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PROGRESS IN NOVA SCOTIA.

The exhibition recently held at Halifax was a revelation of progress in many directions and afforded at least an idea of what is being done in the mines and factories of the sister Province as well as upon the farm. It is evident that the people of Nova Scotia have, in spite of many obstacles—the voice of the croaker not being the least—effected wonderful improvements within the past twenty years. Their mining machinery is up-to-date and their manufactures are much more advanced than is generally supposed. Indeed many merchants on P. E. Island have been in the habit of sending to Ontario, the States and Great Britain for articles that are, as proved at the exhibition, produced in a state of excellence by our next door neighbours. It is to be hoped that there will be no material change in the policy under which the improvement that is evident has been effected. The check that has been given the iron and sugar industries by reason of an attempt at tariff tinkering during the last session of Parliament ought to be sufficiently effective to the powers that be, to let well enough alone.

A noticeable feature in connection with the exhibition was the celerity of the newspapermen and the great promptitude of the press. But this is easily explained by the fact that the press of Halifax is not only served by active reporters, but by the latest inventions in the art of printing. A visit to the office of the Halifax Morning Herald and Evening Mail revealed the fact that three linotype machines are in operation there, doing the work of twelve or fifteen compositors, saving the type and enabling the enterprising publishers to present their papers in a daily new dress, that the office is supplied with a complete stereotyping apparatus, and that the press and folder is capable of turning off nine thousand printed and folded papers in an hour. Imagine a machine transforming white papers into copies of The Herald and The Mail at the rate of almost three per second! To the modern outfit of the printing office, the wonderful celerity with which reports and news were laid before the thousands in attendance at the exhibition, is largely attributable. The Herald Publishing Company are to be congratulated upon the early results of their enterprise, and we sincerely hope that their faith in the continued growth of the industries and population of Nova Scotia is well founded. As the Garden of the Gulf and the fruitful source of food supply for artisans and miners, Prince Edward Island is deeply interested in the development of the neighboring Province of Nova Scotia which, with New Brunswick, affords its nearest market.

THE REVOLT IN QUEBEC.

The feeling against Sir Wilfrid Laurier in the province of Quebec is spreading. There is evidently a good deal of feeling in that province over the Langelier matter, to which THE EXAMINER made reference yesterday, and the outcome will be awaited with interest. Referring to a previous telegram the Quebec correspondent of the Montreal Star says:

"The news from this city published in Thursday's Star respecting the future Lieutenant-Governorship of this province has caused quite a lot of talk in political circles, and was reproduced by all the Conservative papers in this city. A Star correspondent has had occasion to speak to many prominent Liberals about the matter, and all, without exception, have made up their minds that if Hon. F. Langelier does not get the Lieutenant-Governorship as promised, Sir Wilfrid Laurier will hear of it."

The Montreal Witness, which has lately been doing some vigorous protesting against the controlling power of Tarte, intimates that the Laurier Government is losing power there and that the end may be serious. Here is what the Witness says:

"There is no exaggeration in the state-

ment that his government is already losing ground in popular favor here. A great deal has been tolerated or suffered in silence for the premier's sake and in the hope that he would sooner or later shake himself free from the malign influences under the control of which he appears to have fallen from the beginning as far as Quebec and his old party friends are concerned, but as time goes on there appears to be no improvement. On the contrary, matters seem to be growing worse. All the bright local hopes cherished of what would happen when Laurier came to power are vanishing one by one, while the 'old guard' who stood by the party and its leader in its darkest days are finding themselves not only neglected but ruthlessly trust aside to make way for newcomers who are simply worshippers of the risen sun. The result of all this is that the well known ardor of the Quebecer has been gradually cooling, until now matters have reached such a pitch in that respect that even a proposal to hold an indignation meeting in St. Roch's the heart of the premier's own constituency is seriously talked of."

The foregoing extracts tell their own story, and need no elaboration at our hands.

LORD AND LADY ABERDEEN COMING TO CHARLOTTETOWN.

Sir Louis Davies last night received a telegram from His Excellency the Governor General stating that he and the Countess of Aberdeen had definitely concluded to pay a visit to Charlottetown and Summerside next week. Their Excellencies will arrive in Pictou by train on Tuesday morning the 12th inst., and cross to Charlottetown in the Dominion Steam Cruiser "Acadia" arriving about 1 o'clock. In the afternoon of that day Her Excellency the Countess of Aberdeen will address a meeting of the ladies of Charlottetown and Queen's County in the Legislative Council Chamber on the subject of the Women's Council of Canada. This is an association having for its object the improvement of the condition and the advancement of women.

