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## CANADA AND NEWFOUNDLAND

After a lapse of twenty-one years the question of the union of Newfoundland and Canada is again likely to be officially discussed. The St. John's correspondent of the Montreal Journal of Commerce says that the question is receiving attention in high circles in the island and believes that a proposal with a view to federation will be shortly placed before the Dominion Government.

The correspondent recalls, says the Journal, the various attempts that have been made since 1867 to bring Newfoundland into union. At the time of Confederation the island colony sent delegates to the Quebec conference, but when the terms of union agreed upon were submitted to the people of Newfoundland at a general election they were decisively rejected. After this rebuff Sir John Macdonald wrote a long letter to Lord Lisgar, the Governor-General, on the subject. He declared that the result was disappointing, but that if the Island were left to itself, it would no doubt see matters in a different light within a few years, and expressed the belief that commercial pressure would compel Newfoundland to seek alliance. There can be little doubt that the Imperial Government was anxious to see union brought about at that time. Lord Granville wrote to both Canada and Newfoundland regarding it. To Canada he said:

"I believe it is to the interests of the whole of the British North American colonies that they should be united under one Government, and Her Majesty's Government will watch with much interest the successive steps that are being taken towards that end." To the Governor of Newfoundland His Lordship wrote: "I have to express the hope that nothing will occur in Newfoundland to delay the union, from which I confidently anticipate advantage, both to the Dominion of Canada and to the colony."

The terms arranged at that time were as follows:— Canada to assume the debt of the colony and to allow the new Province interest upon the per-

capita difference between the debt of Newfoundland and that of Canada.

Canada to pay eighty cents per head upon the population for legislative purposes, and to grant \$175,000 a year for the surrender of the Crown lands to the Dominion.

Canada to pay the Governor, the judges, including a judge from Labrador, to maintain the postal service and the coastal service, to protect the fisheries to establish a volunteer force and a naval force, to subsidize a regular sea service to and from Halifax, and to prosecute a geological survey of the Island.

In return the Dominion was to have the Customs, excise, Crown lands, postal and other like revenues.

The colony was to have eight members in the Canadian House of Commons and four in the Senate.

These terms were bitterly resented by Newfoundland, the Legislature passing the following resolution in the teeth of Government opposition:—

"Firm in their adhesion to the fortunes of the Mother Country, the people of Newfoundland shrink from the idea of linking their destinies with a Dominion in the future of which they can at present see nothing to inspire hope, but much to create apprehension."

This killed all talk of union until 1888 when, after a visit of Sir Charles Tupper to St. John's Canada again invited Newfoundland to send a delegation to Ottawa to discuss the possibility of an alliance. But a general election in Newfoundland intervened, and the question was again relegated to the background.

In 1892, when Canadian and Newfoundland delegates met in Halifax in an effort to settle a dispute which arose over a treaty which the Island entered into with Mr. James G. Blaine, in Washington, the Dominion once more broached the question of union. Sir John Thompson declared quite frankly that the Canadian delegates were ready to consider Confederation as a basis for the solution of all pending difficulties. But the Newfoundland delegates refused to even formally discuss the question.

Early in 1895, however, following upon the collapse of some of the Newfoundland banks with consequent dislocation of the commercial fabric of the colony and its fiscal progress, the Government of Sir William Whiteaway sent a delegation to Ottawa to seek terms of union. But this time the Canadian Government was unable to see its way clear to offer financial advantages sufficiently generous to justify the Newfoundland delegates in recommending union to the Legislature of their country and on their return home an effort was made to readjust the financial situation otherwise, and by a process of rigid economy the colony was again put on an even keel and continued to enjoy steadily increasing prosperity until the coming of the war with its dislocation of trade.

### DAILY SELECTIONS FOR GUARDIAN READERS

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HOLDING ON.

Nothing pays so well as patience at middle life. It pays everywhere in life, but we more frequently meet decisive crises in middle life than earlier. Again and again we have seen men fail to enter into the opportunities of life for which they were especially fitted because they lacked the capacity to wait. Few men reach their maximum before forty years of age, and many are past fifty when they inherit

the legitimate rewards of their work and preparation. This is true both in business life and in professional life. If we fail to develop the grace of patience before this crucial period, we will be pretty sure to discover sometime that we lost the best that life had for us by insisting that it should appear a little earlier on the horizon. We have known men well equipped for life, who in times of great stress refused to exercise the grace of holding on, and their lives seem to have frittered away in waste full exercises of energies and talents. Nothing is truer than the words, "No chastening seemeth to be joyous, but grievous; nevertheless, afterwards it worketh the peaceable fruit of righteousness unto them who are exercised thereby." Paul especially exhorts the young man Timothy "to follow after patience."—Great Thoughts.

