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Campaign Against Commerce

Postal cards protesting against the reciprocity agreement and addressed to Washington, each with a blank for the name of a Congressman or Senator, are being scattered broadcast throughout the United States. The active organization thus devoting time and money to trade suppression is the American Protective Tariff League of New York. The campaign is so designed that every representative at Washington will hear from every constituent who is opposed to the tariff relief. Incidentally he will not hear from the multitude who favor the proposed changes. A better example could scarcely be found of the method in which the private interest generally exerts a stronger influence on an elected body than the more important public interest. The people who are levying comfortable overcharges on their fellow-citizens by virtue of the tariff obstruction can make their influence felt, and all who can be persuaded or cajoled into aiding them can so declare their positive position to their respective members simply by filling in blank postal cards over the country to further the public interest. The people who need relief are not organized.

There is a suggestive manifestation of unconscious candor in the postal card appeal which is directed chiefly to the farmers, and complains that the agreement "fairly sacrifices the interests of American agriculture." This is naively followed by the complaint that the "manufacturer cannot hope to maintain protection for his industry when protection shall have been denied to the farmer." As in Canada a somewhat delusive protection has been granted the farmer to reconcile him to a very material protection which he has been made to contribute to other industries. The benefits seen in the change a possibility of further extensions. They are unwilling to face the fact that the limit of extreme protection has been reached as it was in Canada when the Conservative regime came to an end. The relieving of one industry will naturally produce more demands for the relieving of the

industry of others. If the delusive obstruction which increased the cost of farm products while giving the farmers little or no increase in price is removed the farmers will be more inclined to ask relief from the obstructions that permit the levying of excessive prices on them. The American opponents in their organized appeal are proving the benefits of the proposed changes to Canadian agriculture. The opening of the American market will be of benefit, not necessarily because great volumes of farm products will be carried across the line. The mere fact that the market is open will insure fair prices in Canada for live stock and farm produce. The great disparity between what the farmer receives and what the consumer pays is due to tariff obstructions which facilitate the forcing of trade into monopolistic channels. The middlemen who profit by the artificial prevention of trade are the only people who can possibly lose by the proposed change. This fact is becoming more and more apparent as the discussion proceeds. Many who were stampeded into antagonism by the organized opposition are seeing their mistakes and adopting a more logical attitude. As in the case of the British preference, it will require the test of actual experience to convince the illogically determined. Their ultimate conversion is inevitable, but the more discerning will see in advance the wisdom of the proposed changes. Tor, Globe.

A Splendid Budget

It was Mr. Fielding's good fortune and pleasant duty to announce to the House of Commons on April 14 in his Budget speech that the revenue for the financial year just ended will when all the returns are in, exceed the expenditure by more than thirty million dollars. The revenue is expected to reach \$57,000,000. One of this great surplus the payments that are ordinarily made from revenue on account of capital were all met, and there was also paid a large proportion of the year's outlay on the National Trans-

continental Railway, so that the net addition to the public debt was kept down to about four million dollars. This extraordinary financial showing suggests the question how long it would take to pay off the debt of the Dominion if no more large appropriations were made for other public works. It recalls to mind however that during the next few years the new Welland Canal must be constructed at a heavy outlay, which will nevertheless not prove burdensome. The total net debt of the Dominion, after the addition of the four million above mentioned, will be about \$100,000,000. The increase of the debt has during the past few years been comparatively slow, owing to the succession of annual surpluses. In 1896, when the Liberal regime commenced, the debt was \$258,497,432. In 1901 it had increased to \$268,840,000. There was a slight reduction in 1906, the amount being \$267,042,977. The outlay on the Transcontinental Railway brought the debt up to 1909 to \$323,930,279, and since that date the increase has been insignificant.

From one point of view, that of the individual, the debt of the Dominion has been in reality decreasing. In 1891 the net debt per head of population was \$49.49; this year the per caput amount has fallen to \$43.69. The explanation of this reduction is the great increase that has taken place in the population of the Dominion. This increase of population explains also the rapid increase in the revenue from Customs. Those immigrants who have money begin promptly to spend it on goods that have paid Customs duties, and they continue so to spend in the same way their own earnings ever afterwards. In fact one great cause of the prosperity of the country is the influx of immigrants of a good class. The following table gives a fair idea of the country's progress as judged by this test:

Year	Amount
1905-06	\$46,064,697
1907-08	57,544,811
1908-09	47,415,325
1909-10	62,463,080
1910-11	72,744,010

How's This?

