

MURDER OR ACCIDENT?

Suspicious Death of an Elgin County Farmer.

HIS SKULL CRUSHED BY A TREE

Thought To Have Been Killed For His Insurance.

SUSPECTS UNDER SURVEILLANCE.

Contradictory Evidence Given At Inquest.

Hendershott Found Under a Fallen Tree, His Head Crushed in Evidence Pointing to His Having Been Killed and the Tree Felled So as to Fall Upon the Body \$11,000 Insurance Taken Out Within a Short Period, the Police Being Made Payable to His Uncle—The Inquest Adjourned—Detective Murray Working on the Case.

St. Thomas, Dec. 17.—Elgin County is presently excited over what looks very much like a murder mystery, and although no arrests have yet been made, two men are under police surveillance and may be taken into custody at any moment. The Attorney-General's Department has been communicated with, and a report forwarded to send up Provincial Detective Murray at once.

The present case resembles in many of its essentials the famous Lucia murder of 12 years ago, when Louis Napoleon was stabbed and shot while walking through the woods on his farm. Although two men, Ransom Forbes and Albert Thomas, and the murdered man's wife were arrested for the crime, no conviction was secured. So far as the present case is concerned, no proof that a murder has been committed has been adduced, but the authorities claim to have something in reserve, which they decline to divulge. The scene of this last supposed murder is a small place called Middlemarch in Southwick Township, three miles west of this city. It is a log cabin with a blacksmith shop, and consists of a blacksmith shop, hotel and church. The Hendersons and Welter, the two young men being at the parties implicated, belong here in the locality for close on a half a century. Hendersons live now all through the southern counties. Briefly, the facts of the case are these:

On Friday last two young men named William H. Henderson, aged 23, and William Welter, aged 20, left the residence of Henderson at 10:30 p.m., and went to a farm on the north side of St. Thomas, where it was known as the Warden farm to a tree. Both young men lived with John Henderson.

William Henderson, the young man who had been living at the Warden farm, had been quarreled with his father and came to Middlemarch to reside with his uncle. Welter is a son of Isaac Welter, who resides on the adjoining farm to Henderson's. He, too, had singularly enough quarreled with his father, a young woman being at the bottom of the trouble. This young woman is a daughter of Henderson's, and her name Welter two years ago went to live.

Crushed Under a Tree. Friday night Welter returned from the woods alone, and reported that Henderson had been killed by a falling tree. Welter's story was that, after they had chopped the tree through, Henderson, whose vest was lying on a stump, called out, "It will break my watch," and ran towards the stump. Welter warned him of his danger, but Henderson ran directly under the tree, was struck by and instantly killed. Henderson was crushed. His story of the accident was accepted.

Not Satisfied With \$11,000 Insurance. On Saturday, however, it was learned that since September last \$11,000 insurance had been taken out on Henderson, deceased, the policies being made payable to his uncle, John Henderson. In September of last year a younger policy of \$5,000 was taken out in the Mutual Reserve of New York, of which C. Cooke is president. Henderson's policy of \$5,000 was taken out on Saturday and Sunday.

A Constable's Discovery. Suspicion once aroused grew by what it fed on, and County Constable Fairbrother paid a visit to the scene on Sunday when he made what was regarded as a startling discovery. He found the tree which had been chopped through lying with the branches pointing westward, and the stump at the east. Running north and south from the branches of the falling tree is a log on which Henderson's coat, vest and watch are said to have been lying. Deceased, it is believed, was struck by the tree at a point 10 or 15 feet from this log, or almost clear of the branches of the tree.

Crime Not Allowed to Stand. London, Dec. 17.—A despatch from Antwerp says that a vessel from Canada, which has arrived there, has not been allowed to unload her cargo of cattle owing to the reported existence of foot-and-mouth disease in Canada.

Christmas Just Around the Corner. And we are ready to help you meet it. Buy him one of these fancy vests. It will help to make it a surprise we will tell you how to get the measure. You will find it will be appreciated. Watson, 126 Yonge-street, 246

The Ontario Society of Artists Exhibition of Paintings opens fully and on Wednesday and Friday evenings at 173 King-street West.

Said a Man to a Man. "What talk have you? Have you a home? Do you know what is going on in Toronto at night? Do you love, and do you ever get a liver out late at night? Will you be uptown tomorrow? If so, drop into the Arcade saloon and try hall a dozen blue points. Chivers, 171 King-street west, open all night, manages the oyster counter."

