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Ch'town, Oct. 1st, 1900.

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Kentville N. S., May 26th, 1900.

**THE DAILY EXAMINER**

OCTOBER 5, 1900  
NATIONAL POLICY, NO. 2

SIR CHARLES TUPPER'S address to the farmers of Canada on Cold Storage is one of the most important documents ever issued in respect to the public affairs of Canada. It is too lengthy for publication in THE EXAMINER in extenso, but we hope it will catch the eye of our farmers, for whom there is in it as much real hope as there was to manufacturers in 1878 in the announcement of the first national policy regarding the industries of the country.

Sir Charles begins by saying that it was never claimed for the National Policy of 1878 that it embraced all that the Government of Canada ought to do in stimulating the public resources, and adds that agriculture is, and ever must continue to be, our most important industry. He says that it was a Conservative minister who started the Guelph College and the Experimental Farms and appointed a Dairy Commissioner whose marvelous success in promoting dairying is so well known in Prince Edward Island. He then goes on to say that the late Government had, before they went out, grappled with the question of cold storage, which was then in the experimental stage, and proposed a complete system of mechanical refrigeration beginning at the Canadian railway stations and extending to the markets of Europe. There were to be depots in Great Britain fitted with cold storage for the preservation and distribution of our perishable products, and the fast line service on the Atlantic was to form a part of the plan. Sir Charles points out with great force and clearness how this matter has been bungled by the present administration. The fast line has been thrown back, hopelessly, and the cold storage provided both in Canada and on the ocean has been of a most wretchedly inefficient character. He proves this by the public statements of Professor Robertson and Mr. Grindley, both of them experts employed by the Government itself. While California and Australia have been able to withstand the greater distance and to transport their perishable products in England in a perfect state of preservation, enormous losses have been sustained by the Canadian producers of fruits, dairy produce, eggs and meat owing to the wretchedly bad character of the cold storage provided by the Hon. Sidney Fisher— which that antiquated farmer and politician describes as a "perfect system." Our farmers and shippers know something of the quality of cold storage furnished them by the Lake Winnipeg, the Gaspesia, and the Lake Huron. At the present moment hundreds, we might say thousands, of barrels of apples are rotting in our churches on account of the lack of transportation and cold storage facilities. And yet the Government is spending ten millions more money than the average of Conservative expenditure from 1890 to 1896! When the Master of the Administration told the people to wait till they saw him next year he meant that the public should revel in visions of such things as Drummond and Yukon deals. But there was no promise of necessary expenditures in the interest of agriculture. The latter is what Sir Charles Tupper proposes to do when he gets into power. Thoroughly equipped warehouses at all points in Canada, a fleet of fast ocean steamers, and depots in Europe, all fitted with the most modern and effective mechanical cold storage which will take the perishable products of the Canadian farmer from the farmer's door to the mouth of the European customer, is the National Policy No. 2 which Sir Charles announces in his Address to the Farmers of Canada. This is the promise of a leader and a

party who have always kept faith with the people. There are millions in it for our farmers.

**THE PATRIOT'S BLUNDER AND SIR LOUIS' TRICK**

THE PATRIOT of the 2nd inst quotes section 67 of the Election Law, and then adds:

"This section which practically destroys the secrecy of the ballot was introduced in the Election Law by Senator Ferguson. It was not in the Election Law as it passed the House of Commons."

All this, as we pointed out yesterday, is a gross blunder or something worse. Here is section 67:

"In the province of Prince Edward Island if any person desires to vote whose right to vote is objected to on the ground of want of qualification, and if a candidate or any agent of a candidate or (in the absence of such agent) any elector acting in the interest of a candidate, so objects in the presence of the elector, the deputy returning officer (in addition to placing his initials on the back of the ballot paper, as provided by section 70, shall also place on the back thereof a number corresponding to that placed opposite the voter's name at the poll booth; and such person having taken, if required, the oaths prescribed by this act and the law of the province, and having otherwise complied with the requirements of the law, shall be entitled to receive such ballot paper and to vote."

All of the section except the words in italics were in the Bill when introduced by Mr. Fitzpatrick. The italicised words were added to the bill—as we have learned since yesterday—in the Commons at the instance of Mr. Martin. The Senate made no change. All the provisions for numbering the ballots were in the original Bill.

So much for the Patriot's blunder. Now for Sir Louis' trick.

Here are sub-sections 5 and 8 of section 96, with Sir Louis Davies' attempted amendment in italics:—

Sub section 5. No candidate, officer, clerk, agent or any other person shall communicate at any time to any person any information as to the number on the back of the ballot paper given to any voter at a polling station, except to a court or judge lawfully requiring him so to do, or attempt to ascertain at the counting of votes the number on the back of any ballot paper; but this provision shall not apply to ballots marked in accordance with sections 67 and 74 of this Act.

Sub sec. 8. Everyone who violates any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of an indictable offence, and liable to a penalty not exceeding two hundred dollars, and to imprisonment for any term not exceeding six months, with or without hard labor, in default of payment of such penalty.

Sir Louis' trick was in inserting in the subsections the words which we have placed in italics. Senator Ferguson discovered the trick and had the words struck out.

There is no doubt or question, Sir Louis' evident intention was to destroy the secrecy of the ballot, and thus enable him to intimidate the Civil Service and the railway vote.

Richard Croker, the notorious head of Tammany Hall and virtually Democratic dictator of the state of New York, has wagered \$100,000 on Bryan at 2½ to 1. This means a quarter of a million dollars for Mr. Croker if the Democrats carry the state, and that is an inducement even to a New York politician. It means also that every henchman of Tammany, in proportion to his means, is probably equally interested financially, and has been spurred to his most strenuous efforts in behalf of the national ticket. One great difficulty the National Democracy has always faced in New York has been the spathy of the New York city organization. As Tammany frankly remarks, "There's nothing in it." This year, thanks to Mr. Croker's example, there is something in it.

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