### Heavy Horses Scarce

In addition to the purchases for army account, commercial activity from two district quarters has exerted a very evident influence upon the Canadian horse market. During the past three or four months. Since the beginning of the year 6,000 horses reached the Winnipeg Stock Yards from Eastern Canada and 6,917 were shipped from the same yards westward, mostly to Saskatchewan. During the months of January, February and March, 1,805 horses were exported to the United States. A few hundred more went forward to the same market in April. The horses exported were good farm chunks weighing from 1,300 to 1,500 pounds. As high as \$500 a pair was paid for animals possessing extra quality and conformation. This new movement in the horse market is having its effect upon prices all over Canada.

Buyers report that the better classes of drafters and farm chunks are getting scarce and hard to buy. The same holds true of good big roadsters and saddlers. The noticeable scarcity of good horses of these descriptions illustrates the fact that demand has already overtaken supply and makes it very evident that all the really good sound mares in the country should be bred this year. It cannot be too strongly emphasized, however, that they should be mated only with strictly high-class sires. The

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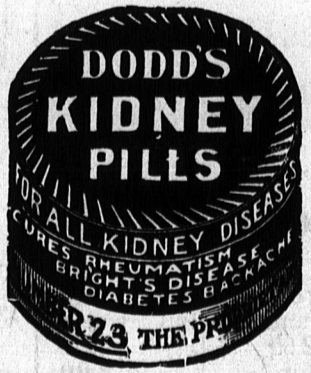
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White Pique Shirts, Collar Attached 2 for \$1.00  
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Fancy Shirts, regular \$1.25 for ..... \$1.00  
Soiled Collars, 50 for ..... \$1.00  
4 Fancy Ties for ..... \$1.00  
7 prs. Cotton Hose for ..... \$1.00  
1 Dozen White Handkerchiefs for ..... \$1.00  
Mens Sport Shirts, 15 1/2 and 16 for ..... \$1.00  
Mens Silk Hose 2 for .. \$1.00  
Mens White Shirts \$1.25 for ..... \$1.00  
Mens Suspenders, 4 pairs for ..... \$1.00

## Dollar Snaps for Dollar Day in the Ladies Ready-to-Wear Department

Ladies Summer Dresses Worth up to \$7.50 for ..... \$1.00  
Cloth Skirts worth up to \$7.00 for ..... \$1.00  
Crepe Kimonos, \$1.50 and \$1.25 for ..... \$1.00  
Middy Blouses regular -1.25 ..... \$1.00  
White and Colored Blouses \$1.35 for ..... \$1.00  
Corsets up to \$1.75 for ..... \$1.00  
Summer Vests 25c each 5 for ..... \$1.00  
White Aprons with Bibs for ..... \$1.00  
Princess Slips \$1.50 for ..... \$1.00  
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	Time	Rate
	A. M.	
Elmira .....	7.00	\$1.00
Souris .....	8.05	1.00
Harmony .....	8.20	1.00
Bear River .....	8.35	1.00
Selkirk .....	8.46	1.00
St. Peter's .....	9.10	.80
Marie .....	9.25	.70
Morell .....	9.30	.70
Lot 40 .....	9.37	.65
St. Andrew's .....	9.55	.55
Mt. Stewart .....	10.00	.50
Scotch Fort .....	10.15	.45
Tracadie .....	10.20	.45
Bedford .....	10.25	.45
Suffolk .....	10.30	.40
York .....	10.40	.30
Royalty .....	10.50	.20
Charlottetown Arr. ....	11.05	

Georgetown regular will connect at Mt. Stewart.

Murray Harbour.		
	Time	Rate
Murray Harbour .....	7.00	\$1.00
Murray River .....	7.13	.90
Hopefield .....	7.24	.80
Wood Island .....	7.35	.80
Melville .....	7.48	.70
Fodhla .....	8.05	.60
Grandview .....	8.13	.50
Uigg .....	8.20	.50
Vernon River .....	8.31	.45
Vernon .....	8.53	.45
Millview .....	8.58	.45
Lake Verde .....	9.05	.45
Mount Albion .....	9.17	.30
Hazelbrook .....	9.21	.25
Mt. Herbert .....	9.27	.15
Bunbury .....	9.31	.15
Charlottetown Arr. ....	9.45	

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