

26**27****28**Nomination Day
deadline — 2:00 pm**29****30**Hearings at returning
offices for revision of
voters' lists
Last day for revision
of rural lists of voters**31****1**
FEBRUARY**2****11**

Advance Polls

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last day**13****14****15**Last day of voting in
the Office of the
Returning Officer**16**Advertising in print
and broadcasting by
parties and candi-
dates must cease at
midnight**17****18**ELECTION DAY
Polls open 9:00 am
to 8:00 pm local
times

□ The north to south distance of the three prairie provinces (Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta) and of British Columbia is about the same as from Cincinnati to Tampa.

The population density of Canada is approximately 6 people per square mile, whereas that of the United States is about 60.

According to the 1976 census, the ten largest metropolitan areas are:

1 Toronto (Ontario)	2,803,101
2 Montreal (Quebec)	2,802,485
3 Vancouver (British Columbia)	1,166,348
4 Ottawa-Hull (Ontario-Quebec)	693,288
5 Winnipeg (Manitoba)	578,217
6 Edmonton (Alberta)	544,228
7 Quebec (Quebec)	542,158
8 Hamilton (Ontario)	529,371
9 Calgary (Alberta)	469,917
10 St. Catharines-Niagara (Ontario)	301,921

In 1971 44.8% of the population of Canada, by ethnic group, was from the British Isles, 28.7% from France and 23% from elsewhere in Europe. In Quebec 4,867,250 people (81% of the population) spoke French as their mother tongue; three quarters of this number (3,668,020) spoke French only. In New Brunswick 215,723 people (34% of the population) had French as their mother tongue; in Ontario the figures were 482,000 people (6.3% of the population); and in Manitoba, 60,545 people (6.1% of the population).

Mother Tongue Nationwide (based on 1976 census data)

English	14,122,770	Netherlandic	114,760
French	5,887,205	Polish	99,845
Italian	484,050	Greek	91,530
German	476,715	Hungarian	69,300
Ukrainian	282,060	Scandinavian	59,410
Chinese	132,560	Indo-Pakistani	58,415
Portuguese	126,535	Other	803,675
Native Indian	117,105		

HAMMERS & SICKLES & RHINOS, TOO

In the last federal election nine registered political parties qualified under the Canada Elections Act to be eligible for partial reimbursement of broadcasting costs and subject to spending limits. In addition to the four parties that won seats in Parliament, the



also-rans were the Marxist-Leninist Party, the Communist Party of Canada, Parti Rhinocéros, Union Populaire and the Libertarian Party.

KEEP AN EYE ON THE MARGINAL SEATS

Fifty-one seats were won by a margin of less than 5 per cent in the May 22, 1979, election.

Riding	Winning Candidate	Margin of Victory (Votes)	(%)	Riding	Winning Candidate	Margin of Victory (Votes)	(%)
Newfoundland				Toronto Etobicoke-Lakeshore	Robinson (Lib)	747	1.635
Grand Falls	Rompkey (Lib)	1101	3.719	Toronto Etobicoke-North	MacLaren (Lib)	1642	3.172
Prince Edward Island				Toronto Parkdale	Flis (Lib)	74	.182
Cardigan	MacDonald (PC)	247	1.445	Toronto St. Paul's	Atkey (PC)	1212	2.788
Nova Scotia				Toronto Willowdale	Jarvis (PC)	2488	4.998
Cape Breton-The Sydneys	MacLellan (Lib)	851	2.411	Toronto York East	Ritchie (PC)	1281	2.635
Halifax	Cooper (PC)	24	.057	Toronto York-Scarborough	McCrossan (PC)	4019	4.948
South West Nova	Haliburton (PC)	111	.3	Welland	Parent (Lib)	498	1.157
New Brunswick				Windsor-Walkerville	MacGuigan (Lib)	1816	4.446
Saint John	Ferguson (PC)	673	2	Manitoba			
Quebec				Dauphin	Ritchie (PC)	469	1.655
Bellechasse	Lambert (SC)	1118	2.775	Selkirk-Interlake	Sargeant (NDP)	656	1.969
Missisquoi	Graffey (PC)	1815	4.79	Winnipeg-Ft. Garry	Axworthy (Lib)	483	1.055
Richmond	Tardif (Lib)	473	1.415	Winnipeg-St. James	Lane (PC)	893	2.776
Rimouski	Allard (SC)	109	.294	Saskatchewan			
Ontario				Assiniboia	Gustafson (PC)	1182	3.497
Essex-Kent	Daudlin (Lib)	1276	3.932	Humboldt	Richardson (PC)	385	1.15
Essex-Windsor	Whelan (Lib)	1790	3.888	Saskatoon East	Ogle (NDP)	1978	4.789
Guelph	Fish (PC)	1907	4.405	The Battlefords	Nylander (PC)	676	2.33
Kenora	Reid (Lib)	949	2.828	British Columbia			
London-Middlesex	Elliott (PC)	625	1.682	Burnaby	Robinson (NDP)	1485	2.866
London West	Buchanan (Lib)	512	.856	Cowichan	Taylor (PC)	1554	3.555
Niagara Falls	Froese (PC)	1371	3.398	Kootenay East	Graham (PC)	1616	5.1
Nickel Belt	Rodriguez (NDP)	1972	4.812	Mission-Port Moody	Rose (NDP)	2361	4.964
Ottawa Centre	Evans (Lib)	1030	2.087	Skeena	Fulton (NDP)	610	2.32
Ottawa West	Binks (PC)	1996	3.615	Vancouver Centre	Phillips (Lib)	95	.214
Sault Ste. Marie	Symes (NDP)	515	1.589	Vancouver East	Mitchell (NDP)	1175	3.66
Thunder Bay-Atikokan	McRae (Lib)	254	.742	Northwest Territories			
Timiskaming	Peters (NDP)	595	2.436	Nunatsiaq	Ittinuar (NDP)	76	1.465
Toronto Beaches	Richardson (NDP)	519	1.395	Western Arctic	Nickerson (PC)	233	2.018
Toronto Eglinton	Decorneille (Lib)	1665	3.705				