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The second act in the Bothwell Re-

ed last fall at Dresden when the Hon.

the flag to glorious victory or igno-minious defeat, was staged yesterday amid the theatrical surroundings of the town hall at Dresden; and this time, although the actors were substantially the same, a new star was introduced into the Liberal firmament in the person of David A. Gordon, Wallaceburg. Into his hand esterday, by the unanimous vote of convention, the standard was entreated, upon the retirement of the Minister of Justice from the running, and with him now the onerous duty of wresting the old constituency of Bothwell from the grasp of James Clancy, M. P., who so distinguished himself in 1896, by winning the seat for the Commons in the riding which had been represented by the Hon. David Mills since Confederation. As far as political excitement was concerned, the convention was not marked by of the uprogrious enthusiasm which usually distinguishes a meet-ing of its kind when there are three or more candidates for the honor of the nomination. It had been decided, practically, for several weeks past that Mr. Gordon would be the candidate, and for this reason the proceedtook on a more or less of a cut

and dried tinge.

As far as numbers were concerned, however, the convention was a sucwell represented and when the assem-bly was called to order by the chairman the little town hall was crowded to the doors, there being in the neighborhood of 250° present. Of neighborhood of 250 present. Of course the man of the day was the Hon. Minister of Justice, who represented the constituency for so many years. Around him the interest centred, and he was kept busy returning the hearty greetings of old friends, both Liberal and Conservative.

DIDN'T THINK OF IT. When Mr. Mills, his private secretary, J. D. Clarke, formerly editor of London Advertiser, Barrister Walter Mills of Ridgetown, and Organizer E. E. Parrott, of this city, arrived in Dresden vesterday morning it was found that no reception whatever had been prepared for the distinguished visitor, such as anyone would expect should have been tendered by the Re-formers of Dresden and the surrounding country, to one who holds the high office which Mr. Mills does as a minister of the crown in the Dominion cab-net, and also as the leader of the governmental party in the senate. No even the president of the Dresden Re form Association was present to re-ceive and cordially welcome one who using his valuable time in the interests of the party. The little coterie of politicians alighted from the train and Canada's Minister of Justice, jos-tled and elbowed about by the crowd, was obliged to squeeze into a common bus, with the other passengers, and it was thus that Mr. Mills made his entry into the town where the convention was to be held. Arriving at the Wescott House, Messrs. David A. Gordon, the prospective candidate, and Fred F. Pardee, M. P. P., for Lambton, met the Minister, together with a little group of the faithful. Dr. Galbraith, the president of the Dresden Reform Association, showed up later.

For Bothwell Nomi- The cool, and to say the least, discourteous reception given Mr. Mills was the subject of much unfavorable comment among many of the old-time Liberals who have been his life-long supporters, and it is safe to predict that it did not pass unnoticed by the majority of the delegates from outside points, or by Mr. Mills himself. A CAUCUS HELD.

After spending an hour in social chat, the members of the executive committee were rounded up and a caucus was held in the upper regions of the Wescott House, at which it was of the Wescott House, at which it was fermally decided that Mr. Gordon should be the sole nominee. Then the hungry politicians hastened to the dining rooms, where the culinary pre-parations of the hostess received due attention, coupled with the excellent jokes and stories which J. F. Clarke, the Minister's private secretary regaled the newspaper representatives present. By the dime dinner was over it was nearly two o'clock, and the form Convention drama, which openclans had all arrived. The oldest dele gate present was Joseph Roberts, of Bothwell, who belongs to the old school of Liberals, and is a great friend and admirer of Mr. Mills. He is

82 years of age, but hale and hearty and as straight as an army major. THE MEETING CONVENES. Shortly after two o'clock the delegates began to assemble in the town hall, and soon the building was filled. As Mr. Mills had represented Both-30 years or more, his nomination was always a foregone conclusion, no real convention has been held for many years. Those which did take place were little more than gatherings for the purpose of delivering campaign speeches and consequently the organiition machinery has become a little rusty and out of gear. For this reason those who attended the convention yesterday as delegates, were hardly delegates in the strict sense of the word, but there was an ample repre-sentation from each of the divisions which were represented as follows: Chatham Township—W. A. Mills president of the southern district; W.

president of the southern district; W. D. Mickle, president of the northern district; Chas. Agar, E. E. Parrott, Geo. Greene, Geo. Mickle, Chas. Mickle, Christopher Lynch, Geo. Oliver, Wm. Smith, John Campbell, David McArthur, Wm. Wells, Frank Winters, Ed. DeWolf, Ed. Quinnell, Timothy Rail and others. *
Zone-Philip Facui, president; Geo.

