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LAURIER SWEEPS THE COUNTRY

Liberal Government Is Triumphantly Sustained; Its Majority Is Between Sixty and Seventy.

NOT A CONSERVATIVE SEAT IN NOVA SCOTIA

The Leader of the Opposition, Mr. R. L. Borden Is Among the Slain.

WEST GOES ALMOST SOLIDLY FOR LIBERAL PARTY,

Ontario Does Better for the Liberals, Giving About Six Conservative Majority—Opposition Makes Little Headway in Quebec—Many Surprises.

The election returns that have reached The Advertiser office up till 3 o'clock today indicate that the Laurier Government has achieved the greatest political victory won by any party since 1878. There are still a few constituencies to be heard from, chiefly in the west, but the indications are that the Government's majority will range from 60 to 70. The result exceeds the most sanguine expectations of the Liberal party. Every Province with the exception of Ontario and Prince Edward Island, the returns from which are doubtful, have gone Liberal. Of ten seats the Northwest Teritories will probably give eight or nine to the Government. Nova Scotia has made a clean sweep for the Government by 18 to 0, and the result is a wonderful tribute to the power, influence and achievements of the Hon. W. S. Fielding.

Mr. Borden, the Opposition leader, was defeated in Halifax, but it is likely that room will be made for him elsewhere.

New Brunswick does one better for the Liberals, the standing being 8 to 5 in their favor

In Quebec, where the Conservatives had figured upon capturing at least 20 seats, they will have to be satisfied with probably nine, an increase of four.

In Ontario the Conservative majority which was seventeen, will be reduced to about six. Two Independents elected, Messrs. Ratz, of North Middlesex, and McCarthy, North Simcoe, being supporters of the Government.

In Manitoba, where the Conservatives claimed all, the Liberals will have a majority.

From British Columbia the returns are incomplete, but they indicate that the Government has made a sweep.

Most members of the Government were elected with splendid majorities with the exception of Mr. A. B. Aylesworth, who greatly pulled down the normal Conservative majority in Durham.

Liberals will be delighted to hear that a seat in that Tory stronghold, Hamilton, has been captured by the Liberals. At Ottawa the Liberals gain one, thus sending two Government supporters to the Commons.

In the Western Peninsula, in the countries adjacent to Middlesex, the Liberals appear to have carried North Bruce, West Lambton, North Essex, South Essex and East Kent, while the Conservatives have apparently carried South Bruce, East, South and West Huron, West Kent, East Elgin and West Elgin.

Following are the summaries supplied by the Toronto Globe, World and Mail and Empire:

Toronto Globe Summary.

	Libs.	Cons.
Ontario	40	46
Quebec	53	10
Nova Scotia	18	0
New Brunswick	8	5
Prince Edward Island	1	3
Manitoba	5	4
Territories	6	1
British Columbia	4	0
	135	69

Liberal majority 66
In doubt and to be held 9

Toronto World Summary.

	Con.	Lib.	Ind.
Ontario	47	38	1
Quebec	10	52	1
Nova Scotia	0	18	..
New Brunswick	6	7	..
Prince Edward Island	3	1	..
Manitoba	4	5	..
Territories	1	8	..
British Columbia	0	4	..
	71	134	2

Liberal majority, 63.

Elections to be held: Quebec, Gaspe; Manitoba, Dauphin; N. W. T., Mackenzie, Yukon; British Columbia, Comox, Kootenay, Yale-Cariboo.

Toronto Mail Summary.

	Con.	Lib.	Ind.	To be held.
Ontario	49	37	..	..
Quebec	11	52	1	1
Nova Scotia	..	18	..	..
New Brunswick	6	7	..	..
Prince Edward Island	3	1	..	..
Manitoba	4	5	..	1
Territories	..	9	..	..
British Columbia	..	4	..	3
Yukon	..	..	..	1
	73	133	1	7

The elections yet to be held are Gaspe and Chicoutimi-Saguenay, in Quebec, Comox, Kootenay, Yale and Cariboo, in British Columbia; Dauphin, in Manitoba; Mackenzie, in the Northwest Territories, and the Yukon.

