

THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

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RECIPROCITY!

The announcement made by Hon. Mr. Fielding in Parliament will be good news to Prince Edward Island farmers and fishermen.

The trade agreement, if it passes Congress, as it will doubtless pass the Canadian Parliament, will give a free market in the States for our

THE PRODUCTION OF THE BIGGEST MEN.

It is not of physical giants that we wish to speak, but of another sort of stature, indicated in part by Dr. Isaac Watts when he wrote:

Were I so great to reach the skies Or grasp the ocean in a span, I'd not be measured by my size— The mind's the stature of the man.

But what standard has the world by which to measure the mental stature of the men of the time? It has been suggested that the Nobel prizes afford as good a standard as any that is available for the purpose, though not quite an ideal one.

As will be remembered, the late Alfred Nobel of Sweden left a large fortune, the income from which goes to pay five annual prizes of \$40,000 each to the men who during the year have done most for the advancement of medicine, physics, chemistry, literature and peace.

The first four of these prizes are awarded by committees from the Swedish colleges and the peace prize is awarded by the Norwegian Storting, or Parliament. These tribunals receive nominations from distinguished men of all the countries of the world, and take great pains to investigate the relative claims and merits of the candidates for the different prizes, spending yearly a vast sum in this way.

oats, potatoes, cheese and butter, garden products and vegetables as well as fish.

These are the important features as affecting this Province. The reduction of duty on agricultural implements to 15 per cent, although not enough, will be welcome.

It seems to be generally admitted, after ten years since the prizes were first awarded, that the awards have been very honestly and impartially made, without regard to national lines. And it takes a pretty big man or woman to win any one of the Nobel prizes in any year.

Do not these prizes, therefore, afford some ground for comparison in regard to where the biggest men are produced? And yet the record may be a little disappointing to Anglo-Saxon readers.

For the allotment of fifty-six Nobel prizes, omitting some given to peace societies, has gone to the different countries of the world in the following order: Germany, 15; France, 10; the United Kingdom, 7; Holland, 4; Russia, Italy and Switzerland, 4 each; Sweden, 3; Denmark, Spain, and United States, 2 each; Austria, Belgium and Norway, 1 each. That Great Britain should stand third, with less than half as many prizes as were allotted to Germany is only less surprising than that the United States should fall as low in the list as Spain, or in the ninth position from the head.

And Canada has not yet secured any place in this, the most eminent of the world's prize-lists.

EXPERIMENTAL FARM CROPS.

Bulletin 66 gives fuller returns of the yield of crops at the Experimental Farm in Charlottetown than has yet appeared in The Guardian. A few additional particulars are subjoined.

Of spring wheat thirteen varieties were grown, the yield of which ranged from 29 to nearly 49 bushels per acre, the average being 38 bushels 19 lbs. per acre.

Twenty-one varieties of oats were grown, yielding from 89 to 136 bushels per acre, the average being 121 bushels 29 lbs. per acre.

Of barley eleven varieties of six-row and ten varieties of two-row were grown, the average yield of the first-named being 65 bushels 38 lbs., and of the latter 62 bushels 19 lbs. per acre.

The average yield of eleven varieties of Indian Corn was 22 tons 564 lbs. per acre.

Ten varieties of Swede turnips produced an average of 26 tons 919 lbs. per acre.

Of mangels eight varieties were grown and the yield per acre averaged 29 tons 1,863 lbs.

Carrots varied largely from about 6 1/2 tons to over 15 tons per acre, the average of the five varieties grown being 10 tons 22 lbs.

Sugar beets were grown in three varieties, the average yield being 16 tons 4 lbs.

In potatoes there was a wide variance of yield in the twenty varieties grown, the range being from 94 1/2 bushels to 328 1/2 bushels (Burbank's Seedling) per acre. The average was 229 bushels 36 lbs. per acre.

The figures are on the whole remarkably good, in view of the poor season for potatoes and roots, and do credit alike to the productiveness of Island soil and the skillful management of Superintendent Clark.

The tests made of so many varieties of farm crops, their yield and adaptation to our soil and climate must be of great value to the farmers of this Province if they will avail themselves of the information and examples set before them at the Experimental Farm.

THE EXAMINER ON COMBINES.

The Examiner was the other day forced to admit that when a combine "is formed for the purpose of controlling the supply and sale of staple articles of consumption by the people it is to be viewed with the greatest concern and it ought to be hedged about with conditions and limitations." And as to watered stock, "it should not be permitted nor should the shareholders be allowed to make big dividends out of the necessities of the public."

Now this is just what has happened. Scores of combines have been formed in Canada and are now operating to control the supply and sale of staple articles of consumption, and the stock of these concerns has been proven to be watered from three to ten times the amount of capital actually put in, while big dividends, running up to 50 per cent are being pocketed by them "out of the necessities of the people." We subjoin a few instances.

