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PROVINCIAL RIGHTERS RE-AFFIRM PRINCIPLES

Enthusiastic Convention and Smoker--Many Liberals Present--Storm Keeps Back Delegates From North--The Party Platform

When the equinoctial 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 was an attendance of over one hundred delegates although but few were present from the south-east 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 wired from Winnipeg that he could not be present; W. Dunlop, of Yorkton, wired from Fortage 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.

The convention was opened at 10 a.m. by the president, J. K. McInnis. In his opening remarks he stated this was to be a working convention. Last year a platform was formulated which was the basis of their organization. There would be no change in their principles, but changed conditions might necessitate elaboration of some of the planks of the platform.

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 country.

wer was sufficiently given in this splendid convention and those who prophesied the demise of the political infant last year will find that if it did die, it had a glorious resurrection.

The Provincial Rights Party also out of the autonomy terms, which he does not believe are acceptable to the people of this country. The country saw the 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 made a sacrifice of party interests, but he believed that the Liberals who are with us today made a bigger sacrifice, and they were the pleasure from one end of the country to the other, but thinking men realize the fact that they are the opponents of true Liberalism and it is better for a man to be called a traitor to his party than to be known as 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 people were for party, but all were for state.

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 principle. He was more of a worker than a speaker and he would not attempt to go further than express the pleasure which he felt in seconding this resolution, which was then enthusiastically adopted.

Endorses Mr. Haultain
 Moved by John Donahue (Estevan) seconded by D. A. MacDonald, (Regina):

Resolved that we, the members of the Provincial Rights Association, in convention assembled, hereby 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 retaining those great services, which, by reason of his wisdom and extended experience, he is so eminently qualified to give the country.

The above resolution was moved by the first an enthusiastic Provincial Righter. The men who came to this country in the early days needed a great deal of sand to face the pioneer experiences, and it grieved him to think that the men who place 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 such a noble, honest and trained leader as Mr. Haultain. It is especially pleasing to him and the principles that he represents that they left their homes in mid-winter to attend this convention. He trusted that Mr. Haultain would continue the fight and never show the white feather. While we have the present unfortunate conditions resulting from the iniquitous autonomy settlement we are glad to know that we have as our leader the Great Joe Howe of the west.

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 a tiger.

In responding Mr. Haultain said 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 leader of the Provincial Rights party is satisfactory to them he has his reward.

Public Lands
 Moved by A. T. Hunter (Regina) seconded by Walter Simpson (Cuddeheine)

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Striking Committee
 Getting down to business the convention was asked to nominate a striking committee to select standing committees, and the following were nominated: Messrs. Embury, Moore, Wylie, Gillis, 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. Pettigall, H. D. Pickett, W. W. McDonald.

Committees Retire
 On retiring at 12 o'clock, the various committees proceeded to work and the convention adjourned till 2 p.m.

When the convention re-assembled H. W. Laird brought in the report of the committee on organization and finance and took the chair while in committee of the whole. The report was adopted.

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

Non-Party Pledge
 The following resolution, the first introduced, was moved by Dr. Ellis, Moosomin, seconded by Joseph Cope, Broadview:

That this convention hereby declares that the Provincial Rights Party of the Province of Saskatchewan is purely a provincial organization, 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 it aims and objects to recognize no distinction of party names or affiliations, in respect to Dominion politics.

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

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INCREASED GRANTS AN ELUSIVE PROPOSAL

As the Country Becomes Organised Into School Districts Revenue Will Disappear and a Heavier Direct Tax Will Have to be Levied

MARCH 13. The greater part of this sitting was devoted to the consideration of law bills in committee.

Mr. Sutherland moved that the petition of the city of Saskatoon be received.

Hon. W. R. Motherwell gave notice that on Monday he would bring in a motion with regard to wolf bounties.

Mr. Brown (Souris) in moving the second reading of his bill to amend the public libraries act, referred, to section five of that act and urged the adoption of his amendment to provide that when the municipal grant does not exceed \$500 such grant may be made without putting through a by-law.

Section twenty should also be amended to change the sum to \$500 and when this grant is made it shall not be necessary to levy a special rate for this amount.

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HOMESTEADERS TO BUILD ROAD

Dominion Government Will Pay Cost of Road to Hudson's Bay out of the Proceeds of Pre-emption Sale

Ottawa, March 15.—During the debate on the second reading of the new Dominion Lands act in parliament yesterday, Mr. Oliver dealing with the question of the Hudson's Bay railway said there was a provision in the lands act of 1896 for a grant of 6,400 acres a mile for every mile of the railway in Manitoba and 12,800 acres for every mile of the railway beyond the boundary of Manitoba to the bay.

By the introduction of this bill and the policy it embodies, there are no further reservations of land grants being made for railways.

This provision, however, remains in the act, and of course it must be acted upon, but the terms of the act are that all lands are open to settlement and the exception is that provision is made according to the terms of the bill, for the construction of a railway to Hudson's Bay.

The government has not hitherto granted any lands in all of railway construction, and as far as I am aware, the government has not intended to do so.

Mr. R. L. Borden—Why do you put in the provision there?

Mr. Oliver—Because the road is not completed to the Saskatchewan river to which the people, who own the road have the rights, and we put in that provision simply to prove that their rights until the road is completed to that point. We have continued the provision under which they have constructed the line that distance.

There is no doubt that the subject is one that cannot be dismissed. The people of the west are strongly of the mind that there should be a railway to Hudson's Bay and the government could scarcely come before the House and country with a proposition which looks to the ignoring of the provision made on behalf of that railway without some announcement to the House and country, in regard to the matter.

