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## LIBERALS DEFAULT 22 SEATS WHITNEY HAS CLEAR LEAD OF 17

### Nominations Yesterday Indicated That Opposition to Government is Still Badly Demoralized—Four Cabinet Ministers Are Returned Without a Contest—Three Liberals Only in Field in Toronto.

Seventeen Conservatives elected by acclamation and no Liberals appearing for five of the Toronto seats and Dufferin. The net result of the nominations for the legislature which meet here tomorrow on Monday. There are 16 seats in the legislature. Of the eight seats in Toronto, labor candidates are contesting seven and only three Liberals are making the run. The Liberals are Joseph Oliver in North Toronto B., Dr. John Hunter in West Toronto A., and E. Fielding in South Toronto B.

Four cabinet ministers are re-elected without a contest, namely: Hon. Adam Beck, London; Hon. A. J. Matheson, S. Lanark; Hon. W. H. Hearst, Sault Ste. Marie; and Hon. Jas. Duff, W. Simcoe.

From these circumstances, therefore, it is almost safe to say that the government will be sustained. Indeed, it looks as if the prediction that this was not to be an election, but a murder, was about to be verified.

Premier Has Opponent. Sir James Whitney, the prime minister, does not win his seat without a fight. At the last minute, R. S. Muir, a Toronto lawyer, bobbed up at Winchester Springs, and entered the contest. This stunt was probably engineered by the Liberal headquarters here for the "moral effect" it might have.

The opposition leader, N. W. Rowell, K.C., who is running in North Oxford, is opposed by Robert Lockhart. In West Kent Geo. Sulman is opposed by E. Hea, who is called an Independent Liberal.

Here and there in the list will be found a Socialist candidate who perhaps regards the opportunity as favorable for the spread of the society's propaganda.

Eleventh Hour Candidates. In a large number of ridings the opposition to government candidates was sprung at the last moment. Last Saturday there were about 20 seats where Liberals were a-begging for candidates, but the word went forth to find stop gaps and this was done in several constituencies before the hour of nominations arrived.

One of the seats which returned a Conservative by acclamation was North Renfrew, which was held by a Liberal in the last house. This probably means that the Hon. G. P. Graham will find the sledding easy when he attempts to rain a seat in the federal parliament for the riding of South Renfrew.

Some Local Splice. In Toronto zest was added to the proceedings by the appearance of several laborites, and some of the nomination meetings were livelier than expected. The electors thronged the nomination halls in goodly numbers, making every meeting demonstrative and enthusiastic. Political workers who for the past week have been predicting a quiet election this year were surprised at the good attendance at the nominations and now say that things are warming up in a way that betokens a spirited and interesting campaign. "Interest in the contests from now on will be as keen as a razor," said one organizer as he reviewed the situation at the close of all the nominations.

Peeling rose to a high pitch at the West Toronto nominations in Odd-fellows hall, Northcote-avenue, when Dr. John Hunter, the Liberal nominee, declared he would, if elected, use all his influence against bilingual schools.

"Is that Leader Rowell's stand on the question?" demanded a voice.

"No, no, no," came the chorus from all over the hall, "I defy the Conservative nominee to speak out as plainly as I do," said Dr. Hunter warmly.

"They have done so," chimed back the chorus.

At the North Toronto nominations, Hon. J. J. Foy was greeted with a burst of cheers when he was called on to speak, his reception outclassing that accorded any of the other candidates.

The reception of Dr. Pyne in East Toronto was equally enthusiastic.

At nearly every meeting the Independent Labor party was strongly in evidence.

Quiet in N. Waterloo, BERLIN, Dec. 4.—(Special.)—Nominations for North Waterloo in the Ontario Legislature was held here today from 12 to 2 p.m.

H. G. Laekner is the Conservative standard-bearer. William D. Euler of the Berlin Business College is the Liberal choice, while Hilkish Martin, furniture worker, is the Socialist candidate.

ACCLAMATIONS FOR MINISTERS. LONDON, Dec. 4.—Hon. Adam Beck was elected member for London in the Ontario Legislature by acclamation today, when his name was the only one put in nomination at the meeting in the city hall at noon.

