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THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 1910.

## THE THRIFTY DEMOCRACY OF DENMARK.

It may be doubted whether there is any community under the sun from which our people could learn more to their advantage than from the ancient Kingdom of Denmark. It is a small country, with a little more than two millions of inhabitants. It is a low-lying country, like our own, no part of it being 500 feet above the sea, and as a consequence has no river to speak of, and Denmark has no minerals. The land is laid out in grain fields and pastures. The exports are horses, cattle, swine, hams, butter, fruit and farm products generally. It is a community of farmers, about 90 per cent. of which are owners of the land they till. Of the 250,000 farms 180,000 are of 40 acres and under, while 133,000 are of 13½ acres or under, 68,000 of them being of less area than 1½ acres.

Small farms and intensive farming is what has made Denmark prosperous and has made the Dane the most successful farmer in the world. Denmark is cultivated like a market garden and a dairy farm combined. It is here, too, that co-operative industry has reached its fullest development. There are 1,087 co-operative dairies with 158,000 farmers as members. With the dairies grew up the swine industry, and the co-operative slaughter house. There are now 34 co-operative abattoirs distributed over the little Kingdom, with 90,000 members, and handling a business of 1,100,000 hogs yearly. Eggs and poultry are also handled on the co-operative plan, by 57,000 members. The eggs are collected daily, every one stamped with the date of production. They are better packed than any others, carefully graded, always reliable and bring fancy prices.

By co-operation, organization and care and by establishing selling agencies of his own, cutting out the jobber and the middleman, the Danish farmer has more than doubled the price he formerly received for his eggs, butter and bacon. He is also his own banker. There are 536 co-operative savings banks, in which the farmer places his savings. There are 1,352,000 depositors in these institutions, with an average deposit of $154 each. The farmers, through purchasing societies, buys his agricultural implements and supplies at wholesale prices. The yearly turnover of these co-operative purchasing societies in 1907 was $17,500,000. Education is looked after sharply. School attendance is compulsory up to 14 years. There is no illiteracy. Above the elementary schools are the high schools, and the agricultural colleges, 29 in number, with over six thousand students in attendance. Surely we may learn something from all this.

The Kingdom of Denmark is a farming democracy. The Sovereign has but limited authority. Three or four members of the ministry are small farmers. And the Danish farmer is a free-trader. He will have nothing to do with protection. He believes in buying in the cheapest and selling in the dearest market he can find. Intensive cultivation, co-operation, free trade, industry and thrift have made him rich. Twenty-five years ago he set out to capture the English market and he did it, by providing better bacon, better butter, better eggs than had hitherto been sent to that market. He is now invading the German market. Co-operation has kept out or strangled the trusts and monopolies in Denmark, and has kept down the cost of living far below what it is in Canada. This outline of what the Danish farmer has achieved indicates what may be yet done in Prince Edward Island by like methods and persistent effort.

## INCOME TAXES AND LAND TAXES.

There was quite a heart-to-heart talk yesterday morning across the floor of the House between the Premier and the leader of the Opposition on land and income taxation. The facts were concisely stated. There has been undervaluation of lands in some sections, but one can hardly think it has been so general that a fair revaluation all around will produce $20,000 more revenue without raising the rates. The Premier frankly admits that the income tax ought to yield two or three times what it does now. If the whole question of taxation were opened up we believe the income tax would be found the more unequal and the more fruitful of shirking than the land tax. It may be hard to get at the incomes of the rich and well-to-do, but the effort should be made. The farmer's broad acres are open to the view and the valuation of all. Not so the income of the money lenders, the rich merchants, the holders of mortgages, shares and stocks. But these might be got at much more fully than has been done or attempted.

The civil servants, who until recently were exempt from taxes on income, but who now have to pay, have memorialized the Government on the subject. Their regular salaries are known, and salaries are taxed to the limit. They naturally, in common with all the salaried classes, want to know why they must pay roundly on salaries that afford a bare living, while those able to live in luxury, and having three to ten times as much income, pay little or nothing. The question is one that will not down. No other form of taxation in this Province is so unequal or so unjust. Let the list of income taxpayers be published or made accessible to the public. There is no remedy like publicity in such matters. The list once made public, every taxpayer would become a detective to expose the shirkers. And surely the taxpayers have a right to know who is paying and who is not paying, and if not, why they are exempt.

