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READ THEM FOR YOURSELVES

The Liberals now attempt to explain President Taft's opinion of the real effect of Reciprocity. Here are his words; read them for yourselves.

In a speech at the joint banquet of the Associated Press and the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, held in New York on April 27th last, when it became necessary to explain to the people of the United States just what Reciprocity meant, just what the President hoped for by the measure, he said:—

"I have said that this was a critical time in the solution of the question of Reciprocity. It is critical because unless it is now decided favorably to Reciprocity, it is

exceedingly probable that no such opportunity will ever again come to the United States. THE FORCES WHICH ARE AT WORK IN ENGLAND AND IN CANADA TO SEPARATE HER BY A CHINESE WALL FROM THE UNITED STATES, AND TO MAKE HER PART OF AN IMPERIAL COMMERCIAL BAND REACHING FROM ENGLAND AROUND THE WORLD TO ENGLAND AGAIN BY A SYSTEM OF PREFERENTIAL TARIFFS, WILL DERIVE AN IMPELUS FROM THE REJECTION OF THIS TREATY, and if we would have reciprocity with all the advantages that I have described, and that I earnestly and sincerely believe will follow its adoption we must take it NOW or give it up forever."

CARD

To the Electors of the County of Northumberland: Gentlemen;

The Liberal-Conservative Convention of our County, held last month, nominated me as the Party's Candidate at the approaching election of a member of the House of Commons for this Constituency. I have accepted the nomination and as such nominee solicit your support of the principles laid down at that convention and held by the Conservative Party in Canada.

I find it will be impossible for me to personally interview all the electors, as I would like to do, but hope to be able, with their co-operation, to give them a chance of hearing my statement of the case at issue, at public meetings throughout the County, and I earnestly appeal to you to give the great question your careful and loyal consideration and vote against the Reciprocity Pact and for the platform of the Liberal Conservative Party and mark your ballots for me, its Candidate, on the twenty-first of September.

That Convention spoke not only for the Conservative Party but also for the large number of Liberals who have taken issue with their Leaders both on the vital question of the day and also on the manner in which they have attempted to force this policy upon the Country without consulting the people.

The Election now about to be held is the most important since 1876. It is a referendum of the question of Reciprocity with the United States; the supreme decision of the people. The Government entered into this Reciprocity Pact by secret negotiation at Washington, on its own initiative, without request, without discussion, and without the approval of the people. It is altogether due to the Conservative Party and some patriotic Liberal members, that the people have obtained an opportunity of expressing their opinion and giving their decision on the question.

There are many questions emanating from the position taken by the Government; the effect of this radical change in our fiscal policy on the industries of our Country; the exploiting by indifferent and foreign corporations and trusts of our forests and other natural resources; the debasing of our people into hewers of wood for the aggrandizement of foreign labour and capital in the higher processes of manufactures; the cheapening and control of our market by foreign producers; the closing of markets for our products which are only now being established. Shall Canada remain a free country? free to make her own laws and tariffs—or shall she do the republican livery that Fielding and Patterson would make us wear? Shall Canada remain in the British Empire—the greatest of its world encircled dominions—

the brightest gem in the Imperial Crown growing with the Empress growth, protected by its Army and Navy, sharing its greatness, glory and prosperity—or shall she enter upon the path that leads to entanglement and separation? These are kindred subjects I hope to discuss with you on the public platform during my canvass.

The Vital Question is—Shall Canada direct her own destinies? Shall our relations with other countries be the friendly but free dealings of one self-respecting people with another? President Taft says, "Canada is at the parting of the ways." And this is true. Which way will you take? The path that leads to Washington fellow-citizens of Northumberland? Fiscal dependence and ultimate annexation; or the path of tariff independence, national self-respect and closer trade relations with the other members of our great Empire? Years of a hostile tariff have taught Canada independence and are beginning to bring her wealth. Why this sudden insistence by the United States upon giving us what is no longer a necessity? For years we sought it and were denied. We have found other markets; other capital has sought us; other investors have established their industries among us; our credit is now firmly established in other and larger money centres and the conditions which induced us to desire Reciprocity with the United States have long since disappeared.

The meaning of these sudden overtures by the United States is plain, and the answer of the Liberal-Conservative Party, and the Liberals who join it on this issue is the voicing of the decision of the country that Canada will protect and maintain for her own people, her wealth, her natural resources, her constitution and her autonomy.

Your Obedient Servant, D. MORRISON. Aug. 26th, 1911.

