vigour and energy in pursuit of a cherished ideal or principle, coupled with quickness of perception and undoubted executive ability.

The past is behind him, and he who runs may read. Of the future which lies before Mr. McCarthy, it would be worse than folly to make a prediction. Whatever may happen in time to come, his career has been one of marked interest and importance, whilst his name and actions have stamped themselves indelibly upon the history of the Dominion of Canada.

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