

THAT OLD PLAN

Of putting off until next spring what should be done now doesn't pay. It is a losing game.

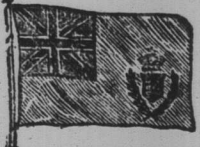
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BRITTON BROS.,

FOOT OF KENT ST., LINDSAY.

The Victoria Warde

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1893.



A union of hearts and a union of hands. A union none can sever; A union of homes and a union of lands.

CANADA FURNISHES THE MODEL FOR THE NEW UNITED STATES TARIFF.

At last the new United States tariff measure has been reported on. It is very comprehensive and radical; but any reform of the notorious McKinley bill must of necessity be sweeping.

The chief changes are entirely along the line of Canada's system. The principles laid down by Sir John Macdonald and his colleagues in 1878, fifteen years ago, are only now being introduced into the United States. Those principles are: 1. free admission of raw products for manufacture and breadstuffs not produced in sufficient quantities in the United States;

2. taxation or protection of such articles as may be or are made in the United States; and 3. the levying of duties for revenue purposes on certain other commodities. The duties however, are levied chiefly on the ad valorem rather than on the specific basis.

It is indeed complimentary to Canada's great liberal conservative leaders to observe that the outcome of the wonderful "free trade" movement in the United States is the adoption of a tariff whose duties, greatly reduced as they are from the notorious McKinley tariff, are yet in most cases largely in excess of those levied by this country.

This triumph for Canadian liberal conservative statesmanship is all the greater when one considers the vindictive attacks made by the opposition press and other disgruntled demagogues on the tariff.

When the few changes rendered necessary by the altered circumstances of years are made during the coming session the Canadian public will have as perfect a tariff for the time as ever graced the statute books of any nation.

The democratic party in the United States deserves to be complimented on modelling their new tariff bill on Canada's.



Wash Day AND No Steam IN THE House

Sunlight SOAP

Put aside your own ideas next wash-day and try the easy, clean, "SUNLIGHT" way.

DON'T Let another wash-day go by without trying it.

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VICTORIA COUNTY AND THE PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS.

It is understood that Doctor McKay of Woodville, the present member of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario, for West Victoria, is holding meetings and canvassing for next election. That election, it is reported, will take place in June.

Rumor says further, that candidates said to represent the patrons of industry are to take the field. As yet the liberal-conservatives of Victoria, fighting under the glorious banners and able generalship of Meredith, Marter, Clancy, Willoughby, Whitney, Ryerson, and other capable statesmen, have not placed candidates in the field.

Electors will promise no candidate their support until all arguments from all sides are balanced. It betrays a bad cause to seek promises so far in advance. Dr. McKay therefore must feel anxious; and can he have a good cause?

A RAVING FREE TRADER.

In the last number of the Russell, Manitoba Chronicle, is an article seeking to prove that under free trade wheat would advance in price in Canada.

The substance of the argument is this. Under free trade, artisans and laborers would rush into Canada in enormous numbers. They would create factories and send their manufactures everywhere.

The philosopher or economist who penned the article does not condescend to consider such petty, paltry questions as where the manufacturers referred to would find a market. He disregards that Britain's and the United States' aims in free trade are to gain access to other lands and thus prevent factories being started in countries such as Canada.

Should the Russell Chronicle, after years of earnest effort and ability, displayed in these early days in a rising settlement, secure a large circulation and prosperous business, the proprietor would not then fear rivalry from some small concern setting up shop in after years at his elbow.

In talking of Canada's competing on free-trade basis with Great Britain our friend leaves out the great value of the "good-will" of Britain's centuries of protected trade. That "good-will" is all the protection she now needs, and equals a good square fifty per cent.

But, the Chronicle's whole line of argument is the veriest child's prattle. It may safely be ventured that if a good healthy rival journal edited with sense were to set up in Russell, the Chronicle not yet having secured long established and profitable trade, or won its way into the hearts of the people, would find difficulty in holding its own.

These facts are doubtless the reason why the patrons of industry or any similar organization have never long held together.

be one very wealthy and long established. So in matters of manufacturing and trade, the farmers of Russell may be subject to whims, but we do not believe they can be so easily humbugged as the vainglorious writer in the Chronicle seems to think.

THE PATRONS OF INDUSTRY IN POLITICS.

Hon. Oliver Mowat, in addressing the electors of Bruce at Port Elgin recently gave the patrons of industry a severe rating. He spoke as follows. We quote from the Globe of Friday, Nov. 24th:—

"With all respect to the organization, I think it clear that a majority are acting under a mistake on some essential points, and that those patrons who are reformers have been placed by the rules of the organization in a false position as regards the provincial affairs. (Hear, hear.) My long experience in public life enables me to point out these mistakes on the part of some of my fellow reformers, and I wish to take this opportunity of doing so, so far as this can be done in your attention. The idea is sedulously cultivated that a patron is more independent than a conservative or a reformer, and this has an attraction for many who have joined the association. But is it so? Have the members of the association greater independence than the members of the legislature? What do their rules say? Here they are, as stated in the Canada Farmer's Sun of 31st October: The action taken by the grand association provides that if a candidate is nominated by a patron convention in any constituency, either for parliament or for the legislature, the duty of patrons shall be to support that candidate, and to use every influence in his power to secure his election.

