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CONSERVATIVES POLICY

The policy of the Liberal-Conservative party is thus set forth in a resolution of which the leader of the opposition gave notice in the house last week. It is as follows:

That in the opinion of this house the welfare of this country requires a pronounced policy of adequate protection and encouragement of all times to the labor, agricultural, manufacturing, mining and other industrial interests of Canada. That in the opinion of this house the adoption of a policy of mutual trade preference within the empire would prove of great benefit to the mother country and to the colonies and would greatly promote the prosperity, unity and progress of the empire as a whole; and that the present time, when the Commonwealth of Australia is laying the foundation of its fiscal system, is particularly opportune for taking prompt and energetic steps towards the furtherance of this object. This house is further of opinion that equivalent or adequate duties should be imposed by Canada upon the products and manufactures of all countries not within the empire in all cases where such countries fail to admit Canadian products and manufactures upon fair terms, and that the government should take for this purpose all such available measures as may be found necessary.

Founded upon the policy of the Liberal Conservative party, as laid down in 1876, 1877 and 1878 by Sir John Macdonald, the foregoing platform will certainly meet with the approbation of the party throughout the Dominion.

BUDGET SPEECH

"Millions for capital expenditure, not one cent for the reduction of the taxation of the people." This will be found by reading the Budget speech of the Finance Minister which was delivered last Thursday. It was the shortest on record taking but one hour and a half to be delivered in opening the session in every department of industry there was a gratifying activity. While Canada has been favored with prosperity what has been done to reduce the debt of the country? Instead of being conducted on a basis of a government of the people and by them, money has been spent freely in the interests of party heeled who assisted the government being put back for another four years. Some thirty millions have been taken from the pockets of the people and instead of being used to reduce the debt it has helped to put on. It can be readily seen that had financing is the fault of the government and that it is telling upon those who intended to prosper by it. Every day demands for money keep pouring in and to supply them the minister levies millions for extra taxation. A surplus of eight million is handed us while the public debt is nearly two million larger than last year.

Mr. Fielding takes credit for remitting customs taxation to the amount of \$3,292,230 a year, or 1.87 percent out of the whole rate of 18.28 percent collected on imports for home consumption in 1896. We do not think that is a very satisfactory achievement in view of the magnificent opportunity which offered. For the current fiscal year, which closes on June 30 next, Mr. Fielding estimates that the total revenue will amount to \$51,029,994 and the ordinary expenditure to \$42,975,279, showing a surplus of \$8,054,715 for the year. This large surplus is a matter for congratulation, as it indicates, prosperity, but it would be a matter for further satisfaction were it intended to be applied to the relief of the people from the unnecessary taxation which it implies. In view of it, the taxation on coal oil, on farming machinery, upon other necessities

of the people might have been lowered or abolished. But the government has no such purpose. The coal oil and all others duties are to remain unlightened, but the whole of the surplus and more in addition is to be spent. Ten million seven hundred thousand dollars are to be spent upon capital account before the end of the year, so that the surplus will all be gone, and an addition of \$1,800,000 will be added to the national debt.

GOLDEN WEDDING

Celebrated by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Masters

Frequently we hear of persons celebrating their fiftieth birthday but very seldom of any celebrating their Golden wedding. When a couple are spared to reach this period it is one of the most pleasing occurrences in their long union. Such was the case on Monday last when Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Masters of this town, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding. To make this one long to be remembered by the aged couple, their children from the States, relatives and friends throughout the province and town assembled to participate in the happy event. All the children were present with the exception of one who resides in the West.

The interior of the house was very tastefully decorated in yellow and many jonquils added to the artistic effect. The guests were served by Misses Alice Chipman, Hattie Moore, Roberta Blanchard, Laura Chipman and Alice Pabli cover, while Mrs. C. H. Day served tea etc.

The happy couple were recipients of many valuable presents which were all arranged on a table. Over \$100 in gold coin was received.

One present Mrs. Masters received was a gold embroidered scarf from Mrs. West who now resides in the Western States. She was the bridemaid for Mrs. Masters, being at that time Miss Woodbury of Wilmot.

The music of the evening was furnished by Mrs. Pyke on the piano and Mr. Enoch Harrington on the violin.

