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**John McKenna**  
Queen Street,!

### OPEN LETTER NO. VIII.

To the Hon. Donald Farquharson the "Unsound" Premier.

SIR,—In my last letter I directed your attention to the scandalous manner in which the public accounts of the Province are kept. Showing that they do not constitute an exact statement of each year's financial standing, that many items are kept from one year to another which would greatly swell the annual deficit, and that in this manner you are conniving against the people blinding us as to the exact financial position of the Province. I desire to inform the public through you, of some of the contracts for the Asylum.

On January 1st, 1897:  
Tea and molasses for Asylum contract, J. H. Myrick.....\$ 638.39  
Flour, etc, Beer and Goff..... 1202.30  
J. A. Farquharson, butter and tobacco.....1084.81

Would it not be better to show how much for butter and how much for tobacco? The supplying of tobacco to the patients I think is not commendable, and if it is to be used, you might cultivate a piece of the ground and grow enough for the use of the institution with very little expense. Probably some of these patients had used too much tobacco before they entered the institution and may have induced their condition. As a curative institution I fail to see the great benefit arising from the use of the weed.

Barrett Henderson beef \$1996.83, while John Partridge for milk gets \$587.70. I should think the milk account should be doubted and the beef reduced.

Now in 1898 I notice:—  
Beer & Goff, flour \$1717.46.  
Sanderson, barley and salt \$100.23.  
J. A. Farquharson, butter and soap \$1079.47.  
J. H. Myrick & Co, tobacco and fish \$861.00.

J. R. Andrews, oatmeal \$232.75.  
Barrett Henderson, beef \$1095.02.  
P. McN. Robertson, milk \$562.77.

It would be well to know how much milk is really supplied for the above amount. Can you inform us who J. A. Farquharson is? And is he a near relative of yours supplying butter and tobacco last year (1897) and butter and soap in the year 1898 to this institution known as the Hospital for the Insane. It appears to me that if you were a keen business man desirous of economizing the public funds under your care you could in a few hours manufacture all the soap which the household would require. Potash or soap maker, is used in the country with the tallow or fat and the fat or tallow saved in the household from such large quantities of bull beef and other beef which may be used that it would not be necessary to couple either soap or tobacco with butter. They are incompatible ingredients and the contracts should be separate distinct and specific. If J. A. Farquharson is a relative of yours and you are in any manner directly or indirectly receiving any gain from such contracts you are violating the independence of parliament constitution and should not be permitted to hold office. Probably you have rented your building to this man, and you are not interested, but the affair does look a little suspicious. The old saying, we can guess eggs, when we see shells, might apply to this case.

At all events the public are greatly interested in this institution and its management—first they are interested in the welfare of the patients who cannot speak for themselves. The public desire is that no indignity should be shown to the patients male or female,—the females in particular. What one among us would permit his wife or daughter to go to an institution where the least insult would be offered to them by any rude attendant?—Death would be preferable. Therefore the zealous eye of the Trustees of the institution should be a safeguard in every such condition,—and the public cannot be aroused too soon in the interest of the unfortunates—whose words if they do speak are liable to be discredited as persons of "unsound" mind and labouring under a delusion. Yet in many cases, these same people on many points speak the truth. Then to come to the supplies. The bill of fare of that institution could be greatly modified and confined to simple necessities—the diet should be provided with a view to the curative treatment of the patient as likely the most essential, with rest and cleanliness, the repulsive agent they need and in my opinion the expenses of that institution could be greatly curtailed. Favorites and partisans have no right to be permitted to make money out of this institution and the unfortunate inmates residing in it.

Are you therefore not guilty of gross negligence in not looking into this matter ere now. You are the man and not William McPhail, who should write over your name the particulars. As President of the Board of Trustees, you are the first man who should be examined as to your duties and oversight of this institution.