Ask for Dewar's Scotch Whisky, as supplied to her Majesty, Queen Victoria, 246

Get the youngsters a box of Tutti Frutti for Christmas. It's a delightful confection and keeps fit in stomach right

Richardson House. This commodious and comfortable hotel will accommodate winter boarders at reasonable rates. 246

MINISTERS TO MEET TO-DAY

NO CABINET ANNOUNCEMENTS EXPECTED UNTIL THURSDAY.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 17.—Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper arrived by the 4.40 train, and was met at the station by Hon. J. C. Patterson, and drove to the West Block, where he was cloistered for about an hour with Hon. Mr. Bowell. That is about the sum total of the day's news.

Mr. Bowell spent the evening in his office with his private secretary, and at half past eleven, when on his way to the Russell, informed your correspondent that he had been engaged in catching up arrears of correspondence, and that he had nothing to say on publication. From a gentleman who is generally well informed your correspondent learned that it is expected that a general conference of the Ministers will be held tomorrow, as they are now all here, and that it is most probable that it will be Thursday before any announcement is made.

A sensible Christmas present would be a policy in the Commercial Travellers' Mutual Benefit Society for \$1,000 or \$2,000. Manufacturers, clerks, clerical assistants and salesmen are eligible to take advantage of it.

English Violets. A greenhouse 200 feet in length is devoted entirely to the culture of violets at Dunlop's, and 1500 flowers are gathered daily. The violets seen in King's city are 8 King west and 445 Yonge cannot be surpassed for size, odor and perfection of color.

Through Tickets to Southern Resorts. Charles E. Burns, 77 Yonge-street, third door above King, Passages to Savannah, Jacksonville, Miami, New Orleans, and all Southern States and resorts by rail route.

Turkish Baths—open all night on and after Dec. 15. Try one. 304 King-st. w.

St. Christmas Hamper. In willow-covered basket, securely packed for shipping, containing 6 bottles, according to choice, of our finest brandy, whisky, rum, gin, port, sherry, Madeira, Burgundy, claret or Sauternes. William Marx, 79 Yonge-street.

For Healthy Lungs. Milburn's Cod Liver Oil Emulsion with Wild Cherry and Hypophosphites combines the curative powers of the natural remedies mentioned in the most perfect and palatable form. Price 50c and \$1 per quart.

Behind Dispar. There is no better, safer, or more pleasant cough remedy than the famous Pectoral Balsam. It cures Whooping Cough, Croup, Hoarseness and all throat and lung troubles.

You should use Gibbons' Toothache Gum when suffering from toothache. Price 10c. 246

Cabinet Photos. Mr. J. Fraser Bryce, photographer, 107 King-street west, prints cabinet photos. Appointments by desired. 246

Richardson House—low warm rooms vacant for winter boarders; good table; moderate rates. King and Spadina. 246

Have You Seen This? The "Red" Crystal Pen writes on almost any surface. Price 10c. Blight Bros., 65 Yonge-street.

Green Christmas. Christmas of '94 will long be remembered as a green Christmas, not because the messias still retains their green verdure, but on account of the popular craze for green neckwear. Some of the latest designs of neckwear in green effects has been in Queen's Christmas window, 115 King-street. One marvelously fine tie can be sold at fifty cents.

The children expect Santa Claus to bring some things that is more it's very welcome. What Advancing. Still flour is selling at \$1.15 per bag, sugar 4c per pound, new raisins 6c, currants 6c per pound for 75c, fine butter 10c at John Miller & Co., 75-81 Queen-st. w. 246

Ask for the genuine Beaver Pling and be sure you get it. What They Cannot Instill. It may be possible for some of the rivals of Robert Simpson's big store to equal that building, though as yet no one has of the King-street west, Toronto. It is admitted on all hands to be the finest store in Canada. But what where they are in the matter of prices. They may copy him in his merchandise, but until they can equal him in price, they are not in the race. His wide experience as a buyer, the amount of capital he has at command, the business he has in his own trade, give him of turning over stock very rapidly, these things being reasons why he can undersell his competitors. His Big New Store these days is crowded forenoon and afternoon with a stream of buyers from all parts of Toronto, from all parts of the Province of Ontario, Simpson is a household word now from one end of Ontario to the other.

