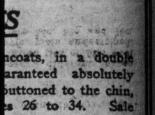
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The Case of the Consumer.

The consumer's problem in this country (if there is one at all in Canada) must be solved in Canada. There is nothing whatever to be gained by joining with the masses of the United States in their prodigious fight against the high cost

of living. Reciprocity would mean the intermingling of the 90 mil-lion consumers of the United States with the 8 million consum-ers of Canada at nature's breakfast table. There would be exactly the same number of people in America under reciprocity as without it and the sum total of produce from the land would

as without it and the sum total of produce from the land would be approximately the same. The consumers on both sides of the line under reciprocity would have at their disposal just the same amount of food as before, and, leaving out of consideration the part played by the distributor, prices would not be greatly altered. Under normal conditions, the law of supply and demand would apply to the commodity market and the 98 millions of people living in Can-

ada and the States would pay pretty nearly the same price for food as they would with a tariff between them. But, in the United States the distributor plays his part in the fixing of prices—a far more effective and ruthless part than Canadians can imagine. Taking down the tariff wall would give the Beef, the Sugar and the Milk Trusts twice as large a field to play in. Would the consumer of Canada stand to gain much if his

source of supplies were to fall into the hands of the American distributing machine, which would spend millions in gaining control of our markets?

There is no other explanation for it. The food-distributing trusts of the United States will profit more than any other industry or class if reciprocity should be adopted.

The consumer of Canada has his problem in his own hands so far, and there is a solution for it. Let him maintain the fiscal independence of Canada. Keep the industrial life on this side of the line free from the dark shadows of commercial depression and labor unrest, and then strive to get closer to the producer, the farmer, thru a system of co-operation. This should be the policy of the Canadian consumer and not free trade with the United States, which has more problems, commercially, politically and sociologically, than she knows what to do with.

Those persons who see relief for the Canadian consumer in reciprocity are simply arguing that the United States can give Canada cheaper food and a less costly standard than she has now. Such a view is absolutely untenable.

Does it follow that if the duty on dead poultry into Canada is removed chickens and turkeys can be bought by the con-sumer in Toronto and the other Canadian cities for 20 per cent. less than the present price?

Or if the duty is removed will the Canadian workman be suddenly transported into that consumer's Paradise which lies across the line?

The removal of the duty must result in the establishment of some kind of a level between the two countries. Now, what An incident occurred in Toronto yesterday which seems to illustrate the case of the consumer. A wholesale provision merchant on Front-street conversed over the phone with three large packing houses outside the city, asking them for supplies of pork tenderloin, for which the price in Toronto is now 20 cents per pound. The Front-street wholesaler could not buy the tenderloin because the packers had been able to get 22 cents per pound f.o.b. at their factories from buyers in New York. This means that by the time that the pork tenderloin got to New York it would be worth at least 25 cents per pound whole-

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He Has Revived the Dream of Annexation in the Breast of Every American.

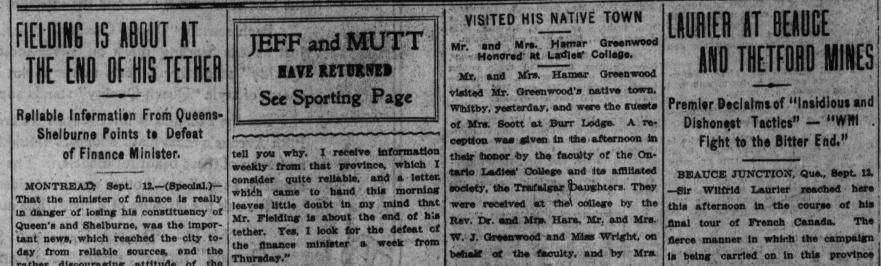
He Has made Millions of Americans Workers for Annexation. He has started all the Hearsts on a Fresh Crusade against Canada.

He has started Yankee Money flowing in Canada's Elections.

One thing will stop this once and for ever, and it is A Decisive Vote against Reciprocity.

A Vote for Reciprocity will be followed by a more Advanced Movement by the Hearsts and the Worsts.

