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AN OPPOSITION THAT FAILS.

The charges most frequently and loudly made in the Opposition press against the Government of the day in federal affairs is that of enormously increased expenditures and volume of taxation. The country naturally inquires what Mr. Borden and the Opposition in the House of Commons doing about these things? Have they moved to curtail the expenditure? Against which of the appropriations large or small have they divided the House and recorded their protests by their votes?

There are some four score men in Parliament who were elected in opposition to the Government of the day. The country looks to them, and has a right to look to them, to be watchful and alert against any wastefulness or extravagance, as against any pilfering and plundering of the public treasury, or any act of wrongdoing in the governmental or official life of the country. These men are on the spot when all public moneys are voted and when the annual accounting is made for public moneys expended.

It is then and there, when and where these things are done that public protest should be made and recorded, and every effort to prevent wrong-doing should be applied. But what have Mr. Borden and his followers done to that end? There has been a strangely barren record in these matters. Worse than that they have been consenting parties by their silence to the worst acts of which the Government has been impugned, or worse still, they have joined with the supporters of the Government to share in the plunder. Take the iniquitous salary grab of three years ago as an example. Without the connivance, agreement and secret conspiracy of the Opposition leader and his followers with the Government and its supporters that midnight attack upon the public treasury would have been impossible. Opposition members shared in the dastardly conspiracy, they signed the dirty "round robin," they helped to railroad the iniquitous measure through the House in the last days of the session, and they shared in the plunder.

And their leader, deeper in the mire even than his fellows, must needs take to himself seven thousand dollars a year as an annual stipend from the Government. And for what? For discharging the duties of chief outside watchman over the treasury he had helped to plunder in the guise of legislation. This was a thing before unheard of in any British country. And it was approached by steps so secret and tortuous as must place the transaction and its chief beneficiary forever in an isolated class. It is painful to record such things, or to call up so unpleasant a record from the past. It is doubly painful for the country that at a time when there is great need of a clean and strong Opposition to check and rebuke the growing abuses of the time, we have but this sordid array of self-seeking politicians, who have tied their own soiled hands and so rendered themselves powerless for good. They are estopped from action and compelled to silence in presence of the worst doings of the

Government because they have been participants in a transaction quite as reprehensible and redolent of personal greed.

It is true that for the salary grab the Government is officially responsible, and yet by participating therein the Opposition is more harmed than the Government. If Opposition hands were clean of this transaction they might storm the country with a demand for needed retrenchment and economy. And the country, not well satisfied with the Government, would have listened to the appeal. But Legislators who have turned in to their own pockets \$330,000 a year—equal to a capital of \$11,000,000 of the people's money—and this without the people's knowledge or consent, must be coldly greeted in any public assembly before which they might attempt to pose as the advocates of retrenchment and economy.

The Government is not strong of itself before the country outside of Quebec today. But it is stronger than the Opposition, mainly because the latter has placed itself at a disastrous and irrevocable disadvantage. The weakness of the Opposition today is a main asset of the Government. We regard it as a public misfortune that the party led by Mr. Borden has flung away great opportunity, conspicuously failed of its duty at a supreme crisis and so forfeited the public respect.

TWO GREAT PROJECTS.

The Canadian Courier which has fairly earned the title of the National Weekly, acting on the protest of "a prominent Charlottetonian," corrects some inaccuracies of a former statement in regard to the Island Tunnel, as to the breadth of the Straits at the Cape, and the usual period of closed navigation in winter. This is in every way frank and commendable.

The Canadian Courier also remarks: "According to current gossip the Dominion Government will shortly announce that it will soon undertake two great pieces of work. To please the West it will promise to build a railway to Hudson Bay. To please Prince Edward Island it will promise to get plans and estimates for the much-talked-of Tunnel. The West is determined and so is Prince Edward Island, and the government facing a general election will yield."

Pimples and Blotches

are not the only signs that a blood-cleansing, tonic medicine is needed. Tired, languid feelings, loss of appetite and general debility are other signs, and they may be worse signs.

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Referring yesterday to the school readers sold in the Province last year an error of the types made the figure, 1897 instead of 1907.

Judge Cassels will begin this week a searching inquiry into the charges against the Marine Department. He will be assisted by counsel. It is to be hoped that the inquiry may include the conduct of the official recently sent from Ottawa to inspect the Marine agency here.

A bill intended to greatly restrict the liquor traffic has been introduced in the Quebec Legislature by Dr. Lemieux, and is supported by a petition containing 100,000 names including those of all the Roman Catholic bishops, leading Protestant ministers and many prominent social reformers. The bill causes much embarrassment in Government circles as there is an election at hand and the temperance movement is very strong and insistent.

The Canadian Courier gives currency to a report that the Toronto News, hitherto independent, will presently become an out-and-out Conservative newspaper. J. S. Willison to remain editor in chief. Mr. Willison was a few years ago editor of The Globe and wrote a laudatory history of the Liberal party and an equally laudatory biography of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Thus the world of time brings round its revenges.

