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YOUNG LIBERALS.

6 PORTAGE CALL

Proceedings of the First Day's Convention.

POLITICAL QUESTIONS DISCUSSED.

Tory Misgovernment Emphatically Condemned.

CHEERS FOR GLADSTONE AND PARNELL

A Resolution in Favor of Irish Home Rule Adopted Amidst Wild Cheering-The Riel Question-Other Business.

The grand convention of the young Liberals of the Dominion, which was advertised to open of the Dominion, which was advertised to open on June 30th, drew a large gathering at Nord-heimer's Hall. The convention was not opened till 11.30 a.m., when Ald. Prefentaine was elected temporary chairman. He opened the conven-tion in a few appropriate words, thanking those prevent for choising him as chairman. He referred to the great work before the Conven-tion and chanked them for attending in make tion, and thanked them for attending in such large numbers. He explained that the object of this morning's session was simply to organize, while the real work would be begun this after-7 con and evening. It would be their duty to elect a president, vice president and secretary, and committees to organize the work of the

convention. Mr. Robinette, of Toronto, moved, seconded by Mr. Edgar Judge, of Montreal, that Mr. Prefontaine be nominated a permanent chair man. An amendment was offered by Mr. J. T. Hawke, Ottawa, in favor of appointing a noninating committee, but this was withrawn until the president was elected, which was according ingly done by the adoption of the motion in fa-vor of Ald. Prefontaine's election.

Considerable unimportant discussion fo over the appointment of a committee to o ganize the work of the convention, but it was finally decided on motion of Mr. Edgar Judge to appoint the presidents of the different delegations present as members of a general com-mittee to nominate a committee on resolutions

mittee to nominate a committee ou resolutions and other officers. The following committee was then named after considerable trouble :--Messra. J. S. Mc-Donald, Parkdale; J. Cooke, Aultsville; E. G. Snelgrove, Coburg; J. D. Clarke, Hamilton; E. H. Britton, Kingston; Geo, Keid, London; Dr. Cameron, Lucknow; Sharpe, Owen Sound; F. H. Chupler, Ottawa; Mathers, Winnipeg; J. H. Clark, Fort Hope; Dr Graham, Richmond; Dr. de Grosbois, Rox-ton Falls; J. B. Loomia. Sherbrooke: Robi-Winnipeg; J. H. Clark, Port Hope; Dr Graham, Richmond; Dr. de Grosbois, Kox-ton Falls; J. B. Loomia, Sherbrooke; Robi-nette, Toronto; Barthe, Three Rivers; J. P Graham, Morriaburg; J. P. Noyee, Waterloo; Eugene Sicotte, Sweetsbarg; Robinson, Iro-quois; E. Pacaud, Quebco city; H. G. Rider, Stanstead; E. G. Leeland, St. Andrews; Captain Horn, Brome; H. t Roy, Clarenceville; J. C. McCorkill, West Farnham; W. Finlay, Nicolet; V. Glada, H. Yamaska; E. B. Munro, Compton; Lachine, L'Islet; L. Dizier, St. Jean; L. Rinfret, Cham-plain; L. P. Brodeur, Belœil; - Duhamel, L'Assomption; Dumonde, Club National; E. Judge, Young Mea's Reform Club; P. Pre-fontaine, St. Hilaire; L. Lavigne, Staufold; L. P. Cardin, Sorel; J. B. Houliston, Three Rivers; Dr. Marchersund, St. Gulllaume; Samuel Oliiton, Coaticooke; Dr. Fortier, St. David; W. Nutting, St. Pudentienne; J. M. Coghlin, Qu'Appelle; James Harrington Knowles, Maurice, Manitoba. The above committee at once met in caucus, and after a few minutes deliberation returned to the general convention, when Mr. Judge re-ported that they had come to a decision to ap-point the following gentlemen a resolution com-mittee, viz:-Ouebec; Messrs, Edgar Judge, T

