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OPEN LETTER NO. XII.

To the Hon. Donald Farquharson
The Unsound.

Sir,—Little attention might be paid to yourself were it not for the position you occupy. You must not therefore imagine that I am moved from malice prepense in thus addressing you. The safety of the country demands that chicanery, deception and false promises on the part of its representatives in Parliament, in fact men of "unsound principles," should stand rebuked before the electorate of this province. Your record as a party deserves a severe reprimand and rebuke. I desire to recapitulate a few things. The public accounts of this province do not contain a full statement of our liabilities and should be published. Items are carried over from year to year which you should publish and nothing should be kept back. The Asylum matters may be allowed to stand over awaiting the report of the commissioners. It will be an interesting document, and I shall await its publication with interest. I hope you will give it to the public at once and not wait for the meeting of the Legislature. Why don't you publish the accounts up to the let of July last as an instalment of Mr. Peters act passed in 1891? Why don't you publish the agreement you made with the Dominion Government respecting the Hillsborough Bridge? A most ruinous agreement that should not be ratified. What have you done? Before a dollar is spent you have submitted to a reduction of our federal subsidy annually to the extent of \$12,000. I would fondly hope it was not true, but your silence as a party gives consent to the truth of the allegations made in this matter. The electors of this province are entitled to the Hillsborough bridge and every mile of railway that the people contend for; and the policy of insisting upon the Dominion Government for the building of these works is the only feasible way of ever getting our claims satisfied. The large amount spent on railways and canals is in evidence against you and I am not aware of a single instance where any provincial government was asked to contribute as you have agreed to do. Retrace your steps and relieve this country of that annual payment, or resign and hand over the reins to men who will consider the interests of the taxpayers of the province. There is only one policy that the electors can maintain now in the face of the deficits you have created,—and that is strict economy with such taxation as the people can bear, together with honest men to administer the affairs of the province. Honest men are indispensable. Every province in Canada is now groaning under Grit misrule. The people are anxious to get rid of you. The Conservative party are ready with live and willing men to stand to their guns; and when the time comes you will not find them sleeping. In the language of Mr. Sinclair they cannot form an estimate of the taxation required until they reckon how the business of the province in every particular stands. You have it in your power to publish an exact statement of the indebtedness of the Province with all outstanding liabilities. Why don't you do it? You are the servant of the people and no longer can lay any claim to be our sovereign. The people are sovereign.

Mr. McInnis, of British Columbia, has resigned his seat in Parliament as a protest against Sir Wilfrid Laurier's broken promises. When will Sir Louis, and his adherents from this province do likewise? Grit promises, like pie crusts, are made to be broken. It is time you realized that this country is not your property—that you are simply a trustee (as you are of the asylum) and, that the country looks to you to give an account of your stewardship by publishing the financial standing of this province to date, and all contracts made by you that are standing over. Advice or argument appear to be lost upon you. William Penn, when about to leave his family for America, reminded his wife of his impoverishment and recommended economy, "live low and sparingly till my debts be paid." Yet, for his children he adds, "Let their learning be liberal: spare no cost, for by such parsimony all is lost that is saved." Here is an example which you disregarded when you lopped off the teachers salaries without making any suitable provision in lieu of what you have deducted. Our schools will soon dwindle to third class. The best teachers will leave and give up the profession. The Liberal party, with Tarte at their head, seem to have acted upon the advice of the Oracle of Delphi when voting millions away upon very questionable projects; "Make coin thy weapon and thou'lt conquer all" was the advice given to Philip. There are men like Andrew Marvell who will despise the riches of Croesus. Solon, one of the seven wise men of Greece, was asked after seeing the wealth of the king which of mankind in all his travels he had found the most truly happy? "One Tellus," replied Solon, "a citizen of Athens, a very honest and good man, who, after having lived all his days without indigence, having always seen his country in a flourishing condition has left children that are universally esteemed, has had the satisfaction of seeing those children's children, and at last died gloriously in fighting for his country."

The riches of Croesus or the gold of the Kloudyke will not sway the electors of Canada from doing their duty when the time comes. They will punish with a vengeance the miserable crowd of tricksters who obtained power by broken promises and the raising of a religious cry over the schools of Manitoba. But there are in Canada men who realize today that the leaders of the Conservative party with Sir Charles Tupper at their head, will find the electors influenced only by honor, and not by money. Men who deceive us once—it is their fault. It will be our fault if they deceive us twice! I will now bid you adieu and hope the moral and les-

sions imparted in our correspondence will not be entirely lost upon the electorate, although, in the language of Goldsmith to Johnson, it would require the butt end of a pistol to make you alive to the interests of this country generally. My "unsound" friend farewell.

Vox Populi.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

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The North Pole.

LONDON, September 13.—The British association for the advancement of science to-day granted £1,000 towards the expenses of an arctic expedition.

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From the Free Press, Acton, Ont.

No man is better known to the people of the counties of Halton and Wellington than William Hemstreet, a pioneer and much esteemed resident of Acton. Mr. Hemstreet is a native of this country, having been born in Trafalgar township in 1817. In his younger days Mr. Hemstreet conducted a tanning business. He subsequently engaged in the droving and butchering business, and some twenty-five years ago, owing to his superior knowledge of the value of live stock, he took out a license as an auctioneer. In this calling he became at once popular and he was constantly on the road, driving in all kinds of weather, holding auction sales several days a week. Although possessing a strong, healthy constitution, the continued exposure and hard work of selling, some days for six or eight hours at a stretch, he gradually lost his strength and vigor, and about three years ago he found himself a collapsed and worn-out man. In conversation with a reporter of the Free Press he said:—"I felt that my days of usefulness were over. My strength had departed, my voice was gone, I was too weak to do work of any kind and I was undeniably useless to myself or anyone else. My symptoms were peculiar and baffled several of the best local physicians, who differed very much in their diagnosis. I took their medicines faithfully but no improvement resulted. I did not suffer much pain but was a very sick man. Had no appetite, no strength, could not sleep, and both myself and my friends concluded that my days on earth were numbered and that my worn-out system would in a very short time lie down in eternal rest. I had to give up all my business interests. When Mr. Hemstreet's condition was most serious his attention was attracted by the published testimonial of Rev. Mr. Freeman, a minister with whom he was personally acquainted, relating to his restoration to health after using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. He was particularly impressed with this testimonial and concluded that these pills must possess singular merit and healing power or Rev. Mr. Freeman would not lend his name to their advertisement. Mr. Hemstreet then decided to give them a trial; he first got one box, then three, then half a dozen, and took them regularly. No very marked effects, he says, were noticeable, but with characteristic persistence he purchased a further supply. By the time twelve or thirteen boxes had been taken, he felt that new blood was coursing through his veins, that he possessed new vigor and was able to perform all the duties his business calls demanded. "For a year I continued to take the pill," he said. "I knew I was regaining my old time strength and good health and I was determined the cure should be complete and permanent, and I give them the credit for making me the new man I feel myself to be today. As evidence that my recovery is complete I have only to state that this spring I have conducted a number of auction sales in the open air with perfect ease and with entire satisfaction to my clients.

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