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## THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

TUESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 19, 1907.

### THE UNITED STATES AND JAPAN.

Growing out California's refusal to permit Japanese children to attend the same schools with the children of American citizens, a certain section of the American press has been eagerly spreading apprehensions of an armed conflict between the United States and Japan. Few intelligent persons see any reason for such apprehension. Most intelligent persons know the reason why such a "scare" is being worked up. Japan has no desire to fight the United States, and the latter has as little desire for war with Japan.

President Roosevelt when he became the intermediary to bring about peace between Russia and Japan certainly did not contemplate fighting Japan afterwards himself. Had he done so he would have permitted the war with Russia to go on until Japan was exhausted. He would not now desire to fight Japan with Britain as Japan's sworn ally. On the other hand Japan could not hope to conquer the United States if she desired to do so, nor would Japan's British ally permit that they should both become engaged in such a war unless under such conditions as would make the continuance of peace dishonorable.

Hence it has been said that war between the United States and Japan is unthinkable. The talk of such war is set afloat entirely in the interest of creating a powerful United States navy. To induce Congress to sanction the building of more and more powerful battleships and cruisers the bogey of probable war with Germany or Japan is kept perpetually before the eyes of the American people. When both the German and Japanese navies are out-classed by the United States, we may look for a warfare with France, until the American navy is brought up to the strength of the French navy, and so on.

And yet there is much truth in the maxim that for both nations and individuals the best attitude for self-defence is to keep a civil tongue. Spain had once a considerable navy and so had Russia before the war with Japan. Neither of these contributed much to the national safety. Switzerland, Portugal or Holland is quite as safe as any of the great powers that are armed to the teeth on sea and land. Britain alone needs a great navy and for reasons that do not at all exist in the United States. These reasons are found in her contiguity to the vast armed camp of Europe, her insular position, the fact that her food supplies and the raw materials for her busy industries come from beyond the seas, and the other great fact that half the mercantile tonnage on all the seas is under her flag.

If in our peaceable community some one citizen were to appear abroad wearing a sword as he walked the streets from day to day, would he be any safer than the thousands who pass him unarmed? Probably not. And yet he might say in language that is often thoughtlessly quoted, "The best security for peace is to be prepared for war." And he might go on ostentatiously adding a revolver today to his equipment and a second revolver tomorrow, without making his person or property any safer. Indeed, with an hundred citizens so armed for private defence, all others would feel that both life and property were less safe than before. Thus it is with the nations. As a rule their armies and navies provoke more wars than they prevent. And there is

the appalling cost. Britain and America are the more peaceful of the family of nations, and yet today, in time of peace, they are together expending a billion dollars a year in the creation and maintenance of armed forces by sea and land and in paying pensions and interest charges that have grown out of past wars. The time must surely come when "the common sense of most" will revolt at these enormous burdens of militarism and in force a policy of disarmament and assured peace.

### THE LARCHMONT TRAGEDY.

Few sea tragedies of late have embodied more of suffering and loss of life than that in which the coal-laden Canadian schooner Harry Knowlton ran into and sank the passenger steamer Larchmont in the narrow waters of Block Island Sound. The worst of it is that it was one of those accidents not due to the sea or the wind, and it seems not to have been redeemed by such acts of heroism as in many cases seem to half atone for the errors that cause the fatality.

Men alone were to blame. The schooner was seen from the steamer and the steamer was seen from the schooner in good time to have averted the danger. The sailing vessel had the "right of way" by every custom, rule and law of navigation, and was not only permitted, but was in duty bound, to hold her course steadily. The steamer should have avoided her and did not. Such are the plain facts of the collision.

Agely, the Larchmont was an old vessel, not suitable for carrying passengers, because she was not fitted with watertight compartments. Had she been so equipped she would in all human probability have kept afloat long enough to have saved every soul on board. Her quick descent into the icy waters after the collision lays a fearful responsibility at the door of her owners. This may perhaps be divided between the owners and the legislators and inspectors who permit such easily sinkable craft to carry passengers.

Then we have the inglorious part of the commander of the Larchmont. Some things may indeed be urged in his favor. He seems to have had a crew sufficient in numbers and fairly well disciplined, but according to his own story of the wreck he made little use of these auxiliaries. He did indeed ascertain the hopelessness of the situation and gave orders for equipping and launching the boats, but these orders he entrusted to his officers and gave his attention to manning and getting into the water what he calls his own boat! There were many passengers including women left behind, while the captain took with him only members of his crew. There have been captains who were the last to leave the sinking ship. This one served himself and left even the women to drown.

Dr. Alexander Ross of Alberton propounds through The Patriot a series of eleven questions to The Guardian. Several of these questions are based upon misconception or fal-laciousness of The Guardian's statements. All the others are answered in the series of articles recently printed in this journal. We do not propose to go all over the ground again to answer Dr. Ross. If he can find cheap newspaper space, or an auditory anywhere to listen to his discussion of our relations with Canada he is welcome thereto, whatever may be our opinion of his special fitness for the task.

