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## THE GLOBE'S TRIBUTE TO CLANCY

Speaking of the recent reverse sustained by Mr. Clancy in a neighboring constituency, The Toronto Globe, the Liberal organ, pays him the following compliment:—

"Among the Opposition losses in Ontario there stands out that of Mr. Clancy, whose ability as a critic was generally admitted, and whose genial qualities made him popular with men of all opinions."

## M.R. WHITNEY'S POLICY

Clean, honest, decent Government. Increased agricultural instruction in high schools.

The encouragement of sanitary systems of sewerage in towns and villages.

Public ownership of public utilities.

Prompt settlement of capital-labor disputes.

Operation of the Temiskaming railway by the Government.

Improvement in the assessing of railway property.

## ONTARIO LAW IS WEAK

A Pennsylvania railroad train ran into a street car loaded with school children in Newark, and the slaughter was frightful.

New Jersey Justice, represented by an elected district attorney, indicted President Cassatt and the directors of the Pennsylvania Railway.

These magnates were forced to spend more than a week of their valuable time in the legal process of being tried for manslaughter.

True, President Cassatt and his associates were not convicted, but the fact that "their" liberty was put in jeopardy brought home to the Pennsylvania Railway Company such a sense of its responsibility for the public safety as it could have never learned from the prosecution of train hands.

Ontario corporations, electric railway and steam railway, can never be brought to a realizing of their duty by the prosecution of, underlings. Presidents who fail to preside and directors who fail to direct in such a way as to protect the public, should be handled by Ontario law as vigorously as New Jersey law handled President Cassatt and the directors of the Pennsylvania Railway Company.—Toronto Telegram.

## DEFIANCE, NOT PENITENCE

A convention of 4,000 delegates, giving every indication of party enthusiasm, was no doubt a gratifying spectacle for Hon. G. W. Ross to gaze upon. It is a question, however, if numbers and enthusiasm justified the premier's proud observation that:

"It doesn't look very much to-day as if there was going to be a change."

Mr. Ross is very much mistaken if he imagines that he has only to capture a convention of 4,000 delegates to regain the confidence of the province. The 4,000 delegates mean, roughly speaking, that each constituency in the province is represented by 40 electors. These 40 electors are so many party enthusiasts responding to an urgent party appeal in a serious party crisis.

As party lines are drawn in Ontario to-day, as many might very easily be found to respond to the call of any party leader in any emergency regardless of the merits of the cause they were asked to uphold. The aggregate looks formidable, but distributed among the ninety-eight constituencies of the province it is numerically insignificant and of still account in its indication of the trend of public sentiment. Mr. Ross is leaning on a slender reed when he mistakes an assembly of rampant party enthusiasts for an outburst of popular opinion in his favor.

The coming battle at the polls will not be determined by the votes, or enthusiasm of forty or five times forty electors who represent the extreme partisanship of any constituency. The issue will be decided by the men who are neither extreme Liberals nor extreme Conservatives, but by that formidable element which thinks for itself, and which now gives every sign of resolute hostility to the Ross Government. To this more or less independent public opinion Mr. Ross will appeal in vain with his talk about the new duties of Liberalism, his tributes to the colleagues he has abandoned, his vague allusions to the call of loyalty and patriotism and his yearnings: "to keep all the vestal fires which were lighted at the laying of the foundations of every principle which makes a free and happy people."

It may suit the purpose of the premier to try to obscure the record of his government with such meaning-

less rhetoric, but the people are not hungering for such luxuries at this stage of Ontario's history. They will be well satisfied with the common everyday necessities of a simple living people, strong and clean administration, pure electors, strictly representative government and preservation for their use and advantage of the resources of the province.

Mr. Ross has not given the province the bread of honest, progressive government, so he offers the people instead the cake of rich and glowing rhetoric. Perhaps the convention was satisfied with this alternative. We doubt if the people of the province will display the same aesthetic taste. What the province wants is a change from the old way of things in Queen's Park to new ways. This Mr. Ross does not propose to give, and probably is not in a position to give. It is to be regretted that in the words which Mr. Ross addressed to the convention there was no indication of penitence. He justified everything since he confessed no wrong, and therefore stands as the self-proclaimed sponsor for the electoral wrongs which have disgraced Ontario, for the members who have been false to their trusts, for the disfranchisement of North Renfrew and for the trickery which enabled his government to hold power with the aid of a corrupt majority in the legislature.

