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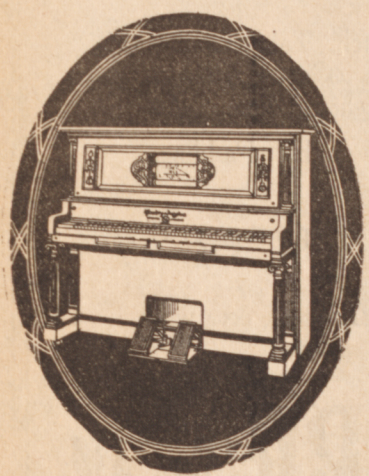
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THE MISSES YOUNG**BRITISH PRESS COMMENT ON
THE DUKE'S APPOINTMENT**

Relations of the Dominion to the Empire--Golden Link of Crown--Fears Regarding Absolution by the United States --Tribute to Earl Grey--Mail Says Canada Destined to Enter Empire on Equal Status.

London Jan. 29.—The Daily Graphic says: "In the Duke of Connaught we find of our best in a double sense and we recall the fact that forty-one years ago he smelt powder in the Fenian troubles in Canada. Referring to the trade agreement we may safely assume that the mutual affection between us is undiminished by the commercial arrangement, adding prosperity to the Dominion."

The Morning Post says the Duke of Connaught's appointment marks the final stage in the entrance of the eldest and largest Dominion nation to equal status with the inhabitants of the United Kingdom. Constitutionally connected with them there is no link except allegiance to a common sovereign. In the momentous experiment of the past the position has never been easily filled and it is not easier later in what Canadians call growing times.

Earl Grey has been so successful that any new governor of an ordinary kind would have found difficulty to follow, but the Royal Prince will be regarded in a special degree for what he stands for as well as what he does. Canada is destined either to be British or American, touching economic interests, and the defence of moral interests jointly. If economic become predominantly American so as to call for the defence of Canadian policy and national ideals, the people may not approve but if the economic predominance is once established the sequence will be beyond their power to control.

IMPERIAL RECIPROCITY

Nations master their fate only for a time. This country has still the opportunity, though rapidly receding to revert to the common sense basis of an Imperial union establishing Imperial reciprocity.

Professor Hewins opines in the Morning Post that a complete reciprocity treaty will follow facilitating the known aims of many far seeing Americans regarding the political absorption of Canada. Britain will now have to face a worldwide competition in the Canadian market.

IS IT AN EMPTY THRONE

The London Daily Mail says the Duke of Connaught will have immense success, but it asks: "Does the Duke of Connaught succeed to an empty throne? Has Canada, drawing nearer to the United States set her foot on the road to separation from Britain? Some will see in the reciprocity agreement the end of imperial federation. No doubt the relations will grow till Canada and the United States have a common market. The new agreement gives the rein to forces against which the preference to British imports is of no avail."

"The truth is that Canadians are not convinced of the need of a Customs union within the empire." The scheme of Imperial preference with Canada as the corner-stone is dead, it says but the idea of federation is not. The Duke of Connaught can do much to strengthen Canadian sentiment towards the Empire.

Sir William Mackenzie is another interview modifies his objections, seeing there is only concurrent legislation by both countries. This does not tie the hand of either party, except long legislation is operative. He does not see how it can avoid increasing the price of food in Canada.

TARIFF REFORMERS NATURALLY ANGRY

The Daily Telegraph does not believe Canadian and British trade will be affected by the agreement. It makes tariff reformers naturally angry, but their ambition has always been unrealistic. It will be a bad day for England when she tries to subordinate Canada's best interest to the tariff reformers. It would seem to hold the idea that the dominions should be kept in leading strings, whereas Britain glories in the development of the daughter nations. The agreement helps forward an alliance between the United States and Britain.

The London Express says the appointment is a new departure and entirely in consonance with the new conception of the place taken by the Crown in the Imperial life of the dominions. It is a tribute to all the dominions overseas the significance of which will nowhere be ignored. Regarding the agreement The Express deprecates the fact that the best granary of the Empire has been taken away, the bonds of sentiment alone being left. It proved now the madness of refusing to strengthen that bond. Chamberlain was a true prophet.