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Senate Scandal About Lorimer

Sermon At Tafts by Pres Hamilton. Lacked Sense to Protect His Honor, He Declares. Moral Code of Business Held to Blame.

Melford, March 5.—"If there was ever any question whether the senate should be destroyed and something else put in its place, it is settled by its action in seating Senator Lorimer," said Pres Hamilton of Tafts tonight in his sermon at the Goddard chapel. Taking "The Moral Code" for his subject, he proceeded to draw upon the business methods of Rockefeller, Morgan and Schiff, the recent Brown university "cribbing" case and the Lorimer investigation for illustrations.

"A few days ago," he said, "we read that 30 students of Brown went to the public library, copied something and offered it as their own work. That was dishonest, lying, cheating, a form of theft. Now, were these young men liars, cheats or thieves? No, they were the same clean, well-intentioned young men

who can be found in every college in the United States.

"They would not have stooped to forgery or to stealing. They were the victims of a smoky light. There wasn't a man among them whom I would not regard as at least my own moral equal, but they had been accustomed to the code which made them think it right to beat the game.

"In the minds of many persons the names of Rockefeller, Morgan and Schiff are synonymous with everything that is evil in the business world. We know the story of the sugar trust, the Standard Oil—the story of manipulated accounts and a stock market juggled to suit their ends. It has made the plain people desperate, ready to smash the social order. "I am perfectly willing to match adjectives with anybody, but it is the deed, not the men, that should be assailed. I honestly believe that not a single one of these men has consciously infringed his moral code. I don't believe that Rockefeller has ever done anything which he did not believe to be right.

I believe that when he sits in his pew in church it is with a clean conscience and sincere piety. He has been accustomed to believe that certain things are legitimate business but his light is darkness, a very dense darkness, too. "The transformation of the upper house into a congress at large means the destruction of the senate as a political institution. If there was any question whether the senate should be destroyed and something else put in its place it is settled by its astounding, fatuous action in seating Senator Lorimer. The senate did not have sense enough to protect its own honor.

"Senator Root alone was able to rise above the lawyer viewpoint and say that it was a question of the honor of the senate. But what is the matter with the senator from Illinois? It is only that he is the victim of the wrong moral code. He has fought his way to the front in a school of politicians which regards 'getting there' as the only real success, and failure to 'get there' as the only real failure."

SURE SIGNS OF Kidney Trouble.

If your back is constantly aching and you experience dull shooting pains, your kidneys are out of order. If your urine is thick and cloudy or your passages frequent scanty and painful, your kidneys and bladder are out of order. Neglect quickly brings on rheumatism, diabetes, lumbago, sciatica, etc.

Mrs. John Wagner of 110 Hollis St., Halifax, N. S. says: "Dull shooting pains would catch me across the small part of my back and extend into my shoulders and neck, often causing me to suffer with severe headaches and spells of dizziness. Spots would flaze before my eyes and everything would turn black. I would fall to the floor and would be unable to get up again without assistance. A friend told me of Booth's Kidney Pills and I began their use. The first box gave me relief and I am now well and strong."

All druggists sell Booth's kidney pills 50c a box with a guarantee to relieve or money back. They are the world's greatest specific for kidney and bladder trouble. Postpaid from the proprietors. The R. T. Booth Co. Ltd., Fort Erie. Sold guaranteed by J. Sutton Clark.

The Farm

The Secretary of Agriculture of the United States urges farmers to do everything they can to attract birds to reside with them during the season. The destruction by birds of the codling moth and many other insect pests shows clearly that the birds should be protected; but this is not enough. An effort should be made to increase their numbers, and so add to their effectiveness as auxiliaries to the farmer. In Europe the use

of artificial nests about houses and orchards have proven a great success. They not only attract numbers of birds, like woodpeckers to a particular locality where their services in destroying insects are much needed, but they actually increase the total number. Some such method is proposed in the United States and is certainly needed in Canada. The purchase of these boxes will prove a paying investment, as the increase of bird life about the farm, garden and orchard will materially lessen the ravages of injurious insects.—Tor, Globe.

The Church of St. John the Divine.

