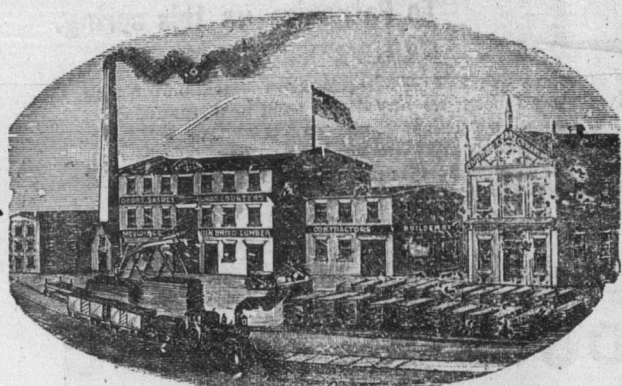


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The farm known as the Chipman Sars farm in Middle containing twenty two acres with new dwelling house and barn. Also the Chipman Sars 7 acre lot of marsh in "Goose Lake".
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For sale low ten and a half acre marsh land in good condition with barn thereon situated at Dorchester Cape, known as the Backhouse marsh lot, also fifty acres Woodland.
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Notice of Sale.
To Alexis Welsh and Ruth E. Welsh, his wife, and all others whom it may concern.
Take notice that there will be sold at Public Auction on MONDAY THE TWENTY-THIRD DAY OF MAY A. D. 1895 at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon in front of the Post office in Port Elgin in the county of Westmorland and province of New Brunswick the following piece, parcel or tract of land bounded and described as follows, viz: Situate near Port Elgin a forested and wooded South West by the road leading from Port Elgin to Fort Moncton, North West by lands of Andrew Grant, with a length of thirty two chains and fifty links, thereon, from said road N. 65° 30' E. to the Gaspeaux River thence South easterly following the several courses of said river until it meets a line running parallel to Andrew Grant's south east line above described, to a stake at the Port Moncton road hereafter having a distance of twelve rods, and containing ten acres and a half, and twenty six perches, be the same more or less, together with all and singular the buildings, improvements, privileges, and appurtenances to the said land belonging or to any wise appertaining; the said piece or parcel of land, being bounded and described as aforesaid in a certain indenture of mortgage dated the tenth day of August A. D. 1891, and made between the said Alexis Welsh and wife of the one part and Thomas Hawson of the other part.
The above sale will be made under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in the above mentioned indenture of mortgage, which was duly recorded in the office of the Registrar of Deeds for the County of Westmorland by the No 5554, folio 61, libro V, records of deeds &c, on Sept. 2nd 1891 as by reference thereto will more fully and at large appear.
And the said sale will be made because default has been made in the payment of the principal money and interest secured and made payable by the said indenture of mortgage.
Terms and particulars made known at the time of sale, or on application to the undersigned solicitor.
Dated at Port Elgin aforesaid April 22nd 1895.
THOMAS HEWSON,
W. WOODBURY WELLS,
Solicitor.

A DEEP LAID SCHEME.

To Disrupt the Liberal-Conservative Party.

GRITS IN DISGUISE.

Mr. John A. McMillan Shows Up the Tactics of the Patrons—The Liberal-Conservative Farmers of the Country Should not be Misled into Fostering Grit Schemes—Mr. McMillan Hits Back.

We clip the following from The Mail in Empire:
To the Editor of The Mail and Empire:

Sir—In my last letter my aim was to draw the attention of your readers to the fact that the one great desire of the leaders of the Patrons is to destroy the Government at Ottawa, and in doing so I summoned to my assistance only the use of kindly and gentle language, and for so doing I am treated through the columns of the press with a diatribe of personalities and nasty invectives, coarse in language and gross in their nature.

Now, Mr. Editor, I don't like to trouble the press with matters personal to myself, and never have, yet I must crave your indulgence a little in that respect; but before doing so, permit me to give you some further facts in relation to the attitude of the Patrons in some of the other ridings of the province which have come under my notice during the last two weeks.

The Patrons have recently met in North and South Perth, and in the former, which is represented in Parliament by a Liberal, they concluded not to put a man in the field, but in South Perth, which is represented by a Conservative, they concluded to place a man in the field.