S. S. MARIE, Ont., Dec. 4.—The name of Hon. W. H. Hearst, minister of lands, forests and mines, was the only one put forward in the nominations which opened at noon, and he was declared elected by acclamation.

PERTH, Ont., Dec. 4.—Hon. A. J. Matheson, provincial treasurer, re-elected by acclamation for the third time.

Socialist in Sudbury. NORTH BAY, Dec. 4.—The nominations for Sudbury district today furnished a surprise in an eleventh-hour Socialist candidate, F. H. Sangster, a Porcupine lawyer, who was nominated to contest the riding against Charles McCrea of Sudbury, the Conservative candidate. Mr. Sangster is an entire stranger in Sudbury district, outside of Porcupine, and his candidature is not taken seriously by the electors.

Triangular Fight in Brockville. BROCKVILLE, Nov. 4.—(Special.)—A. E. Donovan, former member for Brockville, is to have opposition from both a Liberal and a Socialist—G. E. Smart and Byron Wing, respectively. At the nomination, Mr. Donovan held the fort against four speakers. The Socialists held a rally in the evening. Mr. Donovan anticipates his return by a majority in the hundreds.

Cold at Stormont. CORNWALL, Dec. 4.—(Special.)—About three hundred voters braved the zero weather and had to go to attend the Stormont nomination at Finch today. J. C. Milligan, Conservative, and A. F. Muthern, Liberal, were nominated. Both gentlemen also addressed the electors, as also did Dr. Aguirre, M.P., and W. J. McCart, ex-M.L.A. George L. McLean of Finch, warden of the United Counties, was chairman.

ANOTHER GRAND SALE. Old Fitzgerald Estate on Civic Line Bought by McEaghrens.

The last piece of property of any size along the Gerrard-street civic car line yesterday afternoon changed hands. W. N. McEaghren & Sons Ltd. purchased the Fitzgerald estate, 28 acres, for \$125,000. This firm a few weeks ago purchased the Justice McEaghren property, which was at once subdivided and is now nearly all sold.

The Fitzgerald place will be put on the market in the spring. It is on the south side of Gerrard-street, lying between Woodbine-avenue and the Toronto Golf Club.

The property came into the Fitzgerald family in 1868, when Michael Fitzgerald purchased it from the Small family. The Smalls held it from 1812, they then paying \$250 for it. It is a picturesque place; on it is the old Fitzgerald homestead, built on the rambling lines of 40 years ago. The grounds surrounding are beautifully laid out.

PORCUPINE BULLETIN. PORCUPINE, Dec. 4.—(Special.)—A new train service was inaugurated Sunday, which materially helps Porcupine. A special reaches here twenty-four after leaving Toronto. Weather moderated and snow storm threatens. Sleighing good. Chas. Fox.

Watch for Imitation Fur. The question of furs for ladies' wear is the all-absorbing one of the day. We have no particular advice to offer as to what is the most stylish, but we can say that you must make sure that you are buying real fur, or as they say in the States, "pure fur." Do you realize that the market to-day is positively swamped with imitation fur? Mostly it is concocted from Bavarian hair, dyed and hand-painted to imitate almost any kind of costly skin. It is a mighty good imitation also, were it not for the fact that the pet is as thin as kid and is short-lived.

The Dineen Company is an exclusive furrier, positively handling nothing but "pure fur." All the pelts are selected in the big markets of Europe or in our own Canadian Northwest. Every garment is made on the premises.

The Best Dressed Actor. If a popular vote were taken as to the best dressed actor on the American stage to-day, the majority would undoubtedly be in favor of Mr. John Drew, who is appearing this week at the Princess in "A Single Man."

