

SOUTH HURON REDEEMED BY LIBERALS M'LEAN ELECTED BY MAJORITY OF 144

Riding Declares Itself for
Government of Progress
and Achievement.

Large Vote Polled After a Warm
Campaign—The Results By
Subdivisions.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Seaford, Ont., Jan. 23. — Revised
returns from a polling place in Tucker-
smith Township this morning indicated
Mr. McLean's majority by ten, making
the majority new 144.

Seaford, Jan. 22.—After one of the
most keenly-fought elections ever held
in the riding, Mr. M. Y. McLean, editor
of the Seaford Expositor, was elected
as Liberal member by a majority of
134. That his majority was so great,
in face of the terrific campaign put up
by the Conservatives, is indeed grati-
fying to the friends of Mr. McLean.
Mr. Harry Horton, the Conservative
candidate, was hopeful of election, and
while he was of the opinion that his
majority would be small, nevertheless
he thought it was safe enough. South
Huron, after a brief lapse from the
faith, is now safely restored to its
wonted position among the Liberal
constituencies.

Seaford Rejoices.
The town of Seaford is rejoicing
greatly at the election of Mr. McLean.
He is very popular in the town, and
deserves well at the hands of the elec-
torate of South Huron. He has al-
ways taken a great interest in the wel-
fare of the country, and is an autho-
rity on Canadian politics. McLean
waged a splendid campaign. He was
an indefatigable worker, and made a
strong personal canvass. The victory
is indeed gratifying to him, as well as
to the party, and it is confidently ex-
pected that he will make a splendid
representative.

Conservatives Fought Hard.
The campaign waged by the Con-
servatives will be somewhat of a historic
campaign. A Conservative member of
Parliament could be met on practically
every crossroad. Meetings were held
everywhere. Every possible issue that
could be brought against the Liberals
was hurled at the electors of the rid-
ing. The scandal issues were worked
over. "Blue Ruin" Cockshutt made
several of his marvelous speeches, on
the brilliant prospects of Canada. Mr.
Joseph Armstrong threw rural free
mail delivery at them at every and all
opportunities. Mr. Richard Blain told
the electors in all seriousness at Hen-
sall that all the extravagance of which
the people of this country were guilty,
was directly chargeable to the Laurier
Government. The fact that Mr. Hor-
ton was a farmer, while Mr. McLean
was not, was made to do valiant ser-
vice. On the other hand, the speeches
of Hon. George P. Graham and Hon.
William Paterson were masterly ex-
positions of the issues at stake, and
the record of the Laurier Government.
The broad outlook and healthy op-
timism of the speeches were in vivid
contrast to the belittling speeches of
the Opposition, and the result is
largely due to that fact.

A Large Vote Polled.
The vote polled today was a large
one. The fine sleighing was partly ac-
countable for it, as it was not difficult
to get the vote out. There was great
enthusiasm among the men on both
sides, and they worked with a will. The
Liberal party placed a solid front to
the enemy, and there were no divisions.
In spite of the fact that it was at-
tempted by Mr. Blain, and other speak-
ers, to make divisions in the Liberal
party, it was not successful, and today
it stands four-front to all opposition.
The analysis of the vote showed that
the Liberals made gains practically all
along the line. As was anticipated, Mr.
Horton, who is a farmer, made gains
in his immediate neighborhood. These
were clearly offset by Mr. McLean's
victory in Seaford, so aside from the
local conditions, the expression of
the riding as a whole was in the poli-
cies of the Government. The Conser-
vative candidate was declared to be
one of the most popular men in the
party, and the defeat cannot be
charged to him personally. He worked
long and well, and the fact does not
lie with him. The task was too large.
Not a little of the credit of the elec-
tion is due to Mr. Jacob Kellerman, the
Liberal candidate for the Local Legis-
lature. He worked hard in his own part
of the constituency, and made consid-
erable gains for his party there. The
returns of the day are encouraging the
Liberals greatly, for it is now assured
that Mr. Kellerman will give Mr. Henry
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Liberal Win in Stanstead Son Succeeds Late Member

Montreal, Jan. 22. — Charles Lovell, Dixville 2
son of the late member for Stanstead, was elected today in the Liberal inter-
ests by a majority of 273, with one
poll to hear from. Coaticook, the native
town of Mr. Lovell, gave him 140 of
a majority. His victory is regarded as
a tribute to the work and ability of
Hon. Sydney Fisher. The vote by towns
and townships was:
Lovell, Moore, 153
St. Hermengilde 38
Barford 48
Barnston 63
Coaticook 140
Totals 426
Majority for Lovell, with one poll
missing, 273.
Mr. Henry Lovell's majority in 1900
was 165, and in 1904 it was 273. The
seat was traditionally Conservative.
From Confederation until 1900 it had
only once been carried by a Liberal.

