

## WHAT RECIPROCITY MEANS TO THE CANADIAN PEOPLE

(Toronto Globe)

Reciprocity has now passed at Washington. Whether it becomes law or not rests with the Canadian Parliament and people. It is worth recalling the terms of the agreement and pointing out in a general way its meaning to the two countries affected. The bill is a tariff amendment, divided into three schedules, embodying a large free list on natural products, and reduced duties on food products and certain manufactures.

For farmers there will be distinct advantage in free access to the United States market for the following, among other articles, upon which duty is now levied:—

Cattle	Onions
Horses and Mules	Apples
Swine	Pears
Sheep and Lambs	Peaches
Poultry	Grapes
Wheat	Butter
Rye	Cheese
Oats	Fresh Milk
Barley	Fresh Cream
Beans	Eggs
Potatoes	Hay
Corn	Straw

Canadian fishermen will be rewarded by free access to the United States market for the following products of the rich waters of the Dominion:—

Mackerel	Herrings
Halibut	Salmon
Cod	Oysters

Canadian lumbermen will gain by the free admission to the United States of the following standard products:—

Timber, hewn, sided or squared  
Sawed boards, planks, deals  
Paving posts, railroad ties and poles  
Wooden staves  
Pickets and palings

The mining man will find better sale for his goods by free access to United States markets for:—

Feldspar, Mica, Talc, Salt, Asbestos

Consumers on both sides will thank the negotiators of this agreement for reduced duties on many articles now bearing varying taxes, and among them:—

Meats, fresh or refrigerated; bacon and hams; beef and pork, salted; canned meats and poultry; lard, tomatoes and other vegetables, wheat flour and oatmeal; prepared cereal food; bran, middlings and other offals of grain; macaroni and vermicelli; biscuits, wafers and cakes; canned fruits; agricultural implements; cutlery; paving stones; clocks and watches; canoes; motor vehicles.

Canada is now the third best customer of the United States. Under reciprocity we will sell more to the United States of the things we do not need and which the United States does need; we will buy more of what they have to sell and what we want to buy. We will continue to buy from Great Britain the fabrics and other articles with which she can best supply us. But instead of free access only to the British market for natural products we will have also the increasing demands of the United States.

Laurier and the larger markets is the policy for Canada.

## FROM THE RURAL DISTRICTS

### CENTRAL WATERVILLE

July 21—Hay making seems to be the order of the day.

We hear that Mrs. Harry Chase is going to purchase a new organ from Sandy Yerra.

We see a fine steer passing through this place occasionally and wonder if Judson lost one.

Messrs. F. Harris and S. Barron have got their barns rebuilt ready for haying.

We are glad to hear Harry Mc— has got up courage to go home with a girl, but we feel sorry for Vellie. She looks bad.

Mr. Chase lost a valuable horse last week. Samuel Barrow has not been very well lately. Dr. Owens is in attendance.

M. H. looks very down hearted. There is a new girl from town.

An automobile passed through here Friday. We see them quite frequently.

The girls of Waterville want to set their traps if they have not got them set already. Foxes are quite numerous.

The Baptist Sunday School of this place is largely attended by everybody.

Miss Dora Murdoch has been to Rossville dress making or match-making we don't know which.

Mrs. Chris. Miller of Canterbury, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. Barrow. We are sorry to say she has been quite poorly.

Mr. A. Stairs has built a new wagon shed and granary.

Mrs. Faustina Thornton of Grafton is visiting relatives in this place.

Mr. Frank Harris is rejoicing over the arrival of a son. One would not think he would feel so big where he has got so many boys.

Miss Alice Watfield, of Woodstock, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Peter McElwain of this place.

We believe John Barrows has an attraction out on Stairs hill. We see him going out there occasionally.

Mrs. Henry Chase and Mrs. John Tapley were visiting relatives at Nackawick last Sunday.

The boys have returned from the park woods. Bessie is wearing a smiling face.

Miss Celia Harris is working for David McFarlane of East Waterville. She is home every Sunday.

We are glad to see Elva has got a fellow. It is something we don't see every day.

Sam Weeks is doing a big business trading horses.

The esteemed Sunday School teacher, W. H., is wearing a white shirt. We guess he is getting tony.

We are glad to welcome our young friend Norman Sharp, of Nortondale in the Sunday School and meetings.

Celia Cole has got a long ways to go now. We pity the black horse and bow of pink ribbon.

Eva Hoyt has gone to Lake George. During the heavy thunder storm on July 3rd Amos Thornton's barn was struck by lightning but luckily it did not catch fire.

There was a fine wagon broke Sunday. We saw a Fox going down rubbing his head.

The Episcopalian minister, Mr. Grant, has church here every fortnight.

Marvin Murdoch don't go on the hill as often as he did. We wonder what is the matter?

Messrs. Harry and Fred Pickard are doing Mr. Fawcett's haying.

He is a fine old man but very strict when his boys get in. If it is after right you will see him by his gate saying "Now, boys, don't stay out late."

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Murdoch were visiting friends at Bear Island last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Fox was visiting his parents at Southampton last week.

We are glad to hear John Stairs' foot is getting better where he cut it some time ago.

A room to let with a piece of Massey-Harris furniture in it. For further particulars apply to R. McTongue Lashers.

### BURDEN

Burden, August 5—Mrs. Robert Crewdson entertained a number of young people at her home on Saturday last. A very pleasant evening was spent in games and other amusements; quite late in the evening refreshments was served and before the party broke up Mrs. Crewdson's guest, Miss Ferguson gave some recitations which were enjoyed by all.

The party broke up about 12.15 p. m. all receiving a hearty invitation to come again.

Miss Eunice Kelly who has been in Fredericton for some time is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Kelly.

