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Western Ontario Ridings Have Seen Many Changes In Recent Political Fights

Electors Changed Allegiance
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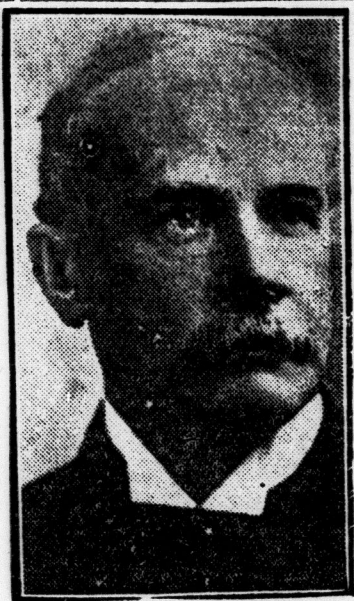
CHANGE BOUNDARIES

Reciprocity, War-Time Vote,
Third Party Entry, Changed
Complexion.

There is no past general election in Canada with which the one today can fairly be compared. The election of 1911 is the nearest, but in 1911 the women did not have the vote and their having it now is an important factor in the results. The election of 1917 was not a test of parties, and the contest of 1921 twisted old party lines completely out of shape by the entry of a third powerful group in Canadian politics. The importance of the women's vote can be realized by the tremendous increase in the total vote in all ridings in 1921, as compared with 1911. The summary of Western Ontario ridings which follows shows the results of 1911, when constituencies usually strongly Liberal went Conservative by a very few votes when the Conservative party swept Canada on the reciprocity move. In 1921 many of these ridings went back to the Liberals, and some that had been always Conservative returned to Liberals. It is this swing of ridings which changes governments.

Many See Change.
It is interesting to notice that most constituencies changed their political stripe at least once in the past fifteen years. Some of them change nearly every election, and a few remain consistently steadfast to party through governments tumble and parties are nearly wiped out. The following summary of ridings shows the trend of political action in Western Ontario since 1911.

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Unionist in 1917 and Progressive in 1921. Previous to 1911 it was Liberal, being represented by Hon. William Patterson, a member of the Laurier cabinet, who was defeated by J. H. Fisher, now Senator. It was one of the few ridings which had a three-cornered contest in 1917, when H. Cockshutt, the present lieutenant-governor of Ontario, was an independent candidate. In 1917 they were won out by a small majority. He did not run in 1921, when in another three-cornered contest W. C. Good, Farmer, was elected. Mr. Good declined to run in this election, and the fight is between Franklin Smoke, Conservative, and E. H. Standing, Progressive. In 1917, W. F. Cockshutt, sometimes referred to as the high priest of protection, defeated T. H. Fisher, the former Liberal candidate of the legislature. Mr. Cockshutt won again in 1917, but was badly defeated in 1921 by W. G. Raymond, who is again

the candidate against R. E. Ryerson, Conservative.
In North Bruce Col. Hugh Clark, the Conservative winner in 1911 and again in 1917, is again the Conservative candidate against Malcolm, Liberal, who won in 1921 by about 500 over the Farmer, who was second. Col. Clark was more than 1,000 votes behind the Farmer. In this contest there are again three candidates.

Had Taste of Three.
South Bruce has had a mixture of all three parties in its representation since 1911. In the reciprocity election the Conservative, J. J. Donnelly, now senator, won by 97. In a by-election in 1913 it was won by R. E. Trux, Liberal, who held it in 1917, but lost to J. W. Findlay, Progressive. In 1921, with the Conservative candidate 1,600 votes behind.

West Elgin has been continuously Conservative since 1911, when T. W. Crothers, who went into the Borden government, was elected by about 1,000 majority. He held the seat in 1917, and in 1921 Hugh C. McKillop, Conservative, won by 1,000 more than his nearest opponent in a three-cornered contest. He was, however, 2,000 short of the combined votes of the Liberal and Progressive candidates. In this election there are only Liberal and Conservative in the field. The Essex county ridings are considerably changed this election, the county being given three members instead of two. In 1911 the Conservative in East Essex won by about 140, and the Liberal won in what was then South Essex by 199. In 1917 the late W. C. Kennedy, Liberal, carried North Essex by nearly 400, and J. W. Brien, Unionist, carried South Essex by nearly 200. In 1921 Mr. Kennedy carried the north riding by more than 7,000 and Geo. P. Graham, Liberal, carried the south by more than 600. In this election there are the ridings of South Essex, where Mr. Graham is again the Liberal candidate, West Essex, which contains much of the district formerly represented by Mr. Kennedy, and East Essex, which contains parts of both old ridings.

Only Two Now.
North Grey was Conservative in 1911 and 1917. In the last election there was a three-cornered contest, the Conservative winning by 283 from the Progressive. He had a minority of 2,400 of the four votes cast. In this election there are only Conservative and Progressive candidates.