What is proposed is this: The government is fully convinced of the propriety of giving the northwest additional railway outlet by way of Hudson's Bay at the earliest possible date. Government believes that, with the increase in production of the west now in progress such an additional outlet will be urgently needed as soon as a railway can be built, even were it commenced at once. At the same time it realizes that pub-

lic opinion throughout Canada can be scarcely expected at the moment in view of the great obligations already incurred in connection with railway enterprise, to sanction the additional obligation that would be necessarily incurred by providing immediately for the construction of a railway to Hudson's Bay unless special provision were made to meet that obligation. It believes however, that there will be no objection from any quarter in the funds accruing from the disposal of pre-emptions in the three prairie provinces under the terms of the proposed land bill shall be considered as provisions in place of the land grant stated in the act to meet the burden upon the credit of the Dominion as a whole and that must be assured at an early date if not immediately—a railway line from the prairies to tide-water is to be built.

Mr. Lake (Qu'Appelle) said he was surprised that it was only towards the last few weeks of the session that the matter should be brought down. The House, with a representation from the west of a little more than half of what the House is entitled to, legislated on matters which were matters for the provinces. He thought it would have been better if, instead of presenting this matter, the government had handed over to the three prairie provinces their public domain. He reiterated his protest against this proposition, and having entered his protest he intended to do his best to make the legislation good. There was no doubt a crying need for the amendment to the land bill, but if the present bill did not meet them under the measure, too great powers were conferred on the minister. He objected to so many powers being delegated by parliament to one man in Ottawa a thousand miles away from the great area. The minister could be considered in the light of an absentee landlord. The partisan displayed by some of the ministers' officials and the fact that their action was defended by the minister, made it all the more important that this legislation should be all the more carefully scrutinized. He desired to see more publicity in regard to land transactions in the western country so that intending settlers might then

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PRINCE ALBERT ELECTION ENQUIRY

Committee of the Legislature Summons Witnesses and Demands Documents—Tyerman Will Have no Standing in the Case

Prince Albert, Election Enquiry. The committee of the House and enquiries met on Thursday last, Mr. Sheppard in the chair.

Mr. Haultain was asked to state his views as to procedure. He stated that the petitioner would show that if the elections had been held in the three polls in question the result would not have been affected.

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HISTORY OF CANADA

(Prepared by George Johnson, F. S. S. under the direction of the Hon. E. S. Sydney A. Fisher, Dominion Minister of Agriculture.)

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Naturally there was much speculation about the unknown land Bjarn had seen, and some years after, Leif, the son of Eric, sailed in the summer time of the year 1000 southward bound, and came to a barren land plentifully covered with flat rock.

The practical results of the early voyages of discovery were of little value. The facts were in the Sagas; but Southern Europe having little or no communication with the countries in the north never learned of the existence of the new Continent.

From that time onward the rich fisheries of the Newfoundland Banks and the shores of the Gulf became the magnet drawing the hardy Breton, Basque, Norman and west of England fisherman to our coast.

Adam's will bequeathing that vast inheritance to them. Under his direction, therefore, in 1492, Verazzano, a Florentine, was sent forth. He ranged the coast from Florida to 50 north latitude, and annexed on behalf of France the entire region previously explored by the Cabots, designating it "New France."

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Learning from the natives of the existence of a great river leading so far up into the interior that "no man had ever traced it to its source," he sailed up the gulf of St. Lawrence until he could see land on either side.

Continuing up the noble stream, he came on September 7th to a fertile, vine-clad island which he named the Isle of Bacchus. It is now the Island of Orleans. Here Donnacona, the Sachem of the Algonquin nation, made him a state visit, accompanied by no less than 500 followers.

After three days of pleasant intercourse, Cartier returned to Stadacona and wintered there, his little force suffering severely from insufficient food and inadequate clothing, being also plagued with scurvy of a malignant type, whose violence neither processions, vows, nor litanies availed to stay.

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WEEKLY REVIEW

Wm. Dawson, a farmer living four miles from Woodstock committed suicide by hanging on Saturday night.

While working on the roof of a stable at Portage la Prairie, Homer Tufford slipped and fell twenty feet. He sustained a broken wrist and internal injuries.

The first distribution of the Carnegie hero medals took place Monday last. Gold and silver medals will be given to sixty-three persons in the United States and Canada.

The body of Joseph Corrao was brought into Saskatoon by Cons. Currie and Grey. The body was located in the shack of a settler in the Humboldt district near where it was found on the prairie.

The plant of the Edmonton Bulletin was totally destroyed by fire on Sunday. The company had recently made big additions to all of which was a total wreck, also 25,000 forms of the Alberta statutes which were standing.

John McLachlan and Jas. Anderson were run down by a C.N.R. engine east of Battleford on Saturday night. Anderson was instantly killed and McLachlan died shortly after.

A CANADIAN NAVY

Ottawa, March 18.—In an address before the Canadian Club of Ottawa the other night on the question of "Why Not a Canadian Navy?" Mr. Frank Hodgkins, K.C., of the Toronto branch of the navy league, outlined what to his mind would be an eminently reasonable policy for Canada to adopt and one well within the means of the young Dominion.

TWO BIG VESSELS ASHORE ON ROCKS

London, March 18.—The White Star liner Suevic struck on the rocks and went ashore near Lizard in a thick fog. The Suevic was homeward bound from Sydney N.S.W., by way of Cape Town, with nearly 600 passengers and crew on board.

LEGISLATURE

The House went into committee of the whole on the bill respecting the university. When the clause regarding the appointment of a president came up Mr. Haultain placed himself on record as being opposed to an appointment by the government rather than occasion delay.

The body of 5-year old Edward Bennett, son of Mr. Edward Bennett of Quincey, Sask., was found in a old shed late on Friday. It is supposed that the little chap was killed by a falling plank as a lone plank was lying close to the body when found.

J. W. Surry, K. C., Toronto, has been instructed to immediately take action against the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway company and will move for an indictment to come before the Grand Jury. This is the sequel to the case against Chas. M. Hays, and in which the conviction was overruled on the ground that the corporation and not a servant should be prosecuted.