Gains and Losses.

ONTARIO.

Liberal Gains.	Conservative Gains.
Hamilton West.	Brantford.
Ottawa (one).	Ontario South.
Brockville.	Huron West.
Peterboro West.	Huron East.
Bruce South.	Huron South.
Grey South.	Haldimand.
Grey North.	Renfrew North.
Wentworth.	
Lanark North.	
Wellington North.	
Middlesex North.	

QUEBEC.

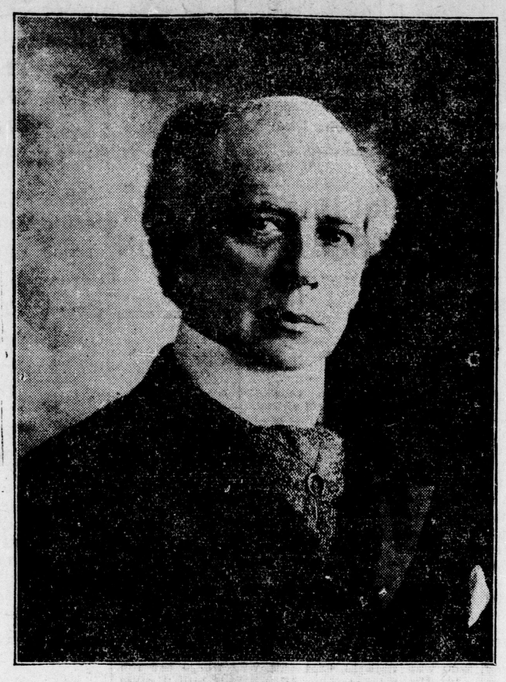
Montmorency.	Argentuil.
Nicolet.	Beauharnois.
Compton.	Charlevoix.
	Huntingdon.
	L'Islet.

NOVA SCOTIA.

Colchester.
Halifax (one).
Lunenburg.
Pictou.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

Carleton. St. John City and County.
Northumberland.



PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.
Queen's East.
Queen's West.
MANITOBA.
Winnipeg.
BRITISH COLUMBIA.
Victoria (one).

Halifax Wild With Joy.

Halifax, Nov. 3.—The Liberals have won a sweeping victory in Nova Scotia today. Hon. W. S. Fielding goes back to Ottawa with a solid delegation. North Cape Breton was in doubt early in the evening, but at mignight a special gives Mackenzie (Liberal) 44 majority, although the Conservatives claim 32 majority. Tonight's celebration has never been equaled in this Province. Crowds of cheering Liberals are parading the streets. The majorities in this Province were unusually large. Messrs. Roche and Carney were elected in Halifax by 700 and 600 majorities; Sir Frederick Borden by 1,200; Hon. Mr. Fielding, 650; Mr. Logan, 747; Mr. Macdonald, in Picton, by 500; MacLean, in Lunenburg, 550; Sinclair, in Guysboro, 450, and Copp, in Digby, 800.

In the Oxfords.

Woodstock, Nov. 3.—An enormous majority was rolled up today for Hon. Jas. Sutherland in North Oxford. Four polls out of 47 are yet to be heard from. In none from which returns have come has Mr. Wallace obtained a majority. In one subdivision in Blenheim he tied with Mr. Sutherland. Woodstock was a clean sweep for the Minister of Public Works. His majority of 306 in the city is by far the largest ever given to a Liberal candidate in a straight party contest. In the whole riding 43 polls out of 47 give 1,439 majority. The total figure will probably be about 1,600. The result is looked upon as a striking personal tribute to the representative of the riding. At his nomination meeting the members of the party took a pledge to relieve him of all worry and responsibility in connection with the campaign, and they have nobly redeemed it. Mr. Schell's fine victory in South Oxford has added to the general Liberal jubilation in the city tonight.

DOWN WENT THE LEADERS

Only the Disatisfied Mr. Monk Left in Quebec Province.

