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DOMINION FINANCES.

The financial statement of the Dominion for the year closed 30th June shows an exceedingly prosperous year for the federal revenue. On the ordinary receipts and expenditure there was a surplus of about \$7,500,000, the largest but one in the history of the country. The Liberal party has been exceedingly fortunate so far in holding office during what are known as "good times," a period of good crops, expanding trade, busy industries and a flourishing revenue. These opportunities have enabled the Government to make a record in the way of successive surpluses that are a source of satisfaction not to one party merely, but to the entire country. During their first year in office, nine months of which was covered by the tariff of their predecessors, the country ran behind on ordinary account, about half a million dollars. With the following year, under the operation of the reformed tariff there was a decided change for the better, and the favorable showing has continued down to date. The following figures show the succession of surpluses since 1897-8:

Year.	Surplus.
1897-98.....	\$ 1,722,712.83
1898-99.....	4,837,749 00

1899-00.....	8,054,714.51
1900-01.....	5,043,333.29
1901-02 (estimated).....	7,500,000.00

Total for five years \$27,763,509.13

The average newspaper reader knows very well that a surplus on ordinary account does not necessarily mean that the total receipts for the year have been greater than the total outlay. It has been the practice of all Governments to separate the ordinary from the extraordinary expenditures of the year, the latter being included in what is commonly called capital account and usually added to the debt. Of course, when there is a surplus on ordinary account it is appropriated to defray so much of the capital expenditure of the year. In the year just closed the surplus, large as it was, was still less than the capital expenditure, so that the debt was somewhat increased.

During the long term of Conservative rule in the Dominion covering eighteen years there were ten surpluses aggregating something over \$27,800,000 and eight deficits aggregating over \$18,000,000, making the yearly average of surpluses in the Conservative term \$554,590. Of course in the much shorter Liberal term covering a period of most prosperous years the average is much higher, and the ministerial journals have great satisfaction in presenting the contrast to their readers. This comparison of a short period with a long one is not quite fair, as in any continuous term of eighteen years, at least one if not more periods of commercial depression are quite sure to occur. It is therefore most probable that in the more or less distant future we shall have deficits again, which will tend to render the comparison between the records of the two parties in the matter of surpluses and deficits much more equal and just than any that could be made at the present time.

In the meantime it is a matter of great satisfaction to all patriotic citizens that Canada is still experiencing a period of commercial and financial prosperity, that the revenue is abundant, the manufacturing industries busy, our mines producing more abundantly than ever before, our people prosperous and content and the national credit at its highest point. The present Government has expended public money with a very liberal hand for useful public works. Criticisms of the Administration have largely turned upon this alleged too free expenditure, but it is generally admitted that the large expenditure has been in accord with the popular demand, and it has been made without arousing scandal. And the prosperous condition of the public finances affords the best excuse for expenditures which under other conditions might be condemned as abnormally large if not extravagant.

It is reported on apparently good authority that the clothing and food supplies sent to the sufferers from the eruption in Martinique were appropriated as so much plunder by the local favorites of the negro government and never reached the people for whom they were intended. That sort of thing is calculated to put a damper on public generosity, and is by no means gratifying to those who sought to aid the earthquake victims.

A change seems to have come over the spirit of Kruger's dream. He is recently reported to have expressed a most hopeful view of the future of the Boers under British rule. It is a fair inference that he will accept the situation, and would like to have the opportunity to smoke the pipe of peace once more at his old home in Pretoria. He appealed to the sword and the decision has been against him. He is enough of a fatalist to accept the result as decisive and final.

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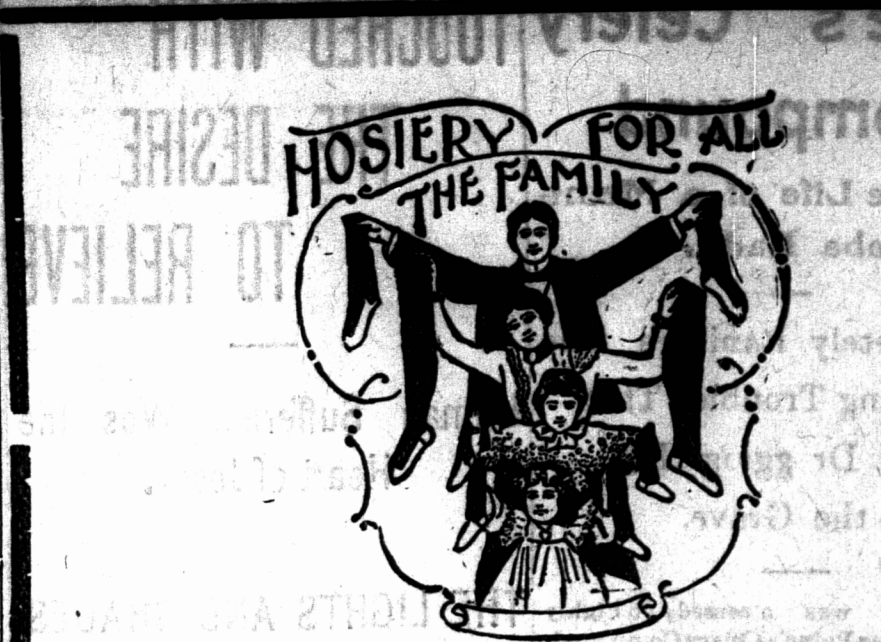
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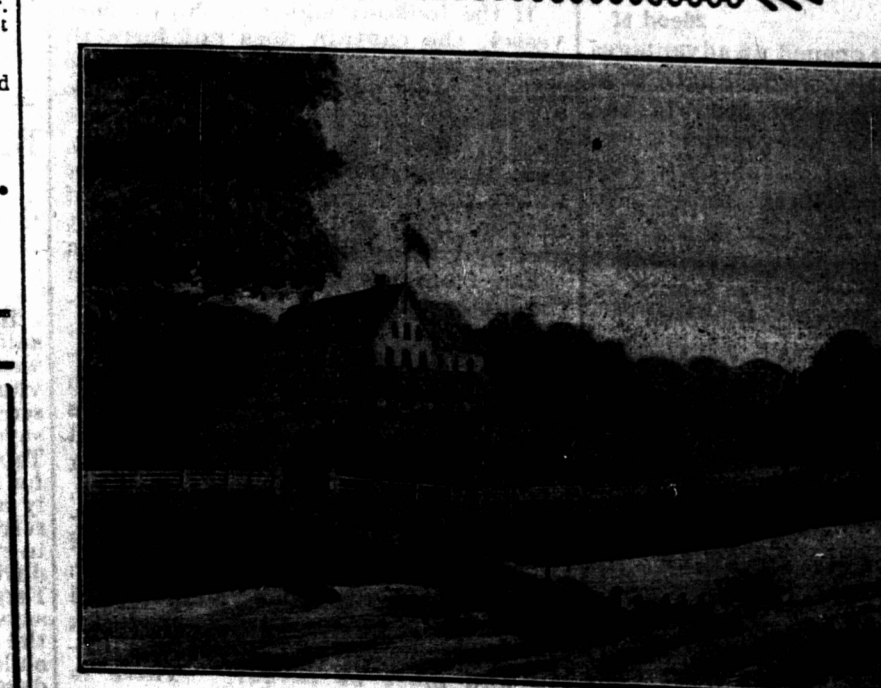
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