Mr. Ross spoke not as a public man who had done wrong under stress of embarrassment or temptation, but as one who had consistently done well and was merely anxious to do better. To such a man the Liberal convention may be prepared to give a renewal of its confidence, but sooner or later Mr. Ross must meet a power which will record the Ross government in a different perspective and declares itself accordingly.—Toronto World.

## COMING EVENTS.

"Landslide" may describe the Dominion elections, but the term is too feeble to apply to the coming avalanche that James R. Stratton has got out from under.

## A DIFFICULT TASK.

Hamilton Herald.

It begins to look as though it will be even harder to account for that bogus ballot box story by the theory that Phil Lott invented it than it was to account for the Gamey charges by the theory that Gamey invented them.

## Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

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## GETTING EVEN.

I'd like to have a nice, long play. But can't find any one today. There's not a single kid about. There ain't no answer to my shout. Where them kids is I jes' don't see; I'll bet they're hidin' out on me.

I've swung hard on the back yard gate And made it lop down with my weight; I've hunted high an' hunted low; I jes' ain't got no place to go. I wonder where them kids can be; I s'pose they're hidin' out on me.

Suppose Ted is mad about his ball 'At let got lost for good an' all. An' Margie says I hit 'er cat. An' she is poutin' over that. They say I done it purposely. 'N' so they're hidin' out on me.

But I'll let show 'em what is what 'N' make 'em think they better not. I'll pop some corn, a great big lot, 'N' eat it all up w'ile it's hot. Then, think how mad them kids 'll be Cus they wuz hidin' out on me.

## Feels the Honor.

Quite as important a man as you will meet in a day's travel is the fellow who has been nominated for the legislature by some party boss who intends to do the voting for the candidate, should he be elected, and allow him to draw the pay or a part of it.

A turkey gobbler worth 13 cents a pound in the open market could have no more impressive strut than the little candidate as he walks down one side of the street only because of the limitations of nature which prevent him from walking down both sides of the street at the same time.

Solomon in all his glory when he strolled about accompanied by his 500 wives could not possibly have presented a more imposing spectacle. He never dreams that if he were on the market the population would consider itself cheated if it could not purchase him at the rate of two bunches for a nickel.

Perhaps, however, it is well that he should have his day now, for when the legislature meets he will be considerably less in size than knee high to a telegraph pole.

## Willing.

He stole her heart Once on a time. She did not think It was a crime Or say, "Ain't, please put it back," But whispered, "You can keep it, Jack."

## Natural to Them.

"Here is a physical culturist who says the proper way to walk downstairs is backward."

"He must think we are all Russian generals."

## Against Their Will.

"The smoothest of them can't beat old Father Time."

"Can't, hey? I've heard of dozens of men 'doing' time."

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## DAYS OF AULD LANG SYNE

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Below we publish a list of the number of votes in the County of Kent as registered for 1890 and now deposited in the office of the Clerk of the Peace:

TOWN OF CHATHAM.	
Northwood's Ward.....	245
Eberts Ward.....	296
Chrysler Ward.....	265
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Tilbury East.....	806
Raleigh.....	188
Orford.....	430
Howard.....	301
Zone.....	571
Dover East and West.....	182
Romey.....	250
Harwich.....	611
Township of North Gore of Chatham.....	423
Camden.....	385
Total.....	4,242

## What Sulphur Does

FOR THE HUMAN BODY IN HEALTH AND DISEASE.

The mention of sulphur will recall to many of us the early days when our mothers and grandmothers gave us our daily dose of sulphur and molasses every spring and fall.

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The idea was good, but the remedy was crude and unpalatable, and a large quantity had to be taken to get any effect.

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## ENGINE SADLY IN NEED OF HELP.

The well-worn blueberry story and the cowcatcher story of the country railways sink into insignificance before an anecdote in Harper's Weekly. The tale is related by a travelling man who recently returned from a trip through the west.

I think I came across the seediest railroad line in the whole world. We were crossing a stretch of prairie when the train suddenly stopped for no apparent reason. After a wait of almost an hour the conductor came through the train, glancing furtively at the exasperated passengers as he passed. When he came to me he stopped and leaned down.

"Say," he said in a whisper, "have you got a piece of string? We want to fix the engine."

## DRUGGING WON'T CURE CATARRH

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