point the following gentlemen a resolution com-mittee, viz:-Quebec: Messrs. Edgar Judge, J. C. Perreault, Bartle, Pacaud and Brodeur. Ontario: Hawke, McDonald, Robinette, Clarke, Shelgrove. Winnipeg : Mathers, Nova Scotia : Sheigrove, Winnipeg: Mathers, Nova Scotia: Jas, Harrington, Messrs, E. Judge and E. T. McEntyre were also nominated vice-presidents and Messrs, Martineau and Walker joint secretaries. Ten minutes were allowed the proposers of all reso-lutions to speak, and five minutes to other speakers. The rules of the Canadian House of Comment for the followed. Mr. Judge Commons were to be followed. Mr. Judge moved the adoption of the report. Mr. J. X. Perrault, in a few words, proposed ested with moderation and good temper. as an amendment, that the names of the two secretaries be added to the resolution committee This amendment created considerable discussion, as, if all to dit would give the Province of Quebet seven representatives on that committee. Several Ontario delegates spoke strongly against, while others were in favor of admitting the secretaries, provided Ontario got two more representatives. Mr. Barry moved in sub-amondment that the control of the Hon. Mr. Blake as a leader of secretaries be placed on the committee without whom Liberals, young and old, had good power to vote, but even this amendment reason to feel proud. only served to increase the discussion, during which Mr. Cameron, of Ontario, threatened to retire from the convection if two more Quebee men were nominated. A vote was finally taken and Mr. Barry's sub amendment was lost by a division of 26 to 35. Mr. Barry then attempted to present another sub-amendment in favor of adding two Ontrio men as well, but while he was doing so one of the delegates moved the previous question, which motion was carried, and finally the report of the general committee was adopted unamend-

president for each province; two secretaries, one representing the French and the other the Knglish element; a treasurer; a committee consisting of five from each province, who, with the officers of this associstion, shall form the executive committee ; the object of the association shall be the formation of Liberal principles; the time and place of meeting and the control of the association finally to be vested in the executive committee; the association to meet and elect officers once a year; that a nominating com-mittee consisting of four from Quebec, four from Ontario and three from the other provinces be named to nominate officers and re-port at the opening of the session to-morrow morning.

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This report was adopted without a dissenting vote. Mr. Edgar Judge handed in the report of

the committee on resolutions. The first resolution, proposed by O. F. Pacaud, seconded by J. F. Edgar, was then read by the chairman ; That the Young Liberals of the Dominion

heartily approve of the policy and conduct of the Liberal Opposition in the Dominion Par-liament, and desire to record their high appreciation of the honor, integrity, statesman-ship and public services of their leaders, the Hon. Edward Blake and the Hon. Wilfred Laurier, and pledge themselves to do their utmost to place them at the head of the Do-minion administration.

Mr. Pacaud made a short speech in French in support of the resolution, after which it was carried enthusiastically. Three cheers were given for Mr. Blake, three for Mr. Laurier and three for Mr. Mercier. The second resolution, dealing with man-

hood suffrage, was referred back for revision.

The third resolution, proposed by T. G. Mathers, Winnipeg, seconded by H. J. Snell-grove, was as follows :--

"That in the opinion of this Convention the recent outbreak in the Northwest Territories was caused by a denial of justice on the part of the Government to the original settlers of those territories, by delay in the redress of grievances, by the indifference showed to patitions and re-presentations of settlers and those authorized to speak on their behalf, by the unjust local policy of the Government under which immense tracts of land were granted to colonization companies without regard to the rights of bona file settlers, and by the partiality, dishonesty and tyranny of Government officials; that the feeling of insecurity and discontent must prevail so long as such officials are retained in their present posi-tion, and that the titles of those holding land by occupation as well as Indian titles vested in half-breeds should have the fullest recognition. Mr. Mathers, of Winnipeg, the proposer, spoke warmly and at some length in sup-

port of the resolution. He spoke of the neg lect and indifference with which the petitions and representations of the Metis were treated by the Government and its officials. He considered that as rebels when they are success ful are regarded as patriots, the Metis are deserving of that title of honor, because since the insurrection everything that they con-tested for has been given them by the Government.

Mr. Snellgrave and some French delegates spoke eloquently to the resolution and it was passed unanimously. The fourth and fifth resolutions word

moved by D. E. Cameron, seconded by H.