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The French Treaty. The public are cautioned against "fake" advertisements about this treaty, such as: "We have reduced our prices in view of the French Treaty, etc. etc."

We can assure our customers that this treaty is not yet in operation in Canada, nor will it be until an order in council issues from Ottawa.

Therefore, reducing prices "in view of the treaty" is no business. Deal with old reliable houses, who give good honest values for your money and do a legitimate trade.

When the treaty comes into force reliable houses will reduce their prices accordingly.

Geo. D. Dawson, 16 King-street east, Established 1870. Telephone 106. 246

O.S.A. Art Gallery open daily and on Wednesday and Friday evenings. If you intend buying a choice package of 100 tubes in stock of choice dyes. Will sell you a gift-tube at 10c. 3804 King-st. w. 246

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PREPARING FOR CHRISTMAS.



THE BOYS: I wonder if any of that's intended for my stocking?

MORE CANDIDATES RECOMMENDED

THE BLENNHEIM SAILS THURSDAY.

Mr. Charles Tupper will probably accompany the body of Sir John Thompson on his return to the Blenheim on Thursday. The coffin containing the remains of the late Sir John Thompson was sealed in the presence of Sir Charles Tupper, the Canadian High Commissioner, and Senator Sanford.

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THOSE CAPRA AT DINERS.

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TORONTO'S CONFERENCE.

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CHAMPAGNE WINES FOR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

Champagne—Gold Lac Sec, double magnum, equal to 4-quart bottles, \$10 per bottle.

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SHADOWED THE INQUISITORS.

THE JUDGE AND COUNSEL WATCHED BY PINKERTON DETECTIVES.

A. F. Johnston Swears That He Paid Hall and Hewitt \$1000 When They Were Aldermen for Their Influence—Director Everett Gives Evidence—The Loans to Coleman and Hewitt.

Yesterday's session of the hoodling investigation was more interesting than it has been of late, although no very material evidence was adduced. A. T. Johnston, who assisted the Edison Company in its endeavor to secure the Street Railway Company, went into the box and swore he gave Hall and Hewitt \$1000 when they were aldermen for their influence. Vice-President Everett testified that the witness stood for the greater part of the day, but all Lawyer Nesbitt's heavy artillery failed to get much out of him. The most amusing incident was the way in which the Pinkerton men set on by Everett to watch Judge McDougall, Mr. Nesbitt and Mr. Griener were trapped. Two of the private detectives have been served with subpoenas, and their evidence will likely prove a comical side to the investigation.

A. T. Johnston in the Box.

A. T. Johnston was the first witness sworn. He said he was agent for the Dominion Oilcloth Company of Montreal, with a branch in Toronto. He had lived in the city for six years, and previous to that time he lived in Montreal. He was not acquainted with civic politics when he came to the city. He had two interests in civic politics. How did you come to be mixed up with the aldermen?—A. Through Mr. Barr, never more than the Edison General Electric Company, who told me that they were endeavoring to get a large contract from the Street Railway Company. He did not know the members of the Kieley-Everett syndicate, and he did not know the names of the aldermen who were in the box. He thought they might know the syndicate people and their evidence will likely prove a comical side to the investigation.

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WARREN'S LIKELY HOCKEY TEAM.
At a largely-attended meeting of War-
rior College of Commerce students, a
hockey team was organized, and ad-
mittance to the Senior League will be
sought. The election of officers resulted
as follows: President, Prof. H. W. Henry;
vice-president, J. A. Ritchie; secretary
and treasurer, H. Fensom. The Ex-
ecutive Committee is composed of the
above officers and Frank S. Pearce and
J. M. Robertson. The students are con-
fident they will have a strong team
on the ice. Attending the college this
year are such experienced players as J.
Ritchie, formerly of Ottawa; W. G. Mil-
ler of Winnipeg; R. A. Miller of the
Windsor Collegiate; and H. Fensom of
Upper Canada, and J. M. Robertson of
Cornell University, and plenty of good
material to draw upon. The first dif-
ficult met by the Executive is, as all
the rinks seem to be largely filled
up by junior teams.