In Mr. Cargill's constituency, which he has always carried by a small Conservative majority, they nominate a Conservative against him.

In Oxford the nominees of the Patrons attended the Reform Convention (a nice place for him), and publicly stated that he would not run against Sir Richard Cartwright, the nominee of the Reform party.

In East York the Secretary of the Patron Association for the riding actually attended the Clear Grit Convention and seconded the nomination of the Clear Grit nominee, Mr. Frankland, and has been doing all he can, ever since, to get the Patrons' support for Mr. Frankland, and against Mr. Maclean, the present Conservative member for the riding.

In West York, which is overwhelmingly Conservative, and where no Clear Grit could have a possible chance of success against the Hon. Clarke Wallace, a Patron is put in the field, in the hope of wresting the seat from the Government.

In Lennox the Liberal party, in the hope of defeating Mr. Wilson, the present Conservative member, have withdrawn their candidate, Mr. Allison from the field, and in East Hastings, which is overwhelmingly Conservative, the Liberals conclude to support the Patron candidate in the hope of defeating Mr. Northrup, the present Conservative member for the riding.

A short time ago we read of Mr. Pardo, the Patron member for Kent, attending a convention of the Liberal party, and denouncing the Liberal support, and yet more moons doubtless you will find this non-partisan Patron supporting Mr. Campbell, the nominee of the Liberal party for the Commons.

In East Peterboro the other day the Liberals met and nominated—who do you think, Mr. Editor? Why, nothing less than the president of the Patrons for the riding, Mr. Lang, who, by the way, was a former Grit M.P., and doubtless they thought that, Patron or what not, they could trust him again.

In one of the Waterloos (I think the south riding) we find the Patron retiring rather than do injury to the Liberal candidate in this old-time Reform riding.

A few days ago a meeting of Liberals was held at Sirling, for the purpose of appointing 75 delegates to the Liberal Convention, and their instructions from the meeting were that they be at liberty to either support a Liberal candidate or support the Patron, as they might see fit.

Surely no one will contend on reading the above, and seeing what is going on around about us on every hand, that there is not a contract of mutual support or an understanding very nicely worked out between the leaders of these two parties.

Mr. Gillespie, the nominee of the Liberal party for North Ontario, said the other evening at Severn Bridge, that the Patrons had taken their policy, and it is only a day or two since Mr. Henry Glenning, the well-known Granger and Patron, of Brock, said that he had not to make much of a Somerset in leaving the Liberals and uniting his fortunes with the Patron movement; and only the start-up of both these ways in the light of recent events strikes one with a great deal of force as to their truthfulness.

MR. H. PORTER, Station Master W. & A. Railway, Cook Brook Station, writes: "Sir, I have been a Liberal and a Conservative. Used one battle-axe for one throat and pain in back and found immediate relief. Send more free trial."

Little Dot (after reflection)—I suppose bad words was no folks could say mean things without hurting anybody's feelings.

Why, it'll quite spoil our croquet ground.

Can't help it, Miss; them's your pa's orders. He says he'll have laid out for horticulture, not for husbandry.

Barstow's Corns & Aches—South American Rheumatic Cure, for Rheumatism and Neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. It acts upon the system in remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75 cents. Sold by A. Dixon.

Little Dot—Uncle George says I'm "too loquacious." What does that mean?

Mamma—That means you talk too much.

In addition to the above facts let me draw your attention, and that of your readers to the fact that the leader of the Patrons in the Local Legislature, Mr. Haycock, and Mr. Currie, the whip of the party, are both old-time Radicals of the severest type.

Now, Mr. Editor, from the foregoing and my previous letter, I have tried to make it clear that my object is to point out to my fellow-Conservatives who are of the Patron organization that there is a deep laid scheme to get their assistance for the disruption of the Conservative party, which could only result in placing Mr. Laurier in power. I have been entirely candid, and I have made no charges whatever against any one of our Conservative friends or the rank and file of the Liberal party who have joined the movement in this riding.

My only charge of unfair dealing has been against the party hacks in the riding that have hitherto been identified with the Clear Grit party. I have never said nor have I ever thought that farmers should not combine together for promoting their best interest and in so far as the Patron movement will attain that object I would be the last one to take exception to the movement.