C. J. Moore, undertaker, at Medicine Hat, has been grieved on a hideous crime. He has a contract for burying paupers, and on Wednesday two bodies were taken over to him from the hospital, one that of a Finn who committed suicide and the other of E. E. Minns of Toronto, who had been working on a ranch. Moore put the bodies in the one coffin in a dark locked condition, locked to fast.

Passengers on Thursday's north bound train tell of an interesting experience that took place at Aylesbury when an immigrant mother on the train gave birth to a child. The smoker was curtained off and another Russian woman was ushered in from the second class carriage to act as a midwife.

THE CITY OF VANCOUVER

Together magnificent piece of scenery. This year the British Columbia Electric Railway Company will run its line up this canyon. Burrard Inlet being virtually landlocked, no more secure arm of the sea could be found in which landmen might go exploring in an ordinary sail.

Yachting is regarded as one of the glorious sports of Vancouver, for many harbors are everywhere, and points of pleasure and interest are almost infinite in number. The Vancouver Yacht Club has a large membership, and is one of the most progressive clubs north of San Francisco. It has already expended \$100,000 in equipping itself with craft.

WHEAT GROWING IN THE CANADIAN NORTH-WEST

Next in importance to the items described in my last letter comes the too frequently neglected question of good seed. Up to within one year ago, it is safe to say that seventy per cent. of western farmers paid no attention whatever to the selection or securing of good seed. In fact, very deliberately continued from year to year to sow poor, defective seed, under the apparent impression (most erroneous) that it made no difference; and unfortunately, on our fertile prairie, with refreshing showers and brilliant skies, quite frequently under favorable conditions magnificent yields can be got from very poor seed indeed.

On the clause providing for the settlement of disputes, Mr. Haultain said he thought that the government was anticipating and inviting trouble by making this provision. He would rather see the Saskatchewan university begin where the others had left off, and thus avoid possible disputes in a bill of 107 sections, he said, it surely should be possible to guard against disputes among the faculty and governing bodies.

given to the matter of the location of the university, and they did not think it would be settled before next session. The leader of the "opposition" however, pressed for a statement of policy or a promise that it would not be dealt with before the next session. Mr. Langley in reply said that the little chap was killed by a falling plank as a lone plank was lying close to the body when found.

Mr. Haultain replied that there should be some assurance one way or the other. It was not right, he said to deprive his side of the House the experience of political management and party control, and showing the Opposition how the government could induce its followers to agree to a site.

Mr. Wellington—we would like an assurance from the other side of the House. Possibly when the question comes up some of the members on the other side will not express any opinion.

Mr. Haultain—we would like to hear the whip crack.

Religious Instruction. There was a little argument over the question of religious instruction in connection with the university. The institution is, to be absolutely without any religious test, but it is provided that the senate may make rules whereby students shall attend their own religious services on Sunday, although such attendance will by no means be made compulsory.

BIG DASH FOR THE CANADIAN WEST

Omaha, March 18.—"To the Canadian west" is the cry of hundreds of families of Nebraska, Kansas, and Iowa farmers and the movement of immigrants from these states to western Canada will this spring equal any similar movement in the history of the west. And the classes of persons going from this country to Canada is of the very best.

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In the foregoing, general principles have been dealt with that are more or less applicable to any part of Canada. The west, however, has certain methods in connection with wheat production peculiar to itself. Owing to the shortness of the summer season, the seed is got in the ground as quickly as possible after the beginning of April, consistent with proper soil conditions for doing the work. Broadcast seeding, so prevalent in the early years, has been abandoned altogether. The strong, dry, drifting winds that sometimes prevail in the spring have rendered fairly deep seeding—from 2 to 3 inches—quite necessary. Some sow even deeper than this, with the mistaken idea that deep sowing will enable the crop to better withstand subsequent drought.

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PROVINCIAL RIGHTS RE-AFFIRM PRINCIPLES

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questions of the public do aim it is the undoubted right of this province to administer and control the school lands of the province and the fund resulting from the same.

That the province, the municipalities and the school districts in the province should be relieved from the burden imposed by the C.P.R. exemption.

That Federal control of the water supply of the province is not only an invasion of the constitutional rights of the province, but in its operation is burdensome, oppressive and inconvenient.

This resolution," said the mover, "embodies the fundamental principles of the Provincial Rights party. The conditions prevailing in this country during the past winter accentuated the land question, for by owning the public lands we should largely control the fuel question. If we owned the timber area of the province the farmers would not be burdened with a lumber trade monopoly. The principles enunciated in this resolution are so obvious to everybody that he would without further comment move its adoption.

Walter Simpson in seconding said it was not necessary to speak at any length for "we all know about it."

National Schools. Moved by Dr. McDonald (Wapella) seconded by W. J. Tudge (Regina). Whereas the Saskatchewan Act passed by the federal government in our opinion restricts the rights and powers of the province in the matter of education;

Therefore be it resolved that we, the Provincial Rights Party in convention assembled declare that we will adopt all constitutional methods to obtain our full autonomous rights as guaranteed by the constitution with the object of nationalising our school system.

Moving this resolution was a very pleasant task for Dr. McDonald, the subject being one on which he feels very deeply. "The people of this country are cosmopolitan," said he, "and we can not have united citizens unless we are all blended together in one harmonious whole." Upon the otherwise bright shield of the province there is a dark blot placed there by the present government and it is the duty of the people to remove it, and he believed that they would remove it. Whatever the conditions of this country demand in the way of education the province should be free to adopt.

Mr. Tudge was pleased as a Liberal to second this resolution. He left his party when they deserted their principles. "We are not oppressive," said he, "but are striving for liberty." He hoped the little red school house of the province would become the free schools of the country.

Marketing Grain. Moved by Walter Simpson (Condie) seconded by John Donahue (Esterhazy).

