

ful if the Liberals, as a party, will make any violent protest, though the Liberals elected for seats in this city, Mr. Dewart, Mr. Curry, Col. Cooper and Capt. Ramsden, would have a direct and personal interest in any such scheme of redistribution. Another Liberal who might personally resent the application of the single transferable vote is Mr. J. A. Pinard, East Ottawa, in view of the fact that his city and environs might be the next to come in under the new system. No matter what individual Liberals may do, if the Government launches the scheme for Toronto it is in for as bitter and prolonged a battle as Queen's Park has seen in many a day.

Possibly some of the politicians on the Government side, and there are real politicians to the right of Mr. Speaker, feel that the principle of proportional representation, to which both the Liberals and Farmers are pledged in their official platforms, would provide a good