M. Ryder. Resolved,—That the question of the prohibi-tion of the liquor traffic shall be submitted to a special vote of the people. Resolved,—That the question of the adoption

Resolved,—That the question of the adoption of the Canada Temperance act be left to the constituencies, as at present, and that where the act is adopted by popular vote the Domin-ion Government shou'd provide the necessary machinery for the proper enforcement of the same, the Privy Council, the highest court in the realm, having decided that prohibitory becide in investigation of the provincing legislation is within the power of the Dominion authorities.

number lour. 1.018 gave 1 rather warm debate. On being put by the chairman, the resolution in this form passed by a large majority. It being observed that Mayor Beaugrand was present in the hall, he was invited by the Chairman to take a seat on the platform, which he did amidst the cheers of the audience. When the discussion on the temperace question was over, His Worship welcomed the members of the Convention to Montreal in his official capacity as Mayor. He said he was sure that the citizens of Montreal, of all parties and all creeds, were glad that the conventian had selected their city as their place of meeting, and, therefore, in their name he hade them welcome. As a member of the Liberal party, he was delighted to see the young Liberals in con-vention, and he knew that they would discuss the subjects in which all Liberals were inter-They should remember, however, that there was such a thing as a party discipline, and that no section of the party could be independent of every other section. It would never do, he said, for Tom, Dick and Harry to meet and to form a platform for their

at not being present and wishing the convention all such

Mr. A. Dorion then moved, seconded by Mr. W. F. Kerr, and it was

Mr. W. F. Kerr, and it was Resvolved, That it has been established by irrenstible evidence that in many instances the Indians of the North-West, who are wards of the Government, have been wronged and de-irauded by those who are specially appointed to care for them and promote their interests while Aagrant morality is no often chargeable upon public servants. Thus, the missionary efforts of the churches are counteracted and hindered, many antiferings brought upon the Indians and many sufferings brought upon the Indians and a state of dissatisfaction with the Dominion engendered to such an extent that it has become necessary to cancel all appointments of agents or instructors, who are known to be tyrannical, unjust or immoral, and to fill their places with men of integrity, sobriety and pubity.

INDEPENDENCE.

It was then moved by J. X. Perrault, seconded by P. G. Gorman:

"That, to secure the proper development of the trade of the Dominion, the Canadian people should have full power to negotiate their own ocumercial and other treaties with other BOWers."

Mr. Martinean moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. Dorion :

"That this convention expresses the hope that the result of commercial independence will be the complete political independence of the country.

A motion to adjourn the debate was unanimously adopted.

NOVA SCOTIA HEARD FROM.

The secretary then read the following telegram from the Premier of Nova Scotia :--

"HALIFAX, June 30, 1686. "I regret that I cannot attend the conven-tion, for the success of which you have my best wishes. Political issues in Nova Scotia are now deeper than ordinary party lince. Excessive taxation, neglect of our provincial rights and general misgovernment at Ottawa have revived and intensified the origi-nal grievances of Nova Scotia and pro-duced a constitutional revolt against the union. The desire of our people is to be released from Confederation. We must press for that regardless of party alliances; but while "HALIFAX, June 30, 1886. for that regardless of party alliances; but while Nova Scotia remains in the union the Liberals of the province will very cordially co-operate with their brethren of the other provinces in with their brothren of the other provinces in bringing about a change of government at Ot-tawa, feeling assured that the whole country will be benefitted by having the affairs of the Dominion directed by a statesman of the lefty and splendid abilities of the Hon. Edward Blake,

"W. S. FIELDING."

The convention then adjourned until 10 o'clock this moraing, when there will be a vote on the Independence question.

SECOND DAY.

MORNING SESSION. The Convention met yesterday morning shortly after ten o clock, Mr. A. P. McIntyre, vice-president, in the chair. Mr. Cameron, Lucknow, Ont., chairman of the committee to arrange for a Young Liberals' Dominion association, reported that the committee had made the following nominations :---

Honorary President-Hon. Edward Blake, President-All. R. Prefontaine. Vice-Presidents-N. W. T. and British

Columbia, Jas. Cochrine, Qu'Appelle ; Manitobs, T. G. Mathers, Winnipeg; Ontario, D. E. Cameron, Lucknow; Quebec, Ernest Pacaud, Quebec; New Brunswick, Jas. Harrington, St. John ; Nova Scotis, Hon. S. W. Fielding, Helifax; Prince Edward Island, Hon, L. H. Davies, Charlottetown. Secretaries-T. C. Robinette, Toronto, and

A. Dorion, Montresl.

Tressurer-G. B. Houliston, Three Rivera. Executive Committer. -Geo. M. Reid, London; J. D. Clarke, Hamilton; J. D. legislation is within the power of the Dominion authorities. Mr. J. D. Clark proposed, and Mr. F. H. Chrysler seconded, that resolution number five be put as an amendment to resolution number four. This motion gave rise to a Swith Cartin Policy of Com-

felt recognition of this convention. It is further resolved that a copy of this resolution be sent to his family." Carcied.