Montreal, Nov. 3.—Quebec Province has stood well by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The noteworthy feature is the defeat of two Conservative leaders, Mr. T. Chase Casgrain in Quebec district, and Mr. Rufus Pope in the Eastern Townships. Hon. F. H. Hackett, one of the Provincial organizers, made a big bid for Stanstead, but he went down with the rest. That leaves the badly disrupted party with only one member of prominence, Mr. F. D. Monk, the gentleman who was so disgusted with the tactics of the organization committee that he resigned the leadership of the party in the house.

THE VICTORY AT OTTAWA

Splendid Victory of Messrs. Belcourt and Stewart.

Ottawa, Nov. 3. — The Conservative candidates in Ottawa sustained crushing defeat, Messrs. N. A. Belcourt and Robert Stewart, the Liberal standard-bearers, being elected by unprecedentedly large majorities. Mr. Belcourt headed the poll, with a plurality of 1,790 over Mr. Champagne, who stood at the foot of the list. His lead over Mr. Birkett, the English-speaking Tory candidate, was 1,475. Mr. Stewart's majority over Mr. Birkett was 1,019 and over Mr. Champagne 1,339. The Liberal candidate had the lead in every ward but two, viz., Central and Wellington wards, which are Tory strongholds. St. George's ward, another Tory center, went Liberal by nearly 400. In By and Ottawa wards, where the French-Canadians are in the majority, Mr. Belcourt beat Mr. Champagne by 535 and 421 respectively. In the Protestant sections of the city Mr. Belcourt's majorities over his Tory compatriot were also substantial.

PREMIER ON THE VICTORY.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 4. — C. B. Major, of Hull, received the following telegram from Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who is in Quebec, and who was elected in Wright yesterday:

"Please accept for yourself and convey to our friends in the county of Wright expressions of my sincere gratitude for the good news just sent me, and also my congratulations for the splendid victory. (Signed), Wilfrid Laurier."

Joy In Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Nov. 3.—Winnipeg was wild with cheering crowds tonight, all happy over the result in Winnipeg and the country in support of Laurier and the Grand Trunk Pacific Transcontinental Railway.

It was like an August day, and the voters turned out in droves to the polls. Tonight they celebrated with bonfires, processions and meetings everywhere.

Hon. Mr. Sifton's victory in Brandon was the cause of great rejoicing here tonight and at Brandon.

ONTARIO.

LIBERALS.

Constituency. Candidate.	Maj.
Algoma E.—A. E. Dymert	Leads
Brant—Hon. Wm. Paterson	470
Brockville—Derbyshire	398
Bruce S.—P. H. Mackenzie	150
Essex N.—R. F. Sutherland	361
Essex S.—A. H. Clarke	439
Glengarry—J. T. Schell	250
Grey N.—W. P. Telford	27
Grey S.—W. H. Miller	200
Hamilton W.—Zimmerman	234
Kent E.—D. A. Cordon	200
Kingston—Hon. W. Harty	500
Lambton W.—Dr. T. G. Johnston	400
Lanark N.—T. B. Caldwell	40
London—Hon. C. S. Hyman	22
Middlesex W.—W. S. Calvert	150
Middlesex N.—Ratz (Ind.-L.)	Elected
Nipissing—C. A. McCool	Elected
Northumberland, W.—J. B. McColl	150
Ontario N.—G. G. Grant	Elected
Ottawa—N. A. Belcourt	1,471
Ottawa—Stewart	1,328
Oxford N.—Hon. J. Sutherland	1,000
Oxford S.—M. S. Schell	447
Parry Sound—R. J. Watson	111
Perth S.—G. H. McIntyre	89
Peterboro E.—John Finlay	73
Peterboro W.—H. R. Hall	200
Prescott—I. Proulx	1,100
Renfrew S.—A. A. Wright	148
Russell—Norman Wilson	740
Simcoe N.—L. G. McCarthy	110
Thunder Bay & R. R.—J. Conmee	L'ds
Welland—W. M. German	800
Wellington N.—Martin	302
Wellington S.—Hugh Guthrie	410
Wentworth—W. O. Sealey	12
York N.—Sir Wm. Mulock	1,200
York Center—Arch Campbell	200

CONSERVATIVES.