VIEW OF THE TIMES

The Times says the appointment will meet with the warmest appreciation in both countries, and will reach the Dominion at a profoundly significant period. It is gradually being recognized that the tariff arrangement is a momentous departure. We should be the last to believe that Canada's acceptance of America's terms implies any weakening in her allegiance. On the contrary, it involves so profound a modification of the conditions of that basis of consolidation, both in trade and policy that it must be reconsidered. Canada is only on the threshold of her national life. Britain must not relax strengthening and maintaining of the any of the fibre that goes to the imperial system. The Duke of Connaught will take a wide view of his duties.

A NOVEL EXPERIMENT

The Daily News says the appointment is a novel experiment after Earl Grey, as a governor who realizes it is for ministers and not himself to govern. It will be something of a relief now, and especially indicates the difference between the real and the fictitious Imperial ties. The very hour Canada repudiates Joseph Chamberlain she welcomes the Duke of Connaught.

The Morning Leader asks whether the Duke of Connaught can succeed in bettering the example of Earl Grey, which is admittedly a hard task and remains to be seen. The Duke starts under the fairest auspices. The Standard even says it is conceivable that in the appointment they detect the Royal statecraft designed to remedy some of the mischief worked by fiscal perversity. It is the ideal choice anyway, for Canadians will regard the compliment as paid to themselves beyond precedent since 1878.

The Daily Telegraph discusses the appointment, eulogizing Canada and declaring that a fresh and bright page opens with the new regime. That Canada's heart will go out to the Royal representative is the consummation of many loyal hopes.

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**POSTPONES INVESTIGATION
OF GRAND TRUNK STRIKE**

(Canadian Press)

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 2.—Judge Barton's presence being required on the conciliation board which will seek to adjust the grievances of the Intercolonial Railway employees, he has had to postpone the investigation into the cases of the Grand Trunk strikers who have not been reinstated. Up to the present his lordship has investigated about one hundred and finds that both men and railway are acting well.

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The majority of women themselves have objected to the projecting hatpin, on the grounds of both good sense and neatness. A proof of this is that a delegation of representatives of over a hundred women's clubs appeared one day last week before the committee on laws of the New York city board of aldermen, and urged the immediate passage of an ordinance prohibiting the wearing of dangerously long hatpins. Some devices for safeguarding the pin point, and making it look like a hatpin head, were shown, but as one of the speakers said, it is not necessary to have the pins too long in the first place. The proposed ordinance was worded:

"That no person shall, while upon any public street or thoroughfare, or in any public conveyance, street car, elevator, or in any public place, wear a hatpin or similar device, the exposed point whereof shall protrude more than one-half inch beyond the crown or other portion of the hat upon, in or through which such pin is worn, unless said exposed point of the hatpin shall be so guarded, by device or otherwise, as to render contact with it entirely free from danger."

However, after several days' discussion the committee yesterday reported unfavorably on the ordinance. The declaration of the aldermen who led the opposition that "there would not be police courts or magistrates enough in the city to handle violations of such a law," seems based on generalization rather than investigation, but it is better that the common sense of women themselves, rather than legal enactments, should limit the length of the hatpin.

**HON. GEORGE WYNNDHAM
DISCUSSES RECIPROCITY**

(Canadian Press)

London, Feb. 2.—It is clear that the reciprocity agreement will form an important weapon of the Unionist armory for pushing forward the imperial preference propaganda. The Right Hon. George Wyndham, speaking at Dover last night, said that the proposed treaty between the United States and Canada was a set-back but not a death blow to imperial preference. He suggested that the Unionists might frustrate its ratification in this year of the imperial conference by public men and public opinion indicating frank acceptance of the gospel of preference.

Mexico City, Feb. 2.—Seventy-five revolutionists and twelve soldiers were killed in a battle at Soconusco, near San Lorenzo, Chiuhguahua, January 29, according to an official telegram that was received in Mexico city last night.

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Duties—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption, may enter for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$300.00.

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Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Bristol, Glassville and route offices, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector at St. John.

G. C. ANDERSON,
Superintendent.
Post Office Department,
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Ottawa, 22nd December, 1910.

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G. C. ANDERSON,
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Post Office Department,
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