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6-M. L. Holtermann

Reta Carter, Nellie

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British has furnished the greatest class of men of any empire in the world and in the veins of these men is the confluence of the best blood and for this reason Great Britain is great. We can never be accused of over loyalty. Others may flaunt their flags in our faces but in our character and manliness we sing our praise to our Empire. One of the causes of the greatness of the Empire is that we have an independent and representative system of government. The speaker spoke of the old French customs and laws which are still in force in Quebec showing that though a part of the British Empire the law-makers did not force English laws and customs upon the people thus causing no ill feeling and resentment and by doing this is loved and honored by these people. We can search through the history of the world but we can find no other nation so liberal with those conquered as is Great Britain. On this point he instanced the treatment of the Boers after their conquest. The speaker stated that the Empire has been foremost in some of the greatest reforms the world has known. She has had great men who have stood up for what is right and this is what has made her famous, and it is our privilege to fight to make the Empire still greater.

Rev. Mr. Woodside illuminated his remarks with references to world events which showed him to be a deep student of history. Dominion and Ontario Parliaments. This toast was proposed by Mr. F. D. Reville in a somewhat humorous strain. He paid a high personal tribute to Warden Kendrick and thought city and county men should get more and more together.

Mr. W. S. Brewster, M. P. P., made an able reply. Speaking first of Ontario he traced the origin of the first Provincial Parliament and said that in many respects the latter body had more important matters to deal with than the Federal House such as education and so on. The Grand Ontario beat and always would beat all the other provinces in resources, best climate and people of good old stock. She was great now, but in the future would be greater than ever before. One and all should stand shoulder to shoulder and help in a still larger building up. Referring to the Dominion, the speaker enlarged upon it as the greatest heritage under the good old union jack. Instead of drawing away from the great Empire the dominant desire was to get even nearer.

At this stage Mr. Sanderson sang a comic song, which really was comic, in such style as to demand a vociferous encore.

Agricultural Intoxics.

Mr. J. W. Westbrook, M. P. P., in a happy manner proposed this toast. He pointed out that the farmer of to-day dwelt and worked under vastly different circumstances from those of the pioneers. The agriculturists of Ontario were as a whole well-to-do and were among the most satisfied class of people in the world.

Mr. J. Lockie Wilson of Toronto, of the Ontario Department of Agriculture, responded to the toast in a most excellent address. Mr. Wilson has travelled in many parts of the world but he has found no place with such a great heritage as Ontario. He spoke of the continual drift of the young men from the farms to the cities. Many great men were farmers' boys and they brought credit to their country. It is a blessing that all the farmers' boys do not stay on the farms as the cities need them but enough are staying to continue the work. There is not a country in the world where so well-organized farmers' societies as Ontario which are proving a great help to the province.

The average Ontario farmer is a broad-minded, generous, fair and kind father. What would the Northwest have done without the boys from the Ontario farms? It was the young men made it, what it is, but also they have done great work in the West and have prospered and held the balance true in the face of a large incoming population of outsiders.

Mr. Wilson was especially forceful in dwelling upon the fact that consumers were paying too high for their produce, not because of the farmer but because of the middleman. He instanced the case after case in regard. Recently in Toronto he saw in a fruit store apples advertised for sale at 35 cents a dozen. He went in and at once saw from the box in which they were placed that they had been shipped from Oregon. And yet thousands upon thousands of apples at the time had been allowed to lay rotting in Canadian orchards which it did not pay to pack and ship them. He was something radically wrong here. He related another case of a Wilmot man who had been offered \$5 for a ton of cabbage. To bring them to Toronto it cost \$42 on the railway, leaving said farmer 1-2 cents per cabbage. When he came into his office at Tor-

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MARKET REPORTS

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Belief that only a positive calamity will prevent a record yield in 1914, wheat today to 8 1/2 much lower level. Heaviness prevailed at the close, which was at a decline of 1 to 1 1/2c. All other leading staples, too, finished at a loss, corn 3/4 to 5/8c, oats 1/4 to 3/8c, rye 1/2 to 3/4c, buckwheat, bushel, 61 to 62.

TORONTO GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat, fall, bushel, 60 90 to 92

Barley, bulch, 27 02

Peas, bushel, 80 80

Oats, bushel, 23 23

Rye, bushel, 65 65

Buckwheat, bushel, 61 62

TORONTO DAIRY MARKET.

Butter, creamery, lb. rolls, 31 34

Butter, separator, dairy, 27 28

Butter, creamery, solids, 28 30

Butter, store lots, 24 25

Cheese, old, lb., 15 15

Cheese, new, lb., 14 15

Eggs, new-laid, 30 34

Eggs, cold storage, 34 34

Eggs, select, cold storage 37 37

Honey, extracted, lb., 10 10

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 18.—The wheat market during the first hour was fairly quiet at weak prices. The market opened a bit higher and closed unchanged. Oats and flax were steady. Barley was firm.