Constituency. Candidate.	Maj.
Algoma West—Boyce	Elected
Brantford—W. F. Cockshutt	15
Bruce N.—L. L. Bland	264
Carleton—E. Kidd	900
Dufferin—D. Barr	769
Dundas—A. Broder	300
Durham—H. A. Ward	139
Elgin E.—A. B. Ingram	24
Elgin W.—W. Jackson	345
Frontenac—M. Avery	88
Grenville—J. D. Reid	50
Grey E.—Dr. Sproule	700
Haldimand—F. R. Lalor	100
Halton—D. Henderson	130
Hamilton E.—Samuel Barker	201
Hastings E.—W. B. Northrup	213
Hastings W.—E. Gus Porter	600
Huron S.—D. R. Gunn	100
Huron E.—Dr. Chisholm	186
Huron W.—E. N. Lewis	60
Kent W.—Clements	256
Lambton E.—R. L. Armstrong	222
Lanark S.—J. G. Haggart	800
Leeds—George Taylor	600
Lennox & Add'n—A. N. Wilson	300
Lincoln—E. A. Lancaster	482
Middlesex E.—Peter Elson	154
Muskoka—Wm. Wright	738
Norfolk—Lieut.-Col. Tisdale	166
Northumberland E.—E. Cochrane	120
Ontario S.—P. Christie	56
Peel—R. Blain	50
Perth N.—A. F. McLaren	260
Prince Edward—Geo. Alcorn	200
Renfrew N.—Peter White	100
Simcoe E.—W. H. Benett	200
Simcoe S.—H. Lenox	469
Stormont—Pringle	144
Toronto Center—E. F. Clarke	386
Toronto East—A. E. Kemp	2,132
Toronto North—Hon. G. E. Foster	112
Toronto South—A. C. Macdonell	416
Toronto West—E. B. Osler	1,883
Victoria & Haliburton—S. Hughes	200
Waterloo N.—J. E. Seagram	200
Waterloo S.—G. A. Clare	Elected

QUEBEC.

LIBERALS.

Constituency. Candidate.	Maj.
Bagot—J. E. Marcil	346
Beauce—H. S. Boland	Elected
Bellechasse—O. E. Talbot	875
Berthier—P. E. Archambault	Elected
Bonaventure—C. Marcil	Elected
Brome—Hon. S. A. Fisher	Elected
Chambly-Vercheres—V. Geoffrion	357
Champlain—J. A. Rossean	640
Chateauguay—Brown	Elected
Compton—A. B. Hunt	200
Drummond-Arthabaska—L. Laverne	210
Gaspe—Hon. R. Lemieux	Elected
Hochelaga—L. A. Rivet	Elected
Joliette—A. Dubeau	200
Kamouraska—E. Lapointe	Elected
Labelle—H. Bourassa	116
Laprairie-Napierville—R. Lanctot	232
L'Assomption—C. Laurier	Acc.
Levis—L. J. Demers	85
Lotbiniere—E. Fortier	500
Maisonneuve—Hon. R. Prefontaine	670
Maskinonge—H. Mayrand	300
Megantic—G. Turcot	400
Missisquoi—D. B. Meigs	80
Montcalm—F. O. Dugas	Elected
Montmagny—A. Lavergne	100
Montmorenci—G. Parent	Elected
Montreal-St. Anne's—D. Gallery	500
Montreal—St. James'—H. Gervais	606
Montreal—St. Lawrence—Bickerdike	600
Montreal—St. Mary's—C. Piche	530
Nicolet—G. Ball	Elected
Pontiac—Fred Hodgins	Elected
Portneuf—M. S. Delisle	500
Quebec Center—A. Malouin	800
Quebec East—Sir W. Laurier	Elected
Quebec West—W. Power	Elected
Quebec Co.—Hon. C. Fitzpatrick	1,800
Richelieu—A. A. Bruneau	300
Richmond-Wolfe—E. W. Tobin	Elected
Rimouski—J. A. Ross	500
Rouville—Hon. L. P. Brodeur	675
St. Hyacinthe—A. M. Beauparlast	505
St. John-Iberville—L. P. Demers	El.
Shefford—C. H. Parmelee	600
Soulanges—A. Bourbonais	240
Stanstead—H. Lovell	250
Temiscouata—C. A. Gauvreau	Elected
Terrebonne—G. Desjardins	140
Three Rivers-St.Maurice—J. Bureau	518
Two Mountains—J. A. Ethier	128
Vaudreuil—Dr. Boyer	400
Wright—Sir W. Laurier	Elected
Yamaska—C. Gladu	311