Never a Day's Rest for Canada thereafter !



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HALIFAX, Sept. 12.-(Special.)-Six thousand men and women to-night lis-tened to R. L. Borden, Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper and others at the Arena. The meeting was the best of a success-The meeting was the best of a success-ful series. Certaini ya more suffici-astic reception could not have been carried. Several bands and thousands of admirers accompanied Mesars, Bor-den, Tupper, and Crosby from the Queen's Hotel to the stars of meeting, the carried's being drawn by enthusi-astic young men. The Liberals had a counter demon-stration with bands, but it was pro-portionately small. Three smokers were held in different parts of the city by the Liberals is order to attract their followers from the Arena. When the speakers entered the Arena the assembled thousands rose to their feet and cheered as the leader and others, were carried to the platform of thers were carried to the platform on the shoulders of young men and mid-die-aged men. The cheering lasted several minutes

Ald. Bligh presided. He introduced A. B. Crosby, Mr. Berden's running mate in Hautar. Mr. Crosby's remarks were brief, but were well received. Audience Entnusiastic.

When Mr. Borden rose, he was given five successive ovations. He made a telling speech on the effect of recipricity on the different industries of Can-ada. He showed that the United course of his States is able to produce food for four tour of French Canada. The hundred millions. Canadian farmer get beter prices than American farm-

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sale. Where is the point of advantage in that deal for the Candian consumer?

So it is with nearly every article of food sold in the cities of the United States. The consumers there are paying more to live than they are here. Any New York market report will be sufficient argument to show that the householder in Canada is much better off than his American neighbor.

The removal of the duty on any natural product will not reduce the price of that product to the extent of the duty. To say it will is a gross fallacy of which no thinking person would be guilty. In the first place, that duty exists as a means of protection to the producer and is not a tax on the consumer. The consumer is protected by other duties, such as those which help the trade or business in which he is engaged.

Secondly, if the tariff on the natural products is swept aside, the producer is the principal party in the case, and the consumer is affected only indirectly.

In this indirect way, as has been pointed out above, reciprocity would surely hurt rather than help the consumer in Canada, because it would mean the adoption by Canada of the American standard of prices as well as of morals.

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The World is so informed on excel- trict of South York, who desire in ent anthority. The board of rallway ation as to where to vote, can obtain it dssioners will be increased from at W. F. Macleans committee rooms. three to five, it is asserted, and Mr. Dulmage's Hall, corner of Gerrard-st. Compbell will be one of the added man- and Rhodes-ave. Phone Beach 518,

rather discouraging attitude of the Liberals when the matter was spoken of in their presence leads to the belief that the minister of finance will follow his colleague the minister of cus toms to his political limbo, Charles H. Cahan, K.C., who once presented the Shelburne section of he county in the local legislature, dur. ng the disastrous annexation repeal

Cheese and Reciprocity.

(From The Watertown Times.) With cheese seiling at Brockville, in Canada, just across the river, at 13% cents, as against 12% on the Watertown board last Saturday, it doesn't appear that if these conditions continue regime of W. S. Fielding, was asked the reciprocity agreement, if adopted, later on what he thought of the start- will hurt the American dairyman any.

ling news from Shelburne and Queen's. Indeed, the Canadian dairyman has W. O. Johnston, Mrs. J. P. McKenzie "I fully believe." he replied, "that cause for the most anxiety in the mat- of North Tonawanda, F. L. Fowke, M. Fielding will be defeated, and I will ter of breaking prices.



laddie ! Stop him, somebody !

