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CHATHAM, APRIL 16, 1885.

It is a Lesson.

The trouble in the Northwest, while it has a most serious complexion now, with rebellion and bloodshed, the movements of troops and the dreadful accompaniments of savage and semi-savage warfare as its leading characteristics, seems to assume the form of a lesson and corrective of which good will come in the end. The active operations which are a necessity of the rebellion will invite to the disturbed country a large number of the best men of the Dominion—not the politicians and wire-pullers, but men who will go to the front with patriotic vigor who will, from the very nature of their mission, be led to investigate the administration of affairs there and whose mouths will not be closed when they return. It is stated, on the one hand, that these troubles have been brought on by misrule—that while Indians, half-breeds and white settlers alike have had cause to complain of the treatment they have received at the hands of the Government and its favorites, there has been systematic misrepresentation of their interests at Ottawa. Investigations will, now and then, be ordered, but those charged with the duty of making them were so surrounded as to be unable to perform their missions fruitless in getting at the facts. On the other hand, we have ministerial statements to the effect that the half-breeds and other so-called 'wild' elements have been fomented by Louis Riel, who, as we all know, is quite capable of any rascality or crime. It may, however, be taken for granted that the people and press of the Northwest would not blame the Government as they do if there was not a fairly good foundation therefor. Party feeling, which is not very strongly manifested while the efforts of all parties are directed towards the quelling of the rebellion, may lend emphasis to some of the statements that are being made, but there seems to be no doubt that political favoritism coupled with ministerial indifference and procrastination, are largely responsible for the civil war which we are now facing. The West, the oldest settlers in the country, on the banks of the Saskatchewan, had given up hope of obtaining their rights of personal liberty and confessions their past faults. The nation or man who confesses are both strong, but the confession must be aloud and abroad to be virtuous and effective—not in the cabinet, but in the forum, not in the chamber, but on the house-top—for the degree of the transgression must be the measure of its publicity. No doubt, there will be great efforts made to suppress the facts surrounding this revolt and many will be made to believe that the salvation of their party and the country depends on their silence, but so important an episode in the country's history must be followed by a political crisis of greater or less magnitude, for the army we are sending to the Northwest will, no doubt, prove a commission of enquiry, more independent and effective than any that ever journeyed in the gilded cars of the Canada Pacific and worth to the country all it will cost. Our duty as a people, meantime, is quite clear and imperative. While we retain our opinions and reserve the right and power to express them when the occasion is fitting and their integrity called in question, we are as ready, as we are more innocent in the premises, not only to show a front, but strike a death blow at the impunity, not only of half-breed, but whole-breed and every breed that would presume or dare to examine our armory for a weak spot or an imperfection. In this and all kindred emergencies there is only one badge and uniform—a British tongue and civilization—and one banner, the war and woe of which are their achievements woven in the loom of a millennium. These things are too priceless and valued, perhaps, for everyday wear, to be soiled in the common duties and strife of individual or party life, nevertheless they are, and in extremis we may reckon and rest upon them the interests not only of our Dominion but the Empire; and may rely on a moral and—who knows to the contrary—a material support from the banks of the Hudson and Mississippi—the shores of the Gulf of Mexico and the strands of the Pacific. There will, no doubt, soon be an election in Restigouche County for a member of Assembly to serve for the remainder of the term in place of Mr. Barber, appointed to the Legislature Council. We understand that a number of the leading people of the County have asked William Murray, Esq., of Campbellton, to offer and that he intends doing so. As Mr. Murray is a gentleman of good attainments and sound political views we hope he will be elected. He has served for some time as a member of the Municipal Council, from which he retired last year. He has a thorough knowledge of the County and its requirements and has already taken an active interest in its affairs. It is generally conceded that other things being equal, it is well not to have both representatives of the County from one section. Mr. Lablanc is a resident of Dalhousie and well able

