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The Liberal Candidate

FOR HOUSE OF COMMONS:

John Pickard.

LIBERAL HEADQUARTERS.

The Headquarters of the LIBERAL COMMITTEE is at **Mr. Myhrall's Office, next to the Queen Hotel.** The Room will be open all day and every evening, and friends of Mr. Pickard either from the town or country INVITED TO CALL.

COMPARISONS.

The Tories are fond of comparisons, that is, of one or two, which they parade on every possible occasion. Their chief glory is the surplus revenue which they never grow tired of comparing with the financial exhibits under the Mackenzie regime, conveniently forgetting the fact that Sir Charles Tupper in 1878 condemned a surplus as a thing no Government had a right to have. But Sir Charles was wrong. A surplus which is the result of prudence and economy is a thing which a Government has a right to be proud of; but it ought, according to the English system of finance, to be followed by an immediate reduction of taxation. A surplus which is created by heaping on unnecessary taxes is an outrage, yet the Tories boast of it. The surpluses of the last few years has been produced by the simple expeditious way of adding over fifty per cent. to the people's taxes. So that although the expenditure was increased about thirty per cent. a surplus was inevitable. But the Tory journals and the Tory speakers boast as though some one expected them to steal the twenty per cent. over and above what they managed to expend by a most reckless and prodigal administration. It is no doubt a matter for surprise and congratulation that under a Tory government which gave away in land and money \$12,000,000 to the Pacific Syndicate; which made Ouderdonk a present of \$209,000 and committed other financial outrages of this description too numerous to specify, there should be anything left of the revenue no matter how large it may be; but that the people ought to rejoice because so much money has been unnecessarily wrung from them is asking a little too much. The comparison between the Mackenzie and Macdonald administration is this that during the former not a dollar of unnecessary taxes was laid upon the people, while during the latter over seventeen millions more have been levied than have been expended, and we venture to say almost an equal amount expended which might have been saved; while in addition the people have had to pay many millions to the rich capitalists in whose interest these taxes are imposed. Who pays these taxes? In the days when the Liberals were in power the principle adopted was to place the great portion of the burden upon luxuries and articles used by the rich; in the Tory years the greater burden has been placed upon the necessities of life and upon articles used by people who are comparatively poor. Why was this done? It was because the capitalists, who wished to make usurious profits, wanted the masses for their customers feeling that they were the least likely to discover the imposition and the least able to help themselves. By the poor we do not mean those who are in destitute circumstances, but the laboring classes, mechanics, the great body of farmers and all men everywhere of limited means. These form the great body of every constituency, and upon them the full weight of this oppressive tariff falls. If protection is such an excellent thing why are not those luxuries taxed heavily which my lord of the cotton mill or the baron of the sugar refinery uses? This would never do from a Tory standpoint. And a benevolent Finance Minister who only requires the rich man to pay 20 per cent. upon his fine shirting while the poor man pays 40 per cent. on what he buys for himself, meets the cry of the people for reduced taxation by taking the duty off game cocks and pure bred spaniels. When the laboring man finds the cotton dealer which he would buy to clothe his little ones and the whole cost of his living increased, how happy he must have felt to know that the people's Sir Leonard, the only great and heaven-born

financier, had listened to the cry which went up from the dog fancier and graciously consented to admit his puppies free of duty, so long as they were pure bred. The policy of the Liberals is not to increase taxes for the purpose of enabling rich men to get richer; but to equalize the burden of taxation so that every class in the community may bear its legitimate share.

VOTE FOR THE LIBERAL CANDIDATES AND FAIR PLAY TO ALL CLASSES.

A Catechism for Beginners.

What is a Liberal-Conservative?
A Liberal-Conservative is a Tory thinly veiled. If you scratch him you will find the Tory.
Are there any Tories in the Dominion Cabinet?
All but one of the members of the Cabinet are Tories?
Who is the exception?
Sir Leonard Tilley. He claims to be a Liberal-Conservative?
To whom is he Liberal?
To his own and his wife's relations.
What is Ouderdonkery?
Ouderdonkery is the giving of contracts to political friends at high prices over lower tenders.
Can you give an instance?
Yes. The Port Moody contract, by which \$209,000 was given away to a personal friend of the Minister of Railways.
Was the Minister of Railways ever recalled by any other title?
Yes. His present colleague, the Hon. Mr. McLellan, called him the High Priest of Corruption.
What is a surplus?
Unnecessary taxation.
How much surplus has the Tory Government?
They claim \$17,000,000.
Then they have taxed the people, in their four years of power, \$17,000,000 too much?
Yes; and they propose, if they are returned to power, to increase taxes still more.
Did the Liberals ever have a surplus, and what did the Tories say of it?
They had; and the Tories said they had no business to have one, but should reduce taxation.
Why do the Tories propose to increase taxes?
Because the manufacturers, whom they have undertaken to pet and pamper, insist upon it.
What dividends do the best cotton mills now pay?
From 50 to 60 per cent.
What is the average per centage of profits on all the industries of a country?
Three per cent.
Then the cotton lords get from sixteen to twenty times as much as the average?
They do, and they will get even more if the Tories are kept in power.
How much did Sir Leonard Tilley say in 1864 would pay all the expenses of Confederation?
\$2.75 per head of the population.
How much will his Government expend this year?
\$7 per head of the population.
What was the largest expenditure made by the Liberals in any one year?
\$24,488,372.
What did the Tories say about this?
They said it was too much; that \$22,500,000 was enough for all the needs of Canada.
How much do the Tories propose to expend this year?
About \$30,000,000.
Then they propose to expend about one-third more than they said the Liberals were justified in expending?
They do, and at the same time they propose to collect several millions more of taxes, for which they have no legitimate use.
Who get the benefit of the unnecessary taxes?
The manufacturers of protected goods, who are enabled to charge their customers a price increased by the amount of the duties.
Then the people are taxed twice?
Yes; once by the Government and once by the manufacturer.
What is the consequence of this?
High prices, dear living and a constant exodus of the people.