That in view of the general dissatisfaction of the grain growers of this province in connection with the marketing of grain, be it resolved that we pledge ourselves to support such legislation as may be necessary to alleviate the present conditions and procure for the grain grower the best possible return for the product of his labor.

This the mover considered the most important resolution of the day. Five years ago the farmers organized and they have saved 25 per cent. net to all who took advantage of the best facilities for the marketing of grain, but the trade is again being driven into the hands of the line elevators. If conditions did not soon change we will have to handle our grain in the summer time and financing will be much more difficult. The principle underlying this resolution is that the farmer should receive the whole of his earnings and the Provincial Rights Party undertakes to pledge itself in this matter as far as lies within its power.

Public Utilities. Moved by W. W. McDonald (Fleming) seconded by W. J. Tudge (Regina).

That whereas this convention reaffirms and advocates the principles of public ownership and control of public utilities, and whereas, in particular we affirm and advocate the construction and ownership and control by the province of a telephone system,

And whereas the telephone system of the province is practically in control of a monopoly, be it resolved that in the opinion of this convention a telephone system for the province should be constructed, owned and controlled by the government in the interest of the people of the province.

Mr. McDonald said in moving this motion that he and the seconder had for years taken directly opposite views with regard to federal politics but notwithstanding their being so far assunder they have come together on the Provincial Rights platform which was broad enough to hold them both. The mover dealt briefly with the telephone question and characterised the Bell Company as a huge monopoly.

Hudson's Bay Railway. Moved by D. A. McDonald (Regina) seconded by F. W. Martin of Maple Creek.

That it is of the utmost importance that a railway to Hudson's Bay should be constructed at the earliest possible moment. The mover of this resolution considered it of hardly less importance than the grain question. The transportation is closely associated with the grain industry the success of which depends on shipping facilities.

The natural outlet of this western country is the Hudson's Bay, and the country requires the immediate construction of that road.

As seconder Mr. Martin stated that ranchers generally are not much at public speaking, but in the elections they score.

He believed the Hudson's Bay line to be feasible and when the road to that seaport is built and in operation the grain and cattle interests of the west would be greatly benefited. He believed it would be better for this province if our government would build and operate the line.

Purity of Elections. Moved by Hon. F. W. G. Hautain seconded by J. T. Brown, M.L.A.

That this convention hereby declares against all bribery and all fraudulent schemes to defeat the honest purpose of the electorate as being a violation of the fundamental principles of responsible government, and pledges, itself to secure, maintain and enforce effective legislation, whereby election trials shall be speedily brought on and prosecuted to a conclusion, without regard to party or personal considerations.

The Provincial Rights Leader in speaking said that it was in a confession of faith and a promise with regard to themselves. It is not enough that they themselves refrain from improper election methods but they must see that others are prevented from doing it. We have a new province and a new party with good traditions, and we must advance the movement that is pervading the public mind all over this continent in favor of fair elections.

We must approach this subject with a resolve to refrain from any improper methods and insist on others doing likewise. When the controverted elections act comes up in the House the Opposition will assist the Government to make a stringent law and they will go into the constituencies and enforce it.

Mr. Brown (Souris) in seconding this resolution said that he was proud to be associated with his respected leader in placing this resolution before the convention. No other resolution is of greater importance as a practical measure and if this resolution is enforced, as we believe it will be, our leader will soon be the leader of the government and then all the other resolutions will be put into force. Without an election law there has been disgraceful methods employed and the crimes have gone unpunished. As a general rule the government is slow to mete out justice to those of the same political leanings and until the leaders of all parties come together on this question we cannot have pure elections. For ourselves, however, we undertake to carry out the spirit of this resolution.

Mr. Henderson of Tregarva spoke to this resolution and Mr. Houston of Regina delivered a very thoughtful and pointed address.

Election of Officers. The next order of business was the election of officers which resulted as follows:

Hon. Pres. Hon. F. W. G. Hautain Hon. Vice Pres. J. T. Brown, president J. K. McInnis, vice pres. J. F. L. Embury, sec. A. L. Gordon, treas. P. McAra, Jr. The appointment of the above was made unanimous in open convention amidst much enthusiasm. The executive committee is as follows:

J. A. Becker, Seidler, P. McElliott, Arcola, A. Ford, Esterhazy, James Keith, Fitzmaurice, J. H. Bunnell, H. D. Pickett and J. Armstrong, Moose-Jaw, George Hill, Sintaluta; R. P. Langford, Wolseley, E. J. Cudmore, Westral, F. W. McDonald, Broadview, John Nichol, Tremell, James Sharpe, Moosomin, Dr. Crammer, Qu'Appelle, T. Blacklock, Weyburn, Johnston Seed, Tregarva, J. A. Donaldson, Bladworth, Jas. McKay, K.C., Prince Albert, Alex. McIntyre, Rosthern, Mayor Wilson, Saskatoon, J. H. Hooper, Alameda, C. R. Symons, Fairville, J. A. Killough, Cottonwood, Dr. Ramsay, Pense, J. Einersson, Logberg.

