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Time for a Change

That the people of this province should be so heartily sick of the Scott excuse for a government after rect taxation, and yet outsiders fairs of the province for less than Scott administration before they had to any party, but will place the inthree years is not to be wondered at been together for two years imposed terests of his constituents above all when a short review of what has

In the first place the Lieut.-Governor was instructed to call upon Walter Scott to form the first government of the province, because Mr. Scott swallowed so meekly the Sas-

katchewan Act, by the terms of which this province was deprived of its public, resources, lands, timber and minerals. He swallowed the Autonomy Bill in 1905 notwithstand-

ing the fact that he had supported the Haultain draft bill a short time

the first intimation that the public had that he was the tool of the. Ottawa administration. However, he got his reward for his subserviency. After selecting his cabinet he went to the country in 1905 and actually stole into power. All the old set-

tled districts, notwithstanding the fixing up of the seats, voted overwhelmingly against his party, and from the "back settlements" as he himself. termed them, he got a sufficient number of members to sustain him in his administration. The way these back settlements were

tion of 1905 will ever remain a black page in our provincial history Stuffing of ballot boxes, the voting of ghosts, the naturalizing of foreigners who had not been the required length of time in the country and all and the man to vote for is Hon. F. sorts of corrupt practices were re-W. G. Haultain who has a public resorted to. However, when these incord above reproach.

Just a Scheme

It can hardly he expected that the

and should be opposed by all intellifow by way of bonds millions of gent and unprejudiced electors as dollars. They have appointed Clifford

mous tricks were pointed out afte the election, the government friends had some of their tools sent out of Canada, and these crooks, did not suffer financial loss by their journeys

smaller Liberal fry throughout the either. It looked very much as if the country would be expected to try government were anxious to have square deal in the campaign when these friends of theirs protected. the premier is so hold in his at-

What could be expected of men who tempts to huy up the people to vote in the first place would allow them- for his party. selves to be made catspaws for Laur- Here is how Scott and his outfit ier and in the second place would do it :

stoop to such election methods ? Railways are wanted and wanted 'Could good, honest administration badly in some parts of this province. be really expected ? Whether the The Scott party through their leadpeople expected it or not; there is er has issued a map which purports one thing sure and that is that they 'o show some of the lines they will did not get it. have built if they are returned to

Where has the ample revenue gone power. On the side they practically that they boasted we were to get un- promise a branch line of a railway der the Saskatchewan Act. They to almost every elector's door. started the business of the country What is this but an attempt at with about \$600,000 in the treasury, bribery ?

and at the end of the last fiscal year What do the electors in the coun the province owed about \$300.000, try think of such promises and such The money was squandered. They a rosy picture of a railroad to their paid themselves good salaries and door made and presented just before did not go short on travelling ex- the elections ?

penses. Their friends got good Were the Scott party returned to jobs. If there were friends for whom power, we all know that they would there were no jobs, why jobs were not be in a position to keep these made for them. Take as an instance promises or do anything more than the four game guardians who cost what Mr. Haultain could do. Sup-

the province thousands of dollars posing the government guaranteed last year, and their services were these bonds and had to pay the inpractically valuless. Then again, terest, where is the money coming their actions respecting the Moose from to do it ? We have not enough essity of the case, arise and put an in the Saskatchewan Valley Land twenty-five per cent of the purchase Jaw Court house site and the Re- revenue now to pay the ordinary end to it for a time. gina parliament buildings site and running expenses of the country with-

contract, show where some of the out going into debt. The only anmoney has gone to. Economy is not swer is that the money would be known in the Scott administration's raised by direct taxation

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mere party opportunists. who are Silton as the agent to sell the honds using their position for party and and the people know that Sifton personal ends. As such we oppose does not work for nothing. How much is there in it?

The dissolution is all the more un-Premier Scott does get so worked ustifiable at present as a corp of returning officers have been at work for some time at the preparation of Calder on his knee when he does that is mentioned. My, if he only had voters' lists. As the elections are stunt.

now to be held on lists prepared by enumerators as under the old terri-If the farmers don't want any torial law, the new lists will be absolutely worthless and a great many vote for the Haultain candidates, housands of dollars absolutely II Mr. Scott thinks that the electhrown away thereby. Then, again, tors are as good at "swallowing" as

he is, he is mistaken. Scott swalwe believe the dissolution is a clear lowed the autonomy bill without the breach of faith with the late legislapeople of the province getting their ture, as it was distinctly understood lands, and he said they would be sathefore prorogation that another ses-isfied with nothing less. The C.P.R.

sion of the legislature would be held exemption question was not settled in the autumn. Breaches of faith on and he said the people would be the part of public men cause lack of crazy to accept autonomy until that confidence and trust among the peo- question was settled. Scott swalple, the better class of electors often lowed, Calder, Saul and the Morang become disgusted at being so often contract. Scott swallowed Maxwell's

deceived and refuse to take any ac- report and gave P. Lyall & Sons the tive part in public affairs, and the parliament buildings contract. Now There will be offered for sale at national life and character are left in he expects the people to swallow Sheriff's Office in the City of Regina in the Province of Saskatche him. It's too hard Mr. Scott. It the hands of the unscrupulous and wan at twelve o'clock noon on Satcan't be done even if you were to least worthy class of politicians and offer them some of your \$10,000 rday the 8th day of August, A. D. voters. Political corruption spreads worth of stock in the Saskatchewan ALL AND SINGULAR the follow-

its baleful blight over all depart- Valley Land Co. ng lands, viz: the North East Quarments of public life and it is only when the incubus becomes too great Why didn't Saskatohewan get its Township Twenty (20) in Range (19) West of the Second Meridian in to be borne, as in 1896,-that the peo- lands instead of it being given to

in this election.

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Province of Saskatchewan. ple at last aroused to the vital nec- Walter Scott and other shareholders Terms : The purchaser shall pay money at the time of the sale and the balance upon delivery of transfer duly confirmed after the sale and Press Comment. subject to the further conditions ap-Editorial Notes. proved herein. Full particulars may e had from the undersigned. (Weyburn Herald) We understand that the Saskatche-ALLAN, GORDON & BRYANT, There are four cabinet ministers in van manager of the Sun Life Assurthe Saskatchewan government, Mesance Co. expects to be Knight-ed for is pyrotecnic services to the Liberal party during this campaign. We HUMPHREY BROS fear, however, that he will be am

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sue the easy course he would ed the contract to the lo He had asked his deputy, estimate of the required r firm undertaking to do t the' figure had been place The architect had also ently asked for his estin given it as \$450,000. Read architects' letter he pointe local company, Snyder, W Co. had a capital of \$140, it was composed of eleven putable citizens of Regina; old personal friends of his of them personal politic and most of them wealth, the architect held tal of \$140,000 was But Mr. Scott added: "IF THESE MEN H THEIR TENDER WITH OF THEIR INDIVIDUAL THEIR TENDER MIGHT CONSIDERED." Now, what are the fact On June 26 the deputy of the public works depu Snyder, Willoughby and C Sirs,-By direction I am to inform the Commiss in the event of the co construction of the Le Executive Buildings upon your tender, you ceed with the work as or as a limited liability Your reply should be person who singed you I have the honor to be, Your obedient se (Sgd) F. J. ROI Deputy Steps were thus taken whether or not the contr carried out as a lim whether the me Snyder, Willoughby & pared to BACK THEIR T A PLEDGE OF THEIR RESOURCES. What was the answer The men who comp

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Snyder, Willoughby & following day with the ent direct to the deput of the public works dep Dear Sir,-We have June 26, and beg to ad is our intention to fe