

MORE THAN PARTY SUCCESS.

I am nothing if I am not a Canadian. It is enough to be a Canadian : it is enough for all of us to feel that we have all that we need here to call forth our greatest energies, and whether we win or lose—in the electoral lists, I mean, and we are going to win the next—(cheers)—we must always feel that the great struggle of politics involves something more than party success ; it involves the perpetuation of British institutions, modelled to suit the Canadian mind, the perpetuation of freedom, the perpetuation of civil and religious liberty, of justice to minorities, of respect for the law, and the manly recognition of the rights of the weaker party, if there be a weaker party. (Cheers.) I thank you for the reception you have given us.

The conclusion of Mr. Ross' address was the signal for an outburst of great cheering, which was only cut short by the announcement that it was time to leave for the boat. The sail home was a pleasant one.