THE FISHERY QUESTION.

Mr. A. Sutherland (Parkdale) moved, secouded by Mr. J. W. Harrington (St. John), and it was resolved, "That this convention is convinced that no settlement of the respective fishery rights of Canada and the United States will prove satistactory unless the policy of England in the negotiations is based upon the recommendations of the Canadian Government."---Carried.

MANITOBA LANDS.

Moved by H. T. Duffy, seconded by Jas. Knowles, jr., and resolved, "That the pub-lic lands of Manitobs be given back to that province upon such conditions as should be found just and equitable." Carried.

THE BIRL CASE.

Mr. A. F. McIntyre (Ottawa) then moved, seconded by Mr. H J. Cloran,

"That this Convention approves the of the Hon. Edward Blake in relation to the execution of Louis Riel, and is desirous of join-ing in the censure of the Dominian (iovernment for that act, for the reasons stated by the leader of the Viewel ways at the late version of the of the Liberal party at the late session of the Dominion Parliament.

Mesars. MoIntyre, Cloren, David, Mayor Beaugrand and Jar. McShane, jr., M.P.P., delivered brief addresses in support of the resolution. They pointed out the unjust manner in which Riel had been executed, when all knew well that he was not sound in his mind. They also censured the Government for its maladministration of North-West affairs, and concluded by expressing satisfac-tion at the fact that this question had been taken up in a broad and national manner, and all hoped that the unity which now prevailed among all liberal minded people would con-tinue, and that the rights of all the provinces would be looked after.

THE FRANCHISE ACT.

Moved by Mr. Robinette, seconded by Mr. Martinean, and resolved, "That the convention condemns the Franchise Act adopted by the Dominion Parliament, approves the prin ciple that the Franchise is a subject which should be dealt with exclusively by the Provincial Legislature, declares that the preparation of Electoral lists should be delegated to the municipal councils of the county. and pledges itself to use every legitimate effort to secure a repeal of the said act and so save to the people of Canada the enormous costs involved in the operation of the act.' The convention then took recess.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Mr. Edgar Judge called the meeting to order at three o'clock, and expressed the hope

that the speakers would be brief in their remarks, as there still remained much business to be done.

THE VETO POWER.

Mr. J. P. Noyes moved, seconded by Mr. A. M. Taylor, and it was resolved, "That this Convention protests against the

unjust and unconstitutional encroachments of the Federal Government upon rights guaran-teed to the several provinces of the Dominion ; believes that the veto power now possessed by the Governer-General in Council with respect to provincial legislation should be abolished, and further believes that the courts constitute a supreme check upon unconstitu-tional provincial legislation." (Carried.)

THE SENATE.

Mr. Williston then moved, seconded by Mr. Jas. Mitchell :---

"That the Dominion Senate as at present constituted is utterly useless as a legislative body

ment and the best interests of the Dominios, of this convention, bribery in elections is a and whose name and sympathy with the conspiracy against the public wellare and "Tried in the balance and found wanting," young men of the country deserve the heart- should be made punishable by imprisonment is the general verdict rendered against most without the option of a fine in the case of both of the so called cures for lung troubles. Such briber and brives." (Carried.)

CIVIL SERVICE REFORM.

Moved by Mr. T. C. Robinette, and seconded by Mr. Tremblay, and resolved. "That the notorious shuses in connection with the Civil Service of the Dominion are auch as call for immediate action ; that the anoual expenditare upon the Civil Service is far beyond the requirements of the country; that the present system of examinations is farcial and useless, merit being wholly ignored; that a com-plete measure of Civil Service reform is necesmerit sary by which the expenditure may by reduced, the nepotism and favoritism practised by the present Government rendered impossible and the public service rendered independent of political partics. That this convention desires to place upon

record its condemnation of the practice of importing men to fill positions in the pub lic service, which can be properly and effi-ciently filled by Canadians. Carried.

GERRYMANDERING CONDEMNED.

Moved by Mr. Robinette, seconded by Mr. D. E. Cameron, that the Dominion author ities shall have no power to change the electoral divisions, but that the Provincial Government shall have full control of all such

matters. Moved by J. Knowles, seconded by J. E Allan, that the subject be postponed until the next convention.

