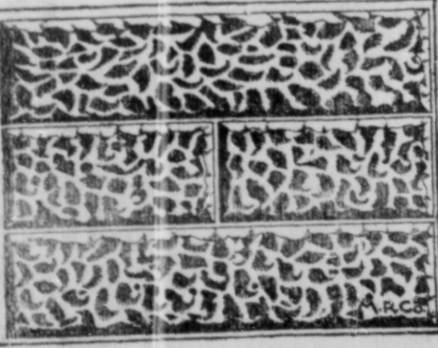


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THE DAILY EXAMINER

NOVEMBER 16, 1895.
IT IS TIME FOR A CHANGE.

Our readers must remember with what virulence the Conservative Administrations, from 1879 to 1891, were assailed because in some of these years the ordinary revenue proved insufficient to meet all the public expenditures. It mattered not that the management was studiously economical and that the most scrupulous honesty governed the expenditures. It mattered not that the small floating debt of \$128,000, which existed in 1891, was more than offset by the substantial increase of subsidy secured from the Dominion. All this availed not in the estimation of the Hon. Donald Farquharson and his fellows. These frothy demagogues told the people that if they were returned to power revenue and expenditure would be made to meet; the public schools would be better supported; agriculture would receive more encouragement; roads and bridges would be maintained with thoroughness and economy; the balance due at the Land Office would be promptly collected and that office closed; our charitable institutions would be more carefully supervised; and the morals of the community duly safeguarded by the enactment of strongly repressive laws on the liquor question. In the elections of 1890 and 1893 Mr. Peters declared that direct taxation was not necessary and would not be resorted to until the people were consulted at the polls.

There never was practised, in the affairs of any country, more flagrant and deliberate deception than that which Messrs Peters, Farquharson and their colleagues perpetrated on the electors of P. E. Island.

Instead of making revenue and expenditure meet, deficit has rolled on top of deficit until the debt has increased from \$128,000 to \$600,000.

Instead of supporting the public schools better than heretofore, the teachers have been robbed of a part of their salaries.

Instead of giving increased encouragement to agriculture, the teacher of agriculture in Prince of Wales College was dismissed and the usual grants for exhibitions withdrawn.

Instead of maintaining the roads and bridges with economy and efficiency the Department of Public Works has degenerated into a machine for electoral corruption.

Instead of collecting promptly the arrears due the Land Office and abolishing the salaries of the Land Commissioner and his assistants, extensive abatements and deductions have been made to purchasers of land—many of them for political purposes—and the Department is retained with almost as large a staff of officers as when the collections were important and nearly one-half of the lands of the Island were being administered.

Instead of making ends meet without direct taxation they have, in addition to increasing the debt five-fold, imposed burdensome direct taxation in a half dozen different forms.

Instead of enacting and enforcing good laws, for the suppression of the liquor traffic, they have reintroduced the much condemned license system by which the business of drunkard-making is made legal and respectable.

Instead of exercising a careful supervision of the Lunatic Asylum the recent inquiry shows that the Trustees neglected their duty and that the food was not good nor the apartments warm or properly ventilated. Had the necessary questions been asked the witnesses, it would have transpired that one of the contractors for food supply and the President of the Board of Trustees furnished an example of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde.

During the life of liberal administrations in Prince Edward Island since 1891 every profession of their leaders has been boldly cast to the winds. Several of the political delinquents have escaped from the wreck. But one of the most insufficient, inconsistent and, according to Mr. A. Peters, the most unpopular, members of the party remains at the head of the Government, surrounded by men not one of whom is looked upon by the community generally as possessing the smallest particle of administrative ability.

In the interests of the Liberal party, if for no higher reason, we should have a change. If it be admitted that the Conservatives were not always right, it will not be denied by any honest Liberal that they did infinitely better than Messrs Peters and Farquharson. Turn out Mr. Farquharson and his incapable associates, and give Mr. Gordon a chance. Mr. Gordon's character for honesty has never been assailed during a long and useful public life, and furnishes

a guarantee for the faithful management of public business. Should Mr. Gordon fail to furnish honest and efficient administration, turn him out in his turn. The people will have the power at the next general election. In the meantime turn out the Farquharson Administration. It is time for a change.

ESTEEMED EXCHANGES.

Montreal Star: "We do not believe that the history of England contains one single instance of all the leaders of a great party deliberately abandoning after they obtain power all the principles upon the profession of which they got into power. That infamy was reserved for a British colony, which it is not necessary to name."

Mail and Empire: Hunted by Mr. Joseph Martin and all the Liberals on principle in the West, Clifford Sifton is having anything but a happy time just now. Yet what can he expect? To the Western people he made gaudy promises, not one of which has he even attempted to carry out. If he has turned in to defend the monopolies and has been treacherous to the electorate, there is no reason in the world why the people should be faithful to him.

The Summerside Journal remarks that "the Farquharson government must feel very doubtful of their strength in the above districts, when, notwithstanding the promised railway, they have to import Sir Louis to take the stump in a petty campaign that a man in his position should consider 'infra dig.'" The electors of Belfast and Murray Harbor will probably find that his glowing promises to them will prove about as substantial as the much-talked of and oft-promised Summerside breakwater."

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

—Here is a pointer for the electors of Belfast and Murray Harbor. We clip from the Montreal Star: "No voter who has any self-respect will allow a politician to deceive him twice."

—The withdrawal by the Belgian Government of the embargo against the importation of live cattle from Canada is conditional upon the animals being slaughtered within three days of disembarkation at Antwerp, Ghent or Ostend.

—Sir Charles Tupper summarizes the Sifton scandals in good style. "Clifford Sifton," he said, "dared not grant the commission asked for by Sir Hibbert Tupper. Had he done so, he would have been driven a degraded man from the public life of the country. When arraigned at the bar, Sifton, like a coward, shrank from the encounter." Certainly for six weeks Sifton fought against enquiry into the wholesale scandals and frauds charged against the administration of his department.

—Whether it be that people over indulged in drinking to "the growing time" or that the police are becoming more energetic, the convictions for drunkenness show a large increase, growing from 10,586 in 1897 to 11,259 in 1898. The effect of this key is also noted in the fact that 44.39 per cent of the fines were imposed for offences against license acts. Finally, it may be said, that of the indictable offences 90 per cent were perpetrated by persons who were drinkers; 57 per cent moderate, and 33 per cent to excess. The Montreal Gazette remarks that it would be necessary to know the proportion of abstainers to drinkers, to tell just what this means.

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