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PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS. to cure any case of itching, Blind Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded 50c.

Yesterday was truly spring-like, but the summer does not come with a rush in this latitude. The wild geese have not yet come in such numbers as might have been expected. When they thus delay their coming we may look out for another snow-storm. Captain Bernier, who last fall predicted the mild winter, now forecasts a cold May and June.

**The Banker Shoe For Men**

A last for every foot in patent, tan, velour calf, high and low heel, pointed and broad toe. The best $4.00 shoe on the market.

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**GOFF BROS.**

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The Ottawa Parliament, like our own Legislature, has taken to morning sessions. It is now hoped to reach prorogation before Halley's comet becomes dangerous.

Minister Pugsley is doing things for St. John, which is to have a big dry dock and ship construction and repair plant, with the prospect also of a Grand Trunk terminal, and other good things. Strong men with an aptitude and liking for public affairs are among the best crops that a Province can produce, especially where, as in the Maritime section of Canada, we have but a small and diminishing representation.

Canada's trade with the United States is about as great as with all the rest of the world. And after the United Kingdom and Germany, Canada is Uncle Sam's best customer, buying three times as much as Mexico from him and more than all South America. One Canadian on an average buys as much of Yankee goods and notions as six Mexicans, though both are equally near and have about equal facilities for this trade. And reciprocity talk is rising again to fill the air as it did in the seventies and eighties of last century.

The House of Lords would lessen its numbers, but retain all its present powers. Mr. Asquith would curtail its powers first, and afterwards make it elective. The real fight is coming on the resolutions to cut off the veto power of the Upper House. The Lords will doubtless reject this proposal after it passes the Commons. Then the Asquith Government will ask for a dissolution, which may or may not be granted. Some think the Government is merely "riding for a fall." In any case, there are stirring times ahead within the next few weeks.

AN OPEN LETTER.

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Mrs. J. A. Pillow of North Street, Gananoque, Ont., says: "Mi-o-na is worth its weight in gold for quickly and permanently curing dyspepsia. I became so bad that I was unable to leave my bed. There was a constant burning in my stomach, I would belch up gas every few minutes and could eat but very little as the food would quickly ferment and make gas that caused a serious depression of the heart. Prespiration would break out all over my body, I would become so weak that I could not stir and would often fall on the floor in a helpless state. The pains in my stomach were terrible. I could find no position in which to sit or lie without suffering, and I was so nervous that the least noise affected me. Headaches were constant. I would become dizzy and spots would appear before my eyes. I had no ambition to get around and everything seemed to tire me. The first box of Mi-o-na gave me more relief than anything I had previously tried. The second box of Mi-o-na cared me. I am well and strong and I have not had an hour's suffering since. I will always feel grateful to Mi-o-na for the cure given me and glad to recommend."

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## SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a Warrant, dated the tenth day of March, A. D., 1910, to me directed, issued by His Honor John A. McDonald, Judge of the City Court, of Charlottetown, in Queen's County, Province of Prince Edward Island, stating that the sum of $4.13, having been assessed against certain vacant lands on Town Lot, No. Sixty-two third hundred of Town Lots, in the said City of Charlottetown, owned or reputed to be owned by the Estate of William Birch, which land is bounded and described as follows, that is to say:—Commencing on the south side of Kent Street, at the south-west angle of lands owned by D. Hoban, thence westerly along Kent Street forty-five feet, thence southwardly at right angles to Kent Street, one hundred and eight feet thence parallel with Kent Street forty-five feet, thence northerly one hundred and eight feet to place of commencement, for unpaid Assessments or Taxes the name of estate of William Birch being entered on the Assessment Books as the owner or apparent owner thereof and the said sum not having been paid as required by law, and Judgment having been given by the said John A. McDonald, Judge of the City Court, aforesaid, against such lands and tenements, on the tenth day of March last, past. I am therefore ordered and commanded to levy upon and sell such real estate for such sum, together with one dollar costs, and my charges and expenses at Public Auction to the highest bidder.

And I hereby give public notice that I will on Friday, the twenty-ninth day of April, A. D. 1910, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, at the Court House in Charlottetown, in Queen's County, set up and sell to the highest bidder the said land above described pursuant to the Statute.

GEORGE COOMBS,
Sheriff of Queen's County
Sheriff's Office, Queen's County.
March 17th 1910.
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