From President Taft's message to Congress with the Reciprocity Agreement, Jan. 26, 1911: "Ought we not then to arrange a commercial agreement with Canada, if we can, by which we shall have direct access to her great supply of natural products without an obstructing or prohibitory tariff? The Dominion has prospered. It has an active, aggressive and intelligent people. They are COMING TO THE PARTING OF THE WAYS." "Should we not now, therefore, before their policy has become too crystallized and fixed for change, meet them in a spirit of real concession, facilitate commerce between the two countries, and thus greatly increase the natural resources available to our people?"

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ST. JOHN SOCIALIST

Are Not Carried Away by the Cry That Reciprocity Will Benefit the Workers.

At the meeting of the St. John branch of the Socialist Party of Canada, held at 36 Dock street, on the 17th instant, chairman J. Taylor, a native of England, pointed out that free trade in England had not operated to the advantage of the people, because after 40 years of free trade Sir Henry Campbell Bannerman had to declare that 12,000,000 in Great Britain were continually on the verge of starvation. "When Canadian politicians," he added, "tell you that free trade in natural products will give the farmers automobiles and improve the condition of the working class, ask them to explain why free trade has made the position of the English workmen more precarious than that of any other working people in the world."

DEATH AFTER A SCRATCH

Morris Quatzam, an eleven year old Windsor boy, fell off his bicycle and scratched his wrist. He thought nothing of the injury, but blood poison set in and he is dead.

Such incidents as these—by no means infrequent—ought to make people realize the danger that may lie even in the smallest flesh wound. Take a simple illustration. When a knife, rusty needle, a splinter of dirty wood, a barbed wire fence, or a thorn, scratches the hand, the latter is inoculated with germs, of which the air about us is full.

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ORANGE CIRCULARS IN NORTHUMBERLAND

The Grits Resorting to Their Old Tactics.

Rogersville, N. B., Sept. 18.—If enthusiasm and good attendance to meetings can be relied upon as a forecast of the coming fray, the Conservative party can certainly be assured of victory in Northumberland county, as the candidate and the campaigners always meet great receptions, and a most enthusiastic welcome, from all parts of the County.

Although there is quite an under current working, as was stated this morning by a staunch Liberal of Newcastle, the Conservative party is sure to win.

The so called under current is in the form of pamphlets, printed in French, relative to the Orange Order, against the authority of Rome, such as were distributed here last election, by P. J. Venoit of Bathurst. But although they had then, a certain effect, the people have got finally to see that that gentlemen was working in the interest of his own position as he well knew that in case there was a change in the Government, he certainly would stand a good chance to vacate the Custom House at Bathurst. It is rumored that the same gentleman will be here next week, trying the same game but will be met with the disapproval of the majority of the French people here, as they are too intelligent to be led astray from their duty by such dishonest tactics.

RECIPROCITY AGREEMENT.

Men and women of Miramichi! What do you think of the insult to Canadians by W. H. Hearst? He is now publishing his "America for the Americans" papers in Canada. Here are some extracts.

"The day that Reciprocity becomes a fact, the chief interest of Canada will be here in the United States.

"Should we not with Reciprocity be far more important in the eyes of Canadians than the IMAGINARY 'EMPIRE OF GREAT BRITAIN,' which they look to now?"

"The deal condition, of course would be a political as well as a business union of all this North American continent.

"Is it not a fact that reciprocity, bringing the people of Canada and the United States closer together every day, will do more than anything else to promote eventually the complete political and business union of the United States; and all the great territory north of us?"

"The reciprocity agreement will check the east and west development of Canada and make that country a business part of the United States, with the lines of traffic running here to the north and south.

"Reciprocity will really cut Canada into two countries. The section east of Lake Superior, will merge with the New England States, and the west will become part of the west of the United States."

"What Hearst's New York American said editorially before the Reciprocity issue became acute in Canada.

"And the Hearst newspapers will esteem it a privilege and a duty to help in the same way the fight of the honest and earnest friends in Canada for the establishment of this wise and sensible agreement." (From the leading editorial in Hearst's New York American last Monday.)

This is the man whom President Taft commends for his activity in promoting Reciprocity—Why? Because they both mean ANNEXATION.

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Gunn, of Chatham, announce the engagement of their daughter, Hester A. to Mr. Frederick Harrison McKeen, of Vancouver, B. C. The marriage will take place early in October.

Mrs. Katherine E. Buchanan announces the marriage of her eldest daughter, Loretta Jean, to Egbert Basil Wayne, on Wednesday, Sept. 20th, at St. Stephen's church Winnipeg, Manitoba. At home after Dec. 1st. Preston Court, Winnipeg.

Dr. Gordon O. Hewitt, Dominion Entomologist, reports, referring to the insidious deathly fly, that he believes that the so-called house fly is yearly causing the death of thousands of infants, as well as spreading throughout the household flies.



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