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...... For Premier --J. P. Whitney For West Kent--J. S. Fraser For East Kent-J. Davidson People's Day -- May 29th

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STICKS BY THE CORPORATIONS.

On Saturday the local "Liberal" organ spent two columns in defending the corporations against Mr. Fraser's assessment attack. The Banner is considerably muddled as to the facts, as usual, but let that pass. The point is that Mr. Fraser seeks to have the municipalities aided by the receipts of a just assessment of railroads and other corporations, while Mr. Pardo's organ attacks him vigorously therefor and seeks to prove that the railroads and other corporations are sufficiently taxed, anyway. The machine and the corporations hang to gether well, but it is the people who will pass judgment on the 29th.

And the verdict will be for Whitney and Fraser and the people's rights, as against corporations and monopo-

### WHY

The following is from the Detroit Journal, whose recent pro-Boer ardor and slurs at Canada's south African contingents gave evidence of the affectionate interest it takes in this country and its people. The Windsor Record and other Rossite publications are quoting it extensively. The Journal says :-

They (the Liberals) have a leader in whom the people have every confinier Ross is counted the ablest man in Canada, next to Premier Laurier. If anything happened Pre-mier Laurier, Ross would be his sucor. Indeed the Conservatives were the first to mention Ross' name in connection with the Dominion premiership when it was recently reported that Laurier would resign on count of ill-health. Mr. Ross has been premier since the death of Premier Hardy three years ago. He was then Minister of Education and to his superior ability as an educationist is credited the splendid school system that obtains in the province. He is the ablest premier Ontario ever had, although Sir Oliver Mowat, the present lieutenant-governor of the province, who carried the province at every election for 25 years, was a leader of no mean ability.

To all of which patriotic Canadians are inclined to query,-Why are the interests of the Yan-

kees so identical with the success of Is it because Ross so ardently

sought the interests of the Michigan lumbermen, until the able Liberal-Conservative chieftain, Mr. Whitney, forced his hand by arousing public sentiment?

THE MAN THEY COULD NOT BRIBE.

No more convincing arraignment of the Ross Government has been made than that put forward by Mr. J. J. Foy in his speech at Carleton. Mr. Foy takes good care to make a sharp distinction between the comparatively few Liberals who, since they are at the head of affairs, take advantage of their position to enact unrighteous ness, and the far greater number who have become more and more dissatisfied with the corrupt bossism and heelership of the party leaders, until now they are prepared to sacrifice party to principal. The broadness of miral which characterizes Mr. Foy's address is one of the traits of the man. As a political factor in Ontario he ranks high, high enough, in the opinion of the Dominion Government, to be offered the highest position on the bench, in the hope of removing him from the political world. But against the allurements and

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fers, and is as ready as ever to denounce them for their misdeeds.

At Carleton he spoke in part as

follows:

"However, Mr. Chairman, the Conservative party does not in this election rely solely upon what we call the wickedness of-I won't say the other party-but of the dominating party in the other party. I claim, sir, that there are thousands and thousands of honest Liberals who deprecate what has been done, just as much as the Conservatives do. These facts have the party in various constituencies. ers and office seekers, of men in govimplicated, are really responsible, because they have virtually condoned what these men have done. They have taken the fruits of the work of these men; they are enjoying the fruits of office, the results of the action of these men, and have done nothing to bring them to justice. We charge that the Government are giving grants to their favorites, and that they are legislating in the interests of corporations and others who make a return to them by assisting them at election time. The feeling of the the people. I say there are thousands of Liberals who feel that way. o their feelings at the polls in the coming election. (Hear, hear.) Then there is another class of men who force the Government to do things that probably they do not feel inclined to do. I have told you of their giving grants and favors to political favorites, but there are other men who are even more dangerous than favorites. They are men who prob-

#### go further than mcrely condemn with their mouths, condemn with their ADD UP THE GAINS.

their heads and demand certain things

and in default of getting their de-

mand threaten that they will go

against the Government. The Gov-

ernment is weak and yields, and that

is even a greater danger than merely

having a friendly feeling towards

some of their friends, and giving them

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other. That is something that I ask

honest Liberals to condemn, and to

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deeds by their vote at the ballot.

(Applause.) "Now, Mr. Chairman, going into polities, or representing constituencies or possibly forming a government, is been the acts of active supporters of not or ought not to be for the benefit of individuals. It is not for the They have been the acts of office hold- glory of the individual himself, no matter how high a position he may ernment pay, and men who have been take in the government. It is not for seeking to get at the purse strings of the personal advancement of any body. this country, and I charge that the It is to administer the affairs of the Government, even if not personally country well; it is to administer them economically; to find out what wrongs exist, and to pass legislation to remedy these wrongs. Another duty of a government is to be perfectly frank and fair, and above board in their statement to the public as to the financial condition of the country. They should take the public into the confidence of the government; let it know exactly where the country stands as to its assets and liabilities, as to its receipts and disbursements, and give them a frank, full clear, intelligible and unambiguous statement of country must be against that sort of the financial condition of the country. thing, and we have to bring it before Mr. Chairman, I charge the present government with violating all these, which I say are the primary and pro-We must ask them to give expression per functions of an administrative and of a governing body. I say they do not look to see whether a particular measure will benefit the public but they are surrounded by friends who consult them and whom they consult, and whose interests they consult. They do not administer the affairs of this country economically, as has been proven over and over again. They do not administer the affairs economically; they do not pass legisably are not favorites with them, lation, simply because they think it but who hold the political pistol to may cure a wrong, to remedy some

### GOVERNMENT LIBERALITY.

evil, to put something right."

The government organs are constantly harping on what the Ross administration has done for the people of New Ontario. It has been lavish, at all events, in helping its friends with the property which the whole people own. Conservatives as well as Liberals are interested in what the government has been doing with the property which they own jointly. But below are given some instances of what has been done, for which the Liberal papers have not given them credit. The Mail and Empire supplies the

omissions: The Ross Government has placed debt of \$5,800,000 upon Ontario and has incurred new railway liabilities aggre gating \$7,752,000.

It has given 6,560,000 acres of land with all their minerals to railway companies, and 15,660 square miles of pulpwood secretly and without public competition, to syndicates.

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It has proposed to take 15 per cent. of all the corporation taxes the municipalities now collect; and it has seiz ed authority to levy direct taxes upon every citizen, and to compel the county, city, or town tax gatherer to col-

ect them. It has locked up land in New Ortara that the colonist may not occupy it; it has driven 4,617 settles out of New Ontario in ten years; it has squandered colonization road money upon politicians; it has handicapped the miner with laws that are pro

nounced "rotten" by experts. It has refused agricultural schools for the farmer, and has declined to reform the educational system, to miti gate the text-book monopoly, and to nodernize the public schools,

It has used the licensing system for politics, levying upon license and rejecting moral reform.

It has promised prohibition to

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ander its protection to-day. The government has got into a rut. It seems to be like the German Emperor, fully imbued with the idea that t holds office by divine right, and that it is treason to question its authority. It is time to give the people change. We want agovernment that is up-to-date.

Whitney Will Win!

Victory is with the Conservatives.

Take note of Mr. Pardo's speech to The young men will cast their first

notes for Whitney. Do you come across any confide Rossites these days?

Mr. Fraser is proving himself be an untiring worker.

There must be no let up until o'clock on the day of polling. Young man! Fraser is your candis

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