

THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

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PESSIMISM AND PARTY WARFARE IN GREAT BRITAIN.

Among the many admirable traits of the British character are courage, fortitude, patriotism, and dogged perseverance, but beneath all these there lies a sub-stratum of pessimism. And to this latter feeling an aggressive Opposition is always making appeal in its efforts to dislodge the Government of the day. To the mind of the pessimist the nation is all the time on the brink of some mortal peril for which the Government is either wholly responsible, or has taken no precautions to avert. This makes it very difficult for Canadians who read the British newspapers to form a correct judgment as to the actual state of affairs. Just now, for instance, the Imperial Maritime League, from under the shadow of the Titanic disaster, has adopted a series of resolutions which are being widely distributed. Two of these resolutions are here subjoined: "The Committee further desire to point out to the nation that incomparably greater catastrophe, involving the destruction of a vast part of the British mercantile marine, the consequent loss of many thousands of lives, and the starvation of the United Kingdom, has been rendered absolutely certain, under existing conditions, whenever the armed merchantmen of Germany attack our mer-

chant navy. "The Committee observe that the responsibility for this situation and for the national misery thus impending rests absolutely with the present Government, which criminally neglects all warnings, including that given it by 138 British Admirals, and answers that it is 'considering' while it refrains from taking any measures to avert the peril." Truly a terrible indictment! And yet at this distance it would seem that the Asquith Government is and has been doing more than any of its predecessors toward strengthening and maintaining the efficiency of the imperial navy. It is an old trick of the Opposition forces all over the world to represent the nation as on the verge of destruction in order to rally the powerful forces of patriotism to oppose the Government of the day. But what is at the outset a mere party device and design in the end becomes a belief and it may be assumed that a considerable body of the British public have or will come to believe the alarming story of peril and imminent destruction set forth by the Maritime League. More's the pity. At this distance the resolutions of the League give rather more evidence of the desire to destroy the Government than to save the nation.

PUBLICITY CAMPAIGN.

In a circular issued by the St. John Board of Trade we are told there is great interest in the Back to New Brunswick week which will be celebrated early in July. The St. John, Chatham, Sackville and other Boards of Trade are co-operating, and as a result of the publicity campaign former residents of New Brunswick in thousands have been apprised of the event and of the new spirit of the people in their native Province. They will come back in thousands to spend a week at the old home, and great preparations will be made for their reception and entertainment.

It is obvious that the same thing might be done here, but nothing has been done and nothing is doing. There are thousands upon thousands of Islanders abroad, many of whom would be glad of a concerted movement to revisit their old homes and some of whom, how many we do not know, would be willing to remain if

once the way were open. Everywhere throughout Canada movements are afoot to secure new settlers and the repatriation of natives and former residents. Our own Province seems to be the one exception. We cannot afford to continue this do-nothing policy. Our Province is in the position of the merchant with a shop full of goods trying to do business without advertising, while his rivals and competitors, right and left, are spending money liberally in printer's ink. We must wake up! It would seem that the Boards of Trade here and throughout the Province might follow the example set by the St. John Board.

THE MOON AND THE WEATHER.

There has long been a widespread belief among many plain people of different nations that the moon has a considerable influence upon the weather in this sublimary sphere which we inhabit. But one Otto Klotz, LL.D., F.R.A.S., has issued a pamphlet in which he sets this notion utterly at naught. He argues that the changes of the moon in no way affect the earth except in regard to the amount of light which the satellite sheds upon it. And he states that in the course of a month or a year the amount of light which the moon sheds upon the earth is but one-millionth part as great as that which comes to us from the sun.

Moreover, if the new or the full moon, or any other phase of the moon has any effect upon the weather it should have the same effect all the way round the earth at the same time, as these changes occur at the same time in many different countries. And again, while popularly there are four changes of the moon in a month, these changes do not occur suddenly, but are going on all the time. There is no pause between the new and the full moon but a steady progress from the new moon to the full moon and so on till the new moon comes round again.