CONSERVATIVES.

Argenteuil—G. H. Perly	100
Beauharnois—Bergeron	756
Charlevoix—R. Forget	80
Dorchester—J. B. Morin	300
Huntingdon—Walsh	132
Jacques--Cartier—F. D. Monk	490
L'Islet—Paquet	Elected
Montreal—St. Antoine—H. B. Ames	651
Sherbrooke—Dr. Worthington	200

NEW BRUNSWICK.

LIBERALS.

Constituency. Candidate.	Maj.
Carleton—F. B. Carvel	400
Gloucester—O. Turgeon	500
Kent—Le Blanc	75
Northumberland—W. S. Loggie	El.
Restigouche—James Reid	Leads
Victoria—Hon. J. Costigan	1,100
Westmoreland—Emmerson	769
York—Gibson	Elected

CONSERVATIVES.

Charlotte—G. W. Ganong	186
King's and Albert—G. W. Fowler	394
Queen's and Sunbury—R. D. Wilmot	71
St. John City and Co.—Stockton	1,514
St. John City—Dr. J. W. Daniel	1,112

NOVA SCOTIA.

LIBERALS.

Constituency. Candidate.	Maj.
Annapolis—S. W. Pickup	Elected
Antigonish—C. F. McIsaac	600
N. Cape B. & Vic.—D. D. Mackenzie	El.
S. Cape Breton—A. Johnston	Elected
Colchester—F. A. Lawrence	Elected
Cumberland—H. J. Logan	640
Digby—A. J. S. Copp	Elected
Guysboro—J. H. Sinclair	1,000
Halifax—Wm. Roche	239
Halifax—M. Carney	166
Hants—Mayor Black	80
Inverness—A. Maclennan	Elected
King's—Sir F. Borden	Elected
Lunenberg—McLean	600
Pictou—E. M. McDonald	500
Richmond—Dr. Finlayson	Elected
Shel. & Queen's—Hon.W.S.Fielding	250
Yarmouth—B. B. Law	Elected

MANITOBA.

LIBERALS.

Constituency. Candidate.	Maj.
Brandon—Sifton	635
Lisgar—Greenway	Leads
Portage La Prairie—Crawford	300
Selkirk—Jackson	Elected
Winnipeg—Bole	274

CONSERVATIVES.

Macdonald—Staples	Elected
Marquette—Roche	314
Provencher—LaRiviere	Elected
Souris—Schaffer	Elected

NORTHWEST TERRITORIES.

LIBERALS.

Constituency. Candidate.	Maj.
Alberta—Mackenzie	Elected
Assiniboia E.—Turiff	Elected
Assiniboia W.—Scott	Probably elected
Calgary—Dr. Stewart	Elected
Saskatchewan—J. S. Lamont	Leads
Strathcona—Talbot	116
Edmonton—Oliver	Elected
Humboldt—A. J. Adams	Elected
Qu'Appelle—Thomson	Elected

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

LIBERALS.

Nanaimo—Smith	216
New Westminster—Kennedy	100
Vancouver City—McPherson	866
Victoria—Geo. Riley	562

Election in Comox-Atlin, Kootenay, Yale and Cariboo, postponed.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

LIBERAL.

King's—J. J. Hughes Elected

CONSERVATIVES.

