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Senator Macpherson to oppose the bargain and to assert the opinions he held in 1872-3 and 1877-8. He reminds Mr. Macpherson of his denunciations of Mr. Mackenzie for of his denunciations of Mr. Mackenzie for paying too much money for the steel rails, and of his opposition to the immediate construction of non-paying sections of the road as premature and unwise. He compares the offers of the two syndicates, and shows that by accepting one and rejecting the other the country sustains a loss of \$600,000 a year for all time to come. He deals with the engagement with British Columbia, and asks why we should keep faith with that province and break it with the edge provinces. vince and break it with the older provinces, as we must do by largely increasing the burden of taxation. If Mr. Macpherson was burden of taxation. If Mr. Macpherson was sincere in his professions of eschewing partisanship in parliament three years ago, Mr. Proctor says, he has now a noble opportunity of proving it, and the body of which he is a prominent member has an opportunity of proving that its usefulness is not gone.

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After several other motions had been passed, Mr. Casgrain's bill for the better prevention of fraud in relation to contracts involving the expenditure of public moneys was referred to a select committee.

The house adjourned at 6 o'clock to allow members to attend the government house ball.

Yesterday Mr. Morris moved for a committee on university consolidation. Mr. Crooks pointed out the difficulties in the way of consolidation, narrated some of the futile efforts to overcome them, expressed his opinion that a committee could not accomplish anything except lay down a policy, which really devolved upon the government to lay down when the proper time arrived. The motion was withdrawn, as also was a subsequent one by Mr. Young, looking to making use of the assessors as a means of collecting agricultural statistics, Mr. Young was strongly supported by Mr. Hay and Dr. Robinson, Messrs. Wood, Ross and Merrick pointing out per contra the difficulties in the way of accomplishing in this way the object desired.

Mr. French's bill amending the municipal act, was read a second time, and referred to the municipal committee.

The house then adjourned.

The Old Saying that Murder Will Out

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Dumfriesshire.

The royal commission on the parliamentary election in Boston, Lincolnshire, England, which on petition in July last was declared void, and no new writ issued, reports that the town is cerrupt.

The protection bill passed to its second reading in the British house of commons yesterday by a vote of 359 to 56, and its consideration in committee of the whole was fixed for to-day. The only speech made was by Mr. Forster, who replied to the arguments advanced during the previous debate. The speaker introduced the new rules yesterday, expressing the hope that, while preventing delay, they would not unduly limit freedom of debate.

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