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The Ottawa Citizen, a cordial supporter of the federal government, criticizes it because it does not give more attention to the British preference. The matter was suggested by the grain growers whose Guide addressed the manufacturers, only to receive a gut-out in their reply. "At present," says the Citizen, "the cheers of Canada are for the navy. In the spirit of imperial union, Canada will contribute her wealth and even her life to maintain the integrity of the empire. It is brave talk, to be followed a little later by the concrete deed. But if duty

### A LESSON IN TAXATION.

From the Woodstock Sentinel-Review to cut the assessment, and the proposition led to a lively debate. The cut was pronounced illegal, but it went through. The justification was this—that other places did it. One alderman put the case in this way: "There is hardly a city that has not fixed assessments for manufacturers. In a certain section of Hamilton, there is a standard rate of nine mills on the dollar, but outside of that section the rate is the full one." Another alderman said that Berlin and Guelph gave fixed assessments. Illegal? Yes, but the law was not a terror to those who violated it. The revelation will have its less as and effects. It makes clear, at any rate, how some places secure and hold the institutions that give employment to the people.

### ROBERTS' FILTER SYSTEM.

The Whig has examined the plans and specifications which have been submitted by the Roberts company, of Darby, Pennsylvania, respecting the proposed filter. The company has proceeded with the understanding that the city means business, that it really intends to construct a filter, and it has prepared elaborate plans, and for the special needs of Kingston. On this account, because carefully prepared, they are deserving of special consideration. The company provides coloured sketches of the building which will be necessary to house and accommodate the plant. This building, to the south of the pumping plant, of brick and stone, corresponds with the pumping station, and will be a handsome and substantial edifice. It will contain ten cylinders or units, each one complete and capable of operation apart from or with the others. The water, entering from the pump side, passes through strainers, gravel, and sand, under pressure, and being chemically treated, passes out pure and wholesome. That is the guarantee of the

### SIGNS OF THE TIMES.

T. H. Race, of Mitchell, Ontario, writes an interesting and instructive letter to the press. It has been suggested by two things: (1) The tour of Sir Wilfrid Laurier through the province, and (2) the Macdonald election. Mr. Race was in charge of the train which traversed Canada in the early summer and which furnished an exhibit of the products of the east. Everywhere it was visited by the people, and everywhere it led to lively discussions. The point was the importance of protecting the manufacturer so that his prosperity might continue. There were stops at one hundred and five places, and many of these were in the North-West. The farmers were still affected by the election of September. So were the business men. They were not in favour of free trade in manufactures. The industries of the east would not succeed without a moderate protection against the great concerns of the United States. Reciprocity, advocated by the west, meant the freedom of the American market for the natural products of Canada. This the west demands, and as hotly—perhaps more hotly—to-day than in September. Mr. Race quotes a clergyman of Millstone, a conservative, who had opposed reciprocity in the election, but was later so impressed with its necessity that he predicted a separation of the west from the east unless it was granted. He quotes a merchant of Holden, Alberta, as saying that the west protested against the east because it had refused the former the better market for his grain. He quotes a merchant of Langton as saying that he sold his oats in Oregon, after paying 20c per bushel duty, and realized 9c more per bushel than he had been offered in Canada. Lastly, he cites a Shoal Lake conservative as saying that he had been held up at Winnipeg where he took 500 bushels of barley, that grading and price were put down, and that he sent the cars to Minneapolis and sold the grain for \$900 more than he had been offered in Winnipeg. These are simple experiences, and Mr. Race says the evidence of dissatisfaction with present tariff conditions are such that the liberals will sweep the west in the next election. Even in Manitoba the people are strong for reciprocity, and Mr. Race will be greatly surprised if Macdonald does not return a liberal on Oct. 13th, which is the day of polling. In other words there is likely to be a repetition of what happened in 1874 and 1878. The reign of the present party will be a short one. All the indications point that way.

### EDITORIAL NOTES.

A break is alleged to have occurred among the nationalists. Who cares? The party was conceived in sin and its end will be that of the unrighteous. Bellville's idea is to force the farmers to sell at wholesale rates to the middle men, and prevent them selling to the consumers. In Kingston, the idea is the very opposite, hence the

by-law against forestalling. It is the correct idea.

A couple in Stratford, who starved a lad, were given six months in which to clear out, leaving the country, or pay the costs of the trial and go to jail for a lengthened period. That is one way, and a new one, of getting rid of undesirables. It is according to the unwritten law.

The Montreal Herald berates the man who will not give a woman his seat in the street car. Why should he? The suffragette wants to be on an equal footing with the man and disdains his alleged courtesies. In Boston it is said that woman prefers to stand and refuses the seat which another surrenders.

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