It is notorious that the public roads are in a scandalous condition, and that the Commissioner of Public Works as well as the supervisors cannot repair any dangerous hole in a bridge until your Serene Majesty is first consulted. You evidently believe in the one man power and not in Governments by Departments—you would like to be the Czar of all the Russias. But if I am not mistaken, your followers must be craven and servile creatures when they permit you to hold the reins. From evidences rapidly accumulating the country is ripening for a change of Government in this province, and such a change would be gladly welcomed and will soon be demanded by the taxpayers, whose money and resources have been cruelly squandered by your party. To obtain and keep power you have only one motive—for, you lack knowledge of the true principles of government for the people. The idea of governmental justice never entered into your cephalic ganglion

—you are drawing taxes from the blood and bones of the labouring poor to fill the coffers of your government. Your whole conduct as a party is a cheat and a delusion to shield the tyrant who has enslaved his victims in the name and under the guise of liberty. I am really at a loss to know what motives ever incited you to become a candidate for a seat in our House of Assembly. If you were impelled by a desire to gratify ambition, pride or envy, or to promote your private interests at the expense of the public good, eradicate from your breast the unchristian principle before you indulge a thought of further perseverance in your design. I do not believe that your motives are sufficiently pure to stand the test of self examination. Recollect the expenses, the discord, the tumult, the intemperance, the profligacy, to which a contested election almost always, and a disputed election not infrequently gives birth—and keep your hands off the Tignish Electorate—let freedom once rule and let the dog of corruption be forever chained. Don't "bug the machine" this time for you are watched and the eyes of the electorate are upon you.

VOX POPULI.

### BRA'S CANCER EXPERIMENT.

Remarkable Similarity Between Human and Tree Cancer.

PARIS, July 22.—Interesting details are published concerning Dr. Bra's recent cancer researches. Dr. Bra found parasites similar to that of the cancer in fragments of deceased wood, particularly apple wood. He obtained the Government's permission to inoculate forest trees at Meudon with cultures of human cancer and six months later found spots of dry rot in these trees. The trees were principally beeches, Maples and sycamores. One elm tree died of cancer so communicated to it.

Dr. Bra does not conclude that animal and vegetable cancers are caused by one specific fungus, but he is convinced of the extreme similarity between several diseases of plants and trees.

Mail and Empire: The rejection of the gerrymander by the Senate will be welcomed by all except the fiercest partisans as the very best thing that could have happened to that impertinent attempt to corner the electorate and to rob the people of their just rights in Parliament.

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### FROM THE GULF

Comes Word of Dodd's Kidney Pills and the Permanency of Their Cure.

John. J. Burns, of Darnley, Prince Edward Island, writes a Toronto Gentleman About Dodd's Kidney Pills— that they have done for Him.

Darnley, P. E. Island, July 24.—Mr John J. Burns, of this place, was cured of Chronic Inflammation of Loins and Kidneys by the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills in 1897. A report of his case and a statement of his own words got into the papers at the time. A Toronto gentleman who is interested in cures made by Dodd's Kidney Pills wrote to Mr. Burns recently, asking if his cure was as reported. Mr. Burns first statement reads as follows:—

"For over eight years I have been suffering from what is called Chronic Inflammation of the Loins and Kidneys. I have taken doctor's medicine, but it failed to do me any good. In the year 1896 it got so bad I could scarcely walk, eat or sleep. I was about to give up when I read an advertisement of a wonderful cure made by Dodd's Kidney Pills. So I procured six boxes and they did a wonderful work for me. I am cured and thank Dodd's Kidney Pills for saving my life. I belong to the I. O. F., and any member can vouch for my condition, and that Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me."

Gratefully yours,  
JOHN J. BURNS.

Here is a copy of the letter Mr. Burns sent to the Toronto enquirer:

DARNLEY, P. E. I.,  
June 12th, 1899.

Dear Sir,—I received your letter referring to my testimony. You wanted to know if my cure was satisfactory. Well, I was in good health for two years after taking the pills, when I took the grip. It affected my back and I took a few more of Dodd's Kidney Pills. I am now enjoying good health again. They are a wonderful medicine, and I have often recommended them to others as I do most heartily to you.

Yours truly,  
JOHN J. BURNS,  
Darnley, P. E. I.,  
June 12th, 1899.

A business man is not the most patient creature in the world. He cannot wait to hear any long drawn-out story of the cause of his ailment. He doesn't care two straws about a fine spun theory of how he should treat himself. He may be predisposed to scrofula or consumption. "That," he will tell you "has nothing to do with the case." He wants to be well. If he can't be cured, write out a prescription and send in your bill. So, here is the first part of the proposition.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a microbe hunter and killer. Many persons of scrofulous blood, encourage the breaking out of unsightly sores, to prevent the disease going to the lungs. There is no need of this state of dread and discomfort. Purify the blood. It can be done. "Golden Medical Discovery" will cure 98 per cent. of all consumptive cases, also of all other lingering bronchial, throat and lung disease.

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**EVA STONE.**  
Souris, July 13th, 1899.  
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