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## THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1911.

### THE DUKE OF CONNAUGHT AS GOVERNOR GENERAL.

All doubt in regard to the Duke of Connaught's appointment as the next Governor General of Canada has been set at rest by the public announcement in London and the formal notice sent to the Ottawa Government. The one unusual thing about the appointment is that it is for two years instead of the usual term of five years, but the shorter term can easily be extended as the longer official term of several past Governors General has been from time to time.

His Royal Highness is the only surviving son of the late Queen Victoria, brother of the late King Edward the Peacemaker and uncle of His Majesty King George. These relationships each and all serve to endear him to the loyal Canadian people in advance of his coming to Canada and will ensure for him a very hearty welcome when he comes in September next. As the throne represents so much of what binds Canada to the Empire it may reasonably be hoped that a resident Governor General who is of royal blood may strengthen the bond which binds the United Kingdom and the Dominion together.

The one question of doubt as to the fitness of the appointment that has arisen in some minds has, however, to do with this very question of royal relationship. Canadians are a democratic people, unused to courts such as exist in Britain and on the continent. It is therefore somewhat reassuring to read in the Toronto Globe a perhaps semi-official announcement that "it is understood there is no intention of establishing a royal court in Canada. His Highness will, like his predecessors, be a democratic Governor, and save for the fact of his royal lineage and the added éclat and dignity thus given to the Governor General, there will be no change in the present happy relationships of Governor and people with the representative of the Crown at the Canadian capital."

The Duke of Connaught was born

### WHETHER TO LAUGH OR LAMENT.

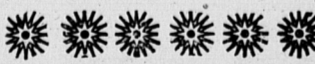
As to the alleged prevalence of graft in Canada, the Montreal Witness strikes a serious note, taking care to say that while "the employment of public money for political ends is a degradation of Government, in saying so we are not accusing a particular Government." Later on in the same article we find this passage:

"We have long been accustomed, even when the question was one of simple right or wrong, with which a Government might have anything to do, to the concurrent advice from all expert quarters that it would be necessary to engage the support of some friend of the party if a claimant wanted to have any attention paid to his plea. Canada is becoming noted for public graft in Great Britain, through the correspondence of new comers and the correspondents of newspapers, and the worst of it is, she has well earned this base reputation. All sorts of material benefits are flung about with an eye primarily, not to the best service, but to party support. Worse than that, all sorts of positions of public administration are in like manner prostituted."

On the other hand the New York Times, from safe distance, dares to become facetious over the purchase of 13,000 cork screws by the Canadian Printing Bureau, which has been recently investigated. The Times

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May 1, 1850, and will therefore be sixty-one years of age before he enters upon his official duties at Ottawa. Trained as a soldier, he saw active service in Canada during the Fenian raid, and later served in a campaign in Egypt. Among the more important military commands he has held were those of Commander of the Bombay forces, Commander of the forces in Ireland, Inspector General and Commander-in-Chief of the Mediterranean. The latter command he resigned two years ago. Although military promotion may be thought to come easily to a Prince, there is little reason to doubt that our coming Governor General is a capable and thorough soldier.

To some extent the appointment will add prestige to Canada as the foremost Dominion of the Empire and in the eyes of other nations. At least Canada is by it distinguished above all the other British nations over-sea, so far as the Home Government had power to do it in this way. No doubt, too, the military and naval forces of Canada will be pleased to have as the King's representative in Canada one who has seen service and gained high rank in connection with the military service of the Empire.

Almost beyond question the Duke of Connaught will prove a constitutional Governor General. The good Queen, his mother, and the late King, his brother, were distinguished for their knowledge, skill, diplomacy and tact as rulers, and the Duke is reputed to possess in large measure the same useful qualities. In such employments military and civil as he has hitherto been engaged in, and notably in his recent mission to South Africa to open the new Parliament there, he seems to have acquitted himself in such fashion as to win popular favor on every side. There is therefore good reason to hope that his appointment as official head of the Canadian Dominion may prove a happy and successful one.