If a candidate is put in the field it is the duty of every patron to support that candidate. It is not compulsory that every member shall continue to be a patron. If the majority of the delegates at any adjourned convention declares that it would be unwise to have an endorsed candidate, it would then, and not until then, be permissible for any or every member to vote as he pleased, or not to vote at all; but the committee must be appointed, and the only liberty of action in the matter of voting is conceded by the resolution to individual members. No reformer or conservative who does not join the association is under any such obligation to his party. His liberty of voting has no restriction. See what the rules in regard to the patron from the reform party is by these rules bound to vote for the choice of the majority, though the candidate nominated or endorsed should be a conservative and be sure to vote with the conservatives in the house, though the voter may have the conviction in his mind that the candidate, and though the reform opponent of the patron candidate may hold to every doctrine in the patron's platform, may have been a tried representative of the people, and may, in the judgement of the voter, be more reliable than the nominee of the association. (Cheers.) To an outsider does this not seem slavery, instead of freedom or independence? There was nothing in the original programme of the patrons which one might not hold without leaving the reform party. But, what have we the organization, the organization is now used against the Ontario government and the reform party, in the pending elections for North Bruce and East Lambton, and there is an evident purpose on the part of some of the leaders of the new party at the next general election to throw the whole force of the organization against the Ontario government and the reform party.

It explains why in this county so many leading farmers are withdrawing from the ranks, and why so many thousands more will not enrol themselves. However, THE WARDEE has ever been true to the interests of the farmer, and if there is anything good in the order of patrons of industry, anything besides creating organizations for designing politicians and schemers, we shall give it our earnest support. But, if its great aim be merely political, as it seems to be from recent developments, then rest assured the farmers of Canada are too intelligent and honorable long to encourage any such scheme. The existence of the order depends on the honesty of its aims. That it has not remained strong for any length of time in one locality, despite the great energy of its leaders, seems proof that there must be lacking those grand principles essential to success. Selfishness cannot long rule or influence a great people.



ONE ENJOYS Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the kidneys, cures Coughs, Croup, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, Inflammation of the Lungs, and all the ailments of the Throat and Lungs, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

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"RIGHT HONORABLE" SIR JOHN THOMPSON. THE WARDEE congratulates Canada's Premier on having conferred on him this week by Her Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria the title of "Right Honorable," which means that he becomes a Privy Councillor of Great Britain as well as of Canada.

Right Honorable Sir John Macdonald was, we believe, the only other Canadian statesman so honored before.

This high distinction is due to the great ability and loyalty to Canada and the British empire which have characterized the public career of Canada's premier. In the Behring Sea Arbitration alone, Sir John Thompson so fearlessly, ably, manfully and persistently upheld Canada's side of the case as to largely bring about the glorious victory to our cause, and the discomfiture of the United States.

To the core loyal to Canada and to the British Empire, Right Honorable Sir John Thompson deservedly commands the confidence and respect of those magnificent nations. May he long live to retain them.

INSOLENT CUSTOMS OFFICIALS.

Recently McKay the famous missionary to Formosa was returning to Canada via Vancouver with his wife and family and a Chinese student. A subordinate customs official at Vancouver in vulgar terms detained Rev. Mr. McKay and his party; but the difficulty was overcome.

The details of the detention are of small account beyond this. It transpires that the subordinate officials were not only ignorant of the legal part of their duties, but were also insolent and impertinent.

It cannot be too thoroughly impressed on civil servants and public officials that be the person the humblest and poorest or the most noble and wealthy, each is entitled to civil, courteous and obliging treatment. This spirit of toying to persons in high positions and being insolent to the lowly must not be tolerated one there must be a grand gentleman in mind and obliging always.

Let it be hoped Hon. Mr. Wallace will cause prompt and searching inquiry into this and every similar circumstance reported; and if the evidence prove that insolence with or without ignorance has been displayed, that a vacancy in the staff may be speedily created.

Canada has hundreds of thousands of capable young men who are kind, courteous and gentlemanly to fill all such offices.

Deaths. BIRCH.—At Coldwater, on the 15th inst. Mrs. S. D. Epist, jr. (formerly Miss Gifford of Woodville), of a daughter.

Deaths. ALLEN—MORRIS.—At the residence of the bride's father, near Hamlin, on the 15th inst. by the Rev. John Power, Mr. John Allen, of the 13th con. Brock, to Miss Emma, daughter of Mr. James Morris.

Deaths. FRAD.—In Canamington, on Monday, November 20th, Walter William Frad, eldest son of William and Lydia M. Frad, aged 21 years, 6 months and 11 days.

Deaths. CLARKE.—Of dropsy of the heart, at Oakwood, 24th Nov., 1893, Margaret Harnden, aged 63 years, wife of A. Cameron, merchant, Oakwood, and daughter of Luther and Sarah Harnden, township of Walby, Ontario.

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JOHN DOBSON, Corner of Kent and William Streets, Lindsay. Lindsay, Nov. 15, 1893

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Lindsay, July 29th, 1893.

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