#### THE CHATHAM DAILY PLANET

EDITORIAL,

### HANG HEAD WITH SHAME

The Daily Montreal Witness, Liberal, says : - Enough evidence has come out in the Belleville bogus ballot box case to make every Cauadian, and particularly every Canadian Liberal, hang his head with shame. These exposures came at an ill moment for the Liberal party in Ontario. We are not prepared to assume that that party, as a party, is guilty of this worst of crimes against human liberty. Just as the election law holds the cardidate guilty of criminal conduct by an agent so it is impossible not to hold the party more or less sc for crimes done in its ranks. What is horrible about this exposure is the fact that such was the belief of the operators in the utter rottenness of public morals that they did not shun to enter upon a proceeding that involved making criminal propositions to a large number of persons.

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UNCLE EBEN'S PHILOSOPHY. Washington Star.

"Human nature," said Uncle Eben, "is found t obe mo' or less conceited. When a man wins a hoss race he takes all de credit on hisse'f, an' when he loses he put de intire blame on de

ESSENCE OF THE CHARGE. Presbyterian.

It cannot be said that general or serious fault is found with the administration of the Liberal government. The government is on trial because, being convinced of the excelleace of their administration, they or their friends seem to have thought it necessary for the well-being the province and of themselves that they should be retained in power at any cost and by any means.

RESPONSIBLE FOR THE MACHINE, Farmers' Sun, Toronto.

Capt. Hunter declared, during the discussion on political purity at last week's Liberal convention, that all the rascality connected with recent election scandals, in which Liberals were concerned, is directly traceable to the introduction of outside workers into ridings in which contests were in progress, The statement is true. It is also true that the trail can be easily followed still further. These outsiders were sent into the ridings on which they brought disgrace by what is known as the Liberal machine. To maintain that organization, and the agents it employs, costs money-a great deal of money. Who furnishes the funds? The answer is found on inquiring as to the purpose of the machine. That purpose is to aid in the election of men who will support the government, or someone acting on its behalf, provides the means to keep the machine running. The government must, therefore, assume direct responsibility for everything of which that piece of mechanism has been proven guilty in West Elgin, the Sault, and elsewhere.

FRANK CONFESSION. Stouffville Herald (Liberal).

The Liberal press of to-day is partly to blame for this corrupt state of affairs in our provincial politics. Had we been sincere and true to our great and noble traditional principles and condemned with no uncertain sound such practices, and have shown a sincere desire to have the guilty punished and stood up manfully for the right every time an attempt was made to do any crooked work, provincial politics would not have had the odium that is attached to it to day. Those in high places would not have dared to have outraged all common decency in their dealing with the public by which the party was put to shame. The mighty power of the press would have been too strong and potent a factor in the affairs of the province to have made it at all possible to perpetrate such consults and the strong section of the province to have made it at all possible to perpetrate such consults and the strong section of the province of the province to have made it at all possible to perpetrate such consults. all possible to perpetrate such contemptible frauds. Instead of being true to the great principles of right and honest dealings we have condoned the work by our silence, and, in a great measure, have shielded the culprits, and made them to feel it was all right. True, The Globe and

the poor dupes were acting.
Unless there is a great change and a complete cleansing of party politics, with a multitude of other Liberals, it is impossible to support : Government whose career has shown such glaring deteriorations and departure from the honest principles of true Liberalism that has been so dearly bought by our forefathers and exemplified in such noble characters as the late Hon. Alex. Mackenzie and England's G. O. M., the late Hon. England's G. O. M., the late Hon. W. E. Gladstone. Fancy these grand old men stooping to the despicable methods that have been laid to the charge of our Provincial Government to defeat the will of the people! Or the reverend S.r. Oliver Mowat to sanction or allow his cabinet to override him in doing any shady work and he to reap the benefit from such

a few other Liberal paers have spasmodically cried aloud for the pun

ishment of the dupes who have been caught red-handed in these scandals;

but never a word as to the exposure

and punishment of the real culprits and originators and those for whom

questionable doings! Sooner or later such methods must bring their own reward, and it looks as though the time was at hand,

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* SATCHEL OF THE SATELLITE ‡

A Cabinet Minister, don't forget.

A vote for James Clancy means vote for a Cabinet Minister.

O, ye Grits, though in the States you're Lett be cast, the ballot box scandal will always last.

I wonder if Mac Gardiner and his pals are showing the souvenir spoons they brought back from Toronto.

Perhaps Roll of Bills Piggott and Long Green George Gordon Martin, the Maple City aldermanic million-aires, will build that market for me. They've got the coin. I saw it.

I saw some girls very busy making Christmas presents for their best young men. I looked up the calendar and found that Christmas was only three weeks from Sunday.

"Dr. Charteris' sarcasm, Edwin Bell's acumen, Arch. McCoig's candor, Ald. Piggott's conciseness and James Richards' oratory"—the Nickel Nov-el's report of a young Liberal meeting. Sorry I missed that conciseness,

"Then are you in justice going to condemn the government because in instances their followers have, in a instances their followers have, in a misconstrued spirit of zeal, done that which the Liberals deplore, and of complicity in which the Conservatives even free Mr. Ross and his Chiner.

