# British Election Standing: Ministerialists 112, Unionists 96

# RETURN OF LIBERAL GOVERNMENT IS ASSURED BY YESTERDAY'S POLLING

Including Belated Returns This Morning, Parties in British Election Stood Ministerialists 112 and Opposition 96, the Latter Making a Net Gain of Thirty Seats.

John Burns, Laborite Member of Cabinet, Augustine Birrell and McNamara All Elected Yesterday---Martin and Law, Canadians. Win. But Greenwood Is Defeated.



[Associated Press Cable.]

London, Jan. 18. — Complete returns from yesterday's elections for members of Parliament make the standing of the parties to date as follows:

Government Coalition—Liberals 79, Laborites 17, Irish-Nationalists 16.

Opposition-Unionists 96. Net Unionist gain, 30.

UNIONISTS GAINED FOURTEEN.

The Unionists gained 21 seats, the Liberals 5, and the Laborites 1, making a net gain for the Unionists for the day 15, the same number that they gained at the elections Saturday. The Unionists' greatest gains were in Portsmouth and Preston, where two seats in each were won. Lord Charles Beresford captured Portsmouth by a

great margin, carrying his running mate with him

show:
Midlands—Unionists 8, Liberals 6; Unionist gains, 4.

South of England—Unionists 11, Liberals 4; Unionist gains, 7. London—Unionists 18, Liberals 9; Unionist gains, 5; Liberal gains, 1. Lancashire, Yorkshire and North of England-Unionists 7, Liberals 24;

Scotland-Liberals 3. Wales-Liberals, 1.

A feature of the polling was the losses sustained by the Labor party, i half a dozen seats going to the Unionists, and one to a Liberal candidate. Will Crooks, the prominent, was among the fallen. GOVERNMENT MAJORITY ASSURED.

London, Jan. 17.—Mr. Lyons' special to the Toronto Globe says:

The Liberals are jubilant tonight. The industrial north has voted against food taxes most emphatically. The great centres of Yorkshire—Leeds, Bradford, Huddersfield—have given huge Liberal majorities. London has also returned more Liberals than anyone anticipated. The changes are mostly in the small boroughs in the south and the Midlands.

It is now certain that the Government will have a clear majority conservatives and Nationalists. This will be much better than having to depend upon the co-operation of the Irish members in the re-passing of the budget. The Nationalists opposed the heavier taxes on spirits when the budget was going through the House of Commons before dissolution, and they will probably do so again in the interests of the Irish distilling industry. GREENWOOD DEFEATED.

Canadians fared better at the polls today than was anticipated, though Hamar Greenwood went down in York, a double-barrelled constituency. The seat formerly held by him goes to Rowntree, his running mate, and the second seat to Butcher, a Unionist. H. Riley Smith, the Unionist brewer, was at the bottom of the poll. Defeat by 104 votes by no means involves Greenwood's eclipse—a seat is sure to be found for him.

London, Jan. 17 .- At the conclusion of today's polling in the general election, the parties stood as follows:

Unionists 92. Liberals and Labor 93.

Total gains for the Unionists 29.

The Government fared much better today than its most ardent supporters expected. The Unionists gained nineteen seats, the Liberals four, and the Laborites one, making a net gain for the Unionists of 14, one less than

they gained at the elections on Saturday.

This practically assures the return of the Liberal power with a fair majority, for among the places still to poll are those in Scotland and Wales, which are solid Liberal.

BURNS WON HANDILY.

There were few surprises today. Some expected that John Burns, president of the local government board, would be defeated in Battersea division of Battersea and Clapham, but he won handily. Other successful officials were: Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for C. E. Hobhouse, financial secretary to the treasury in Bristol, and

majorities were considerably reduced. John Burns, of Battersea, comes back to Parliament with flying colors. Although in the great landslide of 1906, he won by 1,600 votes, his normal majority is about 200, and in today's hard-fought battle he beat A. Shir-

Dr. T. J. McNamara, secretary to the admiralty in Camberwell. The Irish

#### ley Benn, the Unionist, by 555. SCOTTISH COUNTIES

#### Also One Welsh in Yesterday's "RATS IN THE ROOF, Voting and Result Is Significant.

and three Scottish constituencies voted yesterday, and all returned Liberals by enormous majorities. This is regarded as significant of the Ministerial sweep which is due when the returns from Wales and Scotland