South Enders Threaten Injunction Unless Two Fire Halls Are Built

Likely To Be a Lively Agitation
Regarding Bylaw Recently
Carried.

It was stated at the city hall to-
day that certain citizens of the south
end are determined to issue an injunc-
tion to prevent the issuing of de-
crees for the north end. A fire hall
is also built in the south end.
Some of the people of the latter dis-
trict claim that they voted on a ballot
which called for the erection and
equipment of two fire halls, and as
the East London hall is already
equipped, it is idle to say that it was
intended that only one new hall in the

A Costly Stew He Didn't Eat Backwoodsmen On the Rampage

A stew that he had in a local cafe
last night just cost Henry Davey \$11.50
by the time he had settled up the
court costs and paid his fine.
Davey is a young Scotchman with a
rich burr, and has been away in the
backwoods of Michigan for a long time.
Yesterday he struck town, and during
the afternoon accumulated quite a
cargo of joy water. About 6 o'clock
he went into the cafe and ordered a
stew. When it was brought he wanted
all the waitresses to sit down at his
table and watch him eat, and when
they refused, went into the kitchen to
try and induce the cook to watch
him. Returning, he met one of the
waitresses, and was about to throw
her through the plate-glass door when
he was arrested. Davey said he was
too drunk to know what had occurred,
and after paying up, was advised to
go back to the woods.

Radial Bill Goes Over Until Tuesday

City Solicitor Meredith went to
Ottawa last night to oppose in com-
mittee today the bill of the Hamilton
Radial Company, which is regarded in
this city as a menace to the proper
distribution and sale of Niagara power
in London.

Major Beattie, member for London,
last night wired Mayor Stevely that

PASSED HIMSELF AS ENGLISH LORD

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 23. — George T.
Woodman, 30 years of age, a cabinet-
maker, of Walkerville, Ont., is held at
police headquarters charged with being
a suspicious person. The real charge
is said to be fraud. Woodman, who is
quite a distinguished-looking man, re-
cently became acquainted with a De-
troit young woman, to whom he re-
presented himself as "Lord Devonshire,"

A GREAT GAIN IN FOREIGN TRADE

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—The total trade of
the Dominion for the calendar year
1907 was \$658,599,974, as compared
with \$594,319,289 for 1906, an increase
of \$64,280,685. Total imports last year
were \$385,275,360, an increase of \$60,
433,675; total exports were \$273,324,614,
an increase of \$3,847,010. Total exports
of domestic produce last year were
\$228,015,557, a decrease of \$730,765. The
total exports of foreign produce
amounted to \$35,309,057, an increase of
\$4,577,775.

The statement of imports and ex-
ports for the last month shows a very
considerable betterment over the cor-
responding month of 1906. The falling
off in both imports and exports noted
in the figures for the preceding month

north end should be built, and that the
East London station should be remod-
eled.
"I hate to say it," said one man, "but
it looks as though the people of the
southeast end have been bamboozled.
It appears to have been pretty well
known that a bylaw for two halls has
been carried, certain of the aldermen who
do not live south of the G. T. R. tracks,
station is wanted, and they are going to
give the north end a new station, and
allow the people of the south side to
go hang. We won't stand for it. The
ballot named two new fire halls, and
there must be two or there will be
none. We'll issue an injunction if
necessary."

Rejoiced His Tenant.

Harry Donnelly got on one of his
periodic drunks yesterday afternoon,
and went to the house of Mrs. Lucy
Bibbings and took all her loose articles,
such as clocks, blankets and other
housekeeping necessities that he could
find. He apparently made several
trips, and during one of them Mrs.
Bibbings returned from shopping. She
naturally remonstrated with Donnelly,
who told her he owned the house, and
was going to do as he liked. Mrs.
Bibbings, who is a tenant, told him to
put the things back, and then he got
mad and struck her. P. C. Fysh was
called, and arrested Donnelly. The
next thing was to find out what he
had done with the things he had
taken. After a long search the offi-
cer located them under an old barn.
Donnelly elected trial by Magistrate
Love this morning, and was remanded
for a week.

