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DON'T WANT FOOD TAX

There was a great deal of sound common sense in the message from the president of the Manitoba Grain Growers' Association read by Premier Asquith in his great speech at Dundee last week. The premier ridiculed the food tax proposals of his opponents and clinched his arguments with the letter of the head of the Manitoba Grain Growers' Association of which the following is an extract:

"Manitoba farmers believe that the British trade policy is a British question entirely, and resent any attempt on the part of our Government to interfere in matters which affect the British people alone. When it is suggested that the question be referred to the Overseas Dominions we consider we should give expression to our views, particularly the Grain Growers' Association, who are the largest exporters in the British Empire and that Great Britain is our chief market at the present time. We wish the people of Great Britain to distinctly understand that we have no desire to place any burden on the British consumer for our benefit. We believe that any preference given to wheat growers in the Dominions will simply result in an increased cost to the British consumer. We are quite willing to face the world's competition in the British market, and are only anxious that British manufacturers should be given free access to the Canadian market."

The proposal to tax the food of the toiling masses of Great Britain for the benefit of the farmers of the Canadian West is a most absurd one and the westerners by refusing to countenance it have done themselves credit. There is no doubt but that it was part of a deal entered into between Mr. Bonar Law, the Unionist leader and the Tory cabinet ministers who visited Great Britain last summer. They were to exchange Drednoughts for a preference for Canadian food-stuffs in the British market, but it is beginning to look as if Bonar Law is not going to be in a position to deliver the goods.

THE PRICE OF MEATS

Here's cheering news from the Wall Street Journal:

Outlook for the present year is not very encouraging. In the United States figures for 1912 show that cattle have decreased from 63,080,000 to 7,950,000 and sheep from 57,216,000 to 52,362,000. In Great Britain cattle increased 4 over the preceding year, but sheep decreased 5 per cent. to the lowest number since 1888. Canada furnishes no hope of supplies in the way of meats because of a general disinclination on the part of settlers to engage in mixed farming. Australia has apparently about reached the limit of its exportations. New Zealand is turning to dairying. The hopes of the world for its meat supply rest largely in the South American countries.

It is patent that the world consumption of meat has about overtaken production. It can be expected that there will be no real reductions in the cost of meat for the near future. American packers are pushing their way in spite of the protests of Australian patriots and politicians, thinking of their home supplies and trade, into the various commonwealths there. They control the South American export in meats.

A Tory newspaper recently referred to Mr. Parker Glasier as the nestor of the Legislature. It kind of strikes us that Mr. Pinder having been elected to the Legislature seven years before Mr. Glasier entered public life has some claim on that distinction.

The city of Portland, Maine, has decided, by a majority of over three to one, to establish municipal fuel yards. It is to be hoped that some time in the future a wide awake city council will grapple with this question in Fredericton.

The Lieutenant Governor of Ontario wore a Windsor uniform for the

first time, at the opening of the Legislature this week. New Brunswick is away in advance of the big province in this respect.

The City Council has wisely decided not to impose tolls on the Fredericton market. The market at the present time is conducted on the grab game principle to a large extent, and it is well that the regulations should be improved and some provision made for their enforcement.

The city fathers seem to be devoting a lot of time and attention to the revision of the bye-laws. They should also see to it that adequate provision is made for their enforcement.

The City Council is getting after the bill board men with a license fee. This is a step which will undoubtedly meet with general approval.

Premier Borden has accomplished something at last. He has closed the mouths of the Tory jingoes in Parliament.

SOME THINGS WE KNOW

That the last young bachelors' ball was something of a frost.

That a levy has been made on some of the boys who failed to attend.

That Mr. Pinder's chances of becoming the next speaker of the Legislature are not of the best.

That that big air-hole in the river positively refuses to freeze over.

That City Marshall Roberts in his capacity as messenger at the City Council has listened to more bad speeches than any other man in Fredericton.

That notwithstanding this drawback he has been able to raise a good family of boys.

That the portly merchant tailor took down the sign "eyes tested free" after he had received several professional calls from Normal students.

That it is about time the militiamen who composed the guard of honor during the visit of royalty here last summer were getting their pay.

That the Lieutenant Governor, although in office less than a year already has a new boarding house and a new private secretary.

That some of the beneficiaries of the Flemming Government have a very prosperous look these days.

That the St. Mary's doctor lost in the bridge game.

That civic politicians have their ears to the ground these days.

That there may be a surprise for some of them before they are many days older.

That it is not true that Mr. Pinder thought the government meeting was in St. John this week.

That a couple of big guns are to be brought here for the House opening.

That there are a lot of good skaters among the Normalites this year.

That it seems to be pretty hard to overpay a school teacher.

That it looks as if Mr. Crockett would be eligible for an old age pension by the time he gets that judgeship.

That the members of the Algonquin Club who won the free library do not spend all their time reading.

That if the new surveyor of wood sticks close to his job he will become a popular official.

That he could almost crawl through some of the loads of wood offered for sale in the market.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

FEBRUARY 8.

1793—Salary of President of the United States fixed at \$25,000 a year.

1844—Richard Watson Gilder, noted author and editor, born in Bordentown, N.J. Died in New York City Nov. 18, 1909.

1872—Lord Mayo, governor general of India, assassinated at Fort Blair.

1873—Gen. John W. Geary, governor of Pennsylvania 1866-72, died in Harrisburg. Born in Wesmorland County, Pa., Dec. 30, 1819.

1892—Behring Sea Commission met in Washington, D.C.

FEBRUARY 9.

1763—France ceded Canada to Great Britain.

1826—Gen. John A. Logan born in Illinois. Died in Washington, D.C., Dec. 26, 1886.

1841—Union of Upper and Lower Canada.

1865—Gen. Robert E. Lee made commander-in-chief of the Confederate armies.

BIRTHDAY CONGRATULATION

FEBRUARY 8.

Rush Rhees, president of the University of Rochester, 53 years old today.

ANOTHER WOMAN JOINS THE ARMY

Of Western Women Who Have Found Relief in Dodd's Kidney Pills

After Three Years of Suffering Madame Dufault of St. Boniface is Telling Her Neighbors of Her Wonderful Cure

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Rear Admiral William W. Mead, U.S.N., retired, 68 years old today. Adolph Wolgast, former champion lightweight pugilist, 25 years old today.

FEBRUARY 9

Mrs. Patrick Campbell, the brilliant English emotional actress, 48 years old today.

Field Marshal Sir Evelyn Wood, one of the famous commanders of the British army, 75 years old today.

George Ade, one of the Indiana school of authors who has won fame and fortune by his plays and humorous writings, 47 years old today.

Lincoln Dixon, representative in congress of the Fourth Indiana district, 53 years old today.

Horatio C. Claypool, representative in congress of the Eleven Ohio district, 54 years old today.

Jake Kilrain, for many years one of the foremost of American heavyweight pugilists, 54 years old today.

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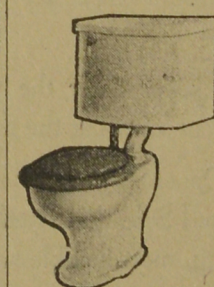
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THE ROAD COMPLETED

The last spike in the Southampton Railway has been driven and the road is now completed to the river Mr. J. K. Pinder the promoter of the line, has been running trains over

it this winter at his own expense and has handled considerable traffic. It is understood that the C.P.R. will shortly take over the road and operate it. Parties who have recently been over the line say that it has been well built.