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THE EASTERN QUESTION.

Fifty years ago and long before, what was known as the Eastern Question concerned the status of Turkey in Europe and Western Asia, where Christianity and Mohammedanism are in touch on a long border line. Many wars have resulted and from time to time the position of Turkey has been settled by a concert of the European powers, only to be unsettled again by some act of Turkish aggression, or some disagreement between the concerted powers. Now there is trouble brewing again which threatens war, but the actual outbreak of hostilities may yet be averted. Behind and beneath it all is the irreconcilable hostility between the two faiths of Christ and Mahomet.

From Morocco to Egypt across Northern Africa the population is Mohammedan. Turkey constitutes what remains of the faith of the Prophet in Europe, while adjoining it to the south and east are Turkey in Asia, Arabia, Persia, Afghanistan, all Mohammedan, with much of central Asia and India holding the same belief. Over all these hosts, the Sultan of Turkey holds a religious leadership of some sort, however far they lie beyond the bounds of his political rule. In that fact lies the danger when Turkey is disturbed or becomes aggressive, for all true Mohammedans look to the time when the standard of the Prophet shall be carried by force of arms triumphant over all the world.

Last year Britain and Russia came to an agreement as to their respective spheres of influence in Persia. This agreement was not pleasing to Germany or Austria, both of which have been looking for railway concessions through Asia-Minor of Persia or both, to give overland connection with the Persian Gulf. Turkey was also jealous of the new arrangement. The German Emperor has for years past cultivated friendly relations with the Sultan of Turkey. The latter has now found some pretext for quarrel with Persia and has moved troops toward the western Persian border. Now, we are told, Russia is sending an army of sixty thousand men to the northern border of Persia, to protect her interests.

The situation is grave because the concert of first-class European powers, which have fixed the status of Turkey and claimed to control its doings, is now divided in its councils, and moved by opposing inter-

ests. Some have supposed that a great war may be imminent in which Turkey, Germany and Austria would act together against Britain and Russia—a world-shaking struggle. More probably what is taking place is a maneuvering for advantage among the powers which may end in a peaceful readjustment. The history of the Eastern Question has been fruitful of wars and commotions, but often the war clouds have gathered and been dispersed by the winds without harm when they appeared most threatening.

SEED OATS FOR THE WEST.

It was an entirely reasonable proposal put forward by the members for Queen's County in the House of Commons that a portion at least of the vast quantity of seed oats to be purchased by the Dominion for the supply of the settlers in the Northwest should be procured in Prince Edward Island. No better oats are grown in the world than the Island produces. The crop here was abundant last year and if the Government is to buy oats this Province should not be overlooked. As to transportation the objection put forward is absurd. Government railways on the Island, Government steamers in the straits and a Government railway all the way to Montreal ought surely to be able to carry the grain forward.

Surely it is not coming to this that the Government is discrediting its own railways and steamers. If so what has become of the pretense that we have constant and efficient steam communication with the Mainland? The means for transportation are by no means what they ought to be, and there is no hope of much improvement till we get the Tunnel, but this year the winter boats have been running with some degree of regularity, and if the Government is willing to buy our oats

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and forward them the trick could be done. The one thing most wanting seems to be that first and all-important requisite, a willing mind.
SOLICITING MAIL ORDERS.

In connection with the mail order business transactions in this Province by firms in western cities, The Guardian learns that a number of agents are employed, notably in Queen's and King's Counties, soliciting orders from customers for these mail order houses, and that these agents pay no license, while the commercial travellers from abroad, who sell to our merchants are not permitted to do business without first paying a license fee of \$20.

This is manifestly unfair to the wholesale houses on the mainland who are trying to do a legitimate business here, unfair to the commercial travellers who pay the license fees, and especially unfair to our local merchants whose business is taken away by unfair competition. Clearly the solicitors for mail orders ought to be made to pay if the commercial travellers' tax is to be continued. The attention of the Government is directed to this matter.

Womanly Troubles

Should Not Be Allowed to Undermine Health.

It is impossible to go into details on this subject but the experience of many a poor woman who is crippled for life, just because she didn't use a good remedy in time should be a warning to others.

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GENERAL STATEMENT

January 31, 1908

LIABILITIES.