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MINISTERS MEETING.
**Proposed Mass Meeting of Methodist Chil-
dren New Year's Day.**
Rev. O. C. S. Wallace presided at the
meeting of the Baptist Ministerial Asso-
ciation yesterday morning. All the broth-
ers were present, and Dr. Thomas read
a paper on the great Welsh preacher,
Christian Evans. Dr. Heuson of Chic-
ago addressed the meeting. He said that
Chicago was not so bad as represented
—it was wicked, but its wickedness was
on the surface, and it was a great deal of
Christian work is done there; the work
had to be earnest, or it was overborne
by the current. He was disappointed
with Chicago University, it was big, but
it was too timid.

Rev. P. C. James resigned the secre-
taryship of the association, in conse-
quence of having been appointed to that
position in the general Ministerial Asso-
ciation of this city. Rev. J. B. Kennedy,
B.A., was appointed to succeed Mr. Par-
ker.

At the Methodist Ministerial Asso-
ciation meeting yesterday a deputation
of Sunday school superintendents waited
on the ministers in reference to a pro-
posed mass meeting of children on New Year's
morning. Revs. Dr. Galbraith, Dr. Hen-
derson, Dr. Parker, B. D. Chown, A. B.
Chambers and James Allen were appointed
to assist in making the necessary ar-
rangements.

The association was asked to co-oper-
ate with the Young Men's Christian Tem-
perance Union in having more rights grant-
ed to women in the British Empire.

The officers of the United States army
and navy understand the art of living
to the full. That is why they use Dr. Price's
Cream Baking Powder.

Local Notices.
St. Cecilia's Branch No. 28, E.R.A., elect-
ed the following officers at their last
meeting: Chancellor, Mr. Mahoney; presi-
dent, John Fahy; vice-president, J. Mc-
Donald; financial secretary, W. Ward; treas-
urer, J. C. Keane; St. Cecilia's, 4, Hartney and
J. H. Hany; marshal, J. Gunning; assistant
marshals, Mrs. M. Wallace and Miss
N. O'Neill; guard, Mrs. Foster.

The valuable stock of perfumes, fancy
goods, etc., amounting to over \$10,000,
is now being disposed of at auction at
720 St. Michael's Street, at 7 o'clock, to-
morrow, Dec. 19th. The fixtures will be
sold when the stock is disposed of.

Mr. Statist Lee, the efficient secre-
tary of the Albany Club, is congratulated
on his hands on the eloquent address of
Mr. Thompson drafted by him on behalf of that organization.

The Women's Emancipation Asso-
ciation of Toronto will hold a thanksgiving
service in the hall of the Young Woman
Christian Guild, in McGill-street, on Tues-
day, 18th inst., at 8 o'clock, to ac-
knowledge the services rendered to the
British dominions during the past year, in
New Zealand, New South Wales and Aus-
tralia. Addresses will be delivered by
leading ministers and others.

It is reported that Mr. Thomas Moore
will run for Second Deputy Beave of the
City of North Toronto.

Mr. Martell, the manager of "The South
Before the War" Company, has brought
over from Buffalo, N.Y., Smith's ex-
cellent honing piggins, Madge and Willie,
and will trip from Chicago to Buffalo
this morning at 10 from the roof of
Lauch & Sparrow's Opera House.

Mrs. Kate Smith, who lives in Sher-
bourne-street, has commenced an action
for alimony against her husband, Charles
Smith. She asks for \$20 a week alimony.
C. B. R. Constable is retained in the
last evening for \$25 with Harry Ellisworth,
accused of larceny of a purse dropped by
passenger on the train near London, at
which Ellisworth picked up and refused to
return.

Christopher Foley, for whom the police
were in quest for stabbing John McMa-
nama Sunday afternoon, surrendered his-
self yesterday, and was allowed out on bail.
Michael Corcoran was arrested yesterday,
charged with being implicated in the rob-
bery of Sylvester Dempsey in Adelaide-
street west last Thursday.

Thomas E. Armstrong, the Hamilton
mail clerk, who was recently injured in the
road at Hamilton, is progressing favorably.
Sarah J. Custard was sent to jail for
30 days for stealing a gold watch from
Violet Evans at the Salvation Army
Shelter.

For being drunk James Langford was
fined \$30 and costs or seven days in
jail. This was done to enable the
Crown to get up another case against
Langford.

Thomas Atkins, Richmond-street west,
was caught this morning snatching a
purse from Mrs. Stewart's in the street
near St. James. He was arrested, pleaded guilty
and was sent to jail for 30 days. In
30 minutes from the commission of the
offence the man was on his way to jail.

