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"HOW TO MAKE MONEY BY PRINTING IT."

This was the subject of a talk before the Canada Club in Montreal recently by Morton Frewen, the noted English writer on economic subjects. He thinks apparently that there is some peril to Canada in the growing abundance and cheapness of silver, while it is still in use as a coin. The time was when an ounce of pure silver was worth a dollar. To-day in Cobalt silver is being produced at a cost of seven to ten cents per ounce.

We all know what happened in the United States but a few years ago, when silver was coined in hundreds of millions of dollars beyond what could be put into circulation, and paper money called silver certificates was issued in its stead. Canada has a weakness for following the United States in many things, and now that we are raising silver Kings of our own, who knows but that some day we may have in Canada a repetition of the Sixteen to One craze which figured in Bryan's first campaign? The fallacies of fiat money were long ago exploded, just as Cobden and the free traders thought they had exploded the fallacy of protection half a century ago, but since that date all the world has gone after protection, Canada included. There is growing wealth and power behind the silver mining industry in Canada, and it will not be surprising if in the years to come an effort shall be made to give and maintain a fictitious value to silver in this country after the manner of the silver certificates across the border.

Mr. Frewen pointed out that if the various gold standard countries were to issue silver certificates it would result in an appreciable rise in the price of silver for a generation. The Governments would buy and sequester the silver and issue certificates against it. Certain temporary gain would accrue perhaps in trading with the Asiatic millions among whom the silver standard prevails, but in the end would come the deluge. Mr. Frewen sees this quite clearly. Still there may yet be danger of a silver craze in Canada. There are lots of people in Canada to whom money is money, whether in greenbacks, fiat money or silver certificates, and their credulity may yet be exploited.

HON. MR. PUGSLEY AND THE CENTRAL RAILWAY INQUIRY.

A strange fatality has followed Sir Wilfrid Laurier's choice of Ministers from New Brunswick. Under all previous administrations the Province had been represented by two men. In the new Liberal Cabinet of 1896 it was allowed but one. The late Hon. A. G. Blair was the first choice—an exceedingly able man. He held office for seven years and then resigned to oppose the Transcontinental Railway scheme. Hon. H. R. Emmerson was called to succeed Mr. Blair, and was a fairly successful Minister till he went down and out under a social scandal.

Hon. William Pugsley was called in August 1907 to succeed Mr. Emmerson in the Cabinet. At the last election he was vigorously assailed in connection with the Mayes. McAvity charges. There are differences of opinion as to the sufficiency of his vindication in that matter, and now a Royal Commission has reported him along with Lieutenant Governor Tweedie and others as open to grave censure in connection with the Central Railway affair.

Mr. Pugsley has been gravely asked in Ottawa whether he intends to resign. His reply is that he does not see why he should resign, and he has

made his defence in Parliament against the indictment of the Commission. Still the case is grave, and his best friends must wish that neither the Mayes incident nor the Central Railway charges had arisen. The St. John Globe, an old and ably conducted Liberal journal, though never warmly attached to Mr. Pugsley, treats the Commission's report as one of the utmost gravity.

The Globe declares that the Commissioners are "men of character." It adds, that "when the people are told, practically, that one hundred and thirty-four thousand dollars of their money was 'switched' from its legitimate course it is time for them to give rein to their desires for honesty."

Mr. Pugsley's newspaper organs in St. John, print his defence, but they do not print the Commission's report—a very notable omission in newspapers which give the news on all other topics with great fulness and accuracy. It is quite obvious that the end has not been reached in this very regrettable affair. Mr. Pugsley's great ability and captivating personality are admitted on all hands, but among the highest qualifications for public office is that the incumbent shall be trustworthy.

Moncton Transcript: "If the I. C. R. is to be leased or sold, because its revenue declines sympathetically with the revenues of the country generally, why should it be sold or handed over to private leaseholders? If declining revenue is the reason for so doing in the case of the I. C. R., why not hand over in the same way the administration of the Finance Department of Canada, or of the Customs Department, or of the Department of Trade and Commerce, because all those departments failed in the fiscal year just closed to compare favorably with their showing in the year preceding? To propose such a step would make the Government ridiculous."