to look after that section, while the claims of the Campbellton section should be recognized, especially when so good a man as Mr. Murray offers. We are not informed as to what his preferences are, but as he is a level-headed man it is to be presumed that the Opposition would not have a very large share of his sympathies. In fact, we know him well enough to justify our saying that his good judgment may be relied upon and that he will serve the County with ability and integrity irrespective of party considerations altogether. 'This Canada of Ours' Sir John A. Macdonald has long been looked upon by his admirers as a heaven-born statesman, not only endowed with a mind capable of originating great and brilliant political movements, but gifted with the necessary executive ability to carry them to successful issue. As a proof that they are correct in their estimate of the man they thought to honor, they point to the scheme of Confederation, the purchase of and bringing into the Dominion the North West Territory, the initiation of the National Policy, and last, but not least, the linking together of the Atlantic and Pacific portions of this new and extensive Colonial Empire by the Canada Pacific Railway. If in addition to the foregoing of all this, Sir John's name had also tended towards increasing the happiness, prosperity and well-being of the Dominion and union of the inhabitants of the different Provinces of the Dominion, then he might be considered and looked upon as a great statesman. But if it has not had a tendency towards these desirable results, then have they not been in vain, but they conclusively prove that he is lacking in those very qualities that are so desirable and necessary for the making of a successful statesman. The policy that a genuine statesman would have pursued to bring about the political union of a number of free and independent provinces or states would have been far different from that taken by Sir John and those under his direction to effect the union of the Maritime Provinces with Upper and Lower Canada. A genuine statesman would have laid his time and waited until public opinion was ripe for the measure in this Province, but this would neither have suited Sir John nor our needy and greedy politicians who had just been shown the power and were hungering and thirsting for the fresh and luscious pastures of the new domain over which they have roamed so freely and so boundlessly. By-back stare influence with a Lieutenant-Governor, who dishonorably divulged to them the secrets of his council, a crisis was wrought about which resulted in a dissolution of the Legislature and an appeal to the electors. By the unparalyzing use of bribes and false promises, together with a Fenian invasion of our borders during the height of an election contest, the great mass of the people were 'scared' into voting for the measure in spite of their reason and better judgment. Owing to the people of Nova Scotia being so bitterly hostile to the measure, Doctor Tupper was afraid to leave it to their decision, so he directed all his attention and efforts to the corruption of the members of the Legislature. By an unlimited amount of bribes and promises, he, at last secured a majority to carry it, though that body, and in spite of the deadly hostility of the people, who were thus unjustly deprived of their constitutional rights and liberties, the measure was passed and Nova Scotia was voted into Confederation. Considering the fraudulent manner in which the Maritime Provinces had been gathered into Confederation, we would have supposed that the policy that a wise and far-seeing statesman would have inaugurated and steadily pursued towards them would have been one of conciliation. This, however, has not been the case, as after seventeen years of trial, Confederation is as unpopular today in Nova Scotia as it was when first carried through its Legislature. As for this Province, the feeling of hostility towards it is growing stronger and stronger every day among the people, who are fast awakening to the fact, that while their taxes are yearly increasing their means to meet them are rapidly decreasing, and that to the impolitic and expensive policy that is being pursued by our model Government under the leadership of its heaven-born statesman. War. We are face to face with actual war. We have in one part of the Dominion in one of its most and least attractive forms—viz, civil or municipal, not national—for, like all states of nature, even war has its attractions—but as we consider the subject generally in one article this week it will not be out of place if we seek it in the context. As individuals we should have no adverse active views with regard to matters of this kind where there is no jurisdiction of good attainments and forms to the community in the assertion of its supremacy in a case of appeal to this last great arbiter. It is simply putting in force the same principle which we, as individuals, exercise in courts of justice or as the courts do against criminals. There is only a difference of form. War is just the court in action, whether with regard to disunion within or aggression from without. The superficial, whose thoughts or energies never roam long enough in any place or on anything to

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'Well, then,' said her husband, 'Mrs. Roland is not a fit companion for my wife, and I want your friendship with her to come to an end at once.'

'You are wrong, Winona, you are at liberty to enjoy yourself as much as you please, but not by putting yourself under obligations to that woman.'

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'I do not dislike her,' returned Frank; 'but we know nothing about her or her antecedents. My wife is infatuated with her, and all I say will not keep her from that house.'

'I agree with you, come, take a turn in the garden and I will tell you the best cure in the world for your wife's infatuation.'

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'I have you ever read "The Treachery of Laura"?' 'No,' she replied. 'I have it here,' he continued. 'If you would like to have it you may. It is a well written story. It deals with a subject I have very often thought of.'

'I do,' cried Winona, 'but—but the husband is often to blame.' Then her face flushed and tears filled her eyes.

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