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THE SEMI-WEEKLY COLONIST

A PARALLEL CASE.

Assuming that Mr. Templeman can do more for us with a portfolio than he has been able to do as a cabinet minister without a portfolio, is there any tween a lump sum of \$250,000 for our votes and an indirect financial benefit either more or less than that amount?

REACTION AGAINST BOSSISM.

Recently in many parts of the United against the Boss in politics. It has machine, which depend absolutely upon went a number of the large cities and several of the states. It is the protest of the people against the domination, hy means of huge campaign funds, of

when a similar revulsion of feeling will take place. In Canada it is less the domination of the corporation than that of the political machine for political purposes; but the influence of the money has is none the less felt. It has got down to this, that up to a certain point the candidate with the most money wina, the fight. It one side has little or no of straightforward means.

The trick that was played is proving to be a boomerang for those who were responsible for it. Mr. Templeman and his friends have discovered that if they had not been so hasty in endeavoring to capture unwary Conservatives and then the cable. That story was used freely until it was worn threadbard their end by the adoption the cable has little or no of straightforward means.

As it is explained to us by some of

the result.

In the city of Victoria the point has been reached where, by the experience of the political regime of the past few years, the control of everything has passed into the hands of a clique, against passed into the hands of a clique, against

The patronage of the Quadra and of the quarantine station have been peddled at great expense among political favorites.

Repairs aggregating many thousands of bellars annually have been undertaken,

adopting the policy which the Conservatives are now pursuing in appealing to the unpurchaseable element of the com-

In this instance let us be frank and admit that the Conservatives are making a virtue of necessity, even if they can be demonstrated that elections can its original form. be fought and won, at tremendous odds. without unnecessary and illegitimate expenditure it will revolutionize politics and sound the death knell in the Dominion of the political hose and the political unlimited financial means for success.

WHY CONSERVATIVES WERE SUPPORTING MR. TEM-PLEMAN.

the fight. It one side has little or no money and the other has all the money and all the "influence," the former is considered as absurdly foelish for making the fight.

The point was reached in Ontario in 1904, when a government that had been in power for over thirty years and had latterly maintained its position purely by corruption of the electorate and the suppression by fraud of the free expression of public opinion, was swept out of existence by popular uprising.

The point has almost been reached in the new Northwest province of Alberta, where a verdict was stolen by a series of political outrages as audacious as they were immoral. Money, manipulation and official rascality all contributed to the result.

Times, whose vitup convincing has do people, has been for admit its falsity."

Getting down to proposition. It was plausibly admit they were assured that there was going to be no opposition. It was plausibly and glibly represented that, in the circumstances, it would be a graceful thing in going back to Ottawa if it could be shown to Sir Wilfrid Laurier that his Grand Trunk Pacific out that, unless ut in the manner in which so many persons sign petitions, without considering themselves in advance against the Conservatives of the city of Victoria, who alone in convention and official rascality all contributed to the result.

So strong is the feeling on the mat-

which a large element of the Liberai party has been in open revolt.

Despite the solemn promises in respect to the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific, there is nothing definite in regard to operations in British Columbia, although construction is well under way in the Northwest.

There are certain prominent Liberals in Victoria whose names we can give if necessary, who could not be induced to sign his nomination paper, and it was on account of this serious defection in his own party that Mr. Templeman's friends resorted to those on the other side, some of whom he had libelled in a political way for years. Those Liberals today are not supporting Mr. Templeman, despite his cabinet position and despite the favors he has at his disposal.

KAIEN ISLAND.

The editor of the Colonist is in receipt of a somewhat lengthy letter from a correspondent signing that the writer outlines the situation so well that we propose to situation so well that we propose to the Liberal-Conservatives would not the Liberal-Conservatives would not did not believe in the principle; but if it not deemed necessary to publish it in

the political machine, which makes and unmakes legislation and serves the intervent ests of those who supply the sinews of ests of those who supply the sinews of the conservative candidate, a good deal of light has been thrown on the reasons which impelled a number of Conservatives to sign Mr. Templeman's nomination of Lands and Works, the tives to sign Mr. Templeman's nomination of Lands and Works, the tive a similar revulsion of feeling will. convincing has disgusted decent people, has been forced reluctantly to

Getting down to the kernel of the proposition, our correspondent asks: What is the effect of the deal that the government has made with the Grand Trunk Pacific?" It is pointed out that, unless utilized for railway

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Today there is no attempt to explain william Templeman, had to pend upon those who would vote for the waterfront, preventing any chance of the waterfront. By reason of every alternate thousand feet of this water frontage being reserved for the province, there is a guarantee that the people of British Columbia shall retain a most importation with the rank and file of the province should be in the people, and that if it is to be dollars against democracy, then the spirit of the age and the British constitution are with the

A PARALLEL CASE.

