

THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

TUESDAY, APRIL 12, 1910.

WOULD THE MOTOR CAR BENEFIT THE FARMER?

A writer in the last issue of The University Magazine, discussing the question whether a city or a rural district affords the better location for a university, incidentally refers to the development of motor car traffic in England and its benefit to the farming community there. We quote:

"The change in the character of English country life which has been brought about by the introduction of motor cars is a striking example of the assistance which rapid and cheap transport brings to the farmer. Before motor cars were used, farmers living at any distance from their market were absolutely at the mercy of the railroads, and no farmer attempted to raise general produce if his farm was not situated near a large town or a railroad station.

"Now the farmers carry their own produce at night by motor wagons to morning markets at a distance of from forty to sixty miles from their farms, more cheaply than it is possible for the railroad companies to do it. It is possible for them to do this because, as a legacy from the coaching days, when railroads did not exist, England possesses a magnificent system of roads.

"The development of motor traction in Great Britain is one of the important arguments in favor of the construction of good rural roads in Canada; and it affords an excellent demonstration of the value to the

farmer of cheap, rapid and convenient transportation; it is also a striking example of the almost immediate benefit which improvement in transportation brings to a rural population."

Three-fourths of the population of Prince Edward Island are farmers. The public policy of allowing motor cars to run on our streets and roads, or of excluding them altogether, as we have done, must, therefore, be largely determined by our farmers, for themselves. It is for them to consider whether new and modern means of transportation would not be of advantage to them as the farmers of Great Britain, the United States and Western Canada have found it to be.

We have no desire to overrule their opinions, and have no other object to serve than that of the general welfare. Let our farmers think the matter over in the light of what is best for themselves, in view of the experience of the farmers of other countries, and with due consideration for the progress of the age in which we live. Probably no one thinks the motor car can be kept out of Prince Edward Island forever. The new method of travel and transport has overspread the world, as the steam car, the electric street car, the telegraph, and the telephone have done. Shall we move with the progress of the world in this matter, or resist it? We have no doubt as to what the ultimate decision must be.

THE STALWART OLD GUARD OF HEREDITY.

On Lord Rosebery's resolution, proposing to abolish the hereditary rights of peers, there were 175 who voted for, and seventeen who voted against the resolution. Two of the seventeen were still young and as many more might claim to be middle-aged, while the remainder were grizzled veterans of the peerage. In the voting the yeas, or "contents," as they are called, pass into one lobby, and the "non-contents" into another. As they return to the Chamber they are counted by two tellers who stand at the door. In this case the two tellers against the resolution were Lord Wemyss, who is in his ninety-second year, and Lord Halsbury, who is in his eighty-ninth.

"They stood at the door," says the London Mail, "white wands in their hands, like rocks of defence against the encroaching current of modern reform. They were beaten but not disgraced." Two marquises, six earls and nine barons made up the old guard. While Lord Halsbury was speaking, before the vote was taken we are told "all eyes were turned upon his squat, stubby figure, so full of pugnacity, but not without a certain nobleness of mien. The Throne is hereditary; the succession to landed estates is hereditary. What's the matter with the House of Lords? This was the burden of his argument."

But the last stand of the stalwarts was in vain. By a vote of ten to one the House of Lords affirmed that the hereditary right to sit and legislate must be ended. It was one of the most momentous decisions of a century past and will loom up large in the history of the present year as it will be read by future generations.

SOME INCOME TAXES COLLECTED BY LAW.

Since our article of yesterday on the income tax appeared we have learned that some persons were sued a year or so ago for non-payment of this tax, a fact of which we had not before heard or read. We hasten to

make the correction. All lawful taxes ought to be paid, and if not paid voluntarily should be collected by legal process. We have yet to learn that all the delinquents were sued, if not, why not? Favoritism or exceptional treatment in collecting is as bad as favoritism in assessing for this tax. In fact, the one accentuates the other. The cases we have heard of where legal measures were resorted to were those of persons with small incomes. Just why they were singled out for examples and other and far richer delinquents excepted we have yet to learn. Pub.

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licity must be had in this matter. Where there is secrecy there is danger.

We are now informed that the salaried classes do not pay as large a share of the total income tax as we had supposed. Be that as it may, it is in the interest of the revenue and of those who pay taxes that the tax shall be made to bear equally upon all who are liable and that all who are liable shall be made to pay.

Montreal and its suburbs are now said to have a population of 592,000. That is more than the population of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island taken together. A million and a half of Canada's people now live in the ten leading cities.

It has been noted that at the recent conference in Ottawa between representatives of the federal and provincial Governments as to their jurisdiction regarding the incorporation of companies they failed to agree. The Supreme Court of Canada will now be called to decide the matter and the decision when it is given will be of important interest.

Over in Brussels the hat pin has come into court. A man was standing on the platform of a street car when it stopped suddenly. A lady was thrown against him and her hat pin pierced one of his eyes, destroying the sight. The court awarded him \$2,000, one half to be paid by the owner of the hat pin and the other half by the street car company.

The New York Peace Society has sent out an instructive illustrated circular setting forth the alarming cost of the armies and navies of the world. The object of the society is to strengthen the forces leading toward international good will, and to substitute law for war. It is proposed to effect this by working for a wider appreciation of the principle of arbitration, promoting mediation, encouraging a reduction of armaments, denying the right of conquest, holding up true ideals of national honor and fostering sentiments of mutual sympathy and respect among the nations. Truly this is a noble work.

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LAYMEN'S MISSIONARY CONVENTION.

CHARLOTTETOWN, April 14 & 15, 1910.

April 14, 8 p. m.—St. Paul's School-room, meeting for men only. Chairman T. C. James.

"The Awakening World," R. W. Allin.

"Men and Missions," James Redger.

"Canada's Missionary Responsibility," Rev. F. W. Anderson.

Report of Local Committee on Contributions for the past year, and policy for ensuing year.

APRIL 15, 10 A. M.

Conference for Clergy, St. James' Church.

Chairman, Rev. G. R. White.

Two twenty minute addresses, each followed by informal discussion:

"The Pastor's Place of Leadership,"

"His Field and Forces,"

3 P. M.—Meeting for Women in First Methodist Church.

Chairman, Rev. H. E. Thomas.

Address by Rev. F. W. Anderson.

4 P. M.—First Methodist Church Conference on Methods, Col. F. S. Moore, Chairman.

8 P. M.

Denominational Rallies.

Presbyterian in Zion Church, led

by Rev. F. W. Anderson.

Anglican in St. Paul's Church, led by R. W. Allin.

Methodist, First Methodist Church, led by Rev. G. J. Bond.

Baptist, First Baptist.

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