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CALENDAR FOR FEBRUARY, 1891.

MOON'S CHANGES.
Last Quarter, 2nd day, 19h., 29.9 a.m., W.
New Moon, 8th day, 9h., 59.7 p.m., N.
First Quarter, 15th day, 2h., 17.0 p.m., S.E.
Full Moon, 23rd day, 3h., 6.9 p.m., E.

DAY OF WEEK	Sun		Moon		High		Days	
	h	m	h	m	h	m	rise	set
1 Sunday	7	29	4	50	0	57	3	10
2 Monday	7	27	5	0	2	7	4	8
3 Tuesday	7	25	5	3	19	5	24	36
4 Wednesday	7	25	5	4	30	6	46	39
5 Thursday	7	22	6	6	36	9	1	44
6 Friday	7	21	6	7	23	9	54	47
7 Saturday	7	20	9	8	0	10	42	50
8 Sunday	7	18	11	8	30	11	26	53
9 Monday	7	17	12	8	55	morn	56	56
10 Tuesday	7	15	14	9	18	0	8	59
11 Wednesday	7	13	15	9	40	0	47	10
12 Thursday	7	12	17	10	4	1	27	5
13 Friday	7	10	19	10	31	2	12	8
14 Saturday	7	8	20	11	4	3	0	11
15 Sunday	7	7	22	11	36	4	6	14
16 Monday	7	6	23	11	36	5	24	17
17 Tuesday	7	5	25	0	22	6	33	21
18 Wednesday	7	5	26	1	18	7	52	25
19 Thursday	7	0	28	2	17	8	44	28
20 Friday	6	58	30	3	20	9	8	31
21 Saturday	6	56	31	4	22	10	7	33
22 Sunday	6	54	33	5	28	10	46	35
23 Monday	6	53	34	6	32	11	42	38
24 Tuesday	6	51	36	7	35	11	43	41
25 Wednesday	6	49	37	8	35	11	43	44
26 Thursday	6	47	38	9	42	0	45	47
27 Friday	6	45	39	10	47	1	48	50
28 Saturday	6	43	40	11	50	1	50	53

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THE PROSPECT

IF THE GRITS ARE SUCCESSFUL
And Unrestricted Reciprocity
Ends in Annexation.
What the Figures Say

As the candidates of the two political parties in Canada are now soliciting the suffrages of the electors, it is proper that the questions now advocated should receive our attention, and be carefully weighed before the ballot is cast on the 5th of March. Sir John A. Macdonald's platform is "A renewal of the reciprocity treaty of 1854, with the modifications required by the altered circumstances of both countries, and with the extensions deemed to be in the interests of Canada and the United States," and "A reconsideration of the treaty with respect to the Atlantic fisheries, with the aim of securing the free admission into the United States market of Canadian fishery products, in return for facilities to be granted to the United States fishermen to buy bait and supplies, and to transfer cargoes in Canada—such privileges to be mutual." The Liberal policy is "Unrestricted Reciprocity with the United States." This policy is very favorably received by the anti-twisting Yankee, and should therefore be discontinued by all loyal Canadians. It would make us hewers of wood and drawers of water until such time as we fall on our knees and pray Washington to receive us into the family of States. Then, and not till then, will we have an idea of what taxation—direct and indirect—means.

To-day we receive in round numbers from the Canadian treasury, for subsidy, \$20,000; from public lands, about \$30,000; and with this income we are in debt \$60,000 per year.

If unrestricted reciprocity is agreed upon by the vote of the electors of Canada to be taken on the 5th March there will be a falling off in revenue of about \$14,000,000; and this shortage, according to Sir Richard Cartwright, must be made up by direct taxation, our share being \$550,000, or about \$3 per head for every man, woman and child, per annum.

The Liberal Party look upon this tax as a means of educating us for some thing greater when they hand us over to the United States, and as the United States general government pay to subsidize to the several States, we will then lose in the first place,—

The income derived from Ottawa	200,000
Our public lands will soon cease to be a source of income and we must provide for that loss	30,000
And for the present deficit	20,000
As the particular States has to pay its governor and supreme and county court judges we will require to raise	27,000
The increase in salaries of the provincial civil service to an amount equivalent to that paid by the several States, occasioned by an increase in the cost of living, we must provide an additional	10,000
To which may be added during the next few years for increased requirements for schools, roads, bridges and miscellaneous	73,000
Or a total expenditure of	360,000
To be raised by direct taxation, equal to about \$3.50 per head, or for a family of six \$21 per annum.	
Then there is the general or indirect tax. During the past few days the Senate passed a bill to pay pensions,—	
Amounting to	133,173,085
Examining Surgeons fees	1,500,000
Salaries of pension agents	72,000
Clerk hire	400,000
Army costs	30,000,000
	\$ 165,145,085
The United States debt is	\$1,700,000,000
Should Canada be merged into the United States as provided for by the Liberals, and they assume her debt, the above will be increased by	230,000,000
Making a total indebtedness of	\$1,930,000,000
Comparing the combined population at 70,000,000 and the population of P. E. Island at 125,000 the population of the above indebtedness would amount to the sum of \$3,500,000 and if we compute the interest at 4 per cent, we find this province will pay	\$ 140,000
Our share of pensions and army	290,000
And our direct tax is estimated at	400,000
Our share of the expenditure on account of Civil and miscellaneous expenses, including public buildings, lighthouses, and collecting revenue, Indians, Military establishments, fortifications, river and harbor improvements and arsenals, Naval establishments, including vessels and machinery, and improvements at Navy yards, and expenditure for District of Columbia as per estimates for 1899 (\$120,500,000)	915,000
Or a total direct and indirect tax of \$1,045,000	
Equal to an annual tax of \$3.38 per head, or for a family of six \$50.16	

Potatoes may rot, grain and hay may fail, but once a year Mr. Tax Collector will appear on the scene, and like Shylock demand the amount of the bond should it take the heart's blood. Is it any wonder that such men as Alexander Meekie, Edward Blake, Wm. McDougall and hundreds of others in every part of the Dominion, are disgusted at the policy offered by the Liberals and have found it necessary to disavow the party led by Wilfrid Laurier and represented in this province by Louis H. Davies?

