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their eyes, and comprehend the extent of their power in being... That there has been much contention amongst the Tories... their eyes, and comprehend the extent of their power in being...

Hon. Edward Palmer, T. Heath Haviland, Esq., James C. Pope, Esq., Hon. John Hamilton Gray, Alexander Laird, Esq., James Yeo, Esq., H. A. Johnson, Esq., M. D. John Longworth, Esq. We understand that Dr. Johnson has been likewise appointed...

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POLITICAL CHANGES—SCRAMBLES FOR OFFICE—AND LEGISLATIVE INDEPENDENCE, WITH A VENGEANCE!

It seems that the formation of a Government is a very laborious and difficult undertaking, when the materials to be worked up are of the true Tory stamp, or the workmen engaged on the job must be the most lamentable botches and bunglers that ever put their hands to such work.

The office of Registrar of Deeds is another stumbling block. Mr. J. D. Haszard—whose chances of the Treasury were from the first pronounced nil by the party whom he has served certainly not too wisely but too well—has been named in connection with this office; but nearly all his own friends laugh at the nomination; and it is shrewdly suspected that as Mr. Arbuckle must be provided for in some sort of way, he will be the white-headed boy so far as filling up the Registry office is concerned.

[The Es-Officio OATH taken by an Executive Councillor:—] "I do swear, that will I faith and true allegiance bear unto her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria, and to her Heirs and Successors, and shall be true and faithful to Her Excellency Sir Dominick Daly, as he is commissioned Lieutenant-Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Island of Prince Edward; and that I will, in the place and office of Her Majesty's Councillor in this Island, well and faithfully serve her said Majesty, and promote the good of Her Majesty's affairs with my best advice and counsel;—I will, with the best of my ability, defend this Island from all foreign invasions and intestine insurrections;—I will not countenance or conceal any party or seditious conspiracies, or any treasonable or seditious speeches against Her said Majesty, Her Heirs or Successors, or His said Excellency, but I will give speedy notice thereof unto His said Excellency, or to some Member of the Council;—the secret debates of the Council I will not reveal, directly or indirectly; all which I shall, to the best of my ability, perform. "So Help me God."

- Edward Palmer, John H. Gray, James Yeo, John Longworth, T. Heath Haviland, James C. Pope, Alexander Laird.

The preceding Oath merits the gravest consideration from every person who takes an interest in public affairs. The great use of the Assembly is to stand between the people and the tyranny, or misgovernment, of the Crown. But under "Responsible Government," of which the principle and practice is for six of the leaders of the majority of Assembly, with the concurrence and support of all the rest of that majority, to take the foregoing Oath of servitude not only to the Crown, but to Sir Dominick, the people are more completely deprived of the protection of the representative body than if the Assembly had no existence. It has been converted into an engine of oppression, to which the will of the Crown is law. The men who have sworn, and the members who support them, have alike repudiated that fidelity which they pledged to their constituents on the hustings; and the people, cheated with the forms of free institutions, have been betrayed and sold by their representatives to the discretion of the Crown, for the sweets of the lucrative offices which they now enjoy. The interests and affairs of the people are supposed to be in antagonism to those of the Crown; and yet we see the Responsibles have thrown their constituents "overboard," and sworn to "serve" and "promote" exclusively "Her Majesty's affairs," or interests.