It was moved by Mr. Willotson, in subamendment, and resolved, "That this con-vention condemns in the strongest possible terma the gerrymandering of the constituencies, as undertaken unwarrantably by the present Dominion Government, and resolves that the evil shall be undone at the earliest possible moment." (Carried.)

RECIPROCITY.

Mr. E. Judge moved, seconded by Mr. E. Pacaud, and it was unanimously resolved that this convention is strongly in favor of a treaty of reciprocity with the United States.

CONGRESS OF NATIONS.

A lengthy motion, moved by Mr. Wm. Mitchell and seconded by Mr. H. S. Saellgrove, with regard to having Canada represented at the coming Congress of American nations at Washington, was postponed until next convention.

PENNY POSTAGE.

Moved by Mr. Knowles and seconded by Walker, sud resolved, "That this convention is of the opinion that the two cents postage system should be established in the Dominion.

This completed the business of the convention, and on bringing it to a close the chair man returned thanks to all those who had attended it. He said that the work of the convention would have a good effect upon the electorate, and he also hoped that the efforts of the Young Liberals towards ob taining good government would be rewarded. He also thanked the press for the fairness BYRNES-At Quebec, on the 23rd inst., they had shown in reporting the proceedings Mr. Michael Byrnes, aced S6 years, a native of of the Convention, with one exception, which the County Carlow, Ireland. DICKSON--Accidentally drowned, at Que-bec, on June 25th, inst., David James, beloved son of Wm. Henry Charles Dickson. was the organ of one of the Ministers at Ottawa, which had been most unfair and unjust and had falsely reported the pro-ceedings. He hoped that at other conventions they would also be treated well. in Marie Eva Eliza, youngest daughter of Robert concluding he said that he had been chosen Andrew Jeffery. LEMESURIER-At London, England, on the 10th inst., Lucy Darling, wife of Lieut. Colonel T. A. LeMesurier, A.U.G. by all the delegates and had accepted the position knowing that it was a great honor to him. The Tory party had done everything to prevent him receiving that RYAN--In this city, on the 26th instant, Mabel Clifford, aged 3 months, only daughter honor. It was for him a vindication (Cheers), though he did not need that, as his friends of Wm. Ryan. MACKAY-In this city, on 25th June, Mary Mildred, sged 8 months, youngest daughter of Jas. M. Mackay. were perfactly well satisfied with his course. He closed by thanking all for their atten-dance at the first convention of Young Lib-

been charmed by their eloquence.

presided at the Convention.

taine returned thanks.

Mr. Hawke returned thanks on behalf of the

Thanks were then voted to Alderman

Prefontaine for the manner in which he had

After some remarks by Messrs Tremblay,

Cameron and McIntyre, Alderman Prefon-

A vote of thanks was also unanimously

passed to the secretaries. Messre W. S. Walk-

er and P. G. Martineau, for their arduous

duties in connection with the Convention,

EASILY CURED.

Mrs. Berkinshaw, 26 Pembroke street, To-

A gentleman at Allindale, S. C., who is

fifty-one years of age, has begun cutting a

SUFFERING.

German engineers have succeeded in dimin-

making the tender coupling more or less rigid

tives have been used on some roads for line

A MIDNIGHT ALARM.

There is scarcely any fright more alarming

laterally, and, indeed, four-wheeled locomo

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erals held in the Province of Quebec. Mr. A. M. Taylor (Tcronto), then moved, seconded by Mr. Graham (Merrisburg), beloved wite of John Campbell. "That the thanks of the convention are due DONNELLY-On Wednesday, 30th June, to the different Montreal clubs for bringing 1886, Joseph Neil, sged 9 years and 9 month-, this convention to success." Mr. Taylor, in speaking to his motion, re-McMANUS-In this city, on the 28th inst. of 1r in fever, Joseph Patrick, aged 20 years and 4 days, son of Patrick McManus. turned thanks for the manner in which the Ontario delegation had been received, and hoped that the visit would be returned by DOWD .- In this city, on the 29th instant Francis Robert, aged 1 year and 10 days, only the Montreal contingent. He was proud of the Young Liberals of Quebec and all had

BELSHAZZER'S WARNING.