DISLOCATED A SHOULDER

The many friends of Mr. R. J. Wood,
the well-known Wellington street
grocer, will regret to hear that he met
with a painful accident last night. Mr.
Wood was arranging some decorations
in his store, when the barrels on which
he was standing slipped, and he was
thrown heavily to the floor. Upon ex-
amination by a physician it was found
that his shoulder had been dislocated
and that numerous bruises had been
sustained. Mr. Wood will be confined
to the house for several days.

WELLAND BOOMING

Half a Million in Building Operations,
and Schools Congested.

Welland, Ont., Jan. 23.—Half a mil-
lion dollars has been spent in Welland
in building operations the last year,
about one hundred residences have
been built, the balance of the amount
being expended in factories and man-
ufacturing plants. Welland schools
are in a congested condition and more
accommodation will have to be pro-
vided at once. The attendance has
doubled in two years, and is still in-
creasing.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Jan. 22. Reported at. From.
Numidia.....Boston.....Liverpool
Furness.....Glasgow.....New York
Pomeranian.....Plymouth.....New York
Oedre.....Alexandria.....New York
Molt.....New York.....Genoa

BIG NUGGET STEAL FROM COBALT MINE

Cobalt, Jan. 22.—Yesterday several
hundred pounds of nuggets and native
silver were stolen from the King Ed-
ward mine. The management are said
to be offering \$1,000 reward for infor-
mation in the matter. It appears the
management kept the silver in a box,
from which it is supposed to have been
stolen.

MURDER SUSPECTED

St. Stephen, N. B., Jan. 22.—Andrew
Higgins, aged 70, who lived alone,
on the Princeton road, near here, was
found dead this morning, and murder
is suspected. The body was among
some bushes near his house. He was
last seen on Friday, and was known to
have \$75, but \$50 of it he had given a
neighbor for safe-keeping. When the
body was found the other \$25 was
missing. The body showed evidence of
death from clubbing.

New Implement Plant for London

London will have a new industry
employing a large number of hands in
a short time. It will be known as the
Standard Implement Company, and
will be capitalized at \$60,000. The
company is understood, will be com-
posed of men from the Northwest,
and will manufacture plows and farm-
ing machinery of all kinds. In order

Forristal and Beattie Make Gains Cooper and Parsons Are Very Close

Three Wards Are Practically
Finished in the Recount
of Ballots.

The recount of ballots cast in the
recent election of aldermen goes aggra-
vatingly on at the city hall.
One minute one alderman is in a
seventh heaven of delight, and the next
he is in the dumps.
Ex-Ald. Cooper's hair will turn gray
if the excitement does not end shortly.
The suspense is fearful.
All but one or two subdivisions in
ward 2 have been counted, so that only
ward 4 and the few divisions of ward 3
remain to be gone over.

Made Big Gains.

Singular to relate, ex-Ald. Forristal
and Ald. Beattie have made the great-
est gains by the count, and it is Mr.
Cooper who is paying for the music
the others are dancing to.
In division 2 of ward 3 Mr. Forristal
gained 10, where he had been defeated
with only 57, instead of 67.
In subdivision 13 of ward 1, Mr. Co-
oper says he gained six, but in other di-
visions he lost a few, so that he and
Ald. Parsons still run neck-and-neck.
In the subdivision named Ald. Beattie
made a gain of about twenty votes.
Mr. Forristal, it is said, also came
out to the good.

Would-Be Suicide Was Arrested

Carl Ray Placed Behind the Bars

Crowd Takes Action—Maximum
Penalty for the Act Is
Two Years.

Carl Ray, the young Ohio man who
recently attempted to commit suicide
in the Hamilton road, a few nights ago
by swallowing carbolic acid, was ar-
rested this morning as he was leaving
Victoria Hospital by County Constable
Northgreaves.

THE WEATHER

TOMORROW—FINE AND COLD.
FORECASTS.
Toronto, Jan. 23.—3 a.m.
Today—Strong westerly and northerly
winds; light snowfalls, but mostly fair
and much colder.
Friday—Westerly winds; fine and cold.