Mr. Brandon, however, by some flight of imagination, endeavors to misread my letter, or at least misconstrue it to the public. If his style of writing suits his friends I need not complain in any event.

Mr. Editor, it would make this letter long were I to deal with the whole letter just now, but I may ask you for space in order to deal with the special references contained in Mr. Brandon's letter.

Yours, etc.,
JOHN McMILLAN,
Uxbridge, March 6.

FREE TRADE BRITAIN'S DISTRESS.

LONDON, Feb. 25. James Keir, M.P., has had another hearing before the House of Commons Committee, which is considering plans for the relief of the unemployed.

He said that the distress was so widespread that a state grant of £5,000,000 would only tide over the needs of the unemployed through the winter for six weeks.

He pointed out that the distress was not confined to the unemployed, but was also felt by the working classes generally.

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adrian ports was 12,739,974 tons. In 1878, under Free trade, the tonnage of vessels sailing between ports in one province and the ports of another or of the same province was 1,074,531. In 1892 the tonnage of the same class of vessels had grown to 36,109,925. Inter-provincial trade boomed under protection.

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OLD WARWICK CASTLE.

SCENE OF THE MOST BRILLIANT BALLS OF THE CENTURY.

Louis XV Costumes—Electric Lights and Two Thousand Wax Candles—The Countess of Warwick in Politics and Society—Her Governmental Sphere.

It is said that the ball at Warwick Castle a few weeks ago was the most brilliant of the century in England. Writing of the ball a London correspondent said: "The costumes were strictly confined to Louis XV and Louis XVI, and not only were the numerous attendants attired in the dress of that period, but even the musicians of Her Wurm's Viennese orchestra, who supplied the dance music, wore Louis XV costumes, picturesquely carried out in white and gold. The suite of principal rooms at the castle lent one into the other, so that the vista of magnificent and brilliantly lighted apartments was superb. Over 2,000 guests were present."

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FOR ONE'S TRAVELLING BAG.

including the envelope flap, so, when closed the case measures four by three inches. The linen should be buttonhole stitched up to the sides of the pocket and around the flap, and the same wash silk as that used for the flowers. Next a bag of chain-aisle, a little smaller in size than the linen one, should be made, to go inside, and the sides overlaid together. The shape are to be put in this pocket and the bag rolled up. This takes the place of wrapping up in paper, and is much more compact and shipping. Several of these bags are necessary for a complete equipment of madame's or Mademoiselle's packing "boxes," and one or two made of white linen, instead of the more serviceable brown, would be daintier for light evening shoes.

HEAVY PLAY IN COUNTRY HOUSES.

Gambling Carried On to a Dangerous Extent in English Homes.

While there is a determined crusade against gambling in England, and hundreds of workmen and tradesmen are arrested every week for betting, no check has been put upon the heavy play going on in the country houses of the nobility, says the New York Commercial. The law is virtually powerless to interfere with this class of sport, and the players do not belong to a type that can be influenced by moral suasion, but if current stories are true, measures of some sort should be adopted to suppress or diminish the evil.

Although the victims are not disposed to "squint" for various reasons, it is whispered that some very shady tricks are resorted to to relieve poor fools of their superfluous cash. Many young members of hunting and shooting parties are despoiled by aristocratic sharpers, and instances of subsequent hardships are told at the clubs, with comments that do not spare the country hostesses.

The women indeed, are more eager for baccarat and other high-toned games than the men, and they have less play for the young folk that are involved in dropping their pocket money and giving I O Us when their cash is exhausted. Two young officers of some regiment are said to have been ruined by play this week. They have sent in their papers to the war office and start for the colonies soon to make their fortune, but their fortunes are so long as men of standing patronize the gambling tables of the country houses it is difficult to keep the gambling habit within bounds.

AN ARTISTIC COIFFURE.

The slightly undulated hair, carefully draped at the sides on the nape of the neck, and is skillfully twisted at the back. A feathered aigrette is poised on the top of the head amongst the short, soft rolls and puffs.

AN ARTISTIC COIFFURE.

How Troubles are Divided.
Troubles are evenly divided. After all, says the Philadelphia Times, a girl may go nearly distracted when she feels that the hand of her dress skirt has come untied, but that is a trifling anxiety of the man when the buttonhole of the neck of his shirt slips open and lets his collar and necktie slip up