Wheat—No. 1 northern, 81 1/2c; No. 2 do, 78 1/2c; No. 3 do, 75 1/2c; No. 1 rejected seeds, 75 1/2c; No. 2 do, 73 1/2c; No. 1 smutty, 75 1/2c; No. 3 do, 74 1/2c; Corn—No. 1 C.W., 33 1/2c; No. 2 C.W., 31 1/2c; No. 1 feed, 29c; No. 2 feed, 29 1/2c; Barley—No. 3, 42c; No. 4, 40c; reject, 37c; feed, 35c.

Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., 1.18 1/2; No. 2 C.W., 1.16 1/2.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 18.—Close. Wheat—Dec, 83 1/2c asked; May, 85 1/2c bid; No. 1 hard, 87 1/2c; No. 1 northern, 84 1/2c; No. 2 do, 82 1/2c; No. 3 do, 80 1/2c; No. 3 wheat, 80 1/2c to 82 1/2c; Corn—No. 3 yellow, 80 1/2c to 81c; No. 2 do, 82 1/2c to 84c; Oats—No. 3 white, 25 1/2c to 26c; Flour—Unchanged.

DULUTH GRAIN MARKET.

DULUTH, Dec. 18.—Close. Wheat—No. 1 hard, 86 1/2c; No. 1 northern, 83 1/2c; No. 2 do, 82 1/2c; No. 3 do, 80 1/2c; No. 1 hard, 84 1/2c; Dec, 83 1/2c; May, 87 1/2c.

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onto and told him of the facts, the speaker phoned two stores and when he asked the price of cabbages, was told in each instance 15 cents a head. Here again as in the other instances he had quoted, there was something radically wrong. What was the remedy? A more direct co-operation between the farmer and the consumer. (Loud applause.)

Denmark, which used to be in about the same position as Canada in this matter, had solved the problem. How? Her farmers had possessed faith in each other and by co-operation were reaching the consumer direct, to the great advantage of all. In the North of Ireland Sir Morace Plunkett, one of the greatest co-operation men of the world had pursued a like course with the most marked and most beneficial effects. He was pleased to announce that in connection with his department of the Ontario Government, a co-operative and market branch had now been launched. (Loud applause.)

Once more he wished to emphasize the many and the great advantages of Ontario over all other provinces. He knew the West—had good reason to know it. In the early days of the land boom out there he bought two lots for \$500 apiece in what was then the village of Portage La Prairie. He paid taxes for 25 years and then when he visited the place it had developed wonderfully with paved streets and all the rest of it. He sold these two lots and they were central for \$300 each and might glad he was to get it. Why couldn't he get more? Simply because all around sub-divisions had been sold to the extent of a population of 200,000 souls. It was a great West, no question about that, but it had been overdone. As to farming in a large proportion of those vast regions the loneliness of the life, with no near neighbors, was very bad for the man, but if so, what about the women and children? Under such circumstances and without wishing to disparage the Western regions which possessed great potentialities he would say earnestly that the man or youth on a comfortable farm in this province was far better off than if he took up 300 acres in either Saskatchewan or Alberta. (Loud applause.)

Duties of Warden.

Mr. Watts, previous to calling upon Acting Mayor Spence to propose the toast of the Warden made a few remarks as to the duties a Warden is called upon to perform. He mentioned the fact that Warden Kendrick had also been reeve of the township. There were also many boards on which the Warden of the County was required to act. The Warden had ably fulfilled his duties never stopping when duty called him.

Acting Mayor Spence.

Mr. Spence regretted very much the absence of Mayor Hartman, who owing to illness could not attend. He heartily sympathized with the Warden in his many duties and stated that he realized what it meant having been Acting Mayor during the past few weeks. When a man took upon himself the duties of a public office he should fulfill the duties of the office at a sacrifice, it need be. He considered an honor had been conferred upon the Township in having the reeve elected as Warden of the County. He then proposed the toast of the Warden.

Warden Responds.

Warden Kendrick upon rising was greeted with "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow," and three cheers and a tiger. In some heartfelt remarks he thanked the gathering for the pleasure bestowed upon him by their attendance at the banquet. He had greatly appreciated the high honor of the Warden and had earnestly tried to do his duty. He felt sure that all present had thoroughly enjoyed the speeches of the various gentlemen. He much regretted the absence of Mayor Hartman through illness. Himself and Mayor Hartman had worked together on various boards in a most amicable manner and he wished to pay this tribute to his worth. He welcomed Acting Mayor Spence and believed and hoped he would become the actual Mayor during the ensuing year. The County and City were now on much better terms than the same time last year and this was as it should be. He believed one of the very greatest needs in Brant County was better roads and also that the Hamilton Road should be a Provincial highway. Township grants from the government, he thought, should be as high as for a county. Once more he deeply thanked the ratepayers of the Township for their confidence in him, and also his fellow members of the County Council for giving him the highest gift in their power. In conclusion he sincerely wished one and all the compliments of the season. (Loud applause.)

Toast to County.

In the absence of Mayor Patterson of Paris the chairman called upon Ex-Warden Kelman to propose the toast to the county which he did in a very pleasant manner.

Councillor Cook replied. He was very humorous and because of this was a very popular speaker. The very successful event was brought to a close by singing "God Save the King."

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