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**Bodies littered the corridors of the Edinburgh International Conference Centre's toilet block after today's Labour in Patriotic Scotland (just a wee Jock and Doris) Party's One Day Conference.**

And what a helluva day it was!

I have seen many disasters, conflicts and wars in my time, but this was the bloodiest of civil wars that I have ever witnessed. The sight of ravenous Dawgdales and Griffins tearing at the bloodied corpses was sickening. No amount of salary can compensate for the ravages to my soul [Ed : Piss off. "No amount" is exactly the salary you get.]

The event had been billed as the Coronation of "King Jim One", who would graciously pass his hands over SLab's imaginary rule book whereby all the clauses would neatly fall into place to the skirl of the pipes, the beat of the snare drums and the whistle of the kilt (as unpractised bare bums sank onto the processional benches).

There was a show of public unity. All agreed that now they were patriotic, Labour could do the things that they couldn't be arsed to do before when they were unpatriotic.

They cheered an MP from, or called, Hamilton when he proposed they should rally round their only policy and "stick it to the bloody SNP".

As one delegate revealed the new slogan "from bottom to the topwards. Upwards", the enthusiastic audience stirred in its sleep, while waiting for the Leader to arrive from London.

Miliband held up one finger to Scotland, displaying his new Ring with its inscription "One Ring to Rule them all. One Ring to bind them." He vowed that the extra money from the Mansion Tax would not be available to Scotland until "Jim Murphy becomes First Minister". He finished to a massive standing ovation that lasted almost 30 seconds.

"So that's our NHS fu\*ked then!" commented one dispirited delegate in the bar, for this was a wake, not a coronation.

A wake, where the mourners discovered that Granny had ruined the fortunes of the estate by evicting the hard working peasants, replacing them with sheep, and squandering the rents on [a life of sybaritic luxury](#)



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