Circulation	\$1,320,720.53
Deposits payable on Demand	1,587,815.82
Deposits payable after notice	\$6,673,536.39
Add Accrued Interest	42,259.50
	\$6,715,795.89
Balance due to other Banks in Canada	4,578.99
Balance due to other Banks elsewhere than in Canada	5,615.53
Balance due to Dominion Government	26,384.56
Balance due to Provincial Government	194,784.90
Outstanding Drafts between Head Office and Branches	95,856.90
	\$9,951,717.12
Capital	1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	1,175,000.00
Profit and Loss Account	3,152.23
Dividend No. 105, payable February 29th, 1908	30,000.00
Dividends Unclaimed	634.00
Unmatured Drafts on London	83,454.52
	\$12,743,957.87

ASSETS

Specie	\$304,430.83
Domestic Notes	\$98,090.75
Notes and Cheques of other Banks	495,217.81
	\$1,697,739.39
Balances due from other Banks in Canada	167,570.10
Balance due from other Banks not in Canada	171,528.75
Balance due from London Agents	222,966.62
Dominion and Provincial Debentures	600,781.46
British Consols, Municipal and other Bonds	468,660.00
	\$3,329,246.32
Call Loans secured by Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	313,376.83
Current Loans	\$8,911,297.35
Less Rebate of Interest	46,743.85
	\$8,864,553.50
Overdue Debts	6,340.70
Bank Circulation Redemption Fund	75,000.00
Bank Premises	125,000.00
Real Estate other than Bank Premises	3,612.46
Other Assets	26,833.09
	\$12,743,957.87

Profit and Loss Account

CREDIT.	
1907-January 31st. By Balance	\$ 3,339.08
1908-January 31st. By Net Profit after providing for bad and doubtful debts	178,061.15
	\$ 181,400.23
DEBIT.	
To Dividend No. 103	\$30,000.00
104	30,000.00
105	30,000.00
106	30,000.00
	\$120,000.00
1908 To written off Bank Premises Account	15,000.00
To written off Bonds	12,000.00
Transferred to Reserve Fund	31,248.00
Balance Carried Forward	3,152.23
	\$ 181,400.23

RESERVE FUND.

1907. January 31st By Balance	\$1,143,752.00
1908. January 31st Transferred from Profit and Loss Account	31,248.00
	\$1,175,000.00
1908. January 31st. To Balance carried forward	\$1,175,000.00

LIBERAL CONSERVATIVE CONVENTION
A convention of the Liberal Conservative Party will be held in the Public Hall at Murray River on Monday the 24th day of Feb'y. inst. at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of nominating two candidates for the 4th Electoral District of King's County to contest the said District at the approaching General Election.
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GRAND SACRED CONCERT

In **St. Dunstan's Cathedral**
Wednesday, February 26, 1908
PROGRAM:

- Organ Solo—Overture to Samson
- First Movement..... Handel
- Allegro and Fugue..... Handel
- Psalm..... Purcell
- Chorus—Gloria from Haydn's "First Mass."
- Qui tollis "Farmer's Mass" in B flat St. Dunstan's Choir.
- Sop. Solo—Ave Maria..... Cherubini Mrs. Byrne.
- Bass Solo—O' Jesu..... Verdi Yardi
- Dr. Caven.
- Sop. Solo—Judith..... Concone Miss Edna Sinclair.
- Chorus—Tantum Ergo..... Goeb St. Dunstan's Choir.
- Sop. Solo—O' Salutaris..... Ganes Miss Constance Fitzgerald.
- Baritone Solo—Ave Maria..... Luigi-Luzzi Mr. Wallace.
- Contralto Solo—Like as the heart desireth..... Allistoun Miss Amy Earle.
- Vocal Duet—I will Magnify the Lord Miss Lucy Blanchard and Mr. W. J. Brown.
- Ins. Trio—Jesu Dei Viri..... Verdi Messrs Trainor, Cantwell and Brown
- Chorus—Magnificat..... Eumerig St. Dunstan's Choir.
- Tenor Solo—The Holy City. Adams Rev. F. X. Gallant.
- Contralto Solo—A Dream of Paradise..... Gray Miss Lucy Blanchard.
- Vocal Solo—Sweet Spirit Hear My Prayer..... Wallace Mrs. Fraser.
- Baritone Solo—Abide With Me..... Adams Prof. Barlow.
- Solo and Chorus—Inflammatus from Rossini's Stabat Mater, Soloist Mrs Byrne, St. Dunstan's Choir.
- Devine Praises..... Bastie God Save The King.

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