Rev. Fred S. Porter, pastor of the German street Baptist (St. John), will preach at both services Sunday

REFORMED BAPTIST

Rev. S. A. Baker, preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School and Adult Bible Class at 2.30 p. m. Evangelistic service after preaching in the evening. All are cordially invited.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Minister, Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith. 11 a. m., subject, The Message to the Church in Ephesus. 7 p. m., subject, The Building of the Kingdom. 2.30 Sunday School and Bible Classes. Subject in the Men's Class, The Growth of the Kingdom. All cordially invited.

SPLENDID WORK IN PARRY SOUND

Quick cure of W. S. Kettle by Dodd's Kidney Pills

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Golden Valley, Parry Sound District, Ont., Jan. 26—(Special)—W. S. Kettle, well-known in this district, has added his testimony to the great mass now coming forward to prove that Dodd's Kidney Pills cure kidney disease, no matter where it is found or in what form it is found.

"I suffered from backache, gravel and headache for ten months," Mr. Kettle states. "My sleep was broken and unrefreshing and the least exertion would make me perspire. After taking one box of Dodd's Kidney Pills I was completely cured. That was a year ago and I have had no return of my trouble since."

Dodd's Kidney Pills have done a great work in this district. Numerous people can be found who have been cured by them of almost every kidney disease, including rheumatism, lumbago, dropsy and Bright's disease. They are looked upon by all who have used them, as the one sure cure for kidney disease.

ENGLISH LABORITES TO HAVE NEWSPAPER

London, Jan. 27—The labor party has definitely decided to attempt the establishment of a daily newspaper, which has been entitled the Daily Citizen. It will be a general newspaper, dealing not only with labor propaganda, but news of all kinds.

The new venture will be owned by a company with ten directors and Ramsay MacDonald as chairman. The capital will be £150,000 issued in 15 shares.

A NICE SOUVENIR

Chatham World—Comm. H. R. Pond, of Ludlow, has a souvenir of his service in the Boer war that he values very highly. It is a New Testament that was given to him on the eve of his departure for South Africa. He kept it in his breast pocket, and once when a Boer thrust for his heart the point of the bayonet pierced the book to the depth of half an inch or more. Mr. Pond captured his assailant.

PERSONAL

Mr. F. de L. Clements of St. John was in the city last night.

Mr. J. A. Girard of Quebec is in the city.

Mr. A. D. Cooke of Woodstock is in the city.

Mr. W. T. Ritchie of Ottawa is registered at the Queen.

Mr. T. W. Taylor of New York arrived in the city last night.

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ITALIAN TORPEDO BOATS GET INTO TROUBLE

Paris, Jan. 27—The Italian torpedo boats, which seized the French steamer Tavignano last night also shelled several barges which were going out from shore yesterday to unload. The capture of the Tavignano occurred off Biban, Tunis. According to today from Ben Gardan a coast town on the frontier between Tunis and Tripoli, the capture of the Tavignano and the shelling of the barges occurred in French waters. The indignation over the incident is very great.

McFARLANE TRIAL MONDAY

Newark, N.J., Jan. 27—The trial of Allison M. MacFarland, the Newark advertising man, accused of the murder of his wife, Evelyn, who was found dead October 18 last from cyanide poisoning, is to begin Monday morning before Chief Justice Gumere, of the New Jersey supreme court. This will re-open the case, which bears such a strong resemblance to the famous Crippen murder in London, that interested the whole world about a year ago.

MacFarland, who is 34 years old, was the advertising manager of a large electrical concern here. He, with his wife and two children, moved to Newark early last summer from New York. On the evening of October 17, according to statements alleged to have been made by MacFarland to the police, he and his six-year-old son went to a theatre in New York, spending the night in New York. Next morning upon his return home, MacFarland found his wife's body lying across the bed and their two-year-old daughter playing around it. To the police MacFarland admitted, they allege, that he brought home cyanide of potassium, which an autopsy later showed caused his wife's death.

MacFarland declared that he had put the cyanide in a bottle which had formerly contained bromide—a drug which his wife took frequently to relieve headache. It was his intention, he said, to clean jewelry with the cyanide, and after placing a poison label on the bottle, he set it for safe-keeping near the spot where his wife kept her bromide.

The police allege that the deadly poison was placed purposely within Mrs. MacFarland's reach by her husband, and that she took it, as he intended she should, in mistake for bromide. It is the theory of Prosecuting Attorney Wilbur Mott that the motive for the murder is to be found in MacFarland's alleged anxiety to marry Miss Florence Bromley of Philadelphia. The prosecuting attorney is said to have in his possession a score or more of letters from Miss Bromley to MacFarland, in one of which she says: "I am happy at the approach of the time when I will be your wife." MacFarland is alleged to have become infatuated with Miss Bromley when she worked as his stenographer in Philadelphia.

Paris, Jan. 27—Frederick Pasey, the publicist member of the political and moral sciences section of the institute, one of the founders of the International Peace Bureau, and also of the Inter-Parliamentary Peace Union, a commander of the Legion of Honor, is ill of pulmonary congestion. He was the winner of the first Nobel prize. He is ninety years old.

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