W. Shott, Henry Shott, J. W. McRitch-ie, John Murray, T. McAlpine, H. S. Mathers, Geo. Murray.

Mathers, Geo. Murray.

Dawn—J. J. Skinner, president; Jas. Skinner, Ormund' Kerr, Jas. Cooper, Chas. Coutts, Malcolm Johnson, Eugene Walker, C. M. Coates, M. Graham, M. McAlpine, George Morley, John McCollum.

Sombra—Stephen Burnham, president; Peter Grant, John Burnham, L. Burnham, John MacKay, James Hart, David Hinnegan, Moses Tophiff, James P. Taylor, W. H. McGhee, J. Sipperal, Jas. D. O'Leary.

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Dougall.

Dresden-Dr. Galbraith, president Dr. Wiley, Sanford Sagor, Benson Gil-laspie, R. P. Wright, C. P. Watson, R. McKim, Joseph Tassie, Alex. Cuth-bert, Wm. Rodd, N. A. Loucks. Thamesville—Samuel Sherman, president; D. McFarlane, George Dickson, John Kerr, George Sheran, James Fer-guson, Robert Ferguson, M. P. P., and

John A. Stuart. Bothwell-C. Reid, president; G. L. Taylor, N. D. McLean, J. P. Kerr, Dr. Colthurst, M. Stanley, Jos. Roberts. Colthurst, M. Stanley, Jos. Roberts.
Camden—A. J. G. Shaw, president;
John Scott, John Pumfrey, John Webster, Isaaac Hawkins, Jas. Blackburn,
George Forshee and John Forshee.
While there may have been many
others from these divisions who attended the convention, the names given purport to be those of the majority
of the representative Liberals.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS. The convention was called to order by Dr. Galbraith, who said: It is my

representative Liberals.

proud duty to-day to open this convention. I know that, like myself, you are all filled with regret that our old standard-bearer, the Hon. David Mills, is uvable to again enter the field in the constituency of Bothwell. However, the Government needs him, the country needs him, too, in the high position which he now fills with such credit, and, therefore, we must give way to higher powers and motives. Mr. Mills' retirement has made another convention necessary, and therefore we meet in convocation here to-day. Few constituencies have a prouder reputation than Bothwell. Since 1882 the enemy have captured the seat but once. Their victory of '95 will not be repeated. With a good candidate, and a united party, we will go to the polls confident of success and will sweep the constituency in the next election. (Cheers.)

(Cheers.)
Dr. Galbraith then called the Hon.
David Mills, Walter Mills, F. F. Pardee, M. P. P., Robt. Ferguson, M. P.
P., and the chairmen of the different sub-divisions to the platform. Nom-inations for the offices of temporary chairman and secretary were called for and Dr. Galbraith and Dr. Wiley were elected to the respective posts with-

out opposition.

The chairman asked the delegates to present their credentials to the committee appointed to inspect them. Mr. Ferguson said that he thought this formality should be dispensed with, and dispensed with it was. E. E. Parrott was next called to the front and took his seat on the plat-

THE NOMINATION.

Upon the announcement by the chairman that he was prepared to receive nominations, Stephen Burnham, president of the Sombra division, arose and said:—"I am proud to-day, gentlemen, to have the opportunity of nominating one than whom there is no more staunch Reformer in the country, and who will undoubtedly carry the Reform banner to victory at the next election. That man is David Gordon."

David Gordon."