"Tried in the balance and found wanting," a decision bas never been given against Dr R. V. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery." On the controly, it is conceded by thour-lands who have tried it, to be the only remedy for consumption (scroinle of the lungs) and scrofulous diseases generally. It will not core when both longs are most gone, but if taken when the disease is in the first stages it never fails. It is also specific for such scrofulous affections as fever-sores, white swellings, hip joint disease, and great . ting ulars, and for blood taints generally, rom whatever cause arising. By druggists.

Holloway's Ointment and Rills.-In all outward complaints a desperate effort should. be made to at once remove these annoying infirmities, and ot establishing a cure. The remarkable remedies discovered by Professor Holloway will satisfactorily accomplish this desirable result, without any of those dangers or drawbacks which attand the eld method of treating ulcerative inflamma. tions, scrofnlous affections, and scorbutic annoyances. The most tumid invalids may use both the Ointment and Pills with the utmost safety with certain success, provided a moderate attention be bestowed on their accompanying "Directions." Both the preperations soothe, heal, and purity. The one assists the other most materially in effecting cures and renewing strength by helping exhausted nature just when she needs such succour.

MARRIED.

FULLERTON-KELLY-On Tuesday, the 22nd instan*, at St. Patrick's church, water, by the Reverend J. Hayden, C.S.S.R., Rotert Fullerton to Mary Ann Kelly.

DONAHUE -- KENNEDY. -- At St. An-thony's Church, by the Rev. Father Larocque, on the 21st instant, William Donahue to Miss Ellen Kennedy, daughter of the late Michael Kennedy. All of this city. 147-2

DUCLOS-FARRELL.-At St. Joseph's DUCLOS-FARRELL.—At St. Joseph's Church, by the Rev. Abbe Brachesi, assisted by the Rev. Father Larocque, Robert Duclos, to Mary, youngest daughter of Francis Farrell, all of this city. DINAHAN-MULLIN.—On Monday, the 28th inst., at St. Patrick's Church, by the Rev. Father Dowd, Mr. R. T. Dinahan to Miss W. Mullin, daughter of Mr. M. C. Mullin, of this city.

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FOLEY - SHANAHAN. - At Cadillac, Mich., on Sunday, June 27th, John Foley, of Montreal, to Miss Elizabeth Shamahan, of Osgoode, Ont.

Ospose, Ont. Ottawa, Ont., jupers please copy. 154 WALSH – SHEERAN. – At. St. Ann's Church, on Tuesday, the 22nd instant, by 9.9 Rev. Father Catulle, Richard Walsh, of St. Marthe, to Miss Mary Ann Sheeran, daughter of the late Thomas Sheeran, of this city. 1492

DIED.

McCAULEY-In this city, on the 25th of June, Annie McCauley, aged 21 years.

MILLOY-In this city on July 2, 1886, ef brain fever, Geralline, youngest daughter of James Milloy, aged 3 years 6 months.

JEEFERY-At Quebec, on the 23rd inst.

One of the members of the general committee then announced that the question had come up in committee of organizing a Dominion Asso-ciation, and he would like to have the opinion

of the convention thereon. (Applause.) Mr. Robnette, seconded by Mr. Barry, then moved that this convention recommends to the general committee the advisability of taking the necessary steps to form a Dominion associa-tion of Young Liberals. The motion was carried amid applause.

Previous to the meeting adjourning the sccre

tary read the following letter:-Dear Sir,-I have your note. I find, with re-gret, that I shall not be able to avail myself of the invitation of the Executive committee of the proposed convention. I carnedly hope and believe that the convention, by the patriotism and prudence displayed, will exercise a beneficial influence on the great work of securing good government for this Dominicu of Canadu, to which we are all so [much [attached. Yours truly,

O. MOWAT.

The convention then adjourned till 2.30 o'clock. Bleanwhile the general committee met and appointed a sub-committee to discuss the question of a Dominion association. The resolution committee also sat to propose resolutions

Iution committee also sat to propose resolutions for the afternoon session. After our reporter left the convention on Wednesday afternoon, Mr. D. E. Cameron, I shall watch with the greatest interest the reas chairman of the committee appointed to ports of its deliberations. May they be such consider the advisability of forming a Young as shall tend to increase the force and mainconsider the advisability of forming a Young Men's Liberal Association for the Dominion, presented the following report :- Your committee would recommend the formation of an association to be called the Young Men's Liberal Association of Canada; the officers

THE EVENING SESSION.

The Convention was called to order shortly after eight o'clock.