DESERVING OF PRAISE.
Canada's Best People Speak About
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A city physician said to a circle of
friends the other day: "I am pleased
that Lactated Food has attained its pre-
sent popularity. As an infant food it
cannot be too highly praised and recom-
mended to all mothers."
All parents who have had the oppor-
tunity of seeing what Lactated Food
has done for babies will endorse the
physician's remarks.

CHATEL MORTGAGE QUESTION.
**Novel But Important Point Raised in the
County Court.**
In the County Court yesterday Judge
Morgan began the non-jury cases. The
Canada Permanent Loan and Savings
Company brought an interpleader action
against William Todd, who took a quan-
tity of wheat, barley, oats and hay from
Second Bay of Tecumseh Township, on
an execution, which the company claimed
on a mortgage.

Todd's counsel, J. W. McCullough, raised
a novel point, which, if sustained, will
invalidate a majority of the chattel mort-
gages in existence.

He maintained that the collector who
draves up a mortgage cannot swear to the
affidavit on it. He holds that "A
commissioner, etc." appended to the
name on a chattel mortgage makes it
void, and he quoted cases, decisions and
law to sustain his contention. Judg-
ment was reserved.

A MISSING BOY.
**Henry Patterson of Broadway Place Not
Seen for Two Weeks.**
Henry Patterson, a boy of 19 years of
age, left his mother's home at 48
Broadway-place, about two weeks ago,
and she is most anxious to know
where he has gone. The young man is
tall and thin and not considered very
strong mentally.

A Dinner Pill — Many persons suffer
execrable agony after partaking of a
heavy dinner. The food partaken of is
like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and
instead of being properly assimilated,
it becomes a poison to the system. Dr. Par-
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fidentially to relieve such troubles. They correct
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to help me improve
my case, I was induced
to try Hood's Sarsaparila. It
restored me to health, and
I have taken several bottles and
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The latest patterns and colorings in exquisite shades and designs. Purchased par-
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Silk Mufflers—Nothing better to protect one's health during raw and cold weather.
Price to suit everyone. All-Wool Cashmere Mufflers at 50c, were
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Boys' Gloves—Hingham's Black Fleece-Lined at 50c, were 75c. Boys' Fleece-Lined
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Gloves, latest styles, at 50c, instead of \$1.50. Boys' Knit Mitts at 50c, instead of \$1.25.

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Finest grades of Scotch Family Wool and English Saxony Underwear, ribbed or plain, sizes to
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MR. OLEER AS MINISTER OF JUSTICE.

The country was a good deal surprised yesterday by the announcement in our Ottawa despatches that an effort was being made to induce Mr. Britton Oler, the well-known lawyer of this city, to join the Bowell Administration as Minister of Justice.

It is announced after Jan. 1 the Dominion Express Co. will extend its operations to the United States.

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Better than a Bank

"Would you put your money," was said to a bank manager, who had previously advised his customer to put his money in a bank if you had your life to live again.

"Not I," he replied, "I should invest it in life insurance policies, on the endowment plan."

Assuming that a young man did put \$50 a year in a bank, it would take a long time to accumulate an amount which could be used for anything but the payment of the fifty dollars to a life insurance society.

For instance, an annual premium of \$50, commencing at age 25, secures a policy in the Confederation Life Association of Toronto for about \$2200, with profits payable at age 60, or previous death.

The provision, American Express Co. and the Soo line at the last of the year.

THE LAMP FOR DECEMBER.

"The Christian Guardian and Theosophy, Etc."

A New York critic says: "The Lamp is filled with instructive material."

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FOR TWO WEEKS MORE ONLY WILL OUR GREAT SURPLUS STOCK SALE CONTINUE!

The triumphant success that has attended this sale proves beyond a doubt there's real merit in it, proves beyond a doubt that the people of Toronto know how to appreciate a good thing when they see it.

It proves beyond a doubt that the people have an abiding faith and confidence in our announcements. They know that when we announce we'll give them a \$10 Overcoat for \$7 or a \$12.50 Overcoat for \$8.50 they'll find we can always produce the garment. Commencing

To-Day, Tuesday.

We will inaugurate a sale of the balance of our SURPLUS STOCK of high-class ready to wear Clothing, so sweeping in its reductions, so vast in its proportions that it cannot fail to crowd our stores, to pack our delivery wagons to overflowing, and to add new laurels to our many conquests in merchandise trading.