Testimony from the Enemy.

The *Capital* describes the course of the sugar monopolists in New York as men who "have piled up their millions by first crushing out the weaker competitors in small communities and then doubling their profits as soon as the field was clear for themselves." This is very much the way monopolists work everywhere, and it is because we think they will pursue just such a course in Canada that the Liberals are laboring so hard to prevent them from gaining a permanent foothold. Will the *Capital* point out the distinction between a New York monopolist and a Canadian one, and tell us how, since it condemns the former, it can support the latter?

SIR JOHN'S TACTICS.

Sir John Macdonald has taken to threatening the Ontario Government. By the law as it now stands the Ontario Legislature has control of liquor licenses in that Province, and under the leadership of Mr. Mowatt a most excellent license law has been passed, which have given so much satisfaction that the old Dunkin Act, or permissive bill, which was in force in many Counties, was practically abandoned, even before the enforcement of the Canada Temperance Act. Sir John, at Yorkville the other day, threatened that if he was sustained he would pass a law at Ottawa to take away this right from the Ontario Legislature. Such tactics as these are inexplicable except upon the supposition that the Premier recognizes that his hold upon Ontario is gone. The people everywhere are interested in this matter. They cannot permit that the central Government shall interfere with the management of those departments of legislation which come within the scope of the local Houses. We make no point of the fact that this is a bid for the vote of the large class of men in Ontario, who favor a less stringent license law than that at present in force. That is a matter more particularly for the consideration of that Province. What we are concerned with is the determination evinced by the Premier to stop at nothing in interfering with Provincial rights. It is Ontario's case to-day; it may be New Brunswick's to-morrow.

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April 21.

TO THE ELECTORS

OF THE

County of York.

GENTLEMEN:

In a few days you will be called upon to elect a person to represent you in the House of Commons. This call has been or will be made one year before the allotted time for the present Parliament to expire. The reasons for it have been kept secret in the breasts of the Government. We will have to judge for ourselves the cause. We will have to deal with the facts just as we find them. I have been solicited again to come forward as a Candidate by a large number of the Electors of the County. Among them I find the rich and the poor. I accept the call of the men of York, and shall appear before you as a Candidate.

I have been honored by your electing me to represent you in Parliament for the last fourteen years, and have endeavored to discharge the duties devolving upon me as your representative in a way that I believed to be for the best interests of the Dominion, and especially of my own County and Province.

During the years I have served you I have been ready at all times to submit my votes in Parliament to the closest examination; but the Tory press of the County has never ventured to attack my votes, but has resorted to violent personal abuse. I know this abuse cannot injure me where the editors and proprietors of these papers are known.

True in Sir John's time, I voted against the building of the Pacific Railroad from ocean to ocean, if it had to include Vancouver Island.

True I voted against the Mackenzie Government when it proposed to carry out the same scheme.

True I voted against the so-called National Policy, which takes the property of one man and gives it to another, giving no value in return, called Protection: Spoilation would be the proper term.

True I voted against the present Government giving a contract to a Syndicate to build the Pacific Railroad, or rather to finish a portion of said road, after the Government had expended over \$50,000,000 on the same, thus creating a gigantic monopoly, by giving to the Syndicate the whole carrying-trade of the Northwest and affecting thereby the whole Eastern portion of the Dominion.

True I voted to have the contract opened to competition, offering the terms given to the Syndicate, minus the monopolies.

True I voted to have the whole scheme submitted to you, the people, before accepting the contract or ratifying the same.

True I voted against the Government giving away \$209,000 of the people's money to A. Ouderdonk & Co.

True I voted to have the duties taken off flour, meal and coal.

True I voted to reduce the duties on cotton and woolen goods for the benefit of the working class.

True I voted to reduce the duties on iron.

True I voted against that last villainous act of the Government, by which they attempted to annihilate seven of the leading Liberals of Canada under the pretence of equalizing the population of the different electoral districts. A laser brand, I venture to say, never was undertaken in a free Parliament—a deadly blow at Responsible Government.

I invite the fullest criticism of these votes.

The Tory press admits that York does not get its share of public money, and gives as a reason that your representative opposes the Government. If this be true, is there a man so lost to all that is manly or honorable as to excuse a Government, be it Liberal or Tory, for such an act of injustice. I cannot believe that such a man can be found in York County.

The votes given above are a few of my reasons for not supporting the present Government, and I wish before closing to say if my reasons satisfy you as to my course in Parliament, I again ask your support.

Thanking you for past favors, if elected I will pursue the course I have heretofore—deal with measures presented to Parliament, and not with the men who compose the Government. The time before the election will be too short to see you all personally at your homes, but some of my friends will call, if possible, at places that I will not be able to visit.

Your obedient servant,
JOHN PICKARD.

Fredericton, May 22, 1882.

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