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RECIPROCITY THE ISSUE AND IT IS A GREAT ISSUE

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Finai Word to the Liberals of Canada Befort Starting on His Ontario Tour-Fight Fairly and Squarely is His Admonition.

med up as follows:-

Toronto, Aug. 15-The centre of the political battle is transferred to Western Ontario, where, today, each leader fires the opening gun of the campaign, Sir Wilfrid Laurier at Simcoe and R. L. Borden at London. Mr. Borden will probably not return to Ottawa till after the election. He has much work to do at the tail end of the campaign in Nova Scotia, and his own worries in Halifax, where it it is probable he will suffer defeat from Attorney General McLean. Sir Wilfrid Laurier goes to Three Rivers this week, thence to the Maritime Provinces, returning to Ontario a fortnight before polling.

A striking evidence of the unholy alliance of the anti-imperial Bourassa

forces in Quebec and the Jingoists in Ontario is furnished by the Tory To rento press which exults over the fact that Bourassa created pandemonium at St. Hyacinthe Sunday in a throng of twenty thousand French-Canadians with his bitter anti-naval appeals. Sir Wilfrid, however, is not a bit worried over the situation in Quebec. He can hold Quebec any way, and is sure of gains in Ontario. He has no doubt of an emphatic Liberal victory. His final word to the Liberals of Canada before starting his tour may be sum-

Thursday, August 17, 1911.

His Final Word to the Liberals "Take no chances, fight argument with argument fairly and squarely. The issue is reciprocity, and it is a great issue. It is the people's issue upon which we will win. It is the duty of every Liberal to discuss the question with his friends and neighbors. and prove to them that reciprocity means additional markets to those Canada already possesses, and in no way invalidates the British preference or limits Canada's fiscal freedom." Simcoe is all ready for the biggest day in its history. Seating accommodation is provided in the park for over eight thousand. In addition there is standing room for ten thousand. The station and main streets are gaily decorated, and six special trains have been chartered to handle the crowds from all parts of the province. One of the problems is to provide meals for the crowds and visitors liave been advised to bring lunches.

HON, GEO, P. GRAHAM, who Accompanied by Two Ministers. People are already pouring into Simcoe in hundreds. Many farmers' excursions in which both Liberals and

Conservatives are participating, are booked. Premier Laurier is accompanied by Hon. Geo. P. Graham and Hon. Rodolphe Lemfeux. Speaking at Long Beach Hon. MacKenzie King declared that what the Liberal party wants to do and will do by reciprocity is to break up the food monopolies, and help every-day people in their every-day life. The minister is touring Ontario and is enthusiastic over the prospects. The attempts of the Opposition to sidetrack reciprocity has failed. The farmers are insisting on a discussion. Indications multiply that Liberalism will sweep the east as well as the west. The last resort of Conservative oraiors to pit the West against the East, by alleging that the government is seeking to make the Prairie Provinces rule Eastern Canada meets no sym-

"We're brother Canadians, working together for the good of the country," a Peel farmer told Richard Blain, who shought to raise the sectional

Borden Issues Manifesto Prior To His Departure from Ottawa Improvement of agriculture,

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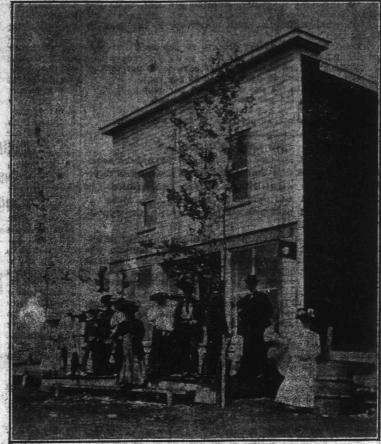
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en's manifesto. In substance it is: the convention was over almost a "The Liberal-Conservative party sives record time. Previous to the receiv its pledge to carry out the following ing of nominations some short policy if returned to power:speeches were made. One was espect A thorough reorganization of the ally neteworthy. It was that made method by which public expenditure is J. A. Maharg, president of the Sa supervised. Increase in what is known katchewan Grain Growers' asso as ordinary controllable expenditure tion. In speaking from the point from \$21,500,000 in 1896 to nearly view of the farmer, he said that \$74,000,000 in 1911, is proof of ex-travagance beyond any possible ne-tion to free the farmers from political

2-Granting of the natural resources political questions for themselves and vote as their reason dictated. If the to the Prairie Provinces. 3-Construction of the Hudson Bay did so on this occasion there could railway and its operation by an inde- no doubt but that they would vote in a way which should not be disappein rendent commission. 4-Control and operation by the ing to the men who thought as the state of terminal e'evators.

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9—Extension of civil service re-9—Extension of civil service re-interview Hon. Wm, Templeman, who arrived from the east vesterday, said. 10—Granting of liberal asistance to "There is no doubt as to the voice of the provinces for the purpose of supplementing and extending the work of agricultural education and for the that the next parliament will contain the next parliament will be nex a larger number of Liberals than the

Ottawa, Aug 14—Prior to his de- under the control of gigantic America course of policy and administration parture for London tonight to open can trusts, further asseverated the which will maintain independent and a careful canvass of the situation in consequence of the situation in con parture for London tonight to open can trusts, further asseverated the Conservative leader, reducing prices his campaign, the Hon R L Bordon to producers without corresponding issued a manifesto following on the reduction to consumers.

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Three Chief Contentions

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vincial socretary in the Roblin cab-met, is frequently mentioned as likely

to get the nomination if it goes to a city man. As things stand now, there is every reason to expect that when future to rely upon. the convention opens tomorrow there will be a butter night for control. nations a posite invitation to forego public men of the United States, its and renounce these rights to Canadian markets, a suggestion which was so foolish that it equired no answer. It further made an absurd prefere of principal value to the could quote in the convention opens tomorrow there will be a butter again for control. Remarkable Tribute to Knowles.

