

received a renewed invitation to visit Northern Ontario with the two following messages enclosed:

GEORGE GORDON (NOW SENATOR GORDON) ENDORSES THE NATIONALIST CREED.

Mattawa, Ont., Sept. 8th, 1911.

Chas. McCrea,
Sudbury, Ont.

I certainly am opposed to Reciprocity and will support request for repeal of Naval Policy, and a Referendum to the people, no matter who is Premier.

(Sgd.) George Gordon.

MR. W. R. SMYTH, M.P., FOR EAST ALGOMA, JOINS WITH THE NATIONALISTS.

Providence Bay, Sept. 8th, 1911.

Chas. McCrea,
Sudbury, Ont.

I am opposed to Reciprocity pact. I am opposed to Naval Policy of the Liberal Government. I will support request for appeal of same, and Referendum to the people on Naval Question, no matter who is Premier.

(Sgd.) W. R. Smyth.

GEORGE GORDON GIVES BOURASSA THE KEYS OF THE DISTRICT.

Even this message did not convince Mr. Gordon that he had sufficiently humiliated himself and his party and fearing Mr. Bourassa might not be satisfied he took the opportunity of adding a word when welcoming Mr. Bourassa to his Riding. This is what he stated:

"The Liberals are blaming us for bringing the Nationalist leader here. I am willing to take full responsibility and to express my full admiration for Bourassa. I have no use for the navy and I think Reciprocity is a shameful policy. I give Monsieur Bourassa the keys of the district."

George Gordon.

Both Mr. George Gordon and Mr. W. R. Smyth were elected Conservative members of Parliament. Mr. Gordon was afterwards elevated to the Senate and was succeeded by the Hon. Frank Cochrane.