Local Temperatures

The temperatures recorded at the local
observatory yesterday were: Highest,
42°; lowest, 25° above zero.
TEMPERATURES.
Stations. 8 a.m. Min. Weather.
Calgary 20 10 Cloudy
Winnipeg 4 10 Clear
Port Arthur 14 16 Clear
Parry Sound 4 2 Snow
Toronto 28 28 Snow
Ottawa 2 2 Cloudy
Montreal 2 2 Cloudy
Quebec 8 10 Cloudy
Fisher Point 6 2 Fair
Minus (—) means below zero.

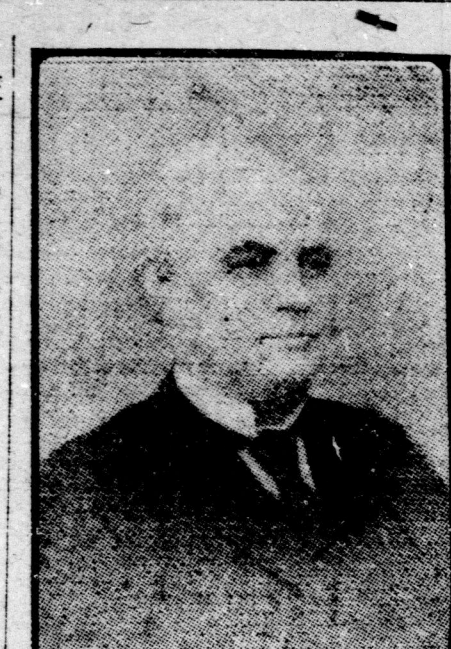
The first column in the above table re-
cords the temperatures at 8 o'clock this
morning, and the second column records
the minimum temperatures during the 24
hours previous.

WEATHER NOTES.

There is now every indication that a
storm will develop over the Atlantic coast
and that heavy gales, with snow, will
prevail in the Maritime Provinces during
Friday.
The cold wave has spread over Ontario
and Quebec, but the temperature is ris-
ing again in the Western Provinces.
Storm signals are displayed at Atlantic
ports.

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Dawson, 42 below—32 below; Victoria, 38—
36; Calgary, 4—20; Edmonton, 4 below—
20; Regina, 10 below—2; Winnipeg, 10 be-
low—4; Port Arthur, 14—16; Parry
Sound, 24—22; Toronto, 28—27; Ottawa, 18
—23; Montreal, 28—38; Quebec, 18—23; St.
John, 32—41; Halifax, 24—24.



SIR JOHN CARLING.
Who Today Celebrated His Eightieth
Birthday.

McClary Co. Forges Steadily Ahead Important Changes in South End

Work Is To Be Begun On a
New Foundry in the
Spring.

An important change, which will add
considerably to the number of men
employed at the McClary works in the
South End, is being made.
It has been decided to use the big
new five-story building, which was
built last summer, as a warehouse ex-
clusively, and the present premises in

the main factory, which have been
used for shipping purposes, will be
equipped with a full line of machinery
and will be used as a shop for man-
ufacturing.
This change will be made at once,
and, as soon as the machinery can be
procured, it will be installed.
The move is the result of the large
number of orders that the firm have
in hand and which must be gotten out
as soon as possible.
In the spring, work will be com-
menced on new foundries which will
add considerably to the output of
iron.

A Marked Improvement in Business Prospects for Spring Are Bright

Businessmen in general are most
optimistic over the marked improve-
ment in the condition of things that
has taken place in the last few weeks.
All report that prospects are begin-
ning to look much brighter, and they
are confident that by spring the same
flourishing conditions will prevail that
have made the last year or two the
most prosperous period that has been
experienced in this country for some
time.

The Money Conditions.

"Money conditions are improving
very much," said a well-known bank
manager this morning. "The rates
have dropped from six and a half to
six per cent, and it is expected that
before long there will be a still fur-
ther reduction. There is a feeling of
more confidence, while it is perhaps
only just starting it is growing more
perceptible every week. There is lots
of money in the country, but people
are nervous after all that has been
said lately, and have been holding it.
Now they are beginning to recover
from their fright, and in a short time
things will be every bit as brisk as
formerly."

Real Estate Good.