Dr. H. M. Jewett and son Spencer of Providence, R. I., who are having their vacation came to St. John then to Fredericton and at the present time they are visiting the doctor's brother at the Mill; They expect to leave for home in a few days.

Mrs. Sam Cord and son Roy of Greenwich, R. I. is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jewett.

Miss Blanche Kitchen who has been sick, is somewhat improved in health. Mrs. Caroline Harris who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Kelly has returned home.

Mrs. William and Harry Boddie spent one day last week with Mrs. Luke Kelly.

Miss Mildred Kitchen who wrote the entrance exams at the Normal

School Fredericton, got the class she tried for. We all wish her much success in the future.

Mr. Roy Jewett who has been with the sports at Magaguadavic Lake, has returned home.

All the farmers are busy haying some of them have finished.

### TRACEY STATION

July 25.—About a month ago a herd of animals were turned loose on the Tracey bridge. They consisted of a solitary red fox, two more labelled Harris and Hoose. They also had with them a Spooner and a Brig.

They commenced operations by going beneath the bridge and pawing a big hole. Here they found a young Fawcett and a Nason. After digging a little deeper they came upon something which, when it was examined, was pronounced to be a Canning-ham.

This animal was of a decidedly aquatic state of mind for he soon had them all playing in themud. They soon tired of this and then they tackled one of the piers, which they are now busy gnawing it to pieces. The last animal of this collection is named Morga. He always does the dancing when he hears the organ.

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**"IRON MAN" MCGINNITY  
EXONERATED BY BARROW**

New York, Aug. 4.—Pres. Barrows of the eastern league has exonerated Manager McGinnity of the Newark club from blame for an incident in Sunday's game in Newark. Umpire Wright was hit by a ball, but Pres. Barrow says the testimony of both umpires as well as that of several Toronto players show that there was no intention on McGinnity's part to injure the umpire.

A ball had been thrown from the Newark bench at the request of the umpire for a new ball, and at the same time another ball that had tumbled over the fence was thrown back. One of the balls hit Wright in the calf of the leg without hurting him.

An automatic fine of \$10 for being put out of the game has been paid by McGinnity.

Pres. Barrow has refused to consider Newark's protest of Tuesday's game with Toronto, on the ground that Newark suffered no injury from the umpire's decision.

**ST. STEPHEN THISTLES  
PLAY HERE TOMORROW**

There is a busy week ahead of the Fredericton Baseball Club if the program mapped out materializes. Tomorrow the St. Stephen Thistles will be here. On Wednesday Fredericton is to play the Marathons at St. John. On Thursday the Marathons will probably be here for a postponed league game. On Friday the local team is to play at Woodstock and an exhibition game at St. John with the Marathons on Saturday is on the slate.

If the program is followed out, the local team will use all four pitchers, Tift probably pitching two games.

The St. Stephen team, which has always proved a hard nut for Fredericton to crack, will be here tomorrow and the game should bring out one of the biggest crowds of the season.

A. Keaney, the new infielder who joined the team at St. John on Friday, was tried out as shortstop in Saturday's practice, Callahan going to second base. The arrangement of the players worked well.

The tag day in benefit of the baseball club on Saturday netted a considerable amount and the collectors who were at work last week met with a generous response from the public.

**HARRY LORD FINED  
\$50 FOR MISCONDUCT**

Chicago, Aug. 4.—Word was received last night from Pres. B. B. Johnson of the American League that a fine of \$50 had been imposed on Capt. Harry Lord of the Chicago team for his misconduct in the second game on Saturday in New York, when he pushed Umpire Mullin when a decision at second base went against him.

**O'TOOLE ALLOWED SEVEN  
HITS IN FIVE INNINGS**

St. Paul, Aug. 5.—Martin O'Toole, the St. Paul pitcher for whom the Pittsburgh National league baseball club recently paid \$22,500 was knocked out of the box by Minneapolis batters who made seven hits and seven runs off him in five innings.

In contra distinction Leverette of Minneapolis allowed only one hit in nine innings and that a scratch.

# ANNOUNCEMENT

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### CANDIDATES SELECTED IN P. E. ISLAND

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Aug. 4—Two conventions were held in this city today to nominate candidates to contest Queens county for the Liberal and Liberal-Conservative parties respectively.

The Liberal candidates are A. B. Warburton and L. E. Prowse the present M. P.'s, and the Liberal-Conservative candidates A. A. McLean, K. C., and Donald Nicholson.

D. A. McKinnon, ex-governor, was also nominated for the Liberals. Alex Martin a former M. P., was nominated for the Conservatives, but declined, as also did W. S. Stewart, K. C.

### WESTERN TRAP SHOOTERS AT OMAHA

Omaha, Neb., Aug. 6—Omaha is entertaining for four days beginning today, the annual meeting and tournament of the Western Trap Shooters' Association. The event has attracted a large number of well known marksmen from many States.

### TOURING THE WORLD WITH TEAM OF DOGS

Superior, Wis., Aug. 7—Traveling around the world with a dog, team for a [wager of \$10,000, Wm. Brown of St. Johns, Nfld. arrived yesterday in Superior, having complete all of the trip except the distance between here and Newfoundland.

According to the terms of the wager, which was made with a sporting club of St. Johns, Brown must go around the world with a dog team in five years. He left there on Christmas Day 1906 and expects to cover the remainder of the distance in time to win his wager. His team consists of five dogs and a wolf.

### MAY SUTTON AT TACOMA TOURNAY

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 7—May Sutton of Pasadena, the greatest of women tennis experts, is among the contestants in the Pacific Northwest Northwest championships which began today at the Tacoma Lawn Tennis Club. Other well known players from California and from Oregon, Washington, and British Columbia, are taking part.