"My friends," says Dr. Klotz, "all this is humbug, humbug, humbug. The moon has no more to do with the weather and those other things than I have to do with the digging of the canals of Mars. Hence I ask you, implore you, beseech you, entreat you, exhort you, beg of you, to spread the gospel of truth, combat this superstition, destroy this false weather god, crush this belief, build a funeral pyre and burn this heirloom of ignorance and superstition."

NOTES.

The American Advance, a prohibition weekly, has been endeavoring to find out where the different Presidential candidates stand in regard to the two questions of prohibition and woman suffrage. It tells that President Taft says he has become a total abstainer "solely for hygienic reasons." When the good women want the ballot he will favor giving it to them. Hon. Champ Clark is totally opposed to both prohibition and woman suffrage. Senator La Follette is strongly in favor of woman suffrage and as much opposed to prohibition. Colonel Roosevelt's attitude toward the two issues is not specifically stated by The Advance beyond this that his position is "well known" and that he is "an ambition

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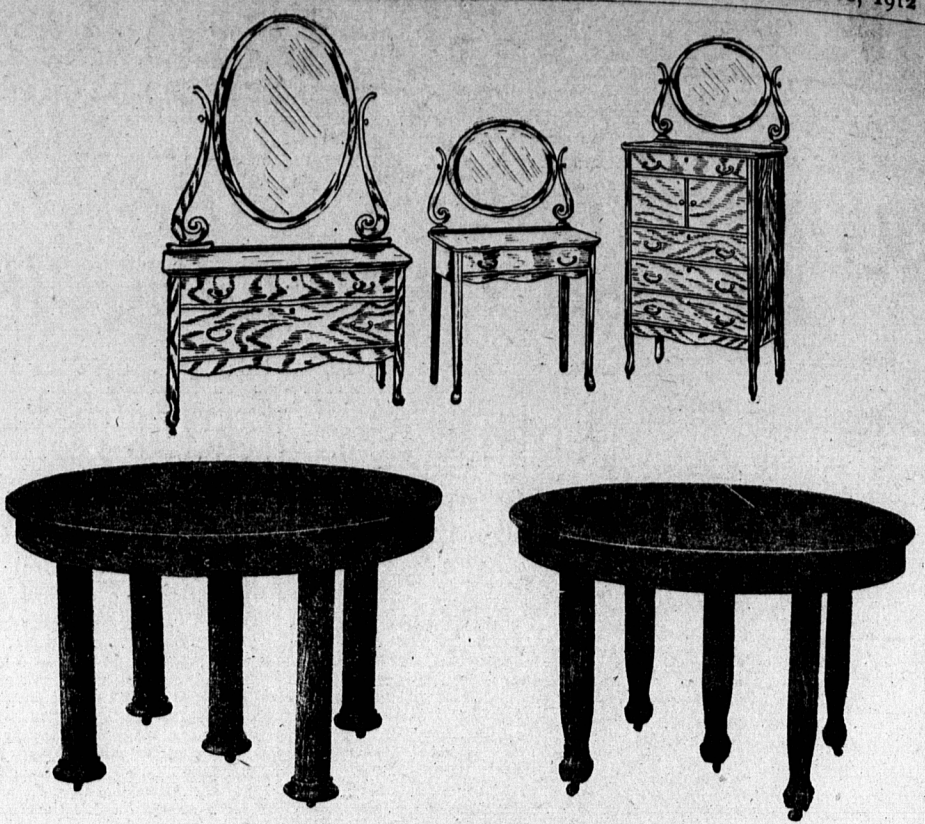
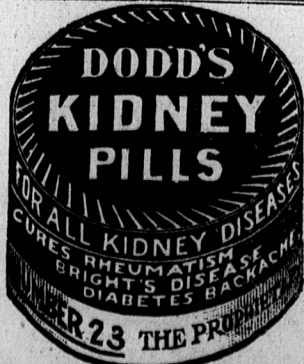
rack human being and not a demigod." He seems not to measure up quite to The Advance's standard.

An Ottawa despatch tells that the captain and crew of the steamer Minto are alleged not to have rendered as much assistance to the Earl Grey when she was stranded as they should have done. It is said the Government will cause a further inquiry to be made to show why no attempt was made by the Minto to pull the Earl Grey off the rocks at the time when the passengers and mails were taken off. But Ottawa rumors are not always reliable.

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