The Smoker. At the smoker in the evening Mr. Hautain made a lengthy speech on the public questions of the day in the province, a report of which we will give in our next issue.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

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HEALTH AND HYGIENE

(Continued from page 3.)

any kind of symptom. Years after the person attacked may die of some other disease, but a post-mortem examination is made to investigate the cause of death, when the careful investigator will come across the scar of the old battle-ground now sealed from the rest of the lung by the precautionary methods of Nature, that is to say, by the good hand of God. But too often the bacillus of tuberculosis remains the victor. Then a nest of cells gathers around it in the form of a tiny heap, called a tubercle. Sometimes you can feel the tubercle on the smooth surface of a lung, hence the word "tuberculosis." Each bacillus reproduces its kind and poisons the blood with its own particular poison, until it perishes. Then the little heap or tubercle decays. If there are many decaying centres, these join boundaries so to speak, so that the decay of many heaps causes a small hole or cavity. Finally several holes or cavities may honey-comb and destroy the greater part of one or both lungs. This is the consumption according to the popular mind. From such diseased lungs issues that expectation which is such a menace to the public health. But there are variations in the type of lung consumption which often puzzle people. Galloping consumption, for instance, is more like blood poisoning than the popular idea of consumption. I remember such a case in the person of a kindly woman who aured a dying consumptive, too closely and without precautions. In her case ignorance and charity combined brought upon a perfectly correct diagnosis a storm of popular abuse of the most astonishing type; but the poor woman died within three months and the abusive folk were rebuked by the hand of Death. Again, the drunkard's lung will sometimes present a peculiar leathery destruction as the result of tuberculosis. But returning to the popular type of consumption, let us remember that the peculiar power of infection lies in the expectoration. Yet, I make bold

to say that consumption is not near by an infectious disease, some people would have you believe. Considering the dreadful carelessness of many people in the matter of expectoration, it is a wonder that whole townships do not become tubercular. It cannot be too clearly understood that consumptive lungs show the vast numbers of bacilli by the necessary expectation from the diseased parts. Even a simple cough will throw fine particles of infected moisture into the surrounding air. Therefore the immediate destruction of all expectoration is desirable either by disposing of the phlegm in a strong disinfectant or by burning it. If the bacilli become dried they will float in the air, often accumulating in the dust of a room, on mantle shelves, or the ledges of window frames. Perfect cleanliness of hands, nose, and throat, and kissing should be utterly tabooed. Luckily air, light and house-cleaning will prove fatal to the bacilli which lie about a house. The trouble is that people are so desperately careless about the generally useless habit of spitting. Sidewalks are made disgusting; post offices are made veritable incubators of tuberculosis; and other public places, such as hotel verandahs, are often fouled abominably in a similar fashion. To illustrate some of the ways by which people become infected, I will give three instances of sly spots in a community. Here is an elevator man, already thin and evidently not quite well, who hates to think that he has tubercular lung trouble, though his doctor has told him that there is good reason to believe that he has it. In turning over his receipts he often licks his finger or thumb and transfers bacilli directly to the receipts which he gives to some customer. Or this good church girl who sings in the choir has heretofore properly recovered from an attack of neuritis. She develops a cough, sometimes more, sometimes less, but eventually she becomes obviously consumptive. Yet all that time while the disease was developing she was a source of infection, notably while in church. Yet again here is the family of Farmer Quiverful whose home is not very roomy for such a crowd of boys and girls. Especially at night the upper rooms get full of exhausted, often overheated air, just the condition to encourage lung infections. One of the boys, a fine useful grown young man, has an attack of pneumonia. He gets around again and tries to make believe he can do anything, but remains weak and short of breath and sweats easily at night. Eventually he dies of consumption, but not before some other members have become infected with tubercular troubles. If only our people would arrange for better night ventilation of the sleeping rooms there would be far less lung trouble of all sorts.

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of nature and the glory of fresh air were brought home vividly to me. The dark blue dome of night was lightening in the east; the stars were fading, and on the eastern horizon a deep band of orange light paled to primrose yellow andopal tints. Never does the snow-clad prairie look more like a frozen sea than when at sunrise the earliest rays smite rostrally the sun-ward slope of each wavelet while the reverse side reflects the deep blue of the heavens above. In praise of the glorious sun a tiny chorus of song can be heard by those who have ears to hear at this time of the year. The first migrating bird braves the sharp morning frost, sits behind a tuft of grass or dried herbage, and thus salutes the coming warmth. Later in the morning as we get nearer home we can see this little bird flitting of and on the trail in front of the rig. It is fawn colored and through its eye and ear and around its neck is a black collar. The male bird sports two feathery horns on the back of its head. This is the only real lark in North America, and scientists have meanly labelled so little a bird with the fearful name of Otocoris alpestris pratensis.—Canadian Church Courier.

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OPEN Government by old

To the Hon. J. A. Minister of Regina. Sir,—I take the time of your resolution of all lands for poses; not, that is, the general tax, but the tax if carried, to the injustice done to a people in the province, be practically taken, and a justice will be done without their being their children to see. I ask you Sir, would you, living having a family and to send them to even able to get in, through no fault of your own, I ask you just and fair to your resolution you per cent. is for price. Your resolution, on the agricultural province, while the privileges will be free, but privileges as the age. Your first duty on

INDISCRE

T. J. Agnew. In the legislature of inst, before the order were called, Attorney most laid on the table, the report of enquiry into the J. Agnew, Justice of Peace, Alberta. The report is as follows: To His Honor, The Lieutenant Governor.

The undersigned, your committee to inquire into proper conduct made Agnew, formerly a peace in and for the katchewan, respectfully: That your committee the court house on Friday, the 23rd of November, when the evidence was taken. Your commissioners in that under the commission they are make a finding of charges and even if were otherwise they they should under the hereinafter mentioned, conclusion upon the 18 to 20 report to your council. On or about the 27th ember last one of your received a letter from receipt of which letter subject of anxious concern the part of your committee letter reflects most

GRAINME Grand Jury Return Judge--Ca

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CAMPBELL ED. Winnipeg, March 28.—the Morris recount, At al Campbell lost his ma the judge declaring the The attorney general i tains his seat on the ca the returning officer.

OPEN LETTER TO HON. J. A. CALDER Government Taxation Scheme Effectively Criticised by old Settler at Oxbow—Calder Should Re-Consider Bill

To the Hon. J. A. Calder,
Minister of Education,
Regina, Sask.