A DOMINION ASSOCIATION.

The General Committee reported that they had selected Messrs. Kerr, Robinette, Chrysler and Cameron (Ontario). Mesars. Dorion, Ryder, Pacaud, Martinean (Quebec), Mathers, Hannington, Cochrane (representing the other provinces), as a special committee to organize a Dominich Association of Young Liberals and to report to day. Carried.

COMPLIMENTING CARDINAL TASCHEREAU.

Mr. D. E. Cameron (Ontario), moved seconded by Messrs, J. N. Perrault and D. Barry :---

"That the Young Liberals of Canada in a convention assembled have learned with extreme satisfaction the elevation of His Grace the Archbishop of Qeebec to the high dignity of Cardinal, and beg His Eminence to receive their sincere coogratulations for this great favor to the Dominion to one of the most worthy sons

the peace, harmony and prosperity of the formediately the peace, harmony and prosperity of the maintenance by the President Empire."

Carried amid applause.

LETTER FROM THE LEADER. The secretary then lead the following letter :---

Токолто, June 26, 1886.

DEAR SIRS,-On my return to town I hasten to express my thanks to the Executive Commit-tee of the Dominion Young Men's Liberal Con-vention. I regret that it is not is my power to

tain the unity of the Liberal party. Yours truly,

Edward Blake. Messrs. Walker and Martineau, Sec's.

A letter was also read from Mr. Gagnon, to consist of an hynorary president, a vice. M.P.P. for Kamouraska, expressing regret

Smith Curtis, Portage la Prairie, Man.; F. [imprudent legi lation by the House of Com-E. Burnham, Emerson; Dr. McArthur and Fred. C. Wade, Winnipeg.

The report was unanimously adopted amid applause. The adjourned debate on Canadian inde-

pendence and Canadian treaty making powers was resumed. The two amendments to the main mution

(already published) having been withdrawn, Mr. Cloran moved, seconded by A. Dorion, that the discussion of the question be adjourned until next acasion.

The amendment and the main motion de claring in avor o Canada negotiating her owu commercial tre ties were then adopted.

NECESSARIES OF LIFE.

Mr. J. G. Barthe then moved, seconded by Mr. G. M. Reid, London, that in the opinion of this convention all restrictions on the trade and commerce of the Dominion are detrimental to the best interests of the people, and that it is absolutely necessaay as a step towards the more equitable government of Canada that at the earliest possible moment the taxes on coal, on flour and on other neves. saries of life, as well as raw material for manufactures, should be abolished. Carried.

IMMIGRATION. Moved by Mr. Dumont, seconded by Mr. McMahon, "Whereas the resources of the Dominion offer a sufficient inducement to all desirable classes of immigrants; and, whereas, the present policy of assisted immigration subjects our wage camers to unfair competition ; therefore be it resolved that the expenditure of public money, in givio: assisted passages, should be discontinued. Carried unanimously.

TORY MISREPRESENTATION.

Messrs. Cameren, Lucknow, Cloran and others protected against the false and unjust report made by the Tory organ, the Gazette, of the proceedings of the convention, The remarks of the speakers were applauded, several of the deligates remarking, "We expected that.

IRISH HOME RULE.

Mr. Thos. Dully moved, seconded by E. 1 Donohue, "That this convention express its sympathy with the gallant efforts now being lost. made by Mr. Gladstone and Mr. Parnell and their followers to grant to the people of Ireland a Parliament to manage their local affairs ; and the establishment of such a Parliament in Ireland is, in the opinion of this meeting, in accordance with the wants and rights of the Irish people, and would tend to

J. Cloran, that a copy of this resolution be transmitted to Mr. Gladstone and to Mr.

Parnell. The reading of the motion was received with loud and enthusiastic cheering, which lasted for some time, and after addresses by Mcsers. Duffy, Barry, Cloran, Dr. Graham, B. J. Coghlin, L. O. David, J. M. Taylor, Toronto, and others, they were unanimously adopted, cheers being given for Gladstone, Parnell, Blake and Laurier.

THE LATE HON. L. S. HUNTINGTON.

Moved by G. W. Stephens, M.P.P., seconded by J. P. Noves, "That this convention has learned with deep regret of the death of the late Hon. L. S. Huntington, one of the most distinguished leaders of the Liberal

mons; that in the opinion of this Convention the Senate should be reformed in such a way as to make it an elective chambe ; without inter-boine, Saskatchewan and Alberta ought to be granted representation in the said elective

Senate.' Mr. L. P. Brodeur moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. P. G. Martineau :--- "That all the words in the motion be erseed and that the Senate be abolished."