### By Acclamation.

- Conservatives.**  
 Addington... W. D. Black  
 Carleton... R. McElroy  
 E. Durham... J. J. Preston  
 Grenville... G. Ferguson  
 E. Hastings... Sandy Grant  
 N. Hastings... Robt. Cook  
 W. Hastings... W. Johnston  
 Kingston... Dr. Ross  
 N. Lanark... Dr. Preston  
 S. Lanark... Hon. Matheson  
 Lincoln... Dr. Jessop  
 London... Hon. A. Beck  
 N. Renfrew... E. A. Dunlop  
 S. Renfrew... T. McGarry  
 S. S. Marie... Hon. Hearst  
 W. Simcoe... Hon. J. Duff  
 S. Simcoe... A. Ferguson  
 E. Victoria... R. M. Mason
- No Liberal in Fight.**  
 Dufferin  
 East Toronto, A  
 East Toronto, B  
 North Toronto, A  
 South Toronto, A  
 West Toronto, B

## QUZZED ROGERS ON MANITOBA BOUNDARY

### Opposition Betrayed Exceeding Curiosity as to What Settlement Really Meant—Government Also Accused of Holding up the Hudson Bay Railway.

OTTAWA, Dec. 4.—(Special.)—Hon. R. L. Borden and several members of his cabinet very skillfully skated round the thin ice of the Manitoba boundary question on which they were urged to desert themselves by the request of E. M. MacDonald (Picton).

Mr. MacDonald wanted to know what about the financial settlement, what about the control of the newly-annexed lands, what about the Manitoba school question as regarded the new territory?

The premier declared that Mr. MacDonald would find out when the government brought down its measures. He did not intend to discuss the question till then.

Hon. Robert Rogers said that Mr. Borden would give Manitoba the justice for which she had vainly sought the Laurier government for seven long years. They only wanted fair play. The settlement arrived at would satisfy everybody.

The afternoon session was almost entirely devoted to a discussion of the Hudson Bay Railway.

Says Borden Broke Pledge. D. E. Neely (Humboldt) in connection with a motion for all papers, etc., in the case made a vigorous attack on Hon. Frank Cochrane for the suspension of work on the contracts awarded by the late government for the construction of the Hudson Bay Railway. He claimed that it was a violation of the pledge given by Mr. Borden during his western tour to speedily complete the railway. This would be delayed a year by the minister's action. The first official act of the new minister was to stop a new outlet for the shipment of western grain.

James MacKay (Prince Albert) recalled that Laurier in 1908 promised to have trains running to Hudson Bay in four or five years, yet the first contractor only arrived on the ground two weeks before polling day in 1911. There would be practically no delay under the present administration.

J. G. Turfiff (Assiniboia) declared it was absolutely necessary to get supplies in as soon as possible if the right way was to be cut out this winter.

Cochrane Gives Assurance. Hon. Frank Cochrane affirmed that the new government would carry out all its promises made before it came into power, and particularly this one in regard to the Hudson Bay Railway. Representations had been made to the government that the road did not start in the right spot, that the surveys were not right, and that the first 100 miles included a deep swamp. There



TRAVELER MACLEAN: You've simply got to have these goods, Mr. Borden. Refusal to keep 'em in stock helped to put your predecessor out of business.

## ASK PEOPLE IF THEY WANT ST. BY.

### City Council Last Night Talked of Submitting Expropriation Question to People.—Matter Will Come Up at Special Meeting—Long and Busy Session.

Steps were taken at the meeting of the city council yesterday to send a by-law to the people calling for the expropriation of the Toronto Railway Company by arbitration. The motion was carried and the first and second readings of the by-law also passed, but lack of a two-thirds majority prevented the third reading of the bill. That will probably come up at a special meeting which may be held on Wednesday.

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### What the City Council Did.

Passed first and second readings of a bill which has as its object expropriation of Toronto Railway Co.

Sent the tubes, the excess lighting of streets, on local improvement plan. Floor street viaduct, hydro-electric improvement, and the Danforth car lines, to the polls, to be voted on Jan. 1.

### G.T.R. MAN BADLY HURT

Was Engaged With Wrecking Crew Near Barrie, When Injured.

BARRIE, Dec. 4.—(Special.)—Sixteen freight cars of the northern division of the Grand Trunk Railway are to-day piled up in the ditch about one mile south of Brentwood, on the Cottingham and Meaford branch, as a result of a wreck which took place early Sunday morning. Twisted iron splintered lumber, corn, peas and other rough freight lies scattered all about the track. The freight train was a double-header, and was in charge of Conductor McNeil and Engineers Edwards and Ambach.

James Armstrong, a married man, residing in Allandale and employed on the G. T. R., received serious internal injuries while engaged with the wrecking crew.

