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## Liberal-Conservative Association

A meeting of the [illegible] Liberal-Conservative Association will be held in the [illegible] Hall [illegible] South on [illegible], August [illegible] at 8 o'clock p. m. A full attendance is requested.

A. J. [illegible], Convener.
[illegible] President.
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# THE DAILY EXAMINER

AUGUST 16, 1899.

## THE LIBERAL RECORD.

AT the close of the recent long session Mr. Foster submitted, in the form of a resolution, a short statement—a summing up as it were—of the results of Liberal rule in Canada for the past three years. We quote it in the hope that it will be carefully noted by the electorate of this Province and cut out for reference:

MR. FOSTER'S RESOLUTION.

That the following facts with reference to the taxation, revenue, expenditure and public debt of Canada are established from the official records:—

| | Average 1892-95 | 1896 | 1898 | 1899, |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Customs taxation | $19,839 684 | $20,219,037 | $22,157,788 | $25,157,931 |
| Rate per cent on dutiable goods for home consumption | 30.25 | 29 94 | $29 24 | 28 74 |
| Rate per cent. dutiable and free | 17.47 | 18 28 | 16.95 | 16 57 |
| Eleven months' excise | | | | $33,805,374 estimate one month $700,000 |
| Customs and excise taxation | $27,710,432 | $27,759,285 | $29,576,456 | |
| Total | | | | $34,505 374 |
| Rate per head | 5 63 | 5 42 | 5.63 | 6 50 |
| Total revenue collected | $36 412,378 | $36,618 591 | $40,555,238 | 44 698,155 |
| Rate per head | 7.27 | 7.14 | 7.73 | 8 41 |
| Total expenditure | $42 141 763 | $41 702 383 | $45,334 281 | 50,000 900 |
| Expenditure per head | 8·44 | 8.14 | 9 64 | 9 40 |
| Net public debt | | $285,497,432 | $263,956,398 | 264 283,937 |

That the Liberal party went to the country in 1896 with a policy declaring, among other things, for:—

(a) Reduction in taxation.
(b) Decrease in expenditure.
(c) Diminution of the public debt.
(d) The extermination of the principle and practice of protection.
(e) Independence of Parliament and purity of the electorate.
(f) The abolition of railway bonuses or subsidies.
(g) An honest, economical and business Administration.

That, comparing 1899 with 1896, the amount of customs and excise taxation has been increased by nearly $7,000,000 or by over $1 per head of the population, and the total amount collected from the people by over $8,000,000, or about $1 27 per head.

The total expenditure has been increased by about $8,000,000, or over $1 25 per head, whilst the total amount, not including next year's supplementary, voted for the year 1899-1900, reaches the astounding sum of $51,796,344, or $13,000,000 more than was voted and $14,847,197 more than was expended for the year 1896.

The net debt has increased about $6,000,000, and must be seriously augmented by the enormous expenditures authorized at the present session of Parliament.

That, instead of exterminating protection and establishing a system of free trade, or tariff for revenue only, they have incorporated the principle of protection into the tariff acts of 1897 and 1898, and the result of the year 1898-99 showed that they have imposed a rate of 28 74 per cent. on all dutiable goods imported for home consumption, as compared with 29.94 per cent. in 1896, or upon dutiable and free imports for home consumption of 16.95 per cent., as compared with an average of 17.47 per cent, for the years 1892-96 inclusive.

That the independence of Parliament and the purity of the electorate have been illustrated by the traffic in seats in both Houses of Parliament for purely party purposes; by the arbitrary and indefensible dismissals from and by interested and unnecessary appointments to public offices in all branches of the service; by the written and authorized promises of office, emoluments and subventions given to members of Parliament and others by the Premier and other members of the Government for electoral and party purposes, by the practical repudiation of the safe principle of open competition, tender and contract, as applied to the expenditures of public money and the giving of contracts by private arrangement to party friends who thus make profit for themselves at the expense of the country.

That instead of abolishing the system of bonus and subsidies the railways they have this year, in addition to the payment of $1,600,000 for the Drummond County Railway and $140,000 yearly for 99 years as rental to the G. T. R. Campany, authorized the expenditure of not less than $6,500,000 for general railway bonuses, in many instances for unnecessary and parallel lines.

That the promise to maintain an honest, economical and businesslike administration has been illustrated by:—

(a) The entry upon enterprises unauthorized by Parliament and for which no appropriation had been made, which involved the expenditure of millions of dollars and the diversion of moneys specifically voted for distinct and well defined services to these purposes, thus setting at naught the constitutional principle of Parliamentary sanction and appropriation.

