

posted up at regular intervals, whenever any one would be likely to travel and I think the notices have a good effect.

Resolution carried.

MR. ANDERSON With reference to the exportation of pulpwood and as being interested in pulpwood, we have viewed with considerable apprehension, first, the cutting of so much small wood, and in the next place we think if the Government is willing to allow small wood to be cut, as I believe it is generally stated to be cut throughout the Province, that if they are determined to cut it we should at least have it manufactured in the Province, because the cost of the labor that is put on the production of the wood itself is small in comparison to what it is when manufactured in the Province, and I think I heard it stated here this morning that there was something like an equivalent to ten dollars an acre, and if that is so I think it is greatly in the interests of our country and to the interests of the future of our country, that we should take this matter in hand before it gets to such a size that it is impossible to handle.

I therefore take great pleasure in moving this resolution :

Inasmuch as this Convention is called to devise methods of conserving our forests for posterity, so as to be a source of income for all time to come ;

And whereas, at the present time large quantities of logs and pulpwood are being exported to foreign countries for manufacture there instead of within the Province, which practice is destructive to the forest and without due compensation to the population ;

Therefore resolved, that in the opinion of this Convention the export of saw logs and pulpwood cut from Crown Lands should be prohibited.

THE PREMIER I think I would suggest that it should be prohibited by the Federal Government, as this resolution would seem to assume the Provincial Legislature had the power.

MR. HAZEN We should apply it to the Crown Lands.

MR. HUTCHISON I understood when that resolution was framed it was entirely to refer to pulpwood exports, it was entirely to refer to pulpwood cut on Crown Lands for exportation.