Sir,—I take the liberty of criticising your resolution regarding the taxing of all lands for educational purposes; not that I do not agree with the general tax, but in your resolution if carried, there will be a great injustice done to a large number of people in the province, as there will be practically taxation without representation, and a still greater injustice will be the taxing of people without their being able to even send their children to school.

I ask you, Sir, would that be right? Would you, living in the country, having a family and not to be able to send them to school, not being even able to get into a school district, through no fault of your own? I ask you again, Sir, would you think it just and fair to be taxed, for in your resolution you state that eighty per cent. is to be paid for education?

Your resolution, Sir, is a direct tax on the agricultural class of the province, while the cities, towns and villages will be free, but with the same privileges as the agriculturalist.

Your first duty ought to have been

the readjustment of the school districts, so as not to leave a single family out of a school district.

Begin at the south-east corner of the province, and go right through the old settled parts, and you will find a large number who are unable to get into a school district, who have to send their children quite a long distance to the school or let them grow up illiterate, which any father who has a spark of manliness will never do.

Now, Sir, in conclusion, I ask you to reconsider your resolution, and bring into the House a measure for the readjustment of the school districts, with your general taxation.

Then instead of the local improvement official collecting the taxes, the officials of the school districts would do the work at the same expense, and there will be no need of refunding any part of the eighty per cent. of the one cent an acre as each district would be able to assess itself for primary education.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Yours respectfully,
WM. NOBLE.
Oxbow, Sask., March 11, '07.

Chevrier. The recount showed no change.

Poll No. 13 the last one to be counted showed ballots for Bernier 38 and for Chevrier 13.

There was no change in this poll from the returning officers' declaration.

The judge then gave his decision declaring Joseph Bernier elected by a majority of 61.

Mr. A. J. Andrews on behalf of the attorney general made an application to the judge asking that the ten ballots found in polling sub-division No. 1, St. Boniface, and alleged to be forged, be photographed with a view to criminal proceedings being instituted. The court granted the request.

The ten ballots in question were found in the ballot box, over and above the rightful number as should be there as shown by the poll book.

SMUT PREVENTION

No person should neglect to use a smut preventive each year on all seed grain. Farmers who have been in the habit of using bluestone for this purpose will now be looking for a supply and will in many cases be unable to procure it owing to a scarcity in the market. It may be pointed out, however, that formalin is just as effective a preventative and is indeed preferred by many.

For application to the grain one pound (16oz.) of formalin may be mixed with 32 to 40 gallons of water immersion from five minutes to one hour will be found preferable to sprinkling if the grain appears smutty and all smut balls should be removed if possible.

Never use smutty grain for seed if clean can be procured.

Pickling machines that pass the grain through the liquid are better than those that merely moisten the grain but several simple contrivances have been satisfactorily used by farmers, one of the best being a deep-water-tight box about ten feet in length with a screen fixed in the middle. When this box has been placed on a log one end may be filled with the formalin solution and grain, when the grain is soaked sufficiently the box may be tipped so that the liquid will run through the screen to the other end, in which has been placed more grain. The liquid should be replenished from a barrel in which it has been mixed in proper proportion.

A bushel of wheat will take up about three-quarters of a gallon of liquid and oats will take about a gallon and a half to the bushel.

When grain has been sprinkled or dipped it should then be covered for an hour or two to retain the fumes of the formalin, and then sown as soon as possible.

For further information see Bulletin No. 2.
Department of Agriculture, Regina, Sask., 18th March, 1907.

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A Touching Story as Told in a Letter to The Toronto Globe.

To the Editor of The Globe: Sir,—I ask for space in your columns to quote from a letter received at this office for obvious reasons I do not give the name. The letter reads:—"I have a sad case to present to you. Twelve years ago a mother died, leaving six small children, the eldest eight years old and the youngest an infant. My mother took the eldest and kept her until my mother's death. Then the young girl went to work on small wages. Last year she contracted a cold of which she has never been free, and she has been unable to work since last January. She is fast nineteen years old. Kindly tell me how to proceed to get her into the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives."

The sad part of it is this letter only one of many—alike pathetic and appealing—that are being received daily by the writer.

Fifty-five patients are in residence in the Muskoka Free Hospital today. Seven hundred and thirty-eight have been cared for since the hospital was opened in April, 1902.

In place of fifty we could care for one hundred, if the needed money for maintenance was at the disposal of the trustees.

Perhaps some of your readers have seen the following earnest statement in Dr. Lawrence F. Flick's valuable book, "Consumption, a Preventable and Curable Disease." "Could the consumptives of any given community be seen at one time or pass in panorama before the people public consciousness of the magnitude of the affliction might be aroused. A physical disaster shocks the world and is a loss to the sympathy of millions. A few thousand deaths are nothing as compared with the deaths from consumption."

The appeal of the trustees of the National Sanitarium Association, in behalf of the consumptives of the Dominion, 600 of whom die in Toronto annually, 8,000 in Ontario, 8,000 in the Dominion.

This poor, motherless girl is one of the many sufferers of to-day.

Thanking you in anticipation for insertion of letter, believe me, very truly yours,
J. S. Robertson, Secretary National Sanitarium Association,
23 Adelaide street west, Toronto.

Contributions may be sent to Sir Wm. R. Meredith, Kt., Osgoode Hall, Toronto, or to W. J. Gage, Esq., 54 Front-street west, Toronto.

CABINET CHANGES

Winnipeg, March 6.—This morning James Howden, M.P.P. for beautiful plains, was sworn in as minister of Railways, telegraph and telegraphs in the Roblin government.

The Hon. R. P. Roblin resigned the portfolio as minister of railways, so as to allow Mr. Howden to be sworn in, as the law does not provide a portfolio for which he could be sworn in except this one.

At ten o'clock this morning the new minister, accompanied by the Hon. R. P. Roblin, Hon. J. H. Agnew, Hon. Colin H. Campbell and C. Graham, clerk of the executive council, appeared before the lieutenant governor, Sir Daniel H. McMillan, and subscribed to the oath of office, after which the new minister was heartily congratulated on his elevation to cabinet rank.