There is something so demoralising about the liquor business that those engaged in it will break any law whether framed for its regulation or prohibition. In St. John they have a license law, and at this time of year the licenses are being renewed. The Temperance Federation has offered evidence before the License Commissioners that every hotel in the city which is licensed to sell liquors has violated the act by selling during prohibited hours. Not one alone but all are in the same category.

IT PREVENTS SORE THROAT.

No simpler way to kill a cold and stamp out sore throat than by applying Nerviline-rub it in freely, and then put on a Nerviline Porous Plaster on the chest. These remedies hunt out pain, destroy every trace of congestion, cure the cold and tendency to bronchitis. Thousands find Nerviline inestimably the best remedy for pains, aches, bruises, neuralgia, sciatica, colds and winter ills. Not only is it penetrating and powerful, but it is stern and economical. All dealers sell Polson's Nerviline. Large bottles for 25c., the plasters same price. Beware of substitutes.

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a comedy drama in four acts.
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The awards for same will be to the value of \$60.00 in ten prizes

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- Second Prize—Leather Smoking Chair, value \$8.00
- Third Prize—Solid Oak Kocker, value \$5.50
- Seven other Prizes—Pictures, value \$1.50 each

The conditions are as follows:—

To every person residing out of town sending in a mail order, no matter how small, each member of their family is entitled to send in a Limerick line, all enclosed in one envelope, marked "Paton's Mail Order Limerick," and enclosed in the mail order envelope. In sending in your order, use money order, or registered letters. If you do not want anything by mail and you are a customer ask for a sales slip when purchasing and enclose it. Every sales slip is good for Limerick line.

For city competitors, every person competing must hand in or mail their Limerick, marked "Paton's Mail Order Limerick," accompanied by a sales slip, dated sometime during this month or until the competition closes; or hand it to the clerk after making purchase.

Competition closes May 9th. Limericks to be eligible must be mailed to reach us not later than that date.

Every Limerick line must be written upon the coupon from the daily or weekly newspapers.

All competitors must agree to abide by the decision of the editor of one of the evening newspapers.

Limerick Mail Order Specials For Ladies

Pure Wool Venetian, in black, navy, brown, dark red, myrtle green, worth 65c per yd. Limerick price 50c.
Pure wool French Venetian, 44 inch, in black, dark navy, clear navy, myrtle green, wine, dark brown, mid brown, Copenhagen blue, fawn and light grey. Worth 95c a yd. Limerick Mail order price, 75c.
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Navy, green, brown, black and cream lustrous, two qualities. 60c quality, Mail Order price 40c. 80c quality, Mail Order price 60c.
Jas. Paton & Co.

Black Taffeta Silk worth 65c. Limerick Mail Order price 50c.
Black Peau de soie Silk, rich and lustrous, \$1.75 quality. Limerick Mail Order price \$1.25 a yd.
Jas. Paton & Co.

Gloves, wrist length, our famous Lily Glove, by mail for \$1.00, colors, tans, black and brown. 3/4 length Lily Kid Glove worth \$2.25 for \$1.75.
Perrin's 1/2 tan kid gloves for Easter, regular value \$2.25, Limerick price \$1.95.
Elbow length Perrin's glove in black, tans etc \$2.75 for 2.25. We have them in all shades and sizes. Send in your Raster Mail Order for Gloves.
Jas. Paton & Co.

Musquetaire dog, 3/4 length in tans, all sizes, 1 95 and 2 25
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Easter gloves, light tan, soft kid. Mail Order price 95c.
Extra special dogskin gloves for men all sizes. The best value in Canada for \$1.00

Limerick Mail Order Specials for Ladies
Ladies white Lawn Waists, all sizes from 32 to 44, as good as offered by any Mail Order house in the Dominion at \$1.15. Limerick Mail Order price 98c.
150 Ladies' White embroidered Irish Lawn Limerick Waists, size 35 only, only one of a design (samples only) priced at 1.00. \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50. All worth 1/4 more. Send us an order for one by mail. We have employed two lady shoppers to make selections, and if the choice made does not satisfy you, we will refund the money.

Extra special Lawn Waists, fashionable, good quality, embroidered front, tucked back, all sizes, Limerick Competition price 60c.
Ladies' White, also Ecru Point de spirit Net waists, silk slip, tucked and heavy lace insertion trimmings, three quarter sleeves, good value at \$6.50, Limerick price \$5.50.
Valenciennes Lace and Insertion at 4c a yd. Every yard guaranteed to be worth 8c yd

Tooke's special \$1.00 shir-twaite. Limerick price 85c

4 Easter Ties, for the boys at home, good value at 35c each. Limerick Mail Order price four for \$1.00.

Another Wicker Rocker, eight only, worth \$3.50, Paton's Limerick price \$2.25.
75 pictures just the thing to adorn your walls \$1.00 and \$1.50 to clear at 70c and 75c
We could see the above in one hour. If we would put them in the window Try our Limerick and have a picture put aside for you

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Limerick cashmere hose, 4 pr for 1.00
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