Armstrong was struck in the back with a pair of trucks being lifted by a steam derrick, and knocked against a wire fence. He sustained injuries to the chest and back, and may die.

The announcement afforded an explanation of the meagre confession written late to-day by James B. McNamara.

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## A MAN FOR ANARCHISTS TO FEAR



Of Los Angeles, prosecutor of the McNamara brothers, who recently pleaded guilty—J. B. McNamara is the blowing up of the Los Angeles Times Building, and J. J. McNamara to the dynamiting of the Llewellyn Iron Works, Los Angeles. When the trial ended Captain Fredericks was congratulated on all sides on the able manner in which he conducted the prosecution for the state.

## DUNDAS WARMLY RALLIES TO WHITNEY

### R. S. Muir of Toronto Loomed Up Suddenly as Opponent, But Premier's Triumphant Return is Easily Assured—Liberal Candidate Made Tactical Error.

WINCHESTER SPRINGS, Ont., Dec. 4.—(Can. Press.)—Electors of Dundas County were given an unexpected treat this afternoon when they heard a debate in which Sir James Whitney met his opponent, R. S. Muir, the Toronto commercial traveler who so suddenly came into the field against the premier. To judge by the temper of the meeting, there is almost unanimity of opinion in favor of Sir James. The Orange Hall was crowded to the point of discomfort with men who had braved the zero weather and who were wrapped up in great fur coats and had driven many miles to attend the meeting.

Mr. Muir received a fair hearing, although at times he was forced to stop owing to roars of disapprobation. One of these times was when Sir James was referred to as the "most reactionary public man in Ontario during the last fifty years." The biggest disturbance, however, was when the Liberal candidate, in reference to Dominion politics, said that Messrs. Monk and Bourassa were in control of the federal government. It was fully five minutes before the cries of "Take it back, take it back!" began to subside enough to allow him to continue.

In reply to a statement the premier declared emphatically that there was no break in the cabinet on the bilingual issue.

No Frits There. In Dundas County Sir James Whitney is no longer a Sir to his friends. They rushed up and shook him by the hand, saying "Hello, Jim," and "How are you, Whitney?"

Sir James knew every man by his name. Enthusiasm at the meeting was at boiling point all thru the premier's speech.

The debate was so arranged that Sir James would have forty-five minutes to begin with. Mr. Muir then having one hour, and then an indefinite length was given the premier for his reply.

In his first speech, Sir James confined himself to a review of his government's record. He claimed special credit for imposing taxation on the railroads, "a suggestion never before made by anyone." He also thought that the old bugaboo of the three-fifths clause was one of the acts of which he should be particularly proud. "It has settled the public mind," he said. His reference to the coming extension of the hydro-electric to Eastern Ontario was particularly popular with his audience.

Cabinet at Odds? Mr. Muir said he had been willing to step into the breach since no local candidate was forthcoming. He felt that Liberals should have a chance of expressing their views.

"There are some principles," he said, "which Sir James has grievously violated. For example, he has violated the solidarity of the cabinet on the bilingual school question. Hon. Mr. Foy wants French abolished; Hon. Dr. Reaume says that Mr. Foy was speaking only on his own hook. Every Conservative candidate in Ontario has been forced to give a pledge of the constituency to abolish bilingual schools. The question then is: 'Will they be able to do it? If they are not, it won't be the first time that the forceful premier has compelled his followers to change their views. Either he should demand that the members of his cabinet who cannot agree should resign or he should dismiss them.'"

Mr. Muir made a plea for the supremacy of English in the schools. "It is a question," he said, "which must be settled now."

Government a Unit. In replying Sir James Whitney said: "He says the government is not a unit on bilingual schools. I tell him he does not know what he is talking about. The government is and always was a unit in every question it takes part in."

In conclusion Sir James struck the personal note and told how much in all the 21 years he had represented them he had appreciated the respect and confidence of his friends in Dundas County.

WEATHER PROBS. The probabilities for some time to come are that the cold snap will continue. Sleighing is splendid in the country. The Repository, Simcoe-st., has the best and most reasonably priced stocks of sleighs in Canada.