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TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 4.

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As the debenture debt of the city, when the sewers are completed, will be over \$500,000, I am opposed to any further addition to that debt without first consulting the citizens at a public meeting called for the purpose.

Yours truly,
SIMON W. CRABBE.
Charlottetown, Feb. 9th, 1900.

THE MORNING GUARDIAN

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY, 10, 1900.

THE FUTURE OF SHIPBUILDING.

The statement was recently made by Andrew Carnegie, one of the most extensive and skillful steel manufacturers, that in his opinion the time is not far distant when the greater part of the shipbuilding of the world will be done on the Atlantic coast of North America. This may seem improbable in view of the fact that the commercial marine of the United States has been for a generation past in a state of decay, but there are other considerations which strongly support Mr. Carnegie's opinion.

Within a comparatively brief term of years past the production of iron and steel in the United States has overtaken and now surpasses the enormous annual output of the United Kingdom. It is claimed that steel of any required grade can now be produced more cheaply in America than in Britain or any European country. In the production of steel rails, or of structural steel for bridges and buildings American manufacturers are now successful rivals of the great British iron masters in the markets of the world.

It is true that in the building of steel ships Britain yet has an enormous lead, not only over the United States, but over all other countries, and that last year the tonnage of steamships built in British yards was greater than ever before. It is admitted that the British lead is too great to be very quickly overtaken, but after all the successful production of ships is but a matter of relative skill and relative cost. There are as great skill and enterprise on this side of the Atlantic as in Europe, and while the demand for ships exists the cheaper raw material for the construction of tonnage must be a very powerful factor in creating a great shipbuilding industry in America.

We regard it as of the utmost consequence that Canada shall share in this great industry. In Nova Scotia there is abundant iron and coal, and the production of steel is about to be undertaken on a vast scale in Sydney. Why may we not hope for a great shipbuilding enterprise in connection therewith? It would mean a great deal for the Maritime Provinces of Canada, and for the Dominion itself if this can be done. So long as wooden ships held their place on the seas Canada was one of the great ship-building countries of the world. The way is now apparently opening for a like development in building ships of steel.

AS OTHERS SEE IT.

The New York Sun is and has long been notoriously hostile to Great Britain, and has commented with much severity from time to time on the non-success of the British arms in South Africa. But the Sun has lately reached the sound conclusion, which is now forcing itself upon the military authorities of the world, that the conditions of war have changed and that probably no other power would have had greater success than Britain under like conditions. Says the Sun:

"The British army in South Africa has simply suffered in a demonstration of pivotal importance in all modern war. Very probably, in spite of the bitter English criticism of the British Generals, they have done about as well as the Generals of any other army of a great State would have done in this new ordeal of war. It has been a demonstration of the tremendous advantage which modern arms give to the defence, and the prolongation of the contest may only serve to make that demonstration more complete and more distressing to British pride. England has suffered vicariously for all the world, and the humiliation she feels because she cannot overcome the present advantage of the defence is really without reason. Modern arms have

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simply made victory impossible for her no matter how great the valor and the endurance of the British troops."

Nor does the Sun believe that British prestige has been materially impaired or that the military powers of the Continent will feel in any way encouraged to attack the British Empire because of a few reverses in South Africa. We quote again from the Sun:—

"It has been a bitter lesson, but it was inevitable. Meantime has the British Empire suffered from anything except a blow to the sensitive pride of the English people? No Continental combination against it is even suggested; and why? No State and no alliance of States dares to assail it because of the events in South Africa. The British Empire is held together in its inviolable integrity by the British Navy; and while the war in South Africa has taught for the first time the lesson that even vast superiority in numbers cannot countervail the advantages enjoyed by even a small defence, our war with Spain taught the world for the first time the lesson that the modern battleship, of the type possessed by the British navy in numbers exceeding those of the navies whose combined opposition to her is possible, is an engine of attack and defence of practically invincible power. The dominion of the seas constitutes the strength of the British Empire, and nothing that has occurred or can occur in South Africa will lessen it, though the indefinite prolongation of the war might seriously impair the British commercial supremacy."

A German journal of some prominence predicts an armed conflict in the not distant future between Germany and the United States and makes this a reason why the Fatherland should speedily become possessed of a powerful navy. This reads strangely, but there is some force in the reasons given. The American Republic has become a most formidable manufacturing and commercial rival of Germany and now that by the acquisition of Hawaii, Porto Rico and the Philippines the United States has become a colonial power, it has become a rival in the field of territorial acquisition. Germany was from the first distinctly hostile to American imperialism and one of her admirals nearly came into collision with Dewey at Manila. Besides, it is hinted that Germany looks to one day obtaining an extensive foothold in Brazil and South Africa, the one obstacle in the way of which is the United States, and the Monroe doctrine. Hence the possibility of a conflict and the need of a big German navy.

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