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tried it once and failed. The United States tried it and failed. And in this case it might be that the Democrats might reduce the duties and thus give access to our markets, but there was only a chance that they would do so; it was a bird in the bush while the agreement we now have was a bird in the hand. It was too, a certain market at hand as compared with an uncertain market in other countries.

"You have been told," continued the premier, "with wails and lamentations, that in giving this agreement to the States we have opened our doors to the old world. What does such a statement mean? They say it is because of some old treaties entered into by Great Britain in the days of favored nation privileges, there are some countries to which we will be compelled by this agreement to apply the same tariff terms as to the United States.

"Do we find Germany or any of the great powers in the list? No! There is first of all Bolivia. I don't think the name Bolivia will strike terror in your breasts. Is there a man here who knows where about Bolivia is. If there are five men who know where Bolivia is I will take my seat. We have never sold anything to Bolivia and have we ever bought a thing from Bolivia?

"Then there is Argentine. But what did we buy from Argentine? We bought nothing mentioned in this agreement. Well, you see that the competition we have from these centres is not serious at all. It is ridiculous to say that we need to fear them at all?"

"Then there was Japan. What did we buy from Japan. Wheat? No. There was one article we bought from Japan, just one, and that was rice. Was that going to be affected by the reciprocity agreement? There were twelve in all of these countries, including also Russia and Denmark, and the trade in each case, he showed, was of such character or so small as to render the Tories' objections on this score ridiculous and absurd.

IMPERIAL CONFERENCE RESOLUTION.

At the imperial conference he had pointed out that these old treaties might some day be an obstacle to future trade for Canada and he moved a resolution which was passed unanimously, and at any time Canada felt pressed by any one of these nations, His Majesty's government stood ready to enter into negotiations to render assistance.

Sir Wilfrid read the resolution moved by him, passed unanimously at the last imperial conference, and adopted by the British government.

This resolution was supported by New Zealand, South Africa and Newfoundland and approved by the British government and the latter stood ready to assist at any time under it. (Applause and cheers.)

"I was branded a traitor and a separatist by the Tory press of London and Canada," continued Sir Wilfrid. "I was born under the British flag, and the people to whom I belong are more free under that flag than under any other. (Great cheering.) The British connections I value highly. I am not a separatist, because I introduced that resolution."

Continuing to speak of these treaties, Sir Wilfrid said that only this year the British government negotiated with Japan for renewal of the old commercial treaty and had it renewed. Was the step not approved by Canadians and yet Canada has a separate agreement with Japan and no one thinks we are separatists. The same thing applies to these old treaties and that was all that need be said on that score.

THE LOYALTY CRY.

There were other objections the Tories raised but he would reply to only one of them because it was the one they heard most of. They had been told that the agreement might be a good one, but as Loyalists they objected to it because it would lead to annexation. (Laughter.) This was the cry used by the Conservatives to defeat the agreement. They were never so loyal as today; in fact they were even more loyal out of office than when in. Here the premier aptly quoted the words of one of the leaders when a contingency involving British connection was put before him: "So much the worse for British connection" was this Tory leader's loyal answer.

INSULTING CANADIANS.

"My opinion of this cry," said Sir Wilfrid, "is that it is at once absolute nonsense and an insult to the intelligence of Canadians."

He supposed a Conservative standing before him and he asked him to

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explain if the agreement were to lead to annexation how that was to take place. Furnishing the answer, Sir Wilfrid said there were only two ways—force or persuasion—the United States must conquer us or we must vote to be annexed. There was no other way. No one had dared say yet that the result of this agreement would be war. On the contrary, the agreement was a bond of peace and amity and good will. There would be no conquering, then it must be by the will of the Canadian people and he was quite sure that those who said the agreement would lead to annexation would not vote for annexation.

"Further than this," said Sir Wilfrid—and thunders of applause followed—"I will offer to make a bargain and put an end to this. Let Mr. Borden answer for the Tories and I will answer for the Grits."

NOT AFRAID.

"Further the Tories sought to argue that if the agreement were made, the Americans would tire of it after a few years and put up the protective duties and thereby kill trade. Here's a trade admittedly profitable," he said. "But after a few years, they tell us, we will have to seek markets elsewhere. Is that a reason against it. Are Britons afraid to take a risk?"

A Voice—"No, sir!"
Sir Wilfrid—"That's right, sir. There's the proper spirit. I thank that man." (Applause.)

Sir Wilfrid quoted a Toronto board of trade resolution setting forth fear of a disruption of trade should the agreement be passed and then repeated. Was it the British spirit to say, as this meant, that rather than submit to this we would sell our national unity, and annexation would follow.

"I am ashamed of the man who would put up such an argument as that. (Hear, hear.) I am ashamed that any man should promote such a degrading doctrine as that.

"I admire what the United States has done for the advancement of the world, but much as I admire the United States, I love Canada, my native land, more. (Applause and great cheering.) Canada has the first place in my heart, Canada, my native land." (Renewed cheering.)

They were prepared to take the risk, Canada took it once before. A treaty of reciprocity was made with the United States in 1856 by Lord Elgin and was ended ten years later. They would remember that there never was such prosperity in Canada as during those ten years until the present government came into power. When the treaty was repealed in 1866 it was a sad blow, but did Sir John A. Macdonald, Sir George Cartier or Sir Leonard Tilley go to the United States then and say: 'Restore our trade or annex us.' No, the Tories of that time were firmer than those of today.