We have our own troubles with the ice in winter, but in this we are not alone. The St. John River, the St. Lawrence, the Ottawa, the Lakes and the Canals, in fact the entire system of inland navigation in Canada, is in like manner tied up during the winter. Besides, St. John has its fogs, Montreal its ice-floods, Ontario and the West have cyclones and destructive hail storms in summer, from which our Province is exempt. There are many worse places in which to live and enjoy life than Prince Edward Island. If we only had the Tunnel everybody who had a normal capacity for enjoyment might be happy.

The death of Charles Algernon Swinburne, the poet, is announced. He had reached the age of 72 years. The last of the greater poets of the Victorian age, he ranked below Tennyson and Browning in the popular estimation, but when Tennyson died it was claimed that Swinburne was his only legitimate successor as Laureate. The position was not offered him, and he would not have accepted it, any way. Swinburne was in his

time the greatest master of metrical forms and none ventured into so many fields of literary expression. But he wrote over the heads of the masses and for the cultivated classes exclusively. He was an ardent lover of Shelley and followed the latter as an exponent of classic, and especially Greek, models in thought and diction.

Portrait of Mayor F. A. Busse, of Chicago. He is a self-made man who has been a member of the Illinois Legislature, a state senator, state treasurer and post master of Chicago.

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HORSE NOTES.

The favorable known Island bred stallion, "Lord Aberdeen" owned by Wm. Auld, Kingston, is in perfect condition this spring and he never looked better. The excellency of this stallion's stock is known by all horsemen of this province as well as foreigners who make their purchases here. At nearly every exhibition "Lord Aberdeen's" stock carries off the lions share of prizes in their different classes and they demand the highest market prices. Last season "Lord Aberdeen" served 100 mares and 90 of them proved with foal. This is certainly a great showing and intending breeders are asked to make enquiries and learn for themselves full particulars of this stallion's record, before breeding elsewhere. His ad will appear in a few days.

G. W. Bell sold a draft mare last week to John McLean, of Grand River. She weighed 1,400 lbs. He sold a 1,200 lb mare to a Malpeque man on Saturday for \$165.

P. C. Brown of this city has purchased from Owen Trainor, his four year old trotting stallion Tom Trim.

Among the shipments by the Stanley yesterday morning were four Clydesdale mares consigned to parties in Edmundston, by Messrs Bessery and McDonald, the well known horsemen of this City. The combined weight of the four mares was fifty-six hundred Ks, and they compared more than favorably with any of this class, that has been exported for sometime. It is almost to be regretted that such stock are not kept here for breeding purposes.

BORN. WRIGHT—At Lower Bedouque, on Saturday, April 10, 1909, to Horace and Mrs. Wright, a daughter. HOWATT—At Tryon on April 11, 1909, to R. A. and Mrs. Howatt, a son. Congratulations.

DIED. HIGGINS—In this City, April 14th, Simon Higgins, aged 88 years. Funeral from his late residence, 23 Bayfield Street, Friday morning at 8.45 to St. Dunstan's Cathedral, thence to R. C. Cemetery. McEACHERN—At Eldon on the 8th, inst., Laughlan McEachern, aged 75 years.

Portrait of M. CLEMENCEAU, The Premier of France. Besides being a successful politician and statesman, Clemenceau has been a brilliant journalist, a novelist and a dramatist.

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Mrs. William Meikle and family desire through The Guardian to sincerely thank the many Christian friends for their loving kindness to the late Ida Louise Meikle during her last illness and for the numerous and beautiful floral tributes which covered her casket; also for the many expressions of sympathy to the bereaved family.



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GOOD FOR TWENTY VOTES. Charlottetown Guardian BALLOT CANADIAN & U.S. TOUR NOTES. NAME ADDRESS. This ballot no good without below date. This ballot is void after May 3rd, 1909 and must be received by "Tour Editor," The Guardian Charlottetown, on or before that date. It is void if it does not contain that printed date and it is also void if it is not received in its present form with but the addition of the name and address of the candidate for whom the 20 votes are intended.

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