A few years ago the Liberal party posed as free traders; to-day we find them advocating unrestricted reciprocity, direct taxation, and other abominations. The junior member for Queen's County has in the past stood forth as a free-trader, now he is with his party favoring their policy which means the joint protection of the United States and Canada against all other countries, including free trade England, with the adoption by Canada of the McKinley Bill, the greatest instrument of protection in the world. Verily consistency thou art a jewel.

A FARMER'S VIEWS

Of Our Modest Statesmen.
THE TUNNEL QUESTION.

At the Liberal gathering on the 10th, Mr. L. H. Davies informed his hearers that he himself was the best man to represent the tunnel's interests in parliament. If Mr. Davies were a supporter of the present Government, this bit of self-laudation would be pardonable. But when his party will, for years to come, most certainly figure in opposition, a sub-leader in this crowd would be the meanest man that a great enterprise could be entrusted to. Mr. Davies every week, through his organ, the Patriot, characterizes the members of the Government as "liars," "swindlers," "boodlers," and contemptuous refers to the aged and esteemed statesman who is their leader, as "Old To-morrow," "Boodler," etc. Does Mr. Davies think we are fools enough to believe that this "bitterness of contempt" will prepare the minds of a powerful and independent government for a favorable consideration of our petitions? Does he not know that the echo of this "damnable irritation" sounds louder through the parliamentary halls than even his own sonorous eloquence?

He tries to cover his neglect of the Island's great interest in the tunnel by saying that there were no estimates to build on. Did he try to procure estimates? He had four long years, with good pay, to work in. How much did he do? He ridiculed and called the scheme an "electioneering dodge," while earnest, faithful men spent time and money in procuring the much-needed information.

Mr. Davies' usual canvass is, "You know I'm the smartest man." He may be a smart Grit, to loudly advocate every wildcat scheme of trade and catch at every straw that would float a despairing soul to office; but what has his smartness done for his Island constituency? Loud talk is all they ever get for faithfully returning him to successive parliaments, and all they ever will get while Sir John Macdonald is above Canadian soil. To commit a vital measure, like that of the tunnel, to such a man is to cast our dearest hopes to the wind.

Mr. Davies tells his Grit audience: "I believe the Liberal Party are coming into power on the 5th March next." Now, Mr. Davies knows as assuredly as any other man who has studied political affairs that by the elections during the last parliamentary term are a sure index to the result of the coming election, unless some extraordinary disturbing influence should suddenly arise. That the ordinary status of the parties is the same as it has been for years, Mr. Davies well knows; and yet, in face of the fact that the by-elections were 43 in favor of the Government and only 10 for the Opposition, he has the effrontery to declare that he "believes" his party is coming into power.

"He who dares think one thing and another tell, My soul abhors him, like the gates of hell."

The question of most vital importance to P. E. Island at present is the completion of the grand scheme of obtaining railway communication with the rest of the continent by means of a tunnel under the Northumberland Straits. This will redeem us from our isolation and severance from the trade of the world for five months of the year. It will remove the inability to carry on manufactures in our midst. It will add 30 per cent to the price of our farm produce, and enhance the value of every acre of farming land throughout the Island. To whom shall we trust the management of this most important public enterprise? To the men who have ridiculed and sneered at it, and who (if they are returned to parliament) will be in a position in which they can do nothing for it; or to the men who, in spite of opposition and contempt, have stood by their country's interests and brought this enterprise to its present forward place, and who, in parliament, will hold a place where they will have influence from the Government's sympathy with them?

FARMER.

"I could never consent to the Zollverein policy for obvious reasons, but I cannot conceive why any one should object to reciprocity free trade secured by treaty an anti-imperial to the inner straits of a strait in the heart of the Empire. I shall feel it to be my duty to vote in the direction of the same in Parliament."
Hon. Alexander McKeen, 1891.

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Reply to "Justice."

SIR,—After reading the letter of "Justice" in your issue of the 19th inst., I cannot help thinking what a tremendous difference it makes "whose ox is gored" or "which dog is on top." "Justice" was silent the last nine months when the whole pack of hounds were warring the stranger. Now that "Justice" sees that there is a danger of his pet poodles getting a sh-king, he comes out for justice—reasonable kind of justice is his. I heard only the other day that if the legislature had known to what ill use the Medical Council would have exercised the power granted, they would not have been trusted and the set would not have been passed. It was not intended as a protection for them to keep new comers settling in P. E. Island, but for the public, and the manner they have abused their power in prosecuting Dr. Byrnes is scandalous.

I do not care now afford to let "Justice" whine over last pretige, and would advise him in the future to write more truthfully, as it is a notorious fact that every little cure effected and operated on performed by members of the Medical Council has been chronicled through the length and breadth of Island for the last ten years.

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