George Ross, wife of one of the directcan be judged from the strong outors of the college, on behalf of the Traburst to which the premier gave vent par Daughters, Mrs. Greenwood in the course of his sp Taking his hat off and making teed by the society with the mameled school pin.

tactics of the opposition were so in-Mrs. John Wright, Judge McIntyre and duous and dishonest. But thank wife, Mrs. H. A. Moore, Mrs. W. H. God. I have strength, the I am on the Greenwood, Mrs. Oliver Hezzlewood, verge of seventy years, to face them the Misses Greenwood of Toronto, Mrs. and fight them to the bitter end. Neither the Imperialists of Ontario nor the Nationalists of Quebec, will

ucceed in overthrowing Laurier." Hon. Dr. Beland, the Liberal candidate in this country of Beauce, and Hon. Charles Devlin, also spoke. Dr. Beland is carrying on a very vigorous campaign, despite the fact that he had a majority of 3000 at the last election. In the past three weeks he has delivered sixty-six addresses. The meeting here was a large one and a considerable amount of enthusiasm was evident. Sir Wilfrid spoke a length in

port of Dr. Beland. Appealing to Conservatives to break away from their party leaders, he said: "If you vote for me, you do not desert

your chiefs, for it is that your chiefs have deserted you in departing from the policy of Macdonald." He contended that the proper mar- for turning down their request for an ket for Canada was the United States and he proposed with the reciprocity to put the money that had hitherto been going into the United States treasury into the pockets of Canadian year. farmers.

Commenting on the Conservative plea to leave well-enough alone, Sir Wilfrid said that the electors might well take this advice in a certain sense and leave the government where it was.

At Thetford Mines.

THETFORD MINES, Que., Sept. 12 .-Apparently unfatigued by his exertions of the afternoon at Beauce Junction, where he addressed a large gathturn of the Liberal party to power. The premier first addressed a large light procession escorted the premier from the station to the rink. Mr. Beland, Hon. Charles Devlin, Mr.

Mr. Pacaud opened the evening's

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rden ap on the plea of patriotic sentime against that of a few cents a bushel n beans. Reciprocity would ine mean annexation

At the conclusion of Mr. Borden's speech, thousands of flags were waved and oft repeated cheers resounded thru ergetic gestures, he declared: have I seen a campaign in which the

Before Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper poke, the audience, led by Ex-Ald Hebb, sang "God Save Our Canada The speaker made a patriotic an the electors to stand by the national policy and the cause of the empire. He was accorded a fine reception. Cheers for the King, and the speak-

ers concluded the meeting. PETTION FOR VIADUCT.

A petition with many hundreds of names asking that the Bloor-st.-Danforth-rd, viaduct bylaw be resubmitted was sent to the city clerk yesterday.

Girl Missing. KINGSTON, Sept. 12.-(Special.)-Belinds Jillings, aged 16, is missing from her home, and her father has asked the police to try and locate her.

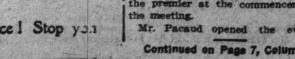
Displaced With Government. KINGSTON, Sept. 12-(Special)-The guarde at the penitentiary are dis pleased with the Dominion government increase in wages, petitioned for some time ago. At present the guards com-mence at \$500 and work up to \$650. A keeper's maximum wage is \$700 per

> Mrs Samuel Carr and Mrs. Emery Mothers-In-law who take the part is the son-in-law rather than that of Q daughter, in family squabbles, are few and far between. Mrs. samuel Carr and Mrs. Emery in "What the Doctor Ordered" at the Princess this week are mothers-in-law of the ideal sort.

POINTS IN CANADIAN FURS.

"The advantage one gets in buying furs in Canada, apart from a low price, tering, Sir Wilfrid Laurier appeared is wonderful," said a prominent New here to-night before a crowd of 5000 York visitor yesterday. And it is people to set forth reasons for the re- true. In New York, and in fact in nearly every other city in the United States, the stock of furs is mostly comgathering in the skating rink and then posed of imitation goods. When we spoke briefly at an overflow meeting which was held outside. The town was brilliantly liuminated in honor of the occasion and a torch-kght procession escorted the premier Kight procession escorted the premier from the station to the rink. Sir Wilfrid was accompanied by Hon. Mr. Beland, Hon. Charles Devlin, Mr. A. L. Pacaud, Liberal candidate in Me-santic, and Mr. Savoie, former Liberal member. Addresses of welcome were read to the premier at the commencement of the meeting.

some very excellent lines in all tive and foreign furs. If you c call, it would pay you to write the calatogues.



ELDER JAFFRAY (as Henri applies the match) : Fire ! Help ! Police ! Stop you