In 1911 the present riding of South-East Grey was two ridings, South Grey and East Grey. Both went Conservative in 1911, the south by majority of a few votes, and the east by several hundred. In 1917 the ridings were joined and the Conservative won by 800. In 1921 Agnes East Grey was two ridings, South Grey over her nearest opponent in a three-cornered contest. In this election MacPhail had more than 2,000 majority. A Conservative had only one opponent, a Conservative.

The present riding of North Huron in 1911 was two ridings, East and West Huron. In 1911, both Conservatives won by small majorities. In 1917 they were joined and the Unionist won by 2,000. In 1921 J. H. King, Progressive, won by more than 1,000 from George Spotton, Conservative, who is again the candidate of that party. There were three candidates in 1921, the Liberal being third. There are only two in this election, the Progressive having Liberal support.

Three Run Again.
South Huron was Conservative in 1911 by 124 and the Unionist in 1917 by 543. In 1921 the Progressive won by 44 from the Liberals, with the Conservative running third. In this election there are again three candidates.

Kent had two ridings in 1911 and both went Liberal. In 1917 the ridings were combined and A. R. McColg, now senator, won for the Liberals by more than 1,000. In 1921 Mr. McColg again won in a contest against two other candidates by nearly 4,000. Three are in the field at this election.

East Lambton was Conservative in 1911 and Unionist in 1917. In 1921 it went Progressive by nearly 1,000 in a straight contest. In this election the riding has a three-cornered contest for the first time in many years. In 1911 in West Lambton, F. F. Pardee, now senator, defeated R. V. Lesueur by 29 votes. He won again in 1917 by nearly 3,000 and lost in 1921, when he ran third in a field of three, Mr. Lesueur having 800 over the Progressive, his nearest contender.

East Middlesex was Conservative in 1911 by 661 and Unionist in 1917 by 1,457. It went Progressive in 1921 by 796 with three candidates running. There are three again.

In West Middlesex.
In 1911 West Middlesex was Liberal by 71 and again in 1917 by 399. It went Progressive in 1921 by more than 1,500 with three candidates in the field. Three are again running.

The present riding of Norfolk-Elgin up until this election was two ridings, Norfolk and East Elgin. Norfolk was Liberal in 1911 by 118 and East Elgin was Conservative by 894. In 1917 both ridings elected supporters of the Union government by fairly large majorities. Between the 1917 and 1921 elections there was a by-election in East Elgin, which was won by the Progressive in a field of three, by 251. In 1921 East Elgin returned a Conservative by 68 majority, again in a three-cornered contest. In 1921 Norfolk-Elgin was won by the Progressive in a field of three, by 754 with only two candidates running. In the combined riding this election, the Liberals and Progressives are united against the Conservative.

North Oxford was Liberal in 1911 by 295 and Unionist in 1917 by more than 700 and Liberal in 1921, in a contest with the field by 163. South Oxford was Conservative in 1911 by 24; Unionist in 1917 by 1,312 and Conservative in 1921 by 879. The combined votes of the two opponents, however, was more than 2,000 above that polled by the Conservative.

North Perth was Conservative in 1911 by 497 and Unionist in 1917 by 800 and Liberal in 1921 by 756. South Perth went Conservative in 1911 by 82, Unionist in 1917 by 67, and Liberal in 1921 by 251. It was a three-cornered battle.

The Waterloos.
In 1911 North Waterloo went Conservative, the present Prime Minister being defeated by 315. In 1917 the Liberal won by 1,864 and again in 1921 by 2,472. South Waterloo was Conservative in 1911 by 853 and Unionist in 1917 by 2,787. In 1921 the riding went Progressive by 800, in a straight fight against the Conservative. It is the same kind of a battle this time.

South Wellington has a peculiar situation. The member in the last

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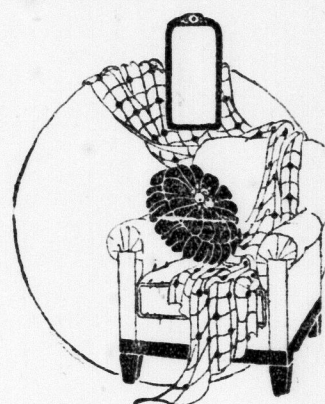
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RUSSIA CHARGES BIG PLOT AGAINST RULE OF SOVIET

By JUNIUS B. WOOD.
Special Cable to The Advertiser and the Chicago Daily News.

Moscow, Oct. 28.—The sensational charges have been made here that a powerful European state, working through Estonia, is plotting to dynamite military establishments and railroad connections in the Petrograd district. This follows wholesale arrests of alleged Estonian spies. According to the Soviet political police, the Estonian general staff sent spies into Russia with orders to secure information regarding military and political conditions there. Papers carried requests from the stronger power to prepare for the working of various government projects.

UNITED STATES SENATOR ADVISES STRONGER NAVY

Philadelphia, Oct. 28.—The United States navy should be brought up to the ratio allowed by the naval limitations treaty, United States senator George Wharton Pepper declared yesterday in