"The graft had been running for fourteen years, but was disclosed in the fifteenth. That makes it all right, and condones all indiscretions, as any Republican knows. This is interesting, but pales into dullness beside the sparkling liveliness of the purchase of 15,000 corkscrews for the Government Printing Bureau. Down at Washington they do not need so many corkscrews, and are virtuous enough to drink their cold tea from cups. We are sympathetic regarding the graft, although it does betray a certain poverty of invention unworthy of the massive intellects which contrived the purchasing corporation idea, but we draw the line at condoning 15,000 corkscrews. We blush for Canada, and we shall blush again if it pretends that the corkscrews were needed to draw the corks from ink bottles."

Once, long ago, there was an argument between two philosophers, Democritus and Heraclitus by name, as to the merits of their respective schools. The first-named summed up the situation in the sentence, "The world is ridiculous and I laugh at it; it is deplorable and thou lamentest over it." Whether the laughing or the weeping philosopher was the wiser we leave our readers to judge. And as to graft, however deplorable its existence may be, it too has sometimes its ridiculous features.

### RECIPROCITY AT OTTAWA.

The Government and the Opposition as well in the Canadian Parliament are disposed to move slowly in the matter of endorsing the reciprocity agreement. The reasons for this course are sufficiently obvious and convincing. The debate stands adjourned. Washington must take action to accept or reject the agree-

ment, or one or other of the two Houses of Congress must decline to act thereon within a month to come. The Canadian Parliament will be in session till May, at least.

If Congress should reject or fail to take definite action upon the agreement any Parliamentary action at Ottawa would be quite useless. If on the contrary Congress should accept the treaty its ratification at Ottawa would be assured. The large ministerial majority in both the Commons and Senate gives assurance of this. There may be some dissentient Liberals, but their number will be small, and these may be counterbalanced by Conservatives, a number of whom are disposed to favor the agreement.

And there are reasons why neither party in the Canadian Parliament cares to discuss the question while it is pending at Washington. Sir Wilfrid and his colleagues presumably desire the treaty to receive sanction at both Washington and Ottawa and to go into effect. Their commendation of the treaty as an exceedingly good bargain for Canada might react at Washington against it there. In like manner the Conservative Opposition at Ottawa are under restraint. They hope to see the treaty defeated in Congress, and hence are chary of denouncing it at Ottawa as a bad bargain for Canada, lest that action should conduce to its acceptance in Washington.

For these and other reasons the Canadian Parliament will be in no haste either to complete the discussion or come to a vote on the reciprocity question. Nothing will be lost by waiting; nothing could be gained by haste. The decision rests at Washington, where just now the political chess board is confused and the ultimate result of the game uncertain. Ottawa is waiting and can afford to wait. Washington must act, or refuse to act, either of which courses must, for the present at least, be decisive.

Mr. Monk, M. P., Conservative leader in Quebec, who differed from Mr. Borden on the navy question, is in danger of widening the chasm between them. He has expressed his approval of the reciprocity agreement, with the exception of some minor details.

### The Toronto Globe:

"The minimum of Senate reform that the people will regard as a fulfillment of the pledge in the Liberal platform to reform the Upper Chamber is the abolition of life Senatorships and such a change in the method of appointment as will prevent all Senate vacancies in future from being filled by the appointment of members of the dominant political party."

Captain Joseph Read in a letter to The Patriot enthusiastically endorses the reciprocity agreement. And it will need little persuasion or further argument to convince the people of this Province that he is right. It is good to hear from an old-fashioned free-trader once in awhile, if only after the Government has taken its stand for reciprocity. But there are some important things which reciprocity cannot do. It does not touch the tribute money that is being wrung from our people by the cotton, woollen, sugar and other combines. Reciprocity is all right so far as it goes, but it does not go far enough. It will do but little to reduce the cost of living. That can only be effected by a general reduction of the Canadian tariff.

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