In the legislative building Mr. Howden received many congratulations this morning.

Campbell to Retire

It was learned this morning that Hon. Colin H. Campbell will retire from the cabinet, and will be succeeded by an attorney general by Hon. J. H. Agnew, provincial treasurer, and Hugh Armstrong will probably be taken into the cabinet as provincial treasurer.

It is also learned that Jos. Bernier will enter the cabinet as provincial secretary.

McCarthy's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

HOMESTEADERS TO BUILD ROAD

(Continued from page 2.)

know exactly what was going on. The coal and mineral areas should be under the control of the provincial authorities.

McCarthy Makes Hit

M. S. McCarthy (Calgary) expressed his regret that Mr. Oliver had not explained the bill more fully instead of going into ancient history. It was nothing short of folly on the part of the administration to pass a bill for administering the public lands of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba, and British Columbia. No greater mistake could have been made by the government than in withholding the lands from the provinces. If these bills were going through there should be some provision for higher education. There should be a reservation for the universities. The act could not be worked without great discrimination and great hardship to particular individuals. He had no objection to the principle as was done in the case of the Robbins land deal in Alberta. Mr. McCarthy intimated that he would have more to say when the bill was in committee.

INDISCRETION AND CONTEMPT OF COURT

T. J. Agnew Alienates Sympathy by Indefensible Attitude Toward Commission

In the legislature on Tuesday, 12th inst., before the orders of the day were called, Attorney General Lamont laid on the table returns embodying the report of the commission of enquiry into the dismissal of T. J. Agnew, Justice of the Peace at Prince Albert.

The report is as follows:

To His Honor,
The Lieutenant Governor in Council.

The undersigned, your commissioners to inquire into charges of improper conduct made against T. J. Agnew, formerly a justice of the peace in and for the province of Saskatchewan, respectfully report as follows:

That your commissioners met in the court house Prince Albert on Friday the 23rd of November, 1906, when the evidence which is attached hereto was taken.

Your commissioners are of the opinion that under the terms of the commission they are not asked to make a finding of fact upon the charges and even if their opinion were otherwise they do not think they should under the circumstances hereinafter mentioned, come to any conclusion upon the facts presented or to so report to your honor in council.

On or about the 27th day of November last one of your commissioners received a letter from Mr. Agnew the receipt of which letter has been the subject of anxious consideration on the part of your commissioners. The letter reflects most seriously upon

the character and conduct of one of the witnesses heard by your commissioners and would seem to have been written with the hope of influencing the minds of the commissioners in considering that witness's evidence, and while your commissioners are of the opinion that the letter amounts to a contempt of court and might be dealt with as such, they have not thought it advisable to take any proceedings for the contempt.

The commissioners think that the circumstances would seem, in some view, to require that the letter should be attached to the report in analogy to the practice which has been followed by several eminent judges under similar unfortunate circumstances in handing over to counsel engaged in a case communications dealing with the matter in dispute; but in view of the fact that the letter is marked "personal" and "private" and contains statements which if untrue, are probably libellous your commissioners have finally decided to withhold the letter from their report. There is, however, one part of the letter which would not appear to have been intended as private and which may be quoted:

"I only wish for justice, I do not want to be reinstated as a J.P., as I most distinctly refuse to serve any government who appoint their J.P.'s for political purposes."

All of which are respectfully submitted.

FRANK FORD,
J. V. BEGIN

GRAINMEN WON'T TRUST JURY OF FARMERS

Grand Jury Returns True Bill—Elect to be Tried by Judge—Case Adjourned but Prosecution Will Proceed

Winnipeg, March 15.—This morning at the court house before Mr. Justice Phippen, sitting in the assize court, the case of Gage et al, charged with conspiracy in restraint of trade was spoken to.

Mr. Bonnar on behalf of the crown informed the court that he had been instructed by the attorney general to urge that the trial of the defendants should be brought on at the earliest possible date. The crown was anxious to get the case on for trial before seeding commenced as the crown had a number of farmer witnesses to call and it would be inconvenient to have the case come on during seeding.

Love Absent

Thomas Robinson, solicitor for defendants, said that the defendants would elect to be tried before a judge without a jury. Mr. Love one of the defendants was in Scotland and, he believed, could not reach Canada before April 2nd.

Mr. Andrews suggested that the trial be held on June first, when all the defendants could be present.

Mr. Bonnar objected to the trial being postponed so long. The government was anxious that the case be disposed of at once.

Mr. Justice Phippen said he supposed that there was no doubt that defendants would elect to be tried by a judge rather than a jury.

Mr. Robertson said that the defendants would elect to be tried by a judge without a jury.

COMBINE EXISTS

H. O. Partridge Says There Is An Arrangement Between Lumber Dealers

Ottawa, March 15.—Before the lumber investigation committee this afternoon, H. O. Partridge representing the Sinaluta Grain Growers' association, said that there had been an average increase in the cost of lumber in the west of 7 per thousand last year. This he considered to be due to either an increase in the cost of demand, or that some kind of restriction was imposed by the manufacturers. He did not consider the increased cost, as wages and the cost of production had not gone up in anything like that proportion, and there was practically no diminution of the supply. His conclusion was that some combine existed.

He understood that recently a new condition had arisen in British Columbia with respect to the lumber output.

Formerly retailers could buy from the small mills at less than the list prices of the Manufacturers' Association, but recently American capital had got possession of the large mills, who were now buying the product of the small mills and consequently were controlling the supply.

CAMPBELL ELECTED

Winnipeg, March 18.—As a result of the Morris recount, Attorney General Campbell lost his majority of two the judge declaring the vote a tie. The attorney general however, retains his seat on the casting vote of the returning officer.