Their Excellencies will probably be the guests of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor. Sir Louis has forwarded a copy of His Excellency's telegram to His Honour who had gone to Summerside to attend the exhibition, and till he returns this evening no definite plan can be given of the reception to be accorded the Governor General. Sir Louis also wrote to His Worship the Mayor informing him of the proposed visit of Lord Aberdeen and it is probable that some conclusion will be come to with regard to the form the reception should take in time for the press tomorrow.

We know that the people of P. Island will be only too glad to show their appreciation of His Excellency's visit by giving him a most cordial reception and making his visit an agreeable one. Their Excellencies are at present touring through the lovely Island of Cape Breton. If our weather continues as it has for the past few days we shall be able to show them scenery less rugged and grand but certainly as beautiful and lovely as can be found within the Dominion.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

—According to the quarterly return issued by "Lloyd's Register of Shipping," the number of vessels of all kinds reported as totally lost or condemned during the quarter ended March 31 last amounted to 254 of the aggregate tonnage of 212,094 tons. Of this total 31 were abandoned at sea, 7 were burnt, 11 were lost through collision, 6 foundered, 29 are returned as missing, and 123 were wrecked. Eighty two out of this total were steamers, with a total tonnage of 126,197 tons, three of which were abandoned at sea, 14 were condemned, 2 were burnt, 5 were lost through collision, 3 foundered, 11 are reported as missing and 44 wrecked. Of the 172 sailing vessels returned as lost, 28 were abandoned at sea, 30 were condemned, 5 were burnt, 6 sank after collision, 18 returned as missing and, 79 were wrecked. Seventy-nine of the vessels lost, with an aggregate tonnage of 108,121 tons, were British owned, and 15, with 5,844 tons belonged to British colonies. Norway lost 50 vessels of 27,190 tons, the United States 25 vessels of 11,444 tons, Germany 19 vessels of 13, 625 tons, France 16 vessels of 10,919 tons, and Denmark 10 vessels of 2,939 tons.

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SIR CHARLES IN ENGLAND.

Esteem in Which He is Held—Sir Louis Davies' Inconsistency.

MONTREAL, Oct. 3.—The Star's London correspondent says: A member of the Government in close touch with the Colonial Office, in speaking of Sir Charles Tupper, said today: "Sir Charles showed a nice sense of delicacy in declining the invitations that poured in upon him, inviting him to occupy a place of honor at all the functions in which the Colonial representatives participated." There is no doubt that with the high esteem in which Sir Charles is held by the men of both sides of English politics, he would have had a reception little, if any, less enthusiastic than the accredited representative, the Premier of Canada, but Sir Charles knew that he could not sit silently and hear references to the extraordinary attitude of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in refusing to contend for an advantage to Canadian producers in English markets in return for the English advantage in Canadian markets, and at the sacrifice of much prominence for himself, avoided the functions.

The Canadian mining companies in which Sir Charles Tupper is interested are successfully floated almost without an effort. On the stock exchange it is well known that during all Sir Charles Tupper's residence in London he never knowingly identified himself with any transactions of a dubious or even of a questionable character, hence the confidence in his judgment. In this connection there is a huge joke in financial circles at the expense of one of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Ministers, Sir Louis Davies. When the announcement of the Gold Company appeared having Sir Charles Tupper's name, the Minister made a violent speech denouncing the Klondike, and inferentially all Canadian gold mining enterprises, saying in these words: "A gold mine needs only a hole in the ground and a bar." It had no effect upon Sir Charles Tupper's colleagues in the enterprise, who attribute it to jealousy, and the capital was immediately subscribed. Lo and behold what followed! Another company was almost immediately launched, in which Col. Domville and some other Liberals were interested. The same Canadian Minister who warns Londoners against all Canadian gold mines, appears as one of the promoters. People are asking if this is a sample of Canadian fair dealing.

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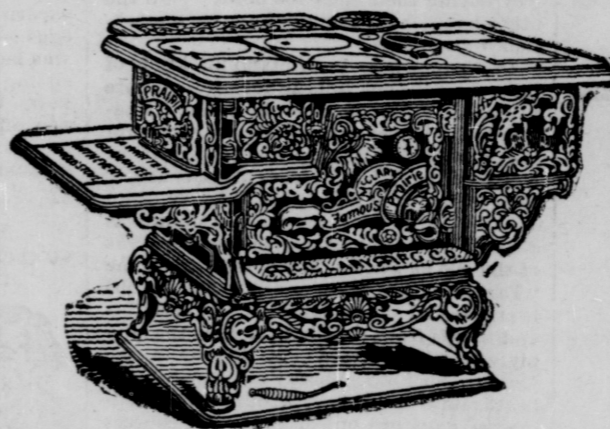
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