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FRIDAY MORNING, JANUARY 28, 1887.

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### THE TALL M.A. NOMINATED

MR. G. R. COCKBURN SELECTED BY  
THE CENTRAL CONSERVATIVES.

Mr. Robert Hay and Mr. Edward Gurney President of the Home-Sixty Charities Tupper entered the Cabinet as Minister of Finance-Campaign Notes.

The Conservatives of Centre Toronto just took from 8 o'clock until 10.30 last night to set their feet on a high-toned looking gathering. Mr. George Ralph Richardson, C. O. G. R. R. M.A., ex-Principal of Upper Canada College, who, as he said himself while making his speech of acceptance, stood in a political assemblage for the first time in his life. Mr. Cockburn was selected without a ballot being taken.

The convention was composed of 200 delegates from St. John's and St. James' wards, which comprise the parliamentary division of Centre Toronto. It was a high-toned looking gathering and they were held in a high-toned hall, called Victoria, in the County Orange Buildings, in Metropolitan-square. Mr. W. R. Brock was made chairman, and he ran the convention with a high-toned look. Mr. Brock has a great reputation as a chairman.

Among the party planes who shone on and around the platform were Edward Gurney, Ald. John Irwin, Frank Somers, Ald. P. H. E. Clarke, M.P.F., The Rev. Charles, M.P.F., David Blair, E. C. G. R. R. M.A., A. R. Cockburn, A. R. Bowell, John H. Besty, J. A. Worsell, President of the Y.M.C.A., Ed. Pearson, John Pearson, Lawrence Laidlaw, Ed. Meek, Adam Meyer, Marcellus Cormick, D. McCollum amongst others.

The meeting was strong for Robert Hay first, with Edward Gurney for second place and Mr. Cockburn third. Twelve gentlemen were regularly nominated. These were George R. H. Cockburn, Frank Somers, W. R. Brock, J. A. Worsell, Ald. H. Piper, Robert Hay, A. R. Bowell, Dr. Golden Smith, W. G. Falconbridge, G. C. David Blair, Alex. Manning and A. W. Wright. Mr. Hay, Mr. Falconbridge, Dr. Smith and Mr. Wright were not present. Every gentleman nominated was a high-toned looking man.

Mr. J. A. Proctor made a few remarks before the meeting adjourned.

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Mr. Tallon, Defeated in the Legislature, Hands in His Resignation.

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### BY THE QUEEN'S COMMAND.

OPENING OF THE BRITISH PARLIAMENT YESTERDAY.

The Speech from the Throne-Regret for Edward and Randolph Churchill Makes Another Explanation of His Resignation.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—As early as 8 o'clock this morning the members began to arrive in the House of Commons so as to secure good seats. The first to appear was Mr. Selwyn, Conservative member for Cambridge.

The speech from the throne, after touching on the Egyptian question, and referring to brigandage in Burma, went on to the condition of Ireland which requires your attention.

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### STABBED WITH A BUTCHER KNIFE.

A Montreal Woman Wounded to Death by Her Father.

MONTREAL, Jan. 27.—Early this morning the police were notified that Mrs. M. Kelly, a young woman living at 150 Ottawa-street, had been stabbed to death by her father.

THE COAL HANDLERS' STRIKE.

THE SHIPPIING TRADE IN NEW YORK MOST PARALYZED.

THE JEWETT AND MERRITT CASE.

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### TRACED BY HIS BUTTONS.

HOW AN UNDERTAKER IDENTIFIED A VICTIM OF THE BAY.

The sad story of Two Black Boxes that were shipped on the Grand Trunk Express East, Evening-Narrative of a Fatal Tragedy.

Two large black boxes, such as are used by undertakers to transport the remains of departed humanity over railways, lay side by side in a trunk on the Grand Trunk Express for the east, which leaves at 8 o'clock.

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### BRAND NEW MR. BOUSTEAD.

The Chairman of the Executive Promises an Account of His Stewardship.

Ald. Boustead put in his maiden effort yesterday afternoon at the City Executive Committee. In thanking the members for the honor they had conferred upon him, he promised at a future date to give the committee a resume of his twenty-one years' municipal life, with a few remarks upon the city's financial system.

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### BISMARCK SPEAKS OF WAR

IT IS MORE PROBABLE THAN MANY HAVE INFERRED.

A Grave View of the Franco-German Situation Taken in Berlin-The Chancellor Keeping a Watchful Eye upon German Bonaparte.

Paris, Jan. 27.—The Feather-Lloyd publishes an article from an authentic source and which states that war between Germany and France is regarded as more probable in Berlin than it is in London. The information which is permitted to be accessible to the public.

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