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tion that the so-called "convention" summoned by Mr. P. E. Lessard and Mr. James McKinnon for Wednesday of this week is bonafide. Placards were posted around the city yesterday declaring the convention to be properly called and in every way genuine. The same mis-statement was re-asserted in the newspaper controlled by the faction who have taken upon themselves to summon the "convention" for purposes of their own. Throughout the country the organized clique have been busy trying to drum up delegates, in some cases by means as illegitimate as the calling of the "convention." In the city the necessity of calling "primaries" for the selection of delegates seems to have been blandly disregarded, and many of the local chairmen of districts in the city have not been advised officially of the bogus convention at all. It goes without saying that the gathering will be in no sense representative, as it will be in no sense bona fide. The executive of the Lac Ste. Anne provincial district decided on Saturday to take no notice of the assemblage. In Stony Plain efforts were made to persuade the local officers to hold primaries but many of them refused flatly and

Frantic efforts are being made to mislead the Liberals of the riding into the no-

Liberal Nominating Conventions

Provincial Authority Must Call

declared their intention of having nothing to do with the unauthorized gathering. In the St. Albert district the emissaries of the faction have been particularly busy and some curious stories are coming in of the methods employed to hood-wink the Liberals of that district into sending delegates. The character of the gathering, however, has been pretty well exposed, and while itsauthors and those they may succeed in deluding will doubtless assemble themselves with the assurance of the three tailors of Tooley street and proceed to tell tht Liberals of the riding who their candidate is, the performance is likely to produce chiefly amusement and resentment.

As the question of the proper authority to call nominating conventions has been Mr. Knowles, who was visibly at raised, it may be well to produce a few facts from the records, by way of clearing the general understanding of the question. On October 16th, 1907, a meeting of the Edmonton City Liberal Association was held, when ten voting delegates were chosen to attend the first and organization meeting of the Provincial Association in Calgary on the following Wednesday. The voting delegates chosen were Messrs. Arthur Mowatt, Wilfrid Gariepy, P. J. Manson, J. A. McDougall, Dr. Strong, Chas. May, J. A. Mc-Kinnon, G. B. MacLeod, P. E. Lessard and Jas. McGeorge. At the meeting at Calgary on the 22nd the Provincial Association was formed, officers elected, and the aintiation and have them think out dates of the nominating conventions for the seven Alberta constituencies were named. The date named for the Edmonton district nominating convention was December 10. It was erroneously stated in the Bulletin yesterday that the Edmonton convention was held in 1908. The correct date is December 10th, 1907. At this convention Mr. assembled at this convention thought. P. E. Lessard, president of the Edmonton City Liberal Association presided, and

in opening the convention explained that in the absence of Senator Talbot and Mr. Jones of Calgary, president and secretary of the Provincial Association, Mr. Mc-Resclutions confirming the Liberal George and himself had been delegated to conduct the convention. Among the business transacted at this convention was elestion of officers for the Liberal Association of the Edmonton Federal constituency. That was the beginning of the Edmonton dist-Vancouver, Aug. 14-In a lengthy rict Liberal Association.

From this record two things are plain:—

1. That it is the business of the Provincial and not the local Association to fix the dates of nominating conventions. 2 That the president and secretary of the Provincial Association preside at such conventions except when they delegate the authority to other parties.

"Conventions" so-called summoned other than by authority of the Provincial body are not bona fide. This authority has not been given for the gathering to be held in Edmonton tomorrow. It is, therefore bogus.

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fifty miles distant. The Vanquisher of Dr. Roche. An ardent desire to see the reciproc alone would elect 60 Liberals or over, ity pact become law was the common out of a total of 65. In Montreal city bond. There appeared to be not the slightest doubt, in the minds of the delegates, that Marquette could be remain facts had, however, been brought out in of er ways, and on the principal reason why Aikins is favored is because he is a wealthy is thus presented to the people of evidenced. The convention recognizman and would be able to stand an Canada the spectacle of an alliance ed in him the vanquisher of Dr. Roche. before the convention, these being A. of the party of Quebec to accomplish a common purpose, the defeat of Sir S. Crerar, Binscarth, and Farnk Simp-Wilfrid Laurier. But the conspiracy son, Shoal Lake. On the result of the ballot being announced the nomination was made unanimous, Crerar mov-"Quebec may increase its Liberal ing and Simpson seconding the motion-Grierson is a business man of Minnedosa, where he has resided for the

Ontario Will Break Even. representation by two; it will certainly not do werse than elect 50 Liberals to 15 Nationalist-Conservatives or Conservative-Nationalists, whichever name may best describe the new Every nominee pledged his wholetreed of Quebec politicians that the hearted support to Grierson, who is great Conservative party will have in probably the strongest candidate that could have been nominated against Dr. "My Ontario colleagues are confident | Roche.

NEWS FROM LETHBRIDGE. Whitford Before Magistrate on Mur-

der Charge—Young Man Shot By Accidental Discharge of Gun in Lady's Hand. ford known as "Nigger George" was

to the river. This agrees with the re- Dry Farming Congress at Colorado

A Reciprocity Convention.

Shoal Lake, Man., Aug. 15—Marquette for reciprocity, was the slogan of the Liberal convention which last evening unanimously nominated Geo.

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A. Grierson, Minnedosa, to contest Marquette against Dr. W. J. Roche, the S. A. Wilson, proprietor of the ersy among engineers on the matter nore a reciprocity convention than a Hotel Alcariton was stabled by Allen and the report of Boyd will determine Liberal convention, for there were electors present who had never before in an argument to Wilson's wife by

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