New York, N. Y., April 19.—Many distinguished public men and eminent representatives of nearly all religious denominations joined today with the clergy and laity of the Episcopal church in dedicating the two completed chapels of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, the great granite pile rising on Morningside Heights that has long attracted the attention of all visitors to New York. The ecclesiastical procession which was a feature of the dedication was the most imposing ever seen in the metropolis.

One of the finished chapels dedicated and opened to the public is a gift of August Belmont in memory of his first wife. The other is in memory of Miss Mary King. Today's exercises also included the dedication of the choir loft and the organ, which is the largest in America. The cathedral itself has been building for nearly 19 years and on it between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000 have been spent thus far. It is estimated that about 30 years will be required to complete it and the additional expenditure will probably exceed \$10,000,000. It is to be the largest and costliest church edifice in the Western world.

Bishop Greer read from the pulpit a letter written him by the Archbishop of Canterbury, in which after praying God's blessing on the new edifice he advocated international arbitration as proposed by President Taft.

"While we must perforce leave to statesmen and diplomatists the actual formulating of such arrangements as may be found practicable," the English prelate said dealing with the question of peace, "we want those great officers to realize that they are behind them not the acquiescence but the eager and enthusiastic support of two great Christian peoples, and that we esteem it to be one of our foremost privileges and duties as Christian ministers to set forward in the name of the Prince of Peace, what we believe to be absolutely accordant with the Divine will and purpose.

"God speed the endeavors of those who desire that the whole world should realize what we feel upon this great matter."

The House of Manning

Queen Mary, when Princess of Wales, and no doubt at the present time, too, had many a gown built for her by the famous old Manning House in Dublin. To speak of this ancient shop for a moment, it is a regular curio-house of relics and gifts of Royalty. The portraits of many British sovereigns hang on the walls on the little narrow, dark old rooms which no inducement could prevail upon the head of the great house to charge. Their very quaintness is their charm, though the fitting rooms devoted to royalty and the "haut ton" are large and well lighted. There are old corners filled with valuables of every kind. From shallow places you get gleams of the skimmer of gold and silver and faint

rose. The management is justly proud of the many medals won at various exhibitions, and of other beautiful prizes.

The head-woman of the dressmaking department—a dignified lady in a trained black satin gown and long gold chain, told the writer of the occasion when Her Majesty was being fitted for a wonderful gown for some Indian fere, or other assemblage. This to evoman, with her assistants, accompanied by the manager and head of the firm, was commended to come to London, and there the gown was fitted. It was literally sewn with precious gems, diamonds and pearls, rubies and sapphires, and while the women were busy at their work two detectives stood in a room behind a curtain while four others remained on guard outside. The princess stood patiently for more than an hour offering no suggestion but the one "though her lady in attendance, that the color should be very high and fit very snugly.

"The princess is very particular about her collars," said the fitter, "but though we have made many gowns for her, especially of Irish poplin of which she is very fond, we never had a dress returned for alteration." It is reported that Queen Mary is ordering several gowns of this famous fabric for her coronation and its festivities.

Imagine yourself, as the French say being "tried on" and never being allowed to address directly your dressmaker. The mistress of the robes, who is always a personage, and who probably knows next to nothing about gown-making, is the one to whom the queen has to confide her woes.

"Our sleeve is a little tight here," saith Her Majesty, indicating a spot below the elbow.

"Her Majesty's sleeve," echoes the personage in lofty tones, "is rather tight just below the elbow."

"Her Majesty's sleeve," exclaims the head dressmaker, in a tone of extreme hauteur, "is unduly narrow below Her Majesty's elbow."

"There's a pin sticking in our person below the belt," says Her Majesty humbly.

"A pin anno's Her Majesty somewhere below the waist-line," says the personage in a freezing tone.

"A pin perforates Her Majesty's under clothing just below the royal stomacher," says the head dressmaker, in a calm and haughty tone. "See to its instant removal."

And all the time the pin is sticking in the queen.

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The Daily Telegraph's special correspondent in Corea cables, a remarkable story of the developments of Japanese new dependency. The original correspondent felt by the Koreans, he is eradicated, and he predicts that within a decade the province will be self-supporting. "It is believed in responsible quarters," he adds "that Japan is about to make a formal demand upon China for a one hundred year free trade zone on the Yalu. If consent to this be wrung from China it means the breakdown of the Chinese customs in Manchuria and the ruin of her natural trade."

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