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POLITICS IN RENFREW.

methods were made at Osgoode Hall his usual masterly style sang a numin the course of a motion to dismiss ber of choice Scottish selections, but the petition to unseat A. E. Dunlop, in our humble judgment there was the Conservative M.P.P. for North nothing sweeter than, "Flow Gently Renfrew. In support of the allega- Sweet Afton " which he gave as an tion by the Conservatives that the encore. petitioners were induced by fraud to On Saturday night the programme EXPLOSION AT MR. STEELE'S. sign the petition, affidavits of the was largely different but if anything three petitioners were reed by Mr. better than the Friday nights per- Frozen Water Pipes and a Hot Fur-Hellmuth. One petitioner swears formance. We must confine our rethat at the time of signing the peti- marks to a few brief notes as it tion he was partially intoxicated and would be impossible to do justice in unable to understand the nature of the time and space at our disposal to his act. Another swears that he can- such an excellent and varied pronot read or write and did not know gramme. what he was signing and the third says that he lacks the proper qualifi- and we feel a pardonable pride in tory, was the scene of an accident

likely finally dispose of the petition in North Renfrew, as the Conserva- Joe "with variations was a soul person, but caused considerable damuine petitioners, no others can be substituted, and as the time for petitioning has expired, no new peti tion can be filed.

Mr. Brodeur Believes in Protection

Hon. L. P. Brodeur, the newely elected Minister of Inland Revenue, is duly qualified to enter the ranks of the Conservative party. It is true he has always been a pronounced free trader, but like most of his colleagues his views are modified to Jamie," and "The Crooked Baubee" suit his political surroundings.

Mr. Brodeur represents a constit. never given better than they were at uency which is a large producer of these concerts. out that the Laurier government she gave "Annie Laurie" in a most was responsible for the encourage- able manner.

Brodeur reach his conclusion? He so that he liked the pipes the second submitted that in 1897 the market night better than he ever did before. for Canadian tobacco was limited by Mr. Drysdale, is a high class vocalthe importation of 9,609,000 pounds ist and was freely encored after but the owner, Mr. Harry Smith. of foreign leaf. The government nearly every number. then imposed a duty of 10 cents per Rev. Mr. Farquharson made an ex- cludes accident, will be realized on pound on tobacco and last year the cellent chairman on Saturday night. importations had fallen to 7,700,000 Dr. Jamieson had the honor at Fri- ing which all who have water pipes pounds. As a result of protection day nights concert. the Canadian tobacco grower enjoys an increased market and the foreign farmer is compelled to get along with less Canadian money.

Having disposed of the farmer's side of the case, Mr. Brodeur announced that in 1896 only 474,100 pounds of Canadian tobacco was manufactured. In 1903, with the in- egg left. creased duty of 10 cents per pound, We congratulate them heartily on

adian tobacco was finished and put on the market. In 1896 there were 10 tobacco factories in Canada. In 1903, with the additional 10 cents duty, 27 Canadian factories were in operation, all of which is a source of

comfort to Mr. Brodeur-Free Trader Mr. Brodeur has advanced an ar gument which has been tested and proved by the National Policy since 1878. He has shown that the farmer manufacturer and workingman can be benefited by protection. Yet it is safe to predict, that when Parliament meets. Mr. Brodeur will vote against further protection for any one of the three great branches of Canadian industry. The new minister should insist upon the Laurier government extending the blessings bestowed on the tobacco grower to all classes, or like Mr. Tarte, resign as a protest against the injustice done to the Canadian people as a whole.

S. O. S. Concert.

Notwithstanding many difficulties ned and worked to reach and help the Sons of Scotland had two success- young men and boys socially, physicful concerts on Friday and Saturday ally, intellectually and spiritually I nights last. According to previous have also been greatly exercised over arrangements this event should have the fact that there is no suitable place came off on the 28th and 29th of Jan- in our village for the young men and uary, but the weather at that time boys to spend their evenings. This was so unfavorable that it was feared leads me to make the following propconnections could not be made and osition: I have purchased the Lanthe management decided on a post- derkin residence property and purpose sleighs; 2 wagons; Double cutter; If you require Sponges. ponement the new dates to be fixed to erect thereon fronting on main Massey-Harris binder; Massey-Harris Lint, Absorbent Cotton or at a time suitable to the artists en- street, a two story and basement mower; Massey-Harris sulky rake; gaged for the occasion.

kind, we can supply you. In a week or so it was announced that the concerts would be given on the 25th and 26th of February when the former talent would be all present. Time rolled on, and the storms rolled on at the same time. Trains were blocked and no dependence could be placed on the train service. but it was still hoped that the roads would be clear and the concert would materialize in first class shape. But alas: Thursday was a bad one, and trains along the line were bunting at the snow drifts. The performer's were on the way, but it was not until five o'clock that a telegram announced Fax, at Guelph and others at Acton, Davidson was at St. Mary's but announced the impossibility of getting here, and his intentions to return to Detroit. The others were told to come on, but Thursday's meeting was postponed and Friday announced as the first night yet all had doubts, but a supreme effect was made and about noon the performers came over from Hanover, and the concert was assured.

It was a success too, and the management deserve great credit for supwas here and everybody knows Fax to be a whole concert in himself. Piper Major Beaton was present, and all who knew anything about the the building for a nominal rental of leading Pipers, Jimmie Gardiner was here, and as a dancer he would be hard to beat. Miss Dickenson appeared before a Durham audience for the first time, and from her first number the audience was captivated with her clear sweet voice and unassuming manner. Mr. Drysdale, of Startling disclosures of political Durham was also on hand, and in

stirring porduction.

and we feel assured that a packed was not noticed that the water was house will be the result when his frozen in the pipes where they enwere blamed because he wasn't here. Jimmie Gardiner is a star dancer.

and excelled in every number. The Highland Fling, the Sword Dance, and the Irish Jig were all right. The Duets "When ye gang awa by Mr. Fax and Miss Dickenson, were

tobacco. At a meeting held in Marie- Miss Dickenson's Guitar solo was ville the other day he expressed his well rendered and held the crowded gratification that the farmers of Que- house in rapt silence till the last bec had been able to largely increase chord was struck. Her rendering of their production of "the weed." Maggie Lauder brought down the Then Mr. Brodeur went on to point house, and in responce to an encore

ment of the tobacco growing industry | Pipe Major Beaton pleased every But horror of horrors, how did Mr. Scotchman, and even the writer got danger of fire was averted.

order was a credit. It seemed as though the audience couldn't get enough of Fax. He's liable to occur with a water box in

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Yours truly, D. Knechtel.

nace Proves a Dangerous

Combination. (Mt. Forest Representative.)

The residence on Queen St., of Mrs. Newton was the accompanist manager Steele, of the carriage facthinking that it's hard to find her Wednesday afternoon of last week If the metion succeeds this will equal. Her piano solos were ex- which by the best of good fortune quisite masterpieces, and "Old Black did not result in the injury of any

Many regrets were heard because The furnace was fitted with a coil of the absence of Mr. Davidson, of of pipes from the town waterworks Detroit. Those who heard him be- for furnishing hot water for bathfore were anxious to hear him again, room, etc. On the day in question it services are secured. The elements tered the basement, and the heat from the furnace generated so much steam which had no means of escaping that the coil in the furnace burst with such force that the furnace was blown to pieces and scattered about the basement together with the live coals it contained. The force of the explosion also raised the main floor of the residence several inches, knocked plaster off the walls and broke dishes in the pantry.

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The damage to the house and wrecking of the furnace and pipes

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