When Sir Wilfrid had concluded his discussion of the events following the annulment of the Elgin reciprocity treaty, and the applause which greeted him had died away, he turned his attention to events in Quebec and denounced in plain and earnest language the black bargain between Mr. Borden, the Tory imperialist, and Mr. Bourassa, the Nationalist. Amid cheers he said:

"I appeal to you who know me and the work of my administration to uphold me and my government against the unholy alliance of the Tories of Quebec and of the Tories of Ontario. I am branded in Quebec as a traitor to the French, and in Ontario as a traitor to the English. In Quebec I am branded as a jingo, and in Ontario as a separatist. In Quebec I am attacked as an imperialist, and in Ontario as an anti-imperialist.

"I am neither. I am a Canadian. (Continued cheering.) Canada has been the inspiration of my life. I have had before me as a pillar of fire by night and a pillar of cloud by day a policy of true Canadianism, of moderation and of conciliation. I have followed it consistently since the day of our triumph in 1896, and I now appeal with confidence to the whole Canadian people to uphold me in this policy of sound Canadianism which makes for the greatness of our country and of the empire."

As Sir Wilfrid concluded the whole audience, on the platform and in the body of the rink, sprang to their feet and gave the speaker three cheers and a tiger which made the windows rattle and could be heard for blocks away. Three rousing cheers and a tiger for the king followed; and then while many resumed their seats, many more surrounded Sir Wilfrid Laurier and hundreds seized him by the hand. He stood, the centre of a group of wildly enthusiastic crowd, smiling and shaking man after man by the hand, though at times they almost bore him off his feet, so eager were those in the rear to have the honor of a handshake with the hero of the hour, and the leader of the triumphant party. It was with great difficulty that the few police present

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ANTI-RECIPROCITY ARGUMENTS WERE AGAIN REHASHED

Hon. G. E. Foster and Hon. H. F. McLeod the Speakers--O. S. Crockett not Present

Hon. George E. Foster, ex-Minister of Finance, and Hon. H. F. McLeod, Solicitor General of New Brunswick, were the orators at last night's anti-reciprocity meeting in the Opera House. Hon. Mr. Foster's speech was the chief item on the bill-of-fare, while Hon. Mr. McLeod's address, in the words of Mayor Thomas, who acted as chairman, was a "side-dish." There was nothing new in what was offered. Hon. H. F. McLeod made no attempt to discuss reciprocity from a business point of view, but waved the "old flag" energetically. The speech of the ex-minister of finance was merely an enlargement of the hackneyed phrase, "Let well enough alone."

The weather was unfavorable, rain falling all evening, but the audience was large, many going to hear Hon. Mr. Foster on account of his former connection with Fredericton and with the County of York as its representative at Ottawa. Many of Mr. Foster's hearers were of the opposing political party and friends of reciprocity. The 71st Regt. Band played in front of the Opera House before the meeting began.

One most noticeable feature of the meeting was the absence of Mr. O. S. Crockett, the anti-reciprocity candidate in this constituency. The only explanation of his absence was that he was unavoidably prevented from attending the meeting.

HON. H. F. McLEOD.

Hon. H. F. McLeod opened his remarks on reciprocity by saying that it was the great issue of the campaign, but that he had no intention of discussing how reciprocity would benefit the Canadian farmer. Agricultural and industrial development in Canada must go hand in hand. President Taft had been forced to negotiate for reciprocity with Canada because of the insistent demand of the American consumer for a lower cost of living. The speaker followed this statement with the surprising and contradictory remark that agricultural products in the Canadian market brought higher prices than in the United States. Reciprocity, said the speaker, was dead. It had been dead in 1891. Hamlets and towns were everywhere growing up in Canada as a result of the policy of protection. A little flag-waving closed Hon. Mr. McLeod's speech.

HON. GEORGE E. FOSTER.

In introduction Hon. Mr. Foster referred to his former connection with Fredericton. He could not see, however, why he had been called to Fredericton while the party had such orators as Harry. Mr. Foster disagreed with Hon. H. F. McLeod in throwing aside the record of fifteen years in power and making reciprocity the great issue of the campaign. However, he would disregard those other issues and discuss reciprocity. Some persons had said it was a farmer's question. If left to them he had no doubt the farmers would settle it properly. However, as a farmer's question it concerned all.

What was the matter was Canada for the last ten or fifteen years? Voice—"She's all right."

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could clear an aisle through the wildly cheering crowd, and enable Sir Wilfrid, still smiling and debonnaire, to reach the motor car that was in waiting to carry him back to his hotel.

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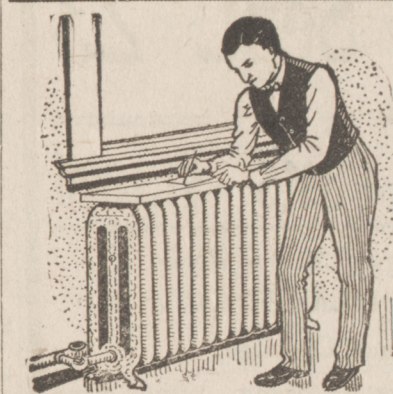
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