

favour of his party. He soon showed that his right place was in Parliament helping to guide the affairs of the country. The honest tone of his speeches, together with his good common sense, made him a power in the land.

He was in parliament at the same time as John A. Macdonald, whose life-story we shall read later and like him Brown became the leader of his party.

The Hon. George Brown was very loyal to Great Britain in all he said and did, and his words found an echo in the hearts of his hearers. He was anxious for a union of the provinces and when that subject came before Parliament, did all he could to bring it about.

He died at Toronto from the wound of a pistol shot given in his office by one of the printers who was thought to be out of his mind.

The Hon. George Brown's great work was the *Globe*, which ranks to-day amongst the best newspapers in America.

The people of Ontario erected a statue to his memory in Queen's Park, Toronto, the city in which most of his life work was done.