Robt. Ferguson, in seconding the nomination, said:—It gives me great pleasure to prophesy that Mr. Gordon, who is to fill Mr. Mills' place, will be surely elected. We were too confident of victory/last time, and defeat was the result. We will know better this time. Were I not under the weather nothing would give me greater pleasnothing would give me greater pleasure than to take a whack at Mr. Clancy, but I must defer that until later in the campaign. My opinion of Mr. Clancy is that he is a pretty small continuous the control of the contro politician. He is a good talker and can twist things around well, but I never saw anything in the man and never saw anything in the man and could never tell what he was talking about. In all his parliamentary career he had but one original idea, and that was when he supported Mr. Meredith in fercing ballots on the separate schools. I hope that a certain class of voters won't forget that. Canada was never in a more prospersive conwas never in a more prosperous condition than at the present, and a large measure of this prosperity is due to the good government which we are getting. We are sorry to lose Mr. Mills. It was a great shock to me when he was defeated in 1896, but I now believe that that defeat was for the good of the party. Mr. Mills can do, and is doing, more for the Liberal party as leader of the Sanate than he could have done had he been a member of the House of Commons. I hope and pray that he may long be spared to sit in the Senate. I want you all to do your best at the coming elective house of 30 or 90 members, in favor of it, Dr. Tupper, the leader, now Sir Charles, was the only one returned at the election

ed. (Applause.)
Dr. Galbraith—Are there any other nominations? There were none, and the chairman continued, "It has been moved by Mr. Burnham, and seconded by Mr. Ferguson, that Mr. David A. Gordon, of Wal aceburg, be the Reform candidate for Bothwell in the approaching Dominion election All in favor of his candidature will signify it in the usual man-

MR. GORDON ACCEPTS

All hands went up, and Mr. Gordon was declared duly nominated amide cheers. As he approached the front of the platform, he was received with a salvo of cheering and a voice called "That's our conquering hero." candidate blushed with becoming modesty and began, "I assure you, gentlemen, that I greatly appreciate he honor which you have seen fit to bestow upon me. It has come to me unsought, and therefore with greater force. I was told before coming up here that the nominee was never expected to say much, and for that I am hankful. I am not much on the speech, anyway. I have been used to running machines all my life, but not Tory machines, (laughter) and I tell you the only way to win this fight is to employ machines, (Cries of Oh!). I mean that we must organize perfectly, especially our younger men, and then there is no valid reason why we cannot win. Everything is in our favor.
The Liberal Government has brought about great reforms in the last four years such as that of the postal department, the introduction of penny postage, the perfect ing of the cold storage system, the attempted equable redistribution of the constituencies. The reformation of the Intercolonial Rail way and many others. The country is prosway and many others. The country is pros-persons and every voter is well satisfied with the government from present indi-cations the campaign on the Conservative side will be one of roorbacks, scandals and lies. That is all they've got to rely upon. I want every Liberal in this constituency to do his duty and I for one will have no lear of the result? (Loud applause.)

MR. MILLS CALLED ON. Dr. Galbraith then introduced Mr. Mills to his old constituents by whom he was enthusiastically received. He said in subtance: It is a source of pleasure to me to stand on this platform to-day. It is now nore than 33 years since I was first nominated for Bothwell. That was before the British North America Act was passed. Victory fell to me. I look back with plea-Victory fell to me. I look back with pleasure upon that first convention and my one regret is that now nearly all those who attended it have passed away. My opponent then was Daviu Glass, of London, and I defeated him by a majority of 109. Mr. Mc Kellar, the Liberal candidate for the local house was elected by a majority of 75. In 1872 my majority was nearly 600. The alteration of the boundaries of the constituencies by the Conservative Government. tituencies by the Conservative Government

stituencies by the Conservative Government changed the historic position of things previous to confederation.