In Swansea, is a member of the Mond family who have extensive interests in the nickel mining industry at Sudreturn thus far from Wales. It is significant that he largely increased night, were arraigned in court today and were discharged with a caution

In Aberdeen City, North, the Liberal doubled his Unionist opponent's vote. In Paisley a similar result is chronicled, while in Perth City, the only other Scottish constituency which voted yesterday, the phenomenal Liberal majority of 1,007 in 1906 is increased to 1,737. It looks like a Min-discovered the women hidden in the

isterial sweep in Wales and Scotland. roof and arrested them on a charge of Lord Robert Cecil, the third son of disorderly conduct. Lord Salisbury, went down to defeat in Blackburn, where Sir T. Barclay,

Canada, who ran in the Unionist interest in Central Bradford, was de-RETURNED LIBERALS | feated by 2,200. The Right Holling Liberal, re-elected in East to the

# HEAR THEM SQUEAL"

#### London, Jan. 18. — Only one Welsh Lloyd-George's Remark. Upon Being Interrupted by Suffragettes.

Louth, Jan. 17.—Bertha Brewster and Emily Huson, two suffragettes Mr. A. Mond, the Liberal elected who hid in a false roof of the town hall bury, Ontario. His victory is the only chequer Lloyd-George on Saturday

MINE CASE DECISION.

Liberal, wrested the seat from him by a majority of over 3,300. This was the most significant of the Liberal gains of yesterday. Lord Howick. town of Cobatt, and of the Bruce mines against the town of Bruce. Toronto, Jan. 17.-Chancellor Boyd



JOHN BURNS. Labor Member of the British Cabinet Elected Yesterday After a Strenuous Contest.

#### THREE MORE IRISH M. P.'S

Elected This Morning by Acclamation -Belated English Returns.

London, Jan. 18.-Yesterday's results were completed with the count this morning in six districts, to which total for East Mayo, J. G. Swift MacNeill for South Donegal, and Mr. W. R. Nugent for Southwest Meath.

his morning, the Unionists gained two the adjoining borough of Salford. in Sunderland, where J. Knott and S. In the Northwest Division of Man-Storey turned out the Right Hon. J. The Unionists' greatest gains were in Portsmouth and Preston, where two Its in each were won. Lord Charles Beresford captured Portsmouth by at margin, carrying his running mate with him.

INDICATIONS OF FEELING.

From returns so far received the results by well-defined with Midlands—Unionists 8, Liberals 6; Unionist gains, 4.

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on-Tyne, which thus reverts to its ago.

Following were the results in the arious constituencies in yesterday's olling, showing gains:

LIBERALS. Camberwell (North). Finsbury (East). Shoreditch (Haggerston), gain. Shoreditch (Hoxton), gain. St. Pancras (East).

Pancras North). West Ham (South). Scotland.

Aberdeen City (North). Paisley. Perth City.

Wales. Swansea Town. England.

Blackburn (two seats), gain one. Bradford (Central). Bradford East). Bradford (West). Bristol (East). Bristol (North). Bristol (South),

Carlisle. Gatehead, gain. Huddersfield. Hull (East). Hull (West). Leeds (Central). Leeds (East). Leeds (North). Leeds (South).

Leeds (West). Leicester (two). Newcastle-under-Lyme Norwich (two seats). Oldham (two seats). Peterborough. Sheffield (Attercliffe). Sheffield (Brightside). Stockport (two seats). Stockton, gain. Tynemouth Warrington.

Wigan. UNIONISTS ELECTED. London. City of London (two seats).

Camberwell (Dulwich). Camberwell (Peckham). Clapham. Croydon. Finsbury (Central), gain. Finsbury (Holborn). Greenwich, gain, Hammersmith. Kensington, gain. Kensington (South). Lewisham. Marylebone (East). Marylebone (West).

Paddington (North), gain.

Paddington (South).

St. Pancras (South)-Gain, Strand. Woolwich-Gain. London University.

Cheltenham-Gain Chester. Christchurch-Gain. Colchester—Gain. Great Yarmouth, Hereford.

