

to wish he had not been so caustic concerning the courage of the member for Pictou. Hon. Macdonald was greeted with much hand clapping and cheering, and when he jocularly said: "I have got to North Sydney at last," the applause was renewed vigorously and so prolonged it was some minutes before the speaker could proceed.

From the beginning Hon. Mr. Macdonald obtained the confidence of his audience. They cheered his reply to the accusations of the Leader of the Opposition made at the beginning of this week in North Sydney and applauded him as he challenged point after point of Mr. Meighen's statements.

Hon. Mr. Meighen, the Conservative Press in Cape Breton, and Mr. R. H. Butts wanted, Mr. Macdonald remarked, to run everybody in true Tory fashion, and even wanted to regulate his own private movements to the extent that they were much concerned where he had spent the past two weeks. Since they were so anxious about it, Mr. Macdonald explained, he had spent last week in his own County among the people who had elected him continuously to be their member at Ottawa and where the Scottish people had celebrated the landing of their forefathers a hundred and fifty years before. The occasion, Mr. Macdonald commented, was a very happy and pleasant one.

#### THE TOUR OF VICTORIA.

During this week, he said, he had, in company with Dr. Daniel Macdonald, been visiting Victoria Co., where there were no other indications than that the people would give magnificent support to the Liberal candidate on Tuesday next and where Dr. Macdonald, who had himself been honored by mention as a possible candidate, had called upon all Liberals to rally around Mr. Kelly and roll up a majority that would speak in no uncertain terms to all of Canada as an approbation of the Mackenzie King Government and Liberalism.

"I am here tonight to speak to the people of this constituency as a Minister of the Government, to ask you to fill the vacancy caused by the elevation of Hon. D. D. McKenzie to the Supreme Court,