We will assume for strainments take that this was a real electrical process of the control of the surface of Conservative support in this was a real electrical processed by their grant, you make the house of the real properties of the control of the provinces of the provinces

We have been asked to state the reasons why the Liberal-Conserva- Leath tives are opposing the election of a

journalism in this province. Garbled Conservative convention to place a reports, false rumors and discreditreports, false rumors and discreditable attacks on the government are used with the utmost recklessness, in the hope of misleading the public mind and bringing the administration into disrepute. Especially are these when they were referred to as the gers. "The Iroquois theatre fire in Chicago theatres

men who urged fighting, and who has shown himself to have the courage of his convictions. They may as well be expressed pretty nearly in his own vords. First, he pleads that the rgument of the portfolio has no force. ecause we have already had a portbecause we have already had a portfolio in Victoria, given to Col. Prior
ten years ago by the Conservatives, so
that this is no new recognition of our
status, and because Senator Templeman on his own showing has been in

the terminus on their holdings and for their individual benefit."

THE REASONS WHY.

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make extracts from it, though it is not deemed necessary to publish it in its original form.

In referring to the campaign of slander and innuendo that was set on foot, especially in the Vancouver press, "Kaien" remarks:

"To any fair-minded man who has followed the course of the Kaien Island investigation, the attitude of the opposition press is a disgrace to journalism in this province. Garbled

when they were referred to as the "rump of Conservatism."

What are the facts? When the Conservatives started out to oppose the return of Mr. Templeman, they knew they had no money for paying for the services of party heelers; they knew that there was abundance of money on the government side; they knew that they had absolutely nothing to depend upon but the free expression of public opinion. Today, with the exception of three men employed to do clerical work, there is not an individual drawing pay. Not a dollar is being expended to influence votes. There are no expenses incurred by Mr. Beckwith's committee that they would not submit to public scrutiny.

Now, then, as to the reasons for an election. They have been well expressed by Captain Clive Phillipps-Wolley, who, by the way, is one of the men who urged fighting, and who has shown himself to have the courage of

LOSING WEIGHT

Indicates a Diseased System

status, and because Senator Templeman on his own showing has been in all practical matters a member of the cabinet for nearly four years, with full voice in the council, consulted and considered in all matters concerning British Columbia, and during that time has not taken the trouble to look into such matters as the Salvor contract, or had energy enough or influence enough to obtain any benefits for this province. Mr. Wolley argues that the addition of a salary to Mr. Templeman's position will not increase either his energy or his influence.

Next he pleads that conciliation is a poor policy; that men will do more from fear of a strong foe than they will to please a weak friend. As long as British Columbia kicks, so long will the Ottawa government do its best to stop that kicking, and the more dangerous to Sir Wilfrid's government those kicks appear to be, the more will he do to stop them. If we return his members unopposed the Premier will

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R. L. Drury—Mine was a mint. George Riley—I had a dredge. Honorable William Templeman have a good secondhand lifeboat.

Here is a straight question for the Hon. William Templeman or his friends: What can Mr. Templeman do for Victoria as a cabinet minister with a portfolio that Senator Templeman without a portfolio could do? We want a straight answer in explicit terms. We want to know definitely what he intends to do to justify the expectations he has created.

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CABLOW-CAMSUSA—In this city, on Feb-ruary 17. by the Rev. J. Laterne, Myra Carlow and Louis Camsusa, both of this city.

DIED

ABBL—At the family residence, 124 Fort street, on the 25th Instant, Edward Abel, a native of Paris, France; aged ACKETT-In this city, on the 24th in-stant, Annie Grant Hackett, the be-loved wife of Captain Chas. Hackett, of the Dominion Government steamer Quadra.

AMERON—At her home, in this city, on the 24th instant, Jessie, widow of the late Duncan Cameron, in the 84th year of her age.