Hull (Centre)

# BISHOP FALLON WAS TENDERED FRONT BENCH POL FAREWELL DINNER AT BUFFALO

Priest Who Has Been Named to Succeed Bishop McEvay Was Honored Last Night by the Sedate Club-Prominent Bullalonians Were Present.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 18.-The Rev. M. F. Fallon, pastor of the Holy Angels' Charles H. Colton, bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Buffalo; the Rev Church, of this city, who was recent-lisrael Aaron, the Rev. Andrew V ly appointed to the Bishopric of London, Ont., was the guest of honor last on, Ont., was the guest of honor last night at a farewell dinner given by the Sedate Sixteen of the University and a number of others.

Club in the club's rooms. It was an informal affair and every-one spent a most enjoyable evening. Unlike affairs of its kind the dinner was devoid of lengthy speechmaking, but many of those present spared no words in wishing Father Fallon Godspeed in his new field of labor.

"Sedate Sixteen." sional men, and a large number re-sponded to President Foster's invita-tion to the dinner to Father Fallon.

After a general wishes directed to affair terminated.

#### UNIONISTS PESSIMISTIC OVER LANCASHIRE VOTE

#### Tariff Reformers Had Concentrated on That County and Deleat Was Bitter.

Manchester, Jan. 17.-The results in Lancashire, the home of Great Bri- APPEAL is added the unopposed return of Lancashire, the home of Great Bri-Unionist Robert T. O'Neill for Mid-tain's cotton industry, is disappointing Antrim, and Nationalists John Dillon to the tariff reform party, who exrected to do considerably better. The most important of the fights' were for Of the six English returns announced six seats in Manchester and three in

when he qualified the attitude of his papers.

Against this loss the Liberals captured a Unionist seat for Newcostletured a Unionist seat for Newcastle-sational general election four years

again returned

s unbounded, and there is also great is to blame."

The scenes in the street following NIAGARA POWER OFFICE the declaration at the polls were very exciting, and surpassed as indications of popular fervor even the remarkepisodes which characterized t's struggle of four years ago Unionists are now pessimistic about

the results of the elections in other constituencies outside of Lancashire, as they had concentrated their efforts on that county, which holds the key to the electoral position of the counry, and make no secret of their disappointment at the figures of the

POLLINGS ON TUESDAY. Bethnal Green N. E Bethnal Green S. W.

Deptford. St. George's Hanover Square.

Southwark, West Division.

Bermondsey Division. Rotherhithe Division. Birkenhead. Boston. Brighton. Dewsbury.

Kidderminster. Tower Hamlets-Bow and Bromley Division. Limehouse Div. Mile End Division. Poplar Division. St. George's in the East Division. Stepney. Whitechapel.

Liverpool-Abercromby Division. West Toxteth Division. Everton. Exchange. Kirkdale. Scotland. Walton. West Derby. East Toxteth.

Maidstone. Merthyr Tydvil. Middlesborough. Northampton. Nottingham East. South.

" West. Sh‡ffield—Attercliffe Division. Brightside Division. Central Division. Eccleshall. Hallam. South Shields.

Stockport. Warwick and Leamington. Sussex County. Edinburgh West. Central.

East. South. Cork City.

"BABY BLISS" INSANE.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 18.-Leonard Bliss, etter know as "Baby Bliss," at one ime supposed to be the largest man in the United States, was brought from his home in Bloomington last night to the Peoria Hospital at South Bartonville, hopelessly insane. Bliss

# Among those present with Father Fallon and President Foster were: Charles H. Colton, bishop of the Ca-

Toast to Father Fallon.

The dinner was also the occasion of the presentation to the club by ex-President Dr. C. Sumner Jones, of a handsome loving cup, capable of hold-The Sedate Sixteen is composed of cup was filled with cider and passed large number of Buffalo's profes-

# DRUGGIST FINED

### Sold Liquor to an Indian Lister But Did it Unwittingly.

TO REMIT

Druggist Was Imposed Upon by Lister Who Was Formerly Drug Clerk and Knew the Ropes.

A local druggist was fined \$100 and

Magistrate Speaks.

"I regret that under the stances, I have to find you guilty for Salford, and Ashton Bur, and court told the druggist. "I know that Rechdale also emained true to the you conduct a most respectable busi-Cobdenite traditions, but at Burnley ness, and have not the slightest wish the tariff reformers were successful, to break the law. Under the circumbecause the Liberal was opposed by a Socialist, who, thanks to the active drop the prosecution, but I am sure that the Counters of Warwick. support of the Countess of Warwick, that both Inspector Galpin and Crown rolled more than 4.000 votes.

