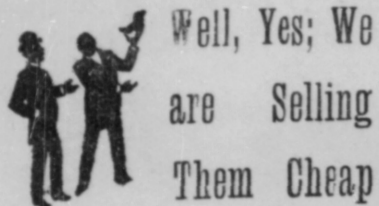


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THE DAILY EXAMINER

MAY 18, 1899.

VALUE OF THE SENATE.

The Guardian cannot dispute THE EXAMINER's statement that the movements of the Liberal Party are decidedly slow. But it implies that the Senate is not worth much because it has adjourned rather than meet to do nothing. Our contemporary, apparently, imagines that the enlightened people of this Province do not know that legislation is necessarily initiated, for the most part, in the House of Commons, and passes the Commons before it goes to the Senate. If the Commons does not send the Senate legislation to revise and pass, the Senate is, of necessity, kept idle. The House of Commons has not, this year, passed anything more tangible or practical than wind; and the Senate has had nothing to do,—consequently it has adjourned. The blame does not lie with the Senate, but with the Government which brings forth the most of its measures through the House of Commons.

As to the value of the Senate,—that has lately been demonstrated in the Drummond railway matter by saving to the country a half million of dollars and in saving for the use of all corners a territory more than three times as big as P. E. Island, which the Liberal majority in the Commons voted to the private use and benefit of McKenzie and Mann for the sake of a little tramway leading up towards the Yukon.

WHAT IS IT ?

SOME members of the Legislature seem to think that the bill entitled "An Act to amend an Act to impose a direct tax on certain Classes of Traders" is not really a license law. That they are wrong in this regard is evident upon the slightest consideration of the matter of the bill. The bill provides that those commercial travellers and liquor dealers who may pay certain sums of money into the public treasury and comply with certain conditions, shall have the right and privilege of selling their "goods," "wares," "merchandise" and "liquors" within this province and city, respectively, while those who do not pay the fee and comply with the conditions shall be punished by fine and imprisonment. If this is not a license law, pure and simple, we cannot imagine any law that could be so described. "License," "monopoly," and "the protection of law," are given those who may pay the tax and comply with the conditions. All others are outlawed in so far as the liquor business in this city is concerned. The bill is, to all intents and purposes, a measure of "license," and it is a bad measure of license, though it may, perhaps, we hope it will, result in a smaller measure of drunkenness than has been.

—The "Club" has been fully protected by the Farquharson Party.

—Among the books bought by the Laurier Government last year, and charged to the country, was a DeBrett's Peerage; and now the question is, "Are the democrats of the administration picking out new titles for themselves?"

WHAT WILL THEY DO NOW ?

The question is will Liberals who are also sincere temperance men, "kick" now? Many such Liberals, including the Guardian, were disposed not to resent "the slap in the face" received at the knightly hand of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. But the flouting of the plebeian majority has been followed by the sudden, unexpected and perfidious desertion of the Hon. Donald Farquharson and his followers in the Legislature to the ranks of those whom these same gentlemen were wont to call "The Rum Party." Instead of "Prohibition" there is to be "License." Instead of broad prohibitions have received a stone. Never were men more scandalously hoaxed and deceived than those who compose the temperance party have been by their Liberal friends in the Parliament of Canada and the Legislature of this Province. That the temperance men who are also Conservatives will assert their honest manhood we have no doubt. But what will the Liberal temperance men do about it? Will they eat the leek, again?

DEATH OF TALMAGE McMILLAN.

We announce to-day, with the greatest possible regret, the death of Mr. Talmage McMillan, of New Haven. Mr. McMillan was a brilliant and distinguished student at Prince of Wales College and at McGill University, graduating first in his class and winning an Oxford scholarship. A year ago he was looked upon as one of the most promising of young Canadians, the pride of his Province and his family. He was the son of Hugh McMillan, Esq., and a nephew of our esteemed fellow citizens, Messrs Ronald McMillan and J. K. Ross.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

—Our Liberals will soon begin to find out that political honesty pays best in the long run.

—Mr. Gabriel McDonald is naturally glad that the Hon. Donald Farquharson has come around to his way of thinking.

—Many honest men are in favor of "license," but all despise the hypocrite who adds to his hypocrisy the darker sin of perjury.

—It makes us laugh to hear the Hon. Donald Farquharson using the very argument in behalf of his "tax" which did service in favor of "license" ten years ago.

—Favoured liquor dealers—those who can conciliate the government by the payment of \$200 a year—are permitted to have the additional attraction of pretty barmaids.

—When the Lieutenant Governor shall have asserted to the act entitled an act to impose a direct tax on certain classes of traders all the conditions of "the deal" will have been fulfilled.

—The license "corner" was too sharp for The Guardian to turn with the Premier, so it keeps right along. But we may look out for the herring that will be drawn across the track of the Liberals at the first opportunity.

—All liquor dealers who can afford to pay the \$20 fee to Premier Farquharson & Co., may sell, whisky, brandy, gin, beer, etc., ad libitum; and make their fortunes, but those who can't afford to pay the tax are to be punished for selling a glass of either. Yet our Liberals in the Legislature maintain that they have not passed a license law.

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- All Wool Cashmere Hose, 19c
- Heavy Ribbed Hose, 9c a pair
- Plain Cotton Hose, 6c pair
- Boys' Unlaundered Shirts, 12 to 14 1/2 and 14 1/2 to 17 in. in Men's, two for 50c
- Boys' Braces, 8c pair
- Men's Braces, 10c pair.
- Chiffon Frilling at 12c, newest shades.
- Boys' Eton Collars, 10c
- Boys' Collars, 10c
- Boys' Duck Collars, 10c
- Combination Blue and White, 18c
- Men's Cotton Sox, 5c a pair
- Black Cotton Sox, 10c
- Men's Skull Caps, 12c
- Golf Caps, 15c
- Ladies' Linen Collars, 9c
- The best silk Four-in-Hand Ties going at 2 for 25c.
- Ladies' Pique Collars, 18c
- Leather Belts, 9c each.
- Children's Lisle Thread Gloves, 6c
- Ladies' Lisle Thread Gloves, 3 pairs for 25 cents.
- Ladies' Taffeta Gloves, 20c
- Ladies' Underwear, 4 1/2c each
- Children's pique collars and cuffs—fancy goods in fancy combinations. Many collars and cuffs in this lot worth 50c. They all go at 10c each
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