Mr. Willotson and Hawke advocated the Brodeur favored the amendment, which on being put to the vote was carried by a divi-sion of 53 rgainst 26. sion of 53 egainst 26.

APPOINTMENT OF JUDGES.

Mr. James Knowles moved, seconded by Mr. Taylor :- " That the Judges of Provin-

cial Courts should be appointed by Provincial Governments." Carried.

THE LABOR QUESTION.

Moved by Mr. Cameron, seconded by Mr. Robinette :-- "That in the opinion of this convention bosrds of arbitrators should be appointed with compulsory powers to settle which had been brought about by a resolution labor disputes between public corporations offered by Mr. Walker on the 25th September, and their employes, and this convention further recommends the appointment of a com-The Convention was then closed with cheers for the Queen, Blake, Mercier, Laurier, Mowat, the Young Liberals and Alderman mission to enquire into and report upon the whole labor question." (Carried.)

An aniondment'to postpoue the question was rejected, and the muin motion carried.

MANITODA RIGHTS.

Moved by T. G. Mathers, seconded by W. F. Kerr, and resolved, "That the right of the Province of Manitoba under the British ronto, cured of a bad lameness of the knecjoint, upon which the surgcons were about to North America Act to charter railways within operate. Other treatment had been tried in its boundaries should not be interfered with." vain. Hagyard's Yellow Oil was the remedy C riled. used.

IMPERIAL LEGISLATION,

Moved by Mr. A. M. Taylor, ecconded by Mr. Walker, "That legislation by the Imperial Perhament be sought with the view of restoring to the Dominion the power possessed by the former Province of Canada to alter or an the constitution of the country," was

Moved by Mr. Williston, seconded by Mr. Ryder, and resolved, "That the system of superannuation and graating of pensions to members of the Civil Service is attended with great abuses, and having due regard to existing rights should be entirely abolished." ishing the swaying in locomotives, and with it the wear of the rear driver flanges, by

LAND SPECULATION.

Moved by Mr. Clarke and seconded by Mr. Brodeur and resolved, "That in the opinion of this convention the policy of granting the public lands to speculators purengines by having heavy shoot bolts on each side entering sockets on the tender-in this sued by the present Dominion Government is to be condemned, and that in future all the

INDEPENDENCE OF PARLIAMENT.

Moved by Mr. McMahon and seconded by Mr. Tremblay, and resolved, "That no mem-ber, solicitor or employé of a corporation seeking or receiving land, contracts, money, subsidies or other pecuniary advantages from the Government should be permitted to sit or vote in Parliament." Carried.

Three hundred observers have enlisted in party in the Dominion of Cinada, whose Moved by Mr. Hawke, seconded by Mr. Mess chusetts to the arduous services on behalf of pure Govern- Chrysler, and resolved, "That in the opinion tious tails summer, Massachusetts to take thunderstorm observa-

son of C. H. Dowd. McCARTHY-At St. Gabriel Village, on the 27th instant, Frances Anne, ared 1 year, 4 months and 3 days, youngest and beloved daughter of Denis McCarthy. Mr. Graham also spoke to the motion in the same strain, after which it was car-

REDDY-At Quebec, on the 25th inst, after a long and painful illness, Bridget Agner, youngest daughter of John Reddy, aged 17 years and 4 months.

MATTHEWS-At Chicago, on the 16th inst., Edward Matthews, aged 24 years, son of the lato Roger Matthews, of Montreal.

New York and Brooklyn papers please copy. DICKSON.-Accidentally drowned, on the 25th inst., at Quebec, David James Dickson, eldest and beloved son of William H. and Charlotte Dickson, aged 9 years and 10 months.

MAHER.—In this city, on the 23rd instant. Anthony Maher, aged 67 years, Sub-Chief & Police, a native of Ballyfolin, County Tipperary, Ireland.

Boston and Lowell papers please copy.

MACMAHON-At Spencer Cove, Quebec, on the 17th instant, Mary MacMahon, widow of the late Maurice Lynch, a nutive of the parish of Adair, County Limerick, Ireland, aged 67 years.

Grand Rapids, Wis., and Quebec papers please copy

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