The delight of the free traders at the defeat of Winston Churchill's conqueror in Northwest Manchester by the prescription in the way he did

# MUST BE PROVIDED

Report on Closing of City Hall Auditorium Will Be Presented Shortly.

ing the city ball and furnishing offices upstairs, will be submitted to the city council shortly ouncil shortly. The necessity of a department for the

Niagara power business, and the crowded condition of the offices at the city hall, is attracting the notice of the aldermen and already material is being collected for a report upon the feasibility of furnishing more room up-More room is necessary, and it is

### DORCHESTER PEOPLE WANT A RECOUNT

#### Not Satisfied With the Result of the Local Option Vote.

A protest was lodged yesterday afternoon against the local option vote in the township of Dorchester, and a recount will be granted. Judge Macbeth, before whom the recount will be conducted, will set the date of the inquiry this afternoon. Mr. J. M. McEvoy is acting for the appealing.

parties. There are a number of the representatives of both sides of the question in the city today. It is firmly stated by the advocates of the meas ure, that even should the recount go against them, they will see to it that there are no licenses granted in the township.

There is some uncertainty over the result, owing to the judges decision, that the carrying out of the threefifths clause necessitates that the winning party shall hold three-fifths of every vote cast; in other words, that they must hold that proportion, not only for counting votes, but for every spoiled ballot as well. An appeal for a recount was also received from the town of Strathrov at 9:30 last night. It is not yet known

FRANCHISES REPEALED.

when this appeal will be heard.

Fate of Churchill. Buxton, Runciman, Robson and Lyttleton Will Be Decided in British Polling Today—All Appear Certain of Re-Election.

(Special to The Advertiser.)

London, Jan. 18.—The Government forces fought more on the defensive today than heretofore, as of the 46 seats for which polling was in progress they held all but ten in the last

The front bench politicians, whose fates will be decided ing one-half gallon.

Immediately afterward President today, are Winston Spencer Churchill, for Dundee; Sydney C. Foster proposed a toast to the health and success of Father Fallon, and the Buxton, for the Poplar division of Tower Hamlets; Walter Buxton, for the Poplar division of Tower Hamlets: Walter Runciman, for Dewsbury; Sir William Snowden Robson, for After a general handshake and good South Shields, Liberals, and Alfred Lyttelton, for St. George's, wishes directed to Father Fallon, the Hanover Square, the former Conservative minister. All of these appear certain of re-election. The representation for Bermondsey, where John Dumphreys scored a victory in the by-election of October last, was thrown in the melting pot and, \$100 AND COSTS as Dumphreys this time meets an undivided opposition, the seat may revert to Liberalism.

BALLOTING AT LIVERPOOL.

Immense interest attaches to the balloting at Liverpool,

whose nine divisions are polling today. T. P. O'Connor, Nationalist, for the Scotland division, is regarded as invincible. F. E. Smith, a tariff reform stalwart, II is having a hard fight in the Walton division, while the Unionists talk of defeating the Right Honorable J. E. B. Seeley, a under secretary for the colonies, in the Abercrombie division. With the exception of five seats. London completes its

elections with today's fourteen contests. J. Kier Hardie, Labor candidate for Merthyr-Tydfil, is among the interesting persons whose anxieties will be over

## BAREBACK RIDER HAD CLOSE CALL

Almost an Accident at "Polly of the Circus Last Night

REALISTIC WORK

Many of the Audience at the Grand Thought It a Part of the

Play. joy in the free trade camp at the retention of East Manchester, which was won for Mr. Balfour, the leader of the Unionist party, in 1906.

The correction of East Manchester, which the department at once by Mr. John A stumbling horse in the circus scene of "Polly of the Circus," given at the Grand last evening cave an undesirable touch of reality to the play and created a break in the scene. Madame Lizzie Siebert was riding a fine big horse on the stage as "Polly's" understudy, when the animal suddenly stumbled and fell. The woman was

> crashed through the wood curbing too close to the edge of the stage for com Several of the men seized the animal and placed it on its feet. Madame Sie A report on the advisability of clos-

thrown on to the stage, and the hors

The Play. sumptuously staged, 'well-acted Continued on Page Eight.

