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PROTECTION COMES HIGH.

Canada is building railways at a great rate and at the same time maintaining a high protective tariff and a system of bounties on iron and steel. The Guardian has never been in love with the protective system, but as both political parties in this country seem now wholly committed to that policy we may as well submit without complaining. We may, however, point out how in one particular, high protection increases the cost of railway building. The United States has higher customs duties than Canada, but does not give bounties on steel.

As a result of these conditions the United States Steel Corporation has fixed the selling price for steel rails at \$30 per ton for this year and next. The Government of Canada is now paying for steel rails for the Transcontinental Railway \$24.50 per ton to the Iron and Steel Company of Sault Ste. Marie, and this company also receives from the Dominion large bounties on all the iron and steel they make for any purpose. The difference in price makes the Government and all railway companies in Canada pay about \$1100 per mile more for 40 pound steel rails than is paid by the railway companies on the other side of the boundary.

But this is by no means all of the case. The United States Steel Corporation has been during the past year, according to the great Mr. Schwab, selling steel rails in England at \$19 per ton and making a profit at that. So that Canada is paying \$13.50 per ton more for the steel rails than they find it necessary to pay in England, to say nothing of the hundred of thousands paid in bounties. And the Canadian Government is paying \$2.170 per mile for steel rails more than they pay in England, and \$1.190 per mile more than the American railway companies are paying. And this year Canada has, or is to have, an army of 40,000 men building new railway lines.

Anywhere from 1500 to 2000 miles of railway may be laid down in Canada this year, for railway building is booming. But let us base our calculation on 1,000 miles. One thousand miles of railway at \$1,190 per mile over the American price for rails alone will cost \$1,190,000 more, or at \$2.170 per mile over the English price will cost \$2,170,000 more than if we got our rails at the free trade price. These are big figures. And the latest Canadian loan of \$10,000,000 the other day was obtained at 4 per cent, and we have to renew loans amounting to \$150,000,000 within the next few years besides all our new borrowings. These are glimpses of

the cost of protection and the new financial conditions which Canada is just now confronting. Steel rails, come high, and the interest rate is also going up.

A second Suez canal is to be constructed under British auspices, at sea level, without locks. When it is completed it is intended that all ships going southward will use one canal and all going northward will use the other. The rapid growth of traffic has rendered the building of a canal imperative.

The Conservative Halifax Herald is severe upon the Opposition leaders, Mr. Jordan. It declares that under him the Opposition is merely juggling along "in the hope that Sir Wilfred Laurier cannot live forever, and that by the mere ebb and flow of years the present Government may be turned out of power."

One hundred years ago, in 1807, after twenty years of agitation by Wilberforce and others, the slave trade was abolished by the British Parliament. But the act was violated and it was not till 1811 that the trade in slaves was declared to be piracy and made punishable by transportation. Denmark was the first Christian power to abolish the slave trade, which was done in 1792, fifteen years earlier than in England. Earl Grey, grandfather to the present Governor General of Canada, carried through Parliament the Emancipation Bill under which \$100,000,000 was paid to the West India and South African planters as the price of setting free their slaves. Britain also paid to Cuba \$1,500,000 and Spain \$2,000,000 as the price of freeing their slaves. The slaves in the French colonies were set free in 1848, the Dutch in 1863 and those in the United States in 1864.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Alpha Rebekah Lodge, no. 11 J. O. O. F. meets to-night at eight o'clock.

Peake Bros & Co. have still a few hundred bags of Liverpool Salt in store to dispose of before their new arrival. 5-631

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the P. E. I. Hospital will be held in the Y. M. C. A. parlour Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A full attendance is requested. 5-743

Notice to quaboug fishermen. The undersigned is prepared to buy quabougs at the highest market price. Delivery will be taken at all steamers, railway station or east side Cunneily's wharf. Correspondence solicited. John McQuillan & Co. Ch. Town. 5-821w.

Dissemination of Partnership

Notice is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the style and firm of Large & Son has on this first day of May A. D. 1907 been dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated this first day of May A. D. 1907.

Signed in the presence of Philip Large, Alfred P. Large, John T. Mellish, Alfred P. Large.

All accounts and notes of hand due the late firm of Large & Son must be paid to Philip Large the undersigned.

PHILIP LARGE

ALFRED P. LARGE

Referring to the above notice we beg to inform the public that we intend carrying on the business of Carriage and Sleigh Manufacturers under the same style and firm name of Large & Son, and solicit a continuance of the patronage so liberally extended to the late firm.

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AUNT KATE'S TALK ON

Spring and Summer Millinery

as shown at
Paton & Co's

Each season the millinery appears to become gayer and gayer, and this spring it looks as if artistic style and harmonious blending of colors have reached high water mark. The hats are neither too large nor are they distinguished by any manner of eccentricity. The mushroom shape is still very popular, and largely in evidence; so is the ever-green French sailor, and small touches of the pointed or torpedo type. Flowers are employed in the most lavish manner, and in many instances form the entire trimming; and certainly nothing looks prettier. Field flowers, such as daisies, clover and forget-me-nots, are favorable combinations; wreaths or button-roses surround the crowns, or sometimes merely the edges thereof, and on some of the modes they are fashioned into the most charming floral buckles. Pale blue has a bulk largely in the windows, and these are tastefully trimmed with rainbow-colored ribbon, it may be, accompanied by touches of crown chignon or violet-pink roses. Every hue of pink and old rose is represented, from the faintest blush of the half opened rose to the dark, rich tints of Burgundy. Rich and fanciful straws, crinolines and Leghorn, are all fashionable, and the colorings are very light and dainty as a rule. The tendency is towards small, neat and low-cut styles, and the dainty matron who loves a bunnet has not been overlooked. Pretty trimmed hats from \$2.50 to \$8.00. Mushroom shapes 45c, 65c, \$1.00 to \$2.50. Go to Paton's for Millinery.



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