Prince—A. A. Lefurgey	Elected
Queen's W.—T. A. McLean	Elected
Queen's E.—Alex Martin	Elected

Results Since Confederation.

The following figures of elections, compiled by the Mail and Empire, since confederation show Thursday's victory to be the most sweeping and significant since 1878:

1872—	
Conservatives	103
Liberals	97
Conservative majority	6
1875—	
Liberals	133
Conservatives	73
Liberal majority	60
1878—	
Conservatives	137
Liberals	69
Conservative majority	68
1882—	
Conservatives	139
Liberals	72
Conservative majority	67
1878—	
Conservatives	128
Liberals	87
Conservative majority	41
1891—	
Conservatives	123
Liberals	92
Conservative majority	31

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Hon. A. B. Aylesworth Was the Only Member of the Government To Be Defeated.

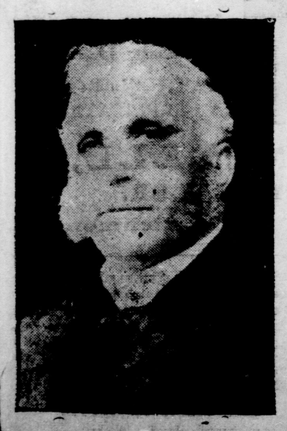
IMMENSE MAJORITIES FOR MOST OF THE MINISTERS

Every Province Goes Liberal, With the Exception of Ontario, and Possibly P. E. I.

LIBERALS GAIN SEATS IN HAMILTON AND OTTAWA

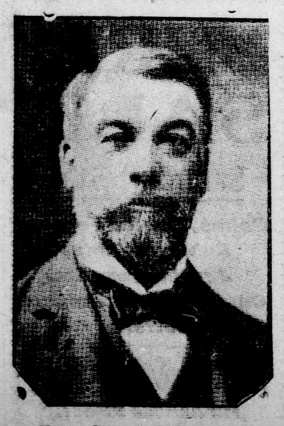
Toronto as Usual Elects All Conservatives—Government's Success Exceeds the Most Sanguine Expectations —The Returns Are Almost Complete.

Members of the Dominion Cabinet Successful at the Polls.



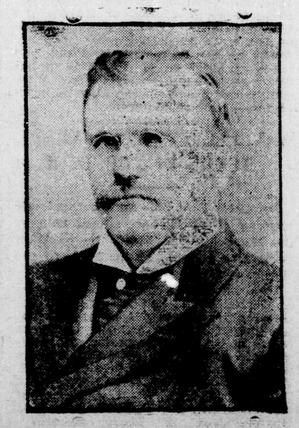
Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia and Defense. Re-elected in King's, N. S.

Hon. H. R. Emmerson, Minister of Railways and Canals. Re-elected in Westmoreland, N. S.

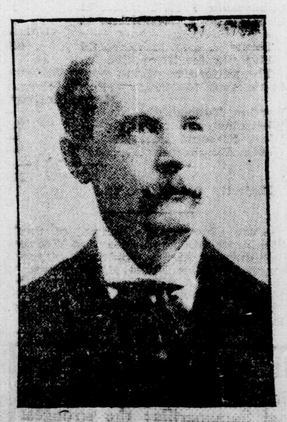


Hon. James Sutherland, Minister of Public Works. Re-elected in North Oxford.

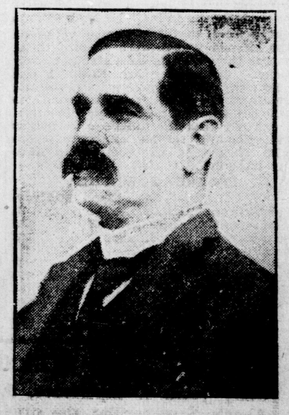
Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture. Re-elected in Brome, Que.



Hon. L. P. Brodeur, Minister of Inland Revenue. Re-elected in Rouville, Que.



Hon. Chas. Fitzpatrick, Minister of Justice. Re-elected in Quebec County.



Hon. Chas. S. Hyman, Minister without Portfolio, acting Minister of Public Works.