### TWO ALLEGED ROBBERS PLEADED NOT GUILTY

expected that plans for remodelling the building will be submitted shortly with Densmore and McDonald Were Remanded Until Tomorrow for Trial.

> Robert Densmore and Thomas Me-Robert Densmore and Thomas and superstruction will be considered, and a department will be considered.
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> \*20 and also of \$5 in cash and of stealing goods valued at \$5.60 from the right to exercise his prevention to the province of the continuation of the Thomas Tiplady, appeared before state that the state Love this morning and pleaded may ensue.
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> Cut Mayor's Salary.

the court that he hadn't had a drink ed on the subject, but no unanimary of since the day of the Irishman's picnic, opinion has developed on the matter, was told to go and stay on the wagon. It was expected that something Gladys McConnell, the little Irish girl who has been on remand for stealing, was bailed to appear a week not forthcoming. It may come later, from Saturday.

### THE BRITISH ELECTION RESULTS COME SLOWLY

First Word Did Not Reach the City Until Eleven o'Clock Last Night.

Londoners interested in the British first word of the results reach this city Cleveland, O., Jan. 18.—The subway and even then they were maccurate.

The Advertiser had arranged a spein the lake region and over the Western
Provinces, and the pressure is laglest
of Mayor Tom L. Johnson's adfranchise, passed as almost the last the Advertiser had attacked as almost the pressure is had attacked as almost the last the pressure is had attacked as almost the last the pressure is had attacked as almost the last the pressure is had attacked as almost the last the pressure is had attacked as almost the last the pressure is had attacked as almost the last the pressure is had attacked as almost the pressure in the pressure in the pressure is had attacked as almost the pressure in the pressure in the pressure is had attacked as almost the pressure in the pressure in the pressure is had attacked as almost the pressure in the pressure in the pressure in the pressure in the pressure is had attacked as almost the pressure in the pressure i Bartonville, hopelessly insane. Bliss weighed 525 pounds when placed on the scales at the asylum. During the bicycle craze he rode a wheel over the United States and Europe as a people in November, but the franchises the United States and Europe as a people in November, but the franchises the United States and Europe as a people in November, but the franchises the bulletins. No guarantee as to when the returns will be received can evaluate the condition of the wires it was interposable to secure satisfactory results.

Owing to the uncertainty of the servection of light rains or snow, which fell over the bulletins. No guarantee as to weather vesterday in Canada was generally fair and for the most part company. demonstrator of the make of a main slightly altered form were passed when the returns will be received can erally
chine. He is 27 years old.

again by the Johnson administration, be given by the telegraph offices.

### Brother-in-Law of Londoner

who was elected vesterday by a er.Mr. McCallum defeated his of ponent, Capt. Campbell, by 6.81; votes to 3.850, Scotland is doing handsomely for the Liberal party in its light for the people against the land monopoly. Mr. McCallium's victory is all fluence of the J. & C. Coats thread mills, a gigantic concern. voters to vote against the Liberals, but the operatives apparently exercised their own judgment and returned Mr. McCal

### **COUNCIL MAY TAKE** OVER THE APPOINTMENTS

Disposition to Exercise Authority in the Matter of Assessment Officials.

There is a disposition to dispute t uthority of Mayor Beattle to ap oint the assistants in the assessment ommissioner's department. For many years the mayor has acment on the suggestion and reconsmendation of the assessment commis-

of placing the appointments in the hands of the council, and will make an effort to have this done. At the next regular meeting of the finance committee the matter of creating a new office in the commissioner's

The crown was not ready to go on with the case and an adjournment was been a movement under way for so time to cut the mayor's salary down.

### THE WEATHER

TOMORROW-FAIR AND COLD.

FORECASTS.
Toronto, Jan. 18-8 a.m
Today-Strong winds and gales, was: Today-Strong winds and gades, northwest; rain, turning to snow; ing much colder tonight

Wednesday-Fair and cold.

TEMPERATURES. Stations. Stations, Saim.
Calgary 26
Port Arthur 34 Toronto ...... Montreal ..... Londoners interested in the British elections yesterday were greatly disappointed last night because of the fact that not until nearly 11 o'clock did the Parry Sound or Ottawa this Whiniper, WEATHER NOTES.

Marked depressions exist this merning