Thomas McMillan, writing in the Toronto Globe of January 21 in reply to T. A. Russell, Chairman of the Tariff Committee of the Manufacturers' Association, among many other similar instances gives the following: "That the investigation of the Royal Commission into the affairs of

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the Dominion Textile Company provided that, while that company was clamoring for higher duties, and reducing the wages of their work people, on the score of being unable to meet the competition of British goods, which have to climb over a 23 per cent tariff wall, their business was paying a dividend of 50 per cent on the actual money invested in the common stock of the company.

"We know that after the evidence was given before Mr. Justice Clute in the case of Wampole & Co. vs. F. E. Karn Company, Limited, in 1906, the Judge dismissed the case, on the ground that the agreement used was an illegal conspiracy interfering with the freedom of trade.

"In delivering judgment, the judge stated that this was the form of agreement adopted by the committees representing a great part of the wholesale and retail trade of Canada, and it meant that almost every article in common use was subjected to a

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hard-and-fast contract, which set the manufacturers' price, the wholesale price and the retail price, below which none could sell, and no one would be allowed to purchase who did not first agree to sign the contract in question. He stated, further, that it was difficult indeed to con-

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It may be possible that you would prefer a pair of Felt Boots if so you may be assured that you can make no mistake in a selection and the prices commence at the low figure of one dollar. For the mornings we have a number of nice lines of felt house shoes and slippers from 30c a pair up to \$1.00.

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There are many cough remedies on the market that one would hesitate to give an infant if all their ingredients were known. Don't take chances—it may be dangerous.

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The Great January Clearance Sale Flourishes Still Lower Prices on our Exquisite Stock

THERE'S MONEY IN OUR ADS!

Don't postpone the hour of buying or you may be too late. These bargains will be picked up at once by shrewd buyers (Regular tickets on all goods from which the discount will be deducted.)

Thousands of Dollars Worth of Goods at One-quarter off Regular Price
Thousands of Dollars Worth of Goods at One-third off Regular Price
Thousands of Dollars Worth of Goods at One-half off Regular Price.

Surplus stock from the Ladies' Ready-to-wear Dept. at Pleasing Generous Discounts.
Twenty-two Children's coats all new this season ranging in price from \$3.50 to \$9.50, at 1-3 off. (fit girls from 6 to 14 years.)
10 Scotch Plaid Wool Dresses Kilted Skirts, \$2.50 to \$4.50, 1-3 off.
16 Girls' Blue Serge Suits, Sailor Style, \$2.50 to \$4.75, 1-3 off.
5 Children's Capes red, and blue, (new) \$3.50 each, 1-3 off.
9 Ladies' Suits assorted colors \$16.00 to \$21.00, 1-3 off.
36 Ladies' Dress Skirts, mostly Brown, Blues and Blacks, \$3.50 to \$6.00, 1-3 off.
12 only. Child's White Niggerhead Flannel comfortable and cosy, \$3.25, \$3.75 and \$4.00 1-3 off. Just the thing for the little ones, can be worn up till May.

Household Department and A Quarter Saved on Dress Goods

Sheeting Sheets, 1/2 off.
Towels and Towelling, 1/2 off.
Table Napkins, 1/2 off.
Table linen and other Linens, 1/2 off.
Ginghams, Print Cottons, Sateens, Cretonnes, 1/2 off.
Pillow Cottons, Pillow Cases 1/2 off.
Bedding, Ticking, 1/2 off.
Bed Covers, 1/2 off.
Flannelettes, 1/2 off.
White Counterpanes, 1/2 off.
Flannel, Grey, white and red, 1/2 off.
Table Linen of all kinds, 1/2 off.
Black Dress Goods, about 1800 yards in stock, comprising panamas, serges, chevots, lustres, poplins, armures, tricots, residas, eoliennes, cashmeres, voiles, diagonals, hopsacks, etc., ranging from 35c yard to \$2.35, 40 to 48 inches wide, less 1/2 off.

Plain Melton Suitings, 42 inches wide, about 175 yds, 32c line, less 1/2 off.
Striped Tweed Suitings, 48 inches wide, about 325 yds, regular 65c line, less 1/2 off.
Diagonal Cheviot Suiting, 42 inches wide, about 350 yards, in a splendid range of colorings, regular 78c less 1/2 off.
Hopsack Diagonal and Cheviot Suitings, 50 inches wide, about 350 yds, regular \$1.20 and \$1.30 per yard, less 1/2 off.
Hygrade Broadcloth, 54 inches wide, about 400 yds, fourteen shades and black to select from, \$1.75 per yard, less 1/2 off.
Boyd Caldwell's Striped Suitings, 58 inches wide, about 175 yards, nine colorings in stock, regular \$1.70 per yard, less 1/2 off.

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PATONS Charlottetown.

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Last market day was the biggest selling day yet. Hundreds of farmers who were into the Convention on Tuesday visited the sale before going home. Now to give the farmers and their wives a chance we are going to make prices so low for the next market days that will make it worth their while to come. In fact it will pay every farmer in Queen's county, part of Prince and King's to HARNESS UP and make for Charlottetown's biggest clearance sale.