(b) By undertaking the construction of public wharves and buildings which are either totally unwarranted on grounds of public necessity or which should be left to Provincial, municipal or private enterprise.

(c) By an extravagant, inefficient and useless expenditure proposed and carried out in the Yukon district, and a management of affairs there which has exposed the whole system to general suspicion and provoked charges seriously affecting the character and efficiency of the Administration and its officials, and compromising the good name of Canada, which have been refused thorough and adequate investigation before an independent and judicial commission.

(d) By its inefficient conduct of the business Parliament; its failure to achieve much-needed legislation for the good of Canada, to secure a fast Atlantic service, to settle any of the vexed international questions at issue, to induce any mutually preferential trade with other portions of the empire or to open a single new market under improved conditions, reciprocal or otherwise, in any quarter of the world.

That this House is of the opinion that the violation of public pledges, made definitely and solemnly by a party when seeking to change the administration of the country, is corrupting to public morals and reprehensible in the highest degree, and in the case of the present Government calls for the severest condemnation.

That the astounding increase in all manner of expenditures by the Government and in the indefensible nature of many of these expenditures, enhancing as they do the already too heavy burdens of taxation, is cause for anxiety and alarm and threatens great public danger.

That the extravagance, lack of principle and incapacity shown by the Administration calls for censure by this House and the Country.

The deserved censure of the "House" was withheld by the party majority; but what will the Country do when it gets the opportunity?

## NOT OPPOSED.

THE usually discreet Guardian is "very much mixed" just now. It seems to think that the civilized world is all wrong, upon one point at least, declares that "there are no two things more diametrically opposed than prohibition and license in dealing with the liquor traffic," and says that "the esteemed EXAMINER professes great regard for prohibition, but condones the principle of license." Yes, we regard drunkenness as a public and national evil, to be fought by various kinds of weapons. If we cannot have the weapon we should prefer, we are ready to take up another and fight on. When cheated out of prohibition we fall back upon Scott Act, or License, or Regulation, just as a soldier deprived of his rifle would take up his sword or pistol. The rifle is not opposed to the sword or the pistol, though it is a more deadly and effective weapon. Neither is prohibition opposed to license or any other means of controlling the liquor traffic and reducing the evils resulting from drunkenness. We say "give us prohibition." But that has been denied by those who are morally bound, as a result of their plebiscite, to give the country a prohibitory law. So, though we condemn utterly the barefaced treachery of those who enacted it, and though we know that a much better act might have been framed, we are willing to do the best we can with the Farquharson license law until we obtain prohibition, or some other better weapon with which to keep down drunkenness.

If our discreet, but just now very much flustered, contemporary cannot see the point, an intelligent public can. We feel sure, also, that the public will appreciate the sincerity and consistency of the "prohibition organ" which professes to abhor license, and yet declines to advise its readers to "vote down" the "deceivers," "insulters," and "traitors,"—we use Mr. Duncan Marshall's language—by whom prohibition has been denied and license has been given.

## DIRECT COMMUNICATION.

IT is pleasing to learn that a steamship, is, at length, to be put upon the route between P. E. Island and Great Britain. We hope that the incalculable loss sustained by the farmers and dealers of this province on account of the failure of the Government to fulfill the expectation that one would be provided last spring will, to some extent, be made up in the coming fall. That Premier Farquharson is personally interesting himself in the matter may be taken as avidence that the honorable gentleman fully appreciates the necessity of improving his political position.

## REUBEN TUPLIN, ESQUIRE.

A STERLING MAN—one whose ability and integrity have been repeatedly tested—has passed away in the person of Rueben Tuplin, Esq., of Kensington. He had more than filled the tale of three score years and ten. His death was anticipated. Yet the community in which he lived, and the people of the Province at large, will experience the sense of shock and regret that is felt when the community loses a man of character. We sympathize with his bereaved children and other relatives.

—The travel via the Plant Line between Boston and the Provinces this season has been the largest in the history of the Line. The S. S. "La Grande Duchesse," with accomodation for 800 people has been full each trip, and the popular S. S. "Halifax," so well known to the traveling public, has eachtrip carried her full complement. The autumn travel to Boston via these popular steamers promises to surpass any previous season.

The scrutiny of the ballots in the North Waterloo (Ontario) election shows gross irregularities, that it is anticipated, will compel Mr. Breithaupt, the Liberal member, to resign.

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