Mr. Charles Andrew Masters was born at Kentville on May 4th, 1823, and is thus seventy-eight years old on his next birthday. He is the son of Silas Woodworth Masters and Rebecca Rand, whose family numbered 13. Mr. Masters is the eighth son in a family of eleven, all now dead except his sisters, Mary (Mrs. E. Topper) now living at Minneapolis, and Rebecca A. (Mrs. Jas. A. Calkin,) now living with her daughter, Mrs. G. V. Lansing at New York.

Mr. Master's great grandfather, Abraham emigrated from Salem, Mass., to Falmouth, Nova Scotia, arriving there on November 15th, 1760 in company with his two brothers and many other emigrants. He drew lot of land No. 74. The emigration at that date was in response to large tracts of land offered by the British Government made vacant by the expulsion of the Acadians.

Mr. Masters is the oldest man now living in Kentville, who was born in the town. He has always been identified, particularly in younger and middle life, with the development and growth of the town, and is today one of its most respected citizens.

On March 17, 1851 he married Miss Charlotte G. Morse, daughter of Beniah Morse of Berwick. They were married at Wilmot by the Rev. Ingram Hill. After the ceremony they drove to Kentville where they took up their abode. Mrs. Masters was born in 1833.

Her life had been during these many years most exemplary as wife and mother—always striving to encourage by word and deed the best and noblest qualities in those around her.

Throughout life Mrs. Masters has been a most devoted member, as also Mr. Masters, of the Baptist Church, always most active and foremost in every phase of Church work. She has

also been a most staunch advocate of temperance.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Masters are: Albert B.—Killed by accident in British Columbia in 1893. Unmarried. Frederick A.—Barrater. Married. Now living in Kentville. Anna E.—Married Mr. Richard A. Masters, now living in Kentville.

Emma C.—Married Mr. Henry Thomas, of Chelsea, Mass. Catherine R.—Married Mr. J. Publicover, of Kentville. Caleb R.—Married, lives in British Columbia.

Rose W.—Unmarried, lives at Boston. John F.—Unmarried. New England Superintendent of the Dominion Atlantic Railway at Boston.

Nellie L.—Married Mr. Percy R. Bentley.

The ADVERTISER joins with the many in extending congratulations and hope they will be spared to celebrate their diamond wedding.

CAMBRIDGE

Mr. James Neily has gone to Boston. Mr. Harris Cox has arrived home safe and sound from Toronto.

Miss Bertie McColl of Port Williams spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McColl.

We are pleased to see Mr. J. H. Webster out again after his recent illness.

Mr. Edward Radolf is moving to the place recently purchased from Captain Bullerwell.

Mr. James Craig has returned from Mottristown, where he has been teaching school for two weeks, as substitute for Miss Chesley.

Miss Myrtle Caldwell spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Kingston Station.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Radford spent a day last week at Aylesford, the guests of their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Forsyth.

Quite a number of young people joined Fenwick Division Monday evening. They report a great rush, seventy-nine being initiated.

Mrs. Henry Borden of Church St. and baby Donald, are visiting Mrs. Borden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Craig, this week.

The Clam Supper held at Mr. F. E. Ratchford on the 8th inst., came off very successfully. The sum of \$30.15 was netted.

The Social Union spent a very pleasant evening last week at Mrs. E. W. Knowlton's. It is to meet at Mrs. J. Craig's this week. March 20th, 1901.

CASH BUYERS Attention

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Auction

To be sold at Public Auction on THURSDAY THE 28th DAY OF MARCH 1901, at one o'clock p. m. at the O'KEY FARM, Belcher St., Cornwallis, 3 Horses, 4 Cows, 1 Sloven and Hay Wagon, combined, 6 Plows, 1 S. T. Harrow, 1 Cultivator, 1 Hay Rake, 1 weeder, 2 Sleds, 2 Clever press Saws, 1 Mowing Machine, Harnesses, 1 Light Buggy, 1 Jump Seat Buggy; 1 Top Carriage 1 Base Burner, -1 Coal Stove, 1 Grindstone, Ladders and various other articles. Also about 10 tons of Hay. Terms: Hay cash, all other sums under \$5 cash. Above that sum 8 months credit with approved joint notes and interest. HENRY LOVETT, Auctioneer

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