The two provinces of Upper and Lower Canada were united in 1841 by the Act of Union. It was found to be impossible to legislate uniformly with one government so each province was given a overnment of its own, while the executive governmet was still maintained. George Brown was a great advocate of representation by population to which the people of

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Quebec were opposed because they claimed that as Ontario had a greater population than Quebec the Upper province representa-tives in parliament would be able to swamp any legislation in favor of Quebec which they desired. In 1859 the Reformers of the they desired. In 1859 the Reformers of the two provinces held separate conventions and in 1860 the proposed changes were substitted in greater detail. There was then a bitter feeling between the two races. The John A. Macdonald government was defeated by a majority of two and the Liberals came into power. Their majority was too small and Lord Monk again called upon Mr. Macdonald to form a government. He was unable to do so and the coalition government was the result, with Messrs. Brown, Mowat and McDougall as the Liberal representatives in the cabinet. Ultimately conferation was brought about, by what steps, you tion was brought about, by what steps, you all know. Then the Liberal party in the Dominion claimed that the coalition should be dissolved as the object for which it was formed had been accomplished. The Conservatives asserted that there was no reason why this state of affairs should not be con-

to do your best at the coming elections. Do what you can to help Mr. Gordon and he will assuredly be elected. (Applause.) life. Although the Liberals for many years constituted but a small party in the House they helped greatly to bring about confederation. Among them were men such as Mc Kenzie, Blake, Sandfield, McDonald, Dorrien, Holton and Huntington, all men of great power and ability who had also great e in completing the union of the two

provinces. It was during this first parliament that the Northwest Territories were admitted to the union, and so careless was the Conservative government about its method of doing this that a serious rebellion ensued, and many valuable lives were sacrificed. British Columbia was also brought into line shortly afterwards, and the first cen-

sus was taken. About this time Sir John Macdonald amnounced in the House that the govment intended to introduce a redistri-bution bill. They would adopt the English rule, and in no case would they unite parts of counties. Later he repudiated this and gerrymandered the constituencies shamefully. The present Liberal government has twice tried to remedy this great evil , but the enute has killed the bill each time When a government intends to bring about important constitutional changes, the opinion of the country should first be obtained. There was no inimation from the government of 1878 that they intended to carve the con stituencies so as to hive the Grits. nor did they submit the question to

the people. ANCIENT HISTORY.

Mr. Mills then went over the story of the Pacific railway scandal, alleg ing that the Conservatives did all in their power to prevent an investigation and detailing the different steps by which the Mackenzie government came into office, remained there for one term, and went out again. While in power then the Liberals had providfor the simultaneous holding of electhe appointment of returning officers out of the hands of the government, and which was afterwards repealed by the Conservatives; had provided for the trial of controverted elections by superior court judges, and in short, had accomplished more reforms in five years than the Conservatives had in 8 years. After tracing the record of the Conservative party down to the year 1896, Mr. Mills paid a warm tri-bute to Mr. Gordon, whom he said he was proud to have as his successor in the fight with Mr. Clancy. He ex-pressed confidence in the issue of the contest and resumed his seat amid

oud applause. His speech was an historical review of Canadian political life from the time of Confederation, and as such, was very valuable and entertaining, although it had but little bearing upo the political questions which are up permost in the public mind to-day. THE OTHER SPEAKERS.

Walter Mills followed his father in water Mills followed his rather in a brief pithy address. He dwelt upon the political purity of the present Dominion administration and assured his audience that he would at all times be ready and willing to throw himself into the breash whenever Mr. Gordon or the party required his services. his services. ' At this juncture Dr. Gelbraith announce

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by the good old-fashioned method of taking up a collection. Several began to trek in the direction of the exit but were admonished by the chairman to stand their ground as the best was yet to come. In spite of this, however, many made their escape.

Fred F. Pardee, M. P. P., was the next speaker. He regretted the withdrawal of Mr. Mills whom he culogized as one of the crown's shrewdest and wisest advisers. He recognized however: that it was good policy recognized, however; that it was good policy recognized, however, that it was good pointy in the government to keep him where he is. Dr. Galbraith read, a telegram from Mr. Pardo saying he was unable to be present owing to important business but he would

support any candidate who might be nomi-THE RESOLUTIONS

Moved by Mr. Roberts, seconded by Mr. McA'pine, that the meeting begs to express its approval of the policy of the Honorable George W. Ross, Premier of this Province, and we promise to that government our entire support in the next election contest of the province.

the province.—Carried.

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