"There is a decided improvement in
the real estate business," one of the
largest real estate agents in the city
told a reporter this morning. "Inquiries
and sales are numerous, and I
have not nearly as many empty houses
as I had six weeks ago. The majority
of my houses that are to let are large
ones. The demand for small houses
is good, and the rents have not fallen
in any instance that I know of."

Plenty of Freight.

"If the quantity of freight that we
handle is any indication of the state
of things," said a freight agent, "busi-
ness must be brisk. The shipments
have been getting perceptibly heavier
the last few weeks, and are fully up
with what is usual at this time of the
year."

Miss Russell Wife of a London Singer Once Wedded To Johnny Chatterton

Famous Star Is Making Her
First Appearance in
This City.

Miss Lillian Russell, who appears at
the Grand tonight in "Wildfire," is
known as one of the most beautiful
and attractive women who ever graced
the American stage.

Miss Russell is settling along in
years, but she does not show the ef-
fects of age.

Wife of a Londoner.

Miss Russell has an especial in-
terest for Londoners, from the fact
that she was at one time the wife of
Signor Perugini, known in London as
a tenor singer of great merit, and
who is none other than "Johnny"
Chatterton, of London, Ont., who first
sprang into fame with the old Holman
Opera Company in the days when
"Sally" Holman's name was embold-
ened on every billboard in the Do-
minion of Canada and the United
States.

Was Divorced.

Mr. Chatterton was a man of splen-
did appearance, and he attracted the
fair Lillian, and the couple were mar-
ried.

Later Mr. Chatterton, or Signor
Perugini, lost his hearing, and in due
course he lost his beautiful wife, after
the divorce court, in its various ram-
ifications, had been resorted to.

With Dolly Varden.

Signor Perugini was last seen in
London with "Dolly Varden," about
four years ago.

He was as deaf as a post and took
his cue from the movements of the
lips of those about him.

This Is Miss Russell's first appearance

in London.

She has been on the stage for a
quarter of a century, and has a daugh-
ter who is a well-known actress.

During her entire career, Lillian
Russell has been a star, and her name
is still sufficient to pack any theater.
It is understood she was born in
Chicago.

THAW HAD MAD FIT IN TRAIN

REIGN OF INSANE EXPERTS BEGINS

New York, Jan. 23. — Dr. Charles L.
Bailey, of Albany, N. Y., who arrived
in New York last night from the Island
of Jamaica, was called as the first wit-
ness in the Thaw case when court con-
vened at 10:20 a.m. today. Dr. Bailey
was called to attend Thaw on a New
York Central Railway train between
Hudson and Albany, in April, 1906.

"When I was called in to see him,"
said the witness, "Thaw was chatter-
ing something like: 'Shasta, Shasta,
Shasta; the Pennsylvania runs into the
New York Central.' He kept on repeat-
ing this for some time. His eyes were
bulging and he appeared unsteady. I
gave him a hypodermic of morphine
with the assistance of the porter. When
Thaw saw the syringe he said: 'Take
away that die stuff. I was very close
to him and could not detect the odor
of alcohol.'"

On cross-examination Dr. Bailey said
Thaw did not respond to his interroga-
tions, but rambled on incoherently. His
pulse was about 80.

"Did you ever see a man so drunk
he could not respond to your interroga-
tions?" demanded the district attorney.
"Yes."

The non-arrival of the steamer Advan-
tic early this morning upset the plans
of the defense somewhat, and prevented
the calling of several witnesses who
are expected from abroad.

Dr. Charles G. Wagner, of Bingham-
ton, N. Y., the alienist, who began his
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London's Octogenarian Citizen Sir John Carling's 80th Birthday

Veteran Statesman in Receipt of
Many Congratulations—Is
Alert in Mind and Body.

of intellect and memory as ever he
was.

John Carling's life has been a busy
one from childhood. As a boy he
worked on the farm in London Town-
ship on which he was born, and com-
ing to the city with his parents in
1828, he was indentured to a harness
and saddle manufacturer, completing
his five-years' apprenticeship. Shortly
afterwards, in company with his
brother, the late William Carling, he
started, in a small way, in the business
which now bears his name, and which
has grown to be one of the biggest
industrial establishments of the kind
in Canada.

It is as a public man, however,

that Sir John is best known.

After serving four years
as a member of the London
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