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LARGE NUMBER OF BALLOTS WERE REJECTED IN THE CITY AND COUNTY IN ELECTION

Sheriff Wilson Held Declaration Day Proceedings Yesterday
Afternoon — J. Roy Campbell, L. P. D. Tilley, F. L. Potts and Dr. Roberts in the City — Hon. Mr. Baxter and T. B. Carson in the County — Lack of Interest in Official Proceedings.

K—Large Number of Ballots
The extraordinary feature which developed at yesterday afternoon's declaration proceedings at Sheriff Wilson's court was the large number of spoiled ballots. No less than 319 electors in the city lost the privilege of exercising the franchise by reason of the fact that they marked their ballots improperly, while forty-nine electors in the county also failed to comply with the existing regulations and lost their vote. In Queens Ward alone there were fifty-four rejected ballots.

Sheriff Wilson opened his court yesterday afternoon promptly at 2.30 o'clock. Only two of the candidates, L. P. D. Tilley and Dr. J. Roy Campbell were in attendance, and the proceedings were of the usual formal character. In fact there was only a sufficient number of electors present to render the proceedings legal. The work of opening the ballot boxes for the city and county occupied

about an hour and a half. Sheriff Wilson was assisted by Deputy Sheriff Armstrong Clifford and Mr. Frank Bowes.

At the close of the proceedings, a vote of thanks, moved by Mr. Tilley and seconded by Dr. Campbell, was tendered to Sheriff Wilson for the fair and impartial manner in which he had conducted the election and the declaration proceedings. The sheriff replied in appropriate terms, stating that while the election had involved considerable important work on his part, he had acted on his own responsibility and had endeavored to give the candidates of each party fair treatment.

The result shows the election of Messrs. Campbell, Tilley, Potts and Roberts in the city, and Hon. J. B. M. Baxter and T. B. Carson in the county. The majorities were not materially affected by the official figures.

The vote was as follows:

	Tilley	Granman	Potts	Campbell	Barnaby	Roberts	Scully	Shepherd
Kings, No. 1.....	66	66	60	69	77	74	73	70
" No. 2.....	65	55	63	61	70	72	71	70
" No. 3.....	66	66	63	68	54	60	59	58
Wellington, No. 1.....	85	85	86	87	105	101	104	96
" No. 2.....	80	77	74	81	87	92	89	83
" No. 3.....	86	87	74	84	77	73	89	72
" No. 4.....	102	95	97	103	67	72	69	65
Prince, No. 1.....	73	72	66	72	88	87	89	86
" No. 2.....	70	73	80	75	89	94	92	92
" No. 3.....	79	73	74	78	62	65	64	64
" No. 4.....	93	90	90	91	110	110	117	107
" No. 5.....	75	75	74	81	81	78	95	86
Queens, No. 1.....	109	76	73	77	94	97	95	86
" No. 2.....	109	65	67	68	73	70	69	64
Dukes, No. 1.....	100	89	93	100	104	105	98	96
" No. 2.....	80	75	76	85	108	103	102	101
" No. 3.....	97	81	92	94	75	73	68	68
Sydney, No. 1.....	92	93	94	92	49	48	48	44
" No. 2.....	88	89	85	85	82	82	84	80
" No. 3.....	78	73	75	76	61	67	62	61
Guy, No. 1.....	112	106	113	113	72	78	77	72
" No. 2.....	96	90	96	97	58	61	59	58
" No. 3.....	92	85	95	95	53	54	53	52
Brooks, No. 1.....	74	73	77	75	88	90	90	87
" No. 2.....	59	55	58	58	77	77	72	76
Lorne, No. 1.....	99	90	102	99	92	104	92	88
" No. 2.....	99	90	95	98	99	110	101	95
" No. 3.....	109	105	108	110	112	128	120	107
Lansdowne, No. 1.....	89	82	85	85	88	103	96	90
" No. 2.....	98	101	100	96	78	86	83	75
" No. 3.....	86	76	83	83	100	108	99	92
" No. 4.....	92	88	91	92	66	72	69	66
Dufferin, No. 1.....	69	71	63	62	71	77	79	73
" No. 2.....	92	104	80	89	92	100	106	89
" No. 3.....	92	85	98	95	65	70	59	59
Victoria, No. 1.....	91	88	93	93	88	87	81	81
" No. 2.....	92	97	96	106	88	94	80	79
" No. 3.....	105	98	95	109	66	70	63	62
Stanley.....	100	90	108	98	79	87	79	81
Totals.....	3633	3483	3547	3695	3397	3543	3431	3236

ST. JOHN COUNTY.

	Baxter	Carson	Forster	Beattie
St. Martins, No. 1.....	65	61	96	95
St. Martins, No. 2.....	73	73	111	114
East St. John, No. 1.....	117	117	62	62
East St. John, No. 2.....	91	91	93	92
Loch Leonard.....	75	74	53	48
Black River.....	51	51	27	28
Fairville, No. 1.....	105	101	108	102
Fairville, No. 2.....	125	129	121	114
Lorneville.....	79	58	20	10
Beaconsfield, No. 1.....	95	91	50	46
Beaconsfield, No. 2.....	99	88	53	47
Midford.....	82	82	148	150
Dipper Harbor.....	50	27	23	24
Chance Harbor.....	18	17	11	11
Munquash.....	44	43	24	23
Totals.....	1141	1083	1000	966

CHOIR BOYS WERE HOSTS TO THE BOYS' CLUB.

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Mayor Hayes gave a short address to the boys and expressed great appreciation of the entertainment. A. M. Belding extended thanks to the visitors on behalf of the Boys' Club. W. P. Nobles and Mrs. A. M. Belding of the Playgrounds executive, were present, and also E. L. Rising, with Mr. Sutherland, of the Amherst Boot and Shoe Company, who expressed great appreciation of such work as is being carried on at the Boys' Club, treated the club with an abundance of cake, doughnuts and cocoa, served by the choir boys. The entertainment closed with the National Anthem, led by Black's Orchestra.

A DOZEN MEN ARRESTED.

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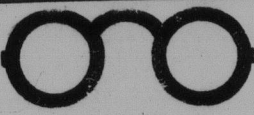
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Michael McKinnon and John Bastie were arrested on Pond street charged with being drunk and creating a disturbance.

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