All prices on heavy wool underwear will be cut down to pleasing prices. There will be a thousand garments of comfortable underwear for man, woman and child. Every child's, misses' and woman's winter coat will be sold at 1-2 their price. 45 men's heavy comfortable overcoats with velvet collar will be sold at 1-2 price. 150 men's fancy colored shirts made by one of the best makers in Canada. Regular \$1.25 value for 94c.

400 yards of England's best flannelette in stripes and other floral designs 19c up to 22c value for 16c
100 ladies' wrappers at a saving of 25c on the dollar.
100 ladies' colored waists and 150 knitted jerseys in a variety of different colors all sizes 25c of every dollar.

400 yards of diagonal suitings 1.00 value for 60c.
Men's shirts 1.25 for 94c all wool flannel.
65 ladies' muffs at 67c on the 1.00 instead of 100 cents.
Over 7000 yards of assorted dress goods at discounts ranging 25 to 1-3 off the 1.00.
1000 pairs of ladies' warm stockings at 25c off the 1.00.
About 400 pairs of wool socks for the guild man 25c off every 1.00.

NOW LADY OF THE FARM don't you let this sale pass without visiting it. If you can't leave the children at home bring them all with you. There is something for everyone in the house, whether it be a piece of furniture, a carpet, a sleigh robe, a fur coat, a pair of blankets, sheeting, linen, underwear, you want it is up to you to get to PATONS' in a hurry, and don't you forget that you can buy STANFIELDS underwear cheaper here than in the factory at 98c a garment.

COME! COME! COME! To PATON'S Great Sale

EARLY BUYERS WILL FARE THE BEST! 45 Men's Overcoats Half Price

50 Reefers, Boys, 1/2 off.
35 Reefers, Mens, 1-3 off.
40 Men's Overcoats, Chesterfields, half price.
115 Boys' College Overcoats, 1-3 off.
116 Men's Tweed and Worsted Suits, 1-3 off.
45 Men's Overcoats, 33 to 42, half price.
55 Men's Blue or Black Chesterfields

115 Three Piece Suits, Short Pants, 33 to 35, 1/2 and 1-3 off.
150 Two piece Suits, fit for boys 4 to 15, 1/2 to 1-2 off.
29 Leather and Canvas Storm Coats half price, 1/2 and 1-3 off.
8 Fur Coats, Coon and Beaver, 1-3 off.
4 Astrachan Lined Cloth Coats, with Fur Collar, \$20.00 for \$14.50.

59 Young Men's Suits, \$8.00 to \$17.00 D. B. & S. B., 1-3 off.
100 Pairs Short Pants, Sale Price, 49c., worth 75c.
30 Pairs Worsted Pants, Price \$3.50 to \$4.75, half price.
200 Pairs Heavy All Wool Pants, 1/2 off.
45 Children's Suits, all sizes, HALF PRICE.

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Go Over This List and Note the Discounts Offered

Furniture and Carpets 1-3.
Ready Made Clothing 1/2 and 1-3. and Half Price. Dress Goods 1/2 and 1-3.
Millinery, Ready trimmed Hats and untrimmed Hats 1/2 price; Millinery trimmings 1-3 and 1/2.
Furs and Fur Lined Coats 1-3 off.

All Ready made Garments for Ladies in the mantle room, 1-3.
Coats, Skirts, Misses' Jackets, Rain proof Coats 1/2 to half price.
Staple Department, Household Cottons and Linens, 1/2 off.
Corset and Hosiery Department, also Ladies' Underwear, 1/2 off.
Coatings, Stripped Broadcloths, Beavers, Chevots, Friezes, 1/2 off.

Ladies Suitings at 1/2 to 1-3 off.
Men's Furnishing Department, 1/2 off. Special Lines 1-3.
Ladies' Ready to wear Department, Waists Silk and Wool. Wrappers, Wool Jackets, etc., 1/2 and 1-3 off.
Ladies' White Underwear 1/2 off.
Dress Goods 1/2 to 1-3.

All our Ostrich Boas and Ostrich Feathers 1-3 off.
Silk, Satins, Ribbons and Velvets 1/2 off.
Kid Gloves, Silk Scarves, Wool Scarves, 1/2 off.
Standfield's Underwear, all new stock, medium and fine makes, 1/2 off.
Watson's Underwear, and Pen Angle, 1/2 off.

Worsted, Scotch Tweeds and Serges, Oxford and Hewson Tweeds, 1/2 off.
All Smallwares, Combs and Hair Accessories, 1-3 off.
Stockingette and Overalls 1/2 off.
All our Men's Fur Coats, 1-3 off.
All Boy's Overcoats, 1-3 off.
Blankets, all 1/2 off.

Eiderdown Quilts, 1/2 off.
Fringings and Neckwear 1/2 & 1-3 off.
Colored and Black Satin 1/2 off.
Dress Lings, etc., 1/2 off.
Braids and Gimps, 1-3 and 1/2 off.
Appliques, 1-3 off.
Evening wear, 1/2 off.—comprising Eoliennes, Crapes de Chene, Marquisettes, Voiles, Crepeliennes, etc.

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