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From North--The Party Platform

When the equinocial gale blew across this continent on Monday and the branch railway lines became blocked again, the outlook for a successful Provincial Rights convention the following day was doubtful, but notwithstanding this inclement weather there were an attendance of each total strength of the autonomy forms which

Convention Opens

The convention was called to order at 10 a.m. by the president, J. K. McInnis. In his opening remarks he stated this was to be a working con-vention. Last year a platform was changed conditions might necessitate this resolution, which was then elaboration of some of the rlanks of thusiastically adopted.

Referring to the leader of the party and his supporters in the House, he said it was a matter for congratulation that they were leaving their impress on the legislation of the

Getting down to business the convention was asked to nominate a striking committee to select standing committees, and the following were ominated: Messrs. Embury, Wylie, Gillis,, Jas. Armstrong, J. T. Brown, Winning, Bunnell, A. Ford, Dr. Ellis, Dr. McGillivray and Dr. Smith. They reported the following

Organisation and Finance-H. W Laird, Dr. Creamer, James Keith, T. H. Hiller, W. Scramlin, W. J. Winning, J. F. L. Embury, R. S. Park,, A. E. Whitmore, Dr. McGilveray, E. B. Brown, A. Ford, M. George Hartley, Jas. Bastein, R. L. Kidd, J. G. Kidd, Chas. Baker (Broadview), John E. Chis-

B. Gillis, Dr. Ellis, Arthur Burnett. Dr. McDonald, D. W. Taylor, Dr. Smith, Mr. Bunnell, J. T. Brown, A. D. Dickson, F. Martin, J. Cope, A. T. Hunter, J. W. Jones, S. Rathwell, J. Donahue, Walter Simpson, C. E. D. Wood, Fred Fry, W. Niblock, Andrew Krauss, Dr. Argue, J. P. Mitchell, W. C. Cates, W. J. Tudge, D. A. MacDonald, Dr. Elliot, J. H. Wellington, W. G. Pettingell H. D. Pickett, W. W. McDonald.

Committees Retire On retiring at 12 o'clock, the varous committees proceeded to work the convention adjourned till 2

the convention re-assemble W. Laird brought in the report of the committee on organisation and finance and took the chair while in committee of the whole. The report was adopted.

The committee on resolutions prought in a report embodying the following subjects: Non party pledge Confidence in Haultain, Public lands, Grain, Public Utilities Hudson's Bay Railway, and purity

The following resolution, the first introduced, was moved by Dr. Ellis, Moosomin, seconded by Joseph Cope,

That this convention hereby declares that the Provincial Rights Party of the Province of Saskatchewan is purely a provincial or-ganisation, formed for the purpose of procuring full powers of provincial self-government, subject to and in accordance with the provisions of the B.N.A. Act. That in its membership its aims and objects it recognises no distinction of party names or affiliations, in respect to Dominion pol-

In moving this resolution Dr. Ellis said they were assembled on that occasion to re-affirm their adhesion to the Provincial Rights Party. We were told during the election cam-paign by the Scott party that our name was a catch-cry and that after the election echo had died away the name would be forgotten. The ars-

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ther there was an attendance of over the there was an attendance of over one hundred delegates although but few were present from the southeast or north part of the province. but few were present from the southeast or north part of the province. What was lacking in numbers was however, made up in enthusiasm. The convention reaffirmed the principles of the party, old time Liberals and Conservatives renewed their covenant respecting the precepts of the party, and again pledged their hearty and loyal support to Mr. Haultain.

Telegrams were received from Dr. Shadd, Melfort; J. W. Young, Prince Albert; Dr. Munroe, Saskatoon; Wm. Ramsay, Bladworth, regretting that owing to the train blockage delegates were unable to be present from the north. G. M. Annable wirded from Winnipeg that he could not be present; W. Dunlop, of Yorkton, wired from Portage stating that their delegates were tied up by reason of the storm, while twenty-five delegates wired from McLean that they were delayed and would not reach the city before evening.

Convention Opens

The country. The country with fight which one man was putting up for the principles which this party represents and the men of courage and thought rallied around Mr. Haultain and backed him up in support of those principles. Conservatives, but he believed that the Liberals who are with us today made a bigger sacrifice, and they were denounced from one end of the country to the other, but thinking men realise the fact that they are the exponents of true Liberalism and it is better for a man to be called a traitor to his country.

So long as our liberties are denied us, just so long will there be a Provincial Rights party and the only principles that should obtain are those which prevailed in ancient Rome when none of the neople were in party in the country to the other, but thinking men realise the fact that they are the exponents of true Liberalism and it is better for a man to be called a traitor to his country.

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Mr. Cope on rising to second this.

Mr. Cope on rising to second this resolution stated that he was a Liberal who was forsaken by his party. He considered that the best party men were those who were true to vention. Last year a platform was principle. He was more of a worker formulated which was the basis of than a speaker and he would not attheir organisation. There would be no change in their principles, but pleasure which he felt in seconding changed conditions might present the pleasure which he felt in seconding thusiastically adopted.

Endorses Mr. Haultain

Moved by John Donahue (Ester-hazy) seconded by D. A. MacDonald,

of the Provincial Rights Associahereby express our fullest confidence in, and loyalty to our leader, the Hon. F. W. G. Haultain. It is with pride and satisfaction that we follow his distinguished career in the Legislature, and we feel that the province is to be congratulated upon those great services, which, by reason of his wisdom and extended experience, he is so eminently qualified to give the country.

an enthusiastic Provincial Righter. of sand to face the pioneer exper-iences, and it grieved him to think that the men who placed this country beyond the experimental stage should now be deprived of their right as citizens. It is a matter of gratification, however, to know that at the present critical time we have to attend this convention. He trusted that Mr. Haultain would continue the fight and never show the white feather. While we have the present infortunate conditions resulting from the iniquitous autonomy settlement we are glad to know that we have as our leader the Great Joe Howe Section 100 How Sectio

D. A. McDonald heartily subscribed to the sentiments of the mover of this resolution and he was particularly pleased to have the privilege of seconding this resolution, which was received by the delegates rising to their feet and giving three cheers and

that he could not undertake to thank the convention for the hearty manner in which they received this resolution nor the mover for his words of eloquence. If what he had done as eader of the Provincial Rights party is satisfactory to them he has

Public Lands Moved by A. T. Hunter (Regina) econded by Walter Simpson (Con-

minerals of the province rightly belong to the province and should be administered by the provincial government in the interests of the people of the province

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