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(From Tuesday's I

Saanich Liberals.—At the Royal Oak, on Saturday, p. m., a meeting of the transaction of general Committed for Trial .-- J ex-clerk of the land regist New Westminster, has be for trial on a charge of amount involved being set do

He elects to stand trial be and bail is fixed at \$1,500, it ies of \$750 each. Y. M. C. A. Work.—A conne workers of the Young Me an Association will be held as. Papers will be read dea to boys, religious, social and apartments, to be followed lepartments, to be followed sion. It is expected that a g new plans tending to increa ficiency of the association wi gested, and all interested are settend.

Island Land Conditions.—As ent real estate dealer yesterda a letter from people in the Ctry inquiring as to real estate in the vicinity of Victoria. It is tated that information at 1 to the effect that it was anticiped that a real estate boom wou that a real estate boom wor strike Victoria, this solution owing to the increased into the increased into the island by the C.

emperance Mass Meeting to be institute hall tomorrow ever speakers will be as follows:
Lapsoott, Mrs. Spofford, Rev Pescott. Mrs. Gleason will gitation and Mrs. W. E. Stanc be heard in solos. The chair taken at 8 o'clock by 'Dr. Lev A collection will be taken at the defray expenses.

The Bye Election.—For the ing bye-election for the feder meetings have been arranged it crests of the Liberal candid wm. Templeman, as follows: February 27th, Odd Fellov Spring Ridge—speakers, Hon. Templeman, Ralph Smith, M. A. Galligher, M. P., John Olive P., Wednesday, A. O. U. V. Speakers, Hon. Wm. Templeman Macdonald, M. P. P., leader of position; Ralph Smith, M, P. Newspaper For Sale.-H.

Manaimo, secretary for the c in a published notice is calling ders which will be received unti-day, March 3rd, for the purchas plant and good-will of the literals newspaper, as a going The Herald is a daily morning per with weekly edition that is established for seven years, large constituency of readers in mo and vicinity, and in view hight husiness anticol for mo and vicinity, and in view bright business outlook for I should prove a first-class busi vestment. The plant consists Moneline typesetting machine, erless Monono press, one Web engine, one 30-inch paper cut lightning job press, one stapil chine, and full dress of type, ca leys, stones, etc., well adapted rying on a newspaper and job business.

(From Wednesday's dail; Bank Clearings.—Ine tots elearings for the week ending 27th, as reported by the Victoring House, were \$688,939.

B. C. Permanent.—H. J. Kno McCallum and D. C. Reid, lo resentatives of the B. C. Perma & S. Co., were among those v passage on the Princess Victo morning. They go to Vancouv tend the annual general meetin B. C. Permanent company, while place at 2 o'clock this afternoon,

Seed Commissioner.—W. C. I can of the Dominion Seed departived last night from Ottawa here to secure samples and in the character of seed offered While in the west he will also meetings in various sections of tince and an invitation has been ed to him to speak at the me the Farmers' Central institute session at the parliament build

St. Patrick's Day.—That rick's day will be appropriately in Victoria is now assured. The the First Presbyterian church u direction of Mr. J. G. Brown ranging for a grand concert for 17th, and M. J. Hooley late of t son company, is coaching a nu amateurs for the production of the tiful Irish play "Kathleen Mayor

Port Simpson Hospital.—The mo herald is authority for the ment that it is understood the A. E. Green, inspector of Indian of British Columbia and a restrained by the Committee of the Columbia and a restrained by the Dominion government hospital at Port Signature of the presentatives of the presentative

white Rass Route.—According vices received at the offices of the Pass & Yukon route the trail. White Horse and Dawson was illent condition last week and alwere running on excellent time weather is reported to have been by mild after an intense cold snajeral weeks duration and trave now performed in comfort as weather conditions are concerned.

Provincial Stock Sale.—Over stries of registered horses, cattle and pigs have been received by tary F. M. Logan for the first provincial auction sale to be concern to the B. C. Stock Breeders' tion at New Westminster on 21-22. A catalogue of the pu tion at New Westminster on 21-22. A catalogue of the pu stock offered is now in course paration and will be ready for early next week. All interested has been supposed the secretary of the department riculture, Victoria. Tonight at liament buildings there will be meeting of the executive of the ers' association to take up the association to take up the holding a stallion show at k in connection with the two