You are advancing your own interests, too, by mingling with the eager throng of bargain-hunters that will surely wend their way to the ARMY & NAVY stores during the next two weeks, to appreciate and participate in this money-saving sale. STUDY THE ITEMS CAREFULLY.

- \$3.50 Buy a well-made Serge Suit, in black or blue. The regular price of these suits everywhere is \$6.50. \$5.00 Buy a superior Serge Suit, extra trimmed and finished. The regular price of these suits everywhere is \$10. \$7.50 Buy a double-breasted Serge Suit, a very superior quality, extra finished, well trimmed, and can't be bought elsewhere for less than \$12. \$2.90 Take one of our light-weight Melton Overcoats, well and strongly made, in blue, brown and grey. \$5.00 Will buy our extra well-made cloth-lined Melton Overcoat in blue, brown or grey. This is our regular \$8.50 line and well worth it.

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Advertisement for Parisian Steam Laundry, offering services for various types of clothing.

Advertisement for If You Want a Motor, featuring the Toronto Electric Motor Company.

Advertisement for RADNOR Silk Hats, highlighting the quality and variety of the hats.

Advertisement for DIXON'S, featuring various goods and services available at their store.

DOOMED TO DIE BY A DEFICIT

MR. RICHARD FORETELLS THE FATE OF THE TORONTO GOVERNMENT.

This Parliament, he says, is "Happily Moribund," for the Government has Trampled on Every Principle of the Constitution.

The annual banquet of the Young Liberals, held last night at the Walker House, passed off most successfully.

President Stewart Lyon, in proposing the royal toast, alluded in feeling terms to the death of the late Premier.

He recognized in the late Premier, who was a great Canadian, who, by example and precept, had shown the way to the highest position in the gift of the people, and he was sure that his memory would be held in the hearts of every gentleman present.

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SIR RICHARD FORETELLS THE FATE OF THE TORY GOVERNMENT.

This Parliament, he says, is "Happily foredoomed" for the Government has Trampled on Every Wholesome British Principle—His Usual Wall—Hon. G. W. Ross Finds Marter a Subject for Mirth.

The annual banquet of the Young Lib-erals, held last night at the Walker House, passed off most successfully. The principal guests of the evening were: Representing the Dominion Parliament, Sir Richard Cartwright, and representing the Provincial House, the Hon. G. W. Ross, in the absence of Hon. A. S. Hardy, who sent word that illness prevented his attending.

Praise of the Late Premier. President Stewart Lyon, in proposing the royal toast, alluded in feeling terms to the death of Sir John Thompson. They all recognized in the late Premier, said he, a great Canadian, who, by the exercise of splendid natural gifts and by ceaseless energy, rose to the highest position in the gift of the people, and he was sure that he had expressed the feelings of every gentleman present when he said, on behalf of the Young Liberal Club, that their deepest sympathy went out to the grief-stricken widow in her loneliness and to the family of the late Premier. (Hear, hear.) He was sure that all Liberals, as good citizens, must regret the untimely and sudden death of the late Premier, and must join with that party in showing respect to his memory. It was no lack of feeling that prompted the holding of this banquet while the body of the dead Premier still lay unburied, but arrangements had gone so far that they could not very well be cancelled. As evidence of this Mr. Lyon announced that the Executive Committee of the Club had that night passed a resolution of condolence with the family of Sir John Thompson.

Canada First. Neil McCrimmon proposed the toast, "Canada," which was responded to by J. S. Willison, editor of The Globe, who also spoke sympathetically of the loss that Canada has sustained through the death of Sir John Thompson. As no one in the ranks of the Liberal party had opposed the late Premier on account of his religion, so they would not attempt to organize any sectarian movement against his success. They would vote as Canadians, not for their church, nor their creed, nor their province, but for their country and Canada first.

Sir Richard Cartwright, in responding for the Dominion Parliament, made a long and carefully prepared speech. He commenced by attacking the present Government. Nothing would suit him better, said he, than to be able to announce the advent of the millennium; but unfortunately, it was his duty to deal with facts. If he were to speak the unvarnished truth in unadorned language of the doings of the Parliament of which he was a member he was afraid he would have the pleasure of an interview with the Sergeant-at-Arms or Black Rod. They would understand that in speaking of that august, moribund and highly gerry-mandered institution, which professed to represent the people of Canada, he did so with certain limitations.

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