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AS OTHERS SEE US.

An Englishman visited our Island Province a few weeks ago, a newspaper man trained to observe and clearly express his opinions on what he sees. He was not a Liberal or a Tory as to politics. He saw none of our winter disabilities. And yet he concluded that if he lived in Prince Edward Island he would become a revolutionist. What would he have thought and said had he been confined for two months on the island in the middle of a rigorous winter with no visible means of escape?

It amazed this intelligent visitor that the Island Province should only have one mail a day to and from the outside world, and that people could only leave the Island or return to it once in the day, that we should patiently pay heavy taxes to build one railway after another across the continent and equip them with palace cars, while the means of communication at our own doors are so neglected and behind hand.

How true was this observation of our English visitor: "When Prince Edward Island begins to get self-assertive and tries to call attention to her needs the Government of the day presents her with a bridge which she does not want, or a wharf which is silted over with sand in a few months, built by friends of the Government." And we are expected to be grateful for such things, while denied the ordinary means and conveniences of transportation, and forced to pay double freight charges for such transportation as we get.

Our visitor on his flying trip only skimmed the surface of things and did not learn half our real wrongs and grievances and yet learned enough to make him feel like leading an insurrection. Had he had time to become acquainted with the fact that the shipper of farm produce from the Island pays as much freight for 200 miles as a mainland farmer pays for a thousand miles; had he known that down almost to yesterday it cost twice as much to send a ten word telegraph message from Charlottetown to Pictou as from Halifax to

Toronto, what would he have said? Had our visitor been aware of the story of our winter navigation and the Tunnel movement all the promises made and broken in that regard; how the Dominion, committed to give as constant and efficient steam communication, leisurely took fifteen years from 1873 to 1888 before providing the first winter boat and twelve years more before providing the second; promised the Tunnel seventeen years ago and today denies it, he might have waited long enough in our land to organize the revolution to which he referred.

Lord Grey, who visited this Province once at a time when a large body of our young men were leaving for the Northwest, few of them to return, described the scene as one of the saddest and most pathetic he had ever witnessed. And what was that scene but an indictment of His Excellency's advisers for the outrages they have committed and perpetuated against the Island in denying us the reasonable means of transportation the year through at reasonable rates. To that indictment they must be forced to plead guilty.

And yet partly the existing conditions are our own fault. We have in our midst a class who are too cringing and subservient; too ready to accept the dole of a few dollars to build a wharf or repair a building as a charitable donation, too voluble in thanks if we get back in any form one dollar out of three we had contributed in taxes. But there are others of a different stamp. The observant correspondent noted them: "In certain settings of the jaw and hardness of the eye which I have noticed among some of the people to whom I have talked, is one of the best signs I have seen yet."

Yes, it is a time to set the jaw, to harden the eye, and to ask of our rulers how long they expect us to stand the exorbitant freights and the denial of efficient communication. It is time to tell them we have had enough of broken promises and evasions, and that these wrongs must be righted; enough of federal taxes without an honest return. A firm and united stand, a full determination to have all the rights, privileges and advantages of the other Provinces and our fair share in the vast expenditures of the day, is the duty of the hour.

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Here is a statement in brief of the receipts and expenditure of the Dominion for the year ended with March last: Total receipts \$76,641,452; total expenditure \$111,900,437. Of the expenditure \$35,253,979 was on capital account. Including this the expenditures exceeded the receipts by \$5,840,921. The public debt was increased during the year by \$14,239,000.

A despatch from Halifax states that the Conservatives of that city have about completed arrangements to hold a convention and that Mr. Burden has definitely decided to accept the nomination for the Commons. It will be remembered that he was an unsuccessful candidate in Halifax at the election of 1904.

There is not much hope of surprising so alert an Opposition as that in Saskatchewan which in the first two weeks of the rushing campaign got one half more candidates in the field than the Government party. Of course it is one thing to name candidates and quite another thing to elect them. Today is nomination day and it is expected that both parties will have full tickets or nearly so for the entire Province. Judging by the Northwest papers of both parties there seems to be something of growing confidence in the Opposition ranks and a little less certainty of sweeping victory on the ministerial side as the day of polling approaches.

It is proposed that Thanksgiving day shall be held this year on Monday, for the better accommodation of the commercial travellers. The Presbyterian Witness objects to this strenuously, on the ground that "it would mar the preceding Sunday by reducing it to a mere holiday." Many will fall to see the force of this objection. Why not hold Thanksgiving on Sunday? The avowed object of the day is purely religious. We do not make it more genuine in that regard, nor less a day of feasting by holding it on a Monday or Thursday. The Witness would rather see the appointment dropped altogether than to have Thanksgiving on Monday.

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