

Mr. BUCHANAN of Toronto, rose and observed that as an Upper Canadian he could not sit still and hear that toast drank in so enthusiastic a manner without returning thanks. He (Mr. B.) was unaccustomed to speak in public, but he conceived that it was unnecessary for any one to speak for Sir F. B. Head. (Cheers.) He had spoken for himself—he had spoken home to the sympathies of all true hearts, and had made the people of Upper Canada speak out in popular thunder. (Loud cheers.)—What a thrill of pleasure was felt in Upper Canada when the result of the elections was made known! It had been felt that there was a foul stain attached to the character of the people of Upper Canada by the Lower Canadians, but the result of those elections did away with the false accusations made against Upper Canada. (Cheers.) The credit of the country was thereby redeemed, and the people of Upper Canada shewed that they had no sympathy with the revolutionary characters in the Province. The people of Upper Canada are desirous of real reform, and they take it as a redeeming pledge of the Home Government that Sir Francis Bond Head has been sent out as their Lieutenant Governor. (Cheers.) They see in him a fearless Conservative and a real Reformer, which is just the kind of a man they required. They are determined to have a reform, for undoubtedly reform is required, and they are likewise determined that by British hands shall British wrongs be righted. (Long continued cheering.)

Mr. JOHN NEILSON remarked that the acknowledgment of the honour intended for Sir Francis Bond Head had very properly been made by a gentleman from Upper Canada. He (Mr. N.) believed that the merits of Sir Francis Bond Head are as well known and as fully appreciated in Lower as in Upper Canada. Personally, in Lower Canada, we