Cabinet !"—Banner.
Great Scott, here I was thinking all
the time that Stratton was a member of the Ross Cabinet. How could have made such a mistake?

A WORD TO THE WISE. Before parchasing Christmas gifts, read the advertisements in this Great Home Journal.

Wasters Who Speak Many Language "When it comes to linguistic ability," said the manager of one of Washingperts can be found in the dining rooms of this and other similar establish

ments. "We have waiters in our employ who can talk in six or seven different tongues, and the ones who know only three, say English, German and French, are away behind. When I say talk, I mean the ability to converse duently. Your college men can hold a sort of powwow, in a halting style, ch or Jean our guests can rattle off the lingo of nearly every patron who comes along, no matter what his nationality. Now and then we get a man who is making his first tour of the United States and whose mind is a howling wilderness ize one of the waiters as an interpres-

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### CAPITAL CONCERT

Splendid Scottish Program Contributed to Patrons of Scotland's night at the Grand

St. Andrew's night was very fit-tingly celebrated last evening by the Sons of Scotland, who gave a grand Scotch concert in the Opera House, The house was well filled with loyal Scotchmen and many others who are integested in good musical enter-tainments. The concert, which was under the direction of Donald Mc-Gregor, concert baritone, of Toronto, was a splendid one and every number was warmly received by the audi-

ence.

The artists were Donald McGregor, Pipe Major Beaton, the Wee Duncan Sisters, dancers, Miss Flora Ivor-Craig, soloist, and Owen Smiley, entertainer. Mr. McGregor is well known in this city and is a favorite here. He was in good voice last evening and sang splendidly. The Duncan Sisters were well received. Their dancing could not fail to please any dancing could not fail to please any dancing could not fail to please any audience. Miss Craig is a singer of some repute and her singing last evening was much enjoyed. Owen Smiley has appared in Chatham sev-eral times and he always scores u success. As an enertamer, he classes high among the best. Pipe Major Beaton was thoroughly appreciated, especially by the Scotch element in audience

Camp Carlyle, who brought the entertanment to Chatham, deserve to be complimented on their excellent concert. This is a prosperous Maple City Order, and they are especially so under the following officers:

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Wm. Anderson-Past Chief.
S. A. McCornock-Chieftain.
Jos. A. Turner-Secretary.
Wm. Rannie-Financial Secretary.

Hugh Macaulay—Treasurer.
The following was the program as rendered last evening:

Part I.

Bag-Pipe Solo, "Cock O' the
h"-Pipe Major Beeton.
Dance, "Highland Fling"-Wee 2. Dance, "Highland Fling"—Wee Duncar Sisters.
3. Jacobite Song, "Sound the Pi-

3. Jacobic Song, "Sound the Pi-broch," Mac'eod-Flora McIvor Craig. 4. Poem, "The Scottish Cavaliers," Aytoun—Owen Smiley. 5. War Song, "The Standard on the Braes O'Mar," Dewar — Donald Mc-

6. Dance, "Sailor's Hornpipe"—Wee Duncan Sisters. 7. Solo, "The Land O' the Leal," 7. Solo, "The Land of the Lady Nairn-Flora McIvor Craig.

8. Bag-P pe Selection-P pe Major

Beeton. Part II,

1. Song, Selected-Donald McGreg-

or.

2. Musical Sketch, "First Piano in Camp," Smiley—Owen Smiley.

3. Song, "Scottish Blue Bells," Barber—Flora McIvor Craig.

4. Dance, "Sword Dance" — Wee Duncan Sisters.

5. Song, "The Highlandman's Toast," Hogg—Donald McGregor.

6. Recital, "Selected"—Owen Smiley.

ley.
7. Duet, "Crooked Bawbee," Nim-mo-Flora McIvor Craig and Donald

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8. Auld Lang Syne and God Save the King.

The piano used for the occasion was kindly loaned by Frank Bedford and was the subject of many complimentary comments from the visitors.

Mistaken Identity.

The wearied flat hunter pushed long and persistently at the button labeled "Janitor." The house bore a sign stating that there were apartments to rent. The janitor was evidently absent from his post of duty, as there was no response to her repeated ringing.

Disheartened, the seeker for a home was about to turn away when the door was opened from the inside and a bright faced boy of about seven years was disclosed. He looked wonderingly at the visitor, who asked:
"What kind of an apartment is there

for rent here?" A look of mingled disgust and scorn slowly overspread the toungster's face. He surveyed the questioner from head to foot and finally said with an ag-

"Say, I ain't the janitor."

# Marching Orders

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3 lbs. New Currants, 25c.
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Temper. A great source of cruelty is temper. When it is considered what a vast sum of misery temper causes in the world, how many homes are darkened and how many hearts are saddened by it; when we remember that its persecutions have not even the purifying consequences of most other calamities, in asmuch as its effects upon its innocent victims are rather cankerous than medicinal; when we call to mind that a bright face and a bright disposition are like sunshine in a house, and a gloomy, lowering countenance as depressing as an Arctic night, we must acknowledge that temper itself is only another form of cruelty, and a very bad form too.

Gloomy reflections are most likely to come with self-imposed, idleness.

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