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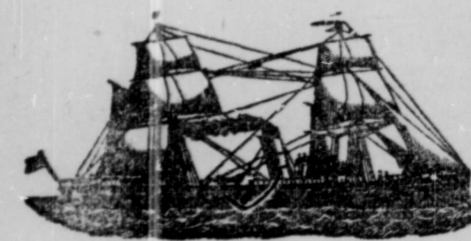
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THE DAILY EXAMINER

AUGUST 30, 1899.

SIR RICHARD CARTWRIGHT AND OUR RAILWAY BRANCHES.

SIR RICHARD CARTWRIGHT strives to excuse the Liberal Government at Ottawa by reference to what the Conservatives did or would have done! This, in itself, is a remarkable fact which must strike the electorate as peculiar, seeing that Sir Richard was, above all others, the man who, when in Opposition, denounced, year in and year out, all that the Conservatives did or proposed to do.

But we desire, today, to call attention to one point in the Toronto speech of the whilom doughty knight which the Patriot is now publishing. Sir Richard took up Mr. Foster's proposed estimates for the year 1897 and proceeded, after his own peculiar fashion, to compare it with the larger estimates actually passed by the Liberal majority in Parliament.

"I have here a list of the Prince Edward Island Railway, seven branches, aggregating 127 miles, which, from past experience, I am very sure, under the management of Sir Charles Tupper, would never have been constructed for less than two and a half millions."

We ask the people of Prince Edward Island to compare this remark with the remarks of Messrs Foster and Haggart and Sir Mackenzie Bowell, recently published by THE EXAMINER, and to decide whether of the political parties of whom these gentlemen are the representatives are the friends of this Province, and which shows the stronger wish to do us justice? We can imagine Sir Richard's tone when speaking to his friends in Toronto of the idea of expending \$2,500,000 in Prince Edward Island.

The author of the epithet "Shreds and Patches" has evidently not much consideration for the littlest patch of all. He says not a word about the share the people of Prince Edward Island has to bear in the cost of railways and canals built throughout Canada which inure no more to the benefit of this province than they do to the benefit of the states of New York or Washington—some of which are a positive disadvantage to us inasmuch as they have opened the markets of the neighboring provinces of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia to the competition of Quebec, Ontario and Manitoba, and enabled the big manufacturers of Ontario to swamp our little ones in our own market.

Conservative Government acted bravely as well as justly when they committed Canada to the construction of the short branch lines required here and compelled the present administration, unwillingly, to follow in the path they traced.

SOME OF THEM.

ONE of the gentlemen who attended the Liberal Convention held at Ottawa in 1894 is reported to have said:

"We are not sent here by people who paid our way. This is not a convention of office seekers but a convention of the people."

Among those who attended the convention are the following:

- Mr. James Lister, M. P., who is however, now a judge. Sir Oliver Mowat, M. L. A., now a lieutenant-governor. James Grieve, M. P. for North Perth now a Government Immigration Agent. P. A. Choquette, M. P., now a judge. F. Langelier, M. P., also a judge. C. R. Devlin, M. P., now a Government Immigration Agent. F. G. Forbes, M. P., for Queen's, Nova Scotia, who is a judge. J. M. Platt, M. P., for Prince Edward Ont., now warden of the Kingston Penitentiary. David Laird, ex-M. P., now Indian Commissioner; Wm. Wilson, York, N. B., now a judge; and W. T. R. Prestoa, machine bugger, now a Government Immigration Agent.

These are some of the gentlemen who viewed with alarm the expenditure of \$37,000,000 a year by the Tories and a public debt eight millions of dollars less than it now is,—and who were not office-seekers!

A DANGEROUS BRIDGE.

SIR,—I had occasion to cross Brazil's Bridge, at Johnston's River, a few nights ago; and a friend remarked to me that the bridge was unsafe,—not fit to carry a heavy load over and without railing. He said that he never crossed with a load but he got off and went before the horse. I understand that a new cover was put upon this bridge, but the old stringers were left on, and at the time it was repaired would not hold the spikes. About this I cannot say except as reported to me. But as regards the railing I can write from observation,—and I consider it very unsafe. The bridge is probably 150 to 200 feet long, and has a depth of water of 7 or 8 feet. Besides, a very high tide covers a part of the roadway on each side and occasionally nearly the whole bridge, and on a dark night it makes one extremely nervous to venture across. I would request the Minister of Public Works to examine it at once; and, if as reported, the stringers are cracked and rotten, to repair it before some accident happens. If the foundation is good place a railing on the bridge of some kind for the protection of the travelling public.

ROBERT JENKINS.

Aug 27th 1899.

—On first taking up the mid-summer number of the London Daily News we supposed it a publication of London, England, so fine are the illustrations, so clear and beautiful the letter press. But upon examination we find it a publication of London, Ontario. Well, it shows how London, Ontario, is going ahead, in the growing time resulting from the failure of the Liberals to perform their promise to destroy the National Policy.

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OPEN LETTER NO 1, TO "VOX POPULI"—ONCE HOLY WILLIE.

SIR,—We have read your letters with interest. We do not desire to criticise them but to briefly comment thereon.

We admit you have clearly outlined a few of the misdeeds of the Liberal Government. For this we commend you, but we much regret that you have so resorted to the policy of abuse. Abuse was never a powerful weapon, and you have directed it at the head of one man. Does it not strike you that the man who cannot argue his point fairly is prone to cast personal abuse upon his opponent. If your opponent in this case is so contaminated as you would have us believe, we would advise you to quit the lists; for, you cannot wrestle with dirt and remain uncontaminated. We implore you discuss the public questions of the day upon their merits, for upon their merits alone shall they be decided before the great tribunal of public opinion.

We know that the Liberal Government has proven false to their policy enunciated before they attained power. Although they have taxed the living and the dead, yet they have had deficits year after year. But did not the Conservatives the same? We know that the electorate is fast losing confidence in the Liberal Party, but to whom shall they turn? The Conservative policy of by-gone years has been condemned by the electorate, and we have not seen where that party has adopted a new policy.

The eyes of the independent electors are turned to the Conservative party. Can they not adopt and be prepared to carry out a policy calculated to redeem this province from its thralldom. And "Vox Populi," would it not be well for you to spend your leisure moments in formulating such a policy? Will you be the Moses to lead the people out of the thralldom or the Aaron to assist others in so doing?

Should the Conservative party formulate a policy suited to the requirements of the Province, we need not doubt but what they will be returned to power by an overwhelming majority at next election.

Now, "Vox Populi," here is a chance for you to render meritorious service to your party and your country. Do not seek power for selfish purposes but prepare to accept power in the interests of your country. Where, where is the Conservative party? Are they dead or sleeping? We trust they will awaken to the necessities of the times, that the next election may find them dressed in new garments that they may not appear "as a root out of dry ground." Remember, opportunity has hair in front, behind he is bald. Yours etc. INDEX.

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The classes in St. Dunstan's College will be resumed on TUESDAY, the 12th September next.

For further particulars apply to A. P. McLELLAN, Rector St. Dunstan's College, Ch'town, Aug 30, '99

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