CAMPBELL ELECTED

Winnipeg, March 18.—His honor, Judge Prud'homme completed his recount this morning of the St. Boniface ballots at the court house Kennedy street. Yesterday eleven polls out of the thirteen were counted, and this morning only two polls remained to be counted.

Poll No. 12 showed that 27 ballots were cast for Bernier and 26 for

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The Liberals have carried the Gimli bye-election in Manitoba.

The McCarthy Supply Co. are holding their spring millinery opening today and days following.

The Canadian Northern people have taken over the express on the north line. For the present the business will be conducted at the C.P.R. station, but it is anticipated to open new quarters later on.

The provincial 1st stock show opens in the city today. Owing to the recent storm many will be kept away and others who had started from a distance have been somewhat delayed but a successful show and sale is anticipated.

Jas. Hunter who had been in the implement business at Weyburn is now travelling agent out of this district for the Cockshute Plow Co. handling the steam plow end of the business. He went north Monday.

Irishmen's Association

A large number of Irishmen gathered at the Clayton last Wednesday evening and formed themselves into the Irishmen's Association of Regina.

The following officers were elected: Pres.—John McCarthy. Vice-Pres.—W. Rogers. Sec.—R. J. Brown. Asst. secy.—Mr. Gorman. Treasurer.—Mr. Morton. Committee—Messrs. A. D. Miltner, Ash, Const. Watson, E. McCarthy, Drummond and Westgate.

A constitution and bylaws will be drawn up and the organization put on a permanent footing.

The membership fee for the present will be one dollar and those desirous of joining may hand in their names to any of the above named officers.

To qualify for membership a gentleman must be of Irish birth or parentage.

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NOTICE is hereby given that after the publication of this notice in the next four issues of the Regina West the undersigned company will apply to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies to change the name of the said company to the NATIONAL SECURITIES COMPANY LIMITED.

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JUDICIAL SALE

In the Supreme Court of the North-West Territories, Judicial District of Western Assiniboia.

IN THE MATTER OF THE Land Titles Act, and in the matter of the Judicature Ordinance, and of a certain mortgage made by Hugh Weightman, to the Canada Life Assurance Company, against the North West Quarter of Section Number Twelve, in Township Number Twenty in Range Number Nineteen, West of the Second Meridian, in the Province of Saskatchewan, for \$800.00, registered in the Land Titles Office for the Assiniboia Land Registration District against the above mentioned land as Number E. 3432.

THE CANADA LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, Plaintiffs, and HUGH WEIGHTMAN, Defendant.

Pursuant to the order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Johnston dated herein on the first day of March, A. D. 1907, there will be for sale at public auction by James M. Duncan at his office in the Court House at the City of Regina on Monday the 8th day of April, 1907, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, all the right title, interest and equity of redemption of the above named defendant in the North West Quarter of Section Number Twelve in Township Number Twenty (20) and Range Number Nineteen (19) West of the Second Meridian in the Province of Saskatchewan.

For further particulars apply to Messrs Ross and Bigelow of the City of Regina, Advocates.

ROSS & BIGELOW, Advocates for the Plaintiff above named.

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The House expects to prorogue before Easter.

J. T. Westgate of Francis, was in the city this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gurney returned last week from a trip to England.

John Angus, of Elkhorn, Man. is in the city visiting his daughter Mrs. J. Canty, Dewdney street.

Thos. Sutherland, real estate agent of Prince Albert, has been spending the past week in the city.

Dr. Connell of Indian Head was in the city last evening and attended the Provincial Rights' smoker.

Graham Reid received a rather nasty cut on the head while playing in the hockey game on Monday evening.

Thos. Murray returned this week from Ontario where he has been spending the winter.

Geo. Holden, chief clerk at the C. P.R. has severed his connection with that company and has joined the staff of the H. W. Laird Co.

The Independent Order of Foresters are making preparations for a ball to be given in the city hall on Friday evening, April 5th.

Alex. Mowat, who has been spending the winter in Victoria, B.C., returned last week to the city to look after his business interests here.

D. McFarlane of Pilot Mound, Man. was in the city Monday en route to Davidson where he has taken an agency for the Frost & Wood Co.

Supt. Generoux and wife of Battleford were in the city Monday en route home from Maple Creek where they were visiting Mrs. Generoux's relatives.

Mrs. C. W. Blackstock who was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Boyle last week, on her return from Ontario, left on Monday for Victoria B.C., to join her husband.

A delegation of Germans from Herbert in the Maple Creek constituency were in the city last week to interview Mr. Calder respecting the question of schools in their district.

The Lutheran church in the east end of the city was formerly opened for services last Sunday. In the morning the services were held in German and in the afternoon in English.

Dr. Monkman formerly of Watford, Ont., was in the city this week and called on a large number of the former residents of that town of which there are a large number in Regina.

A meeting of the members of the Irishmen's Association of Regina is to be held tonight in the hall above the Owl Cafe. All the Irish, or those of Irish parentage, are requested to be present.

Any of our readers who are interested and who wish to invest in Kootenay fruit lands are requested to read the advertisement of the O. W. Kerr Co., of Winnipeg, to be found in this issue.

Mr. Quick a prominent Liberal rancher of Maple Creek came down on Monday to protest to the government on behalf of the party against the direct tax placed on the ranching lands of the province.

The legislature met at 10.30 this morning and will hold three sittings today owing to having adjourned yesterday because of the Provincial Rights' convention which all the Opposition members were attending.

A gang of G.T.P. surveyors are working just north-east of the city on the line to connect Regina with the main line of that railway. It is reported that the final line has been run from the northeast through the bluffs and that the line now being worked on is but another trial line. This last line follows pretty closely the waterpipe line from Hoggy Creek into the city, passing through the farms of W. Evoy, M. F. Evoy and H. W. Laird.

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