## THE LEGISLATURE.

The opening of the Provincial Legislature will be the event of today in Charlottetown, and by far the most important question of the session will be the action to be taken on the proposed readjustment of provincial subsidies. It involves an entire break-up of the financial terms of the British North America Act as contained in section 118 of that great constitutional measure.

Before the change can take effect all the Provincial Legislatures and the Parliament of Canada must lend their sanction and a joint address must be passed by both Houses at Ottawa calling for the Imperial Parliament to amend the B. N. A. Act in accordance with the changes proposed.

There is doubt in many minds as to the expediency of this change so far as Prince Edward Island is concerned. On the other hand there is no doubt in any of the larger Provinces that the new terms will be greatly to their benefit.

We do not propose at this stage to discuss the terms in detail, but we must express our regret that the larger Provinces while proposing to re-arrange the financial terms of union for their own benefit have so far refused to permit such an amendment of the basic Act of union as would restore to us our lost representation. There appear to be strong reasons why the two questions should stand or fall together.

### THE TELEGRAPH SERVICE.

The telegraph service between Prince Edward Island and the outside world by cable became severed on 5th January. Some time later the Editor of The Guardian wrote Sir Wilfrid Laurier very plainly on the subject setting forth the various other communications have been forwarded from this Province to the Government on this subject. Attention has been directed to the matter from day to day in both Houses of Parliament. So the Government has known all about it.

The break occurred one month and fourteen days ago. So far as the press is concerned no telegrams have been received in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

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- Lot one 20 Men's Suits, S B tweed, sizes 37 to 42, only one, two or three of a color. Regularly sold at \$7 to \$14. Sale price \$5.
- Lot two 18 Men's S B & D B light and dark Tweed Suits, sizes 36 to 40; regular selling price \$8 50 to \$10; sale price \$6 75.
- Lot three 30 Men's Suits, tweed, S B & D B; price \$10 50 to 13 50; to clear at \$8.
- Lot four 40 Farmers' Suits, made from double and twisted tweed, sizes 34 to 40; sold at \$12 to 14; sale price \$6 75.
- Lot five 15 Youth's Long Pants Suits, colored tweed, S B & D B; \$7 50 to 13 50; sale price \$6 75.
- Lot six 20 Men's Tweed Suits, spring and summer weight; light and dark colors, only one or two of a kind. Sale price \$3. (Note—This is not the price of the coat.)
- Lot seven 44 Men's odd Coats, in fancy tweeds, \$4 00 to 7 50 all size; sale price \$3 50.
- Lot eight 24 Men's Ulsters, light colors; many of them have corduroy linings, sizes 35 to 42; \$8 50 to 9 00; sale price \$3 75.
- Lot nine 60 blue and black Men's Overcoats, sizes 36 to 44, price \$6 to 14 00, sale price 25 p c off.
- Lot ten 16 Youth's Raglanette Overcoats, sizes from 33 to 35, worth from \$8 50 to 13 50 and 1-3 off.
- Lot eleven 65 Boys' Overcoats, in grey frieze and tweed, sizes 25 to 33, sale price 1-3 off.
- Lot twelve Boys' Reefers, sizes 22 to 26, and 33, 34, sale price, half price.
- Lot thirteen 20 Boys' Reefers, in grey and dark frieze sizes 22 to 35, sale price 25 p c off.
- Lot fourteen One large table loaded with boys' fancy suits to clear at half price.
- Lot fifteen 65 Men's odd vests to clear at \$1 and 1 25 50 boys vests to clear at 25.
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## New Advertisements

**SEALED TENDERS** marked "For Mounted Police Clothing Supplies," and addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to noon on Tuesday, 19 March, 1907.

Printed forms of ten decountaining full information as to the articles and quantities required may be had on application to the undersigned.

No tender will be received unless made on such printed forms. Returns of articles may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

Each tender must be accompanied by an enclosed Canadian bank cheque for an amount equal to five per cent of the total value of the articles tendered for, which will be forfeited if the party declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to supply the articles contracted for. If the tender is not accepted the cheque will be returned.

No payment will be made to newspapers inserting this advertisement without an authority having been first obtained.

FRED WHITE,  
Comptroller R. N. W. M. Police.  
Ottawa, 4 February, 1907.  
2-18dri.

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## Public Meeting

Montague Hall, Montague  
Friday, Feb. 22nd, 1907  
Meeting to begin at 7 o'clock p. m.

Owing to the discussion arising on in the Press concerning the additional subsidy granted this Province by the Ottawa Conference of October last, and as there are many misunderstandings and contradictions with reference to our claims, we have deemed it advisable to call a public meeting where the matter can be discussed openly by both sides and we will then be in a position to advise our representatives when the Legislature meets whether they shall vote for the ratification of the proposed terms or not.

Premier Peters, Hon. Geo. E. Hughes, John A. Matheson, Esq., Leader of the Opposition, Capt. Reid and all other representatives who can make it convenient are invited to participate in this discussion.

Geo. Wightman,  
A. C. McDonald,  
J. D. McIntyre,  
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