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RICHMOND HILL, July 21, 1904

### UNFAIR JOURNALISM.

The Mail and Empire of Saturday labors hard in an endeavor to show that The Globe has not treated Lord Dundonald with fairness. The only quotation taken from The Globe on which The Mail's article is based reads as follows: "Why was an inexperienced man recommended for a command in the militia for which he was not qualified." The Mail drags the names of half a dozen prominent gentlemen into its editorial, and closes by saying "it is too much to expect The Globe to be just to a 'foreigner' and a Scotchman."

The Mail insults the intelligence of its readers by suggesting that the Globe speaks lightly of Scotchmen, esteemed and respected by all for their intelligence and thrift.

Saturday's Globe makes several references complimentary to Lord Dundonald, such as the following:—"Lord Dundonald is a very distinguished man, the representative of a Scottish family notable in British history, a soldier of valor who has achieved distinction in many campaigns, a gentleman of attractive personal qualities."

No honest, truthful person who has read The Globe the last month need say that that paper has been unfair to the ex-G. O. C. Surely one can be pardoned for saying what everybody knows to be true—that Lord Dundonald made a mistake in his Montreal speech in condemning the Government, whose servant he was.

### BREACH OF FAITH.

There was certainly a great breach of faith with the public at the Dundonald demonstration in Massey Hall Friday evening. Grits and Tories were invited to attend and do honor to one of Britain's greatest soldiers on the eve of his departure from this country. The public invitation of the committee that arranged the demonstration contained this sentence: "There is no political reference whatever in the address, and it is not intended that the meeting should have any political significance." To the credit of Rev. Dr. Potts, Mr. Barlow Cumberland Mr. Ellis and other speakers it may be said they took no advantage of the trust reposed in them. But not so with the guest of the evening. After an introduction of some half dozen lines Lord Dundonald deliberately read a typewritten speech almost every word of which was an attack on the Dominion Government and the Militia Department. Surely the public are entitled to an explanation from the committee who had charge of the demonstration.

Lord Dundonald's campaign speeches against the Canadian Government are to be stopped. On behalf of the British House of Commons the Imperial War Secretary has asked him to return home. In a debate in the British House of Commons on Tuesday the Secretary of State for War said: "He believed it to be undesirable for any officer to take part in public controversies, and the war office had informed Lord Dundonald that his conduct was undesirable and requested him to return, when he could be heard in his own defence. He had instructed Lord Dundonald to return home and not to take any further part in political controversies."

Surely the ex-G. O. C.'s so-called friends will begin to see that they ill advised the noble Lord in taking part in political questions. The whole of this miserable affair is very much to be regretted.

### Clover Sod.

BY C. A. ZAVITZ.

Clover is one of Ontario's most valuable farm crops. It is generally recognized by Ontario farmers to be a heavy yielder of hay, which furnishes a large amount of valuable food constituents. Its beneficial effects upon the soil, however, do not seem to be so clearly understood. Scientists, who have made a careful study of the influence of clover on the soil, tell us that after large crops have been removed from the land the soil is actually richer in nitrogen after growing clover than it was before, owing to the large amount of nitrogen which the clover roots have obtained from the air. As a rule, farmers grow clover and timothy together, and are therefore unable to ascertain the comparative influence of each of these crops on the soil.

We have conducted a series of experiments at the Agricultural College, Guelph, on three different occasions, in order to ascertain the comparative value of clover and grass sod for crop production. We first grew clover and grasses upon separate plots and removed the crops, after which the land was plowed and other crops were sown. The results, therefore, show the influence of the roots remaining in the soil upon the productiveness of the crops following the clover and grasses. In 1902 barley was sown after each of four varieties of clovers and three varieties of grasses in four different places in our experimental grounds. The average results of the four tests in pounds of barley per acre were as follows: Red Clover, 1516; Lucerne, 1450; Alsike Clover, 1427; Mammoth Red Clover, 1408; Meadow Fescue Grass, 1068; Orchard Grass, 1015; and Timothy, 946. It will therefore be seen that the Red Clover sod gave an increase over the Timothy sod of 570 pounds, or nearly 12 bushels per acre.

In another experiment which was completed in 1900, in which winter wheat was sown on both clover and grass sods, it was found that an average of 3194 pounds of wheat per acre was obtained from the clover sod, and only 2800 from the grass sod.

In 1899 a mixture of oats and barley was sown on clover sod and also on grass sod. The results were very marked, as an average 2256 pounds of mixed grains per acre was obtained from the clover sod, and only 1078 pounds of mixed grains per acre from the grass sod.

By averaging the results of these three grains, we find that the crop grown on the clover sod gave an increase over the crop grown on the grass sod by fully 56 per cent.

The results of these experiments help us to appreciate the beneficial influence on the soil from growing clover. It also indicates the suitability of a properly cultivated clover sod as a preparation for winter wheat or for spring grains.

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Mr. Chamberlain's tariff commission on the iron and steel trades urges a general tariff for countries which treat British goods fairly, a preferential tariff for the colonies, and a maximum tariff against countries which refuse to admit British goods on fair terms.

### Sale Register.

FRIDAY, July 22—Auction sale of fresh milk cows, springers and young cattle at the Palmer House Yards, the property of H. F. Hopper. Terms 3 months. This sale will be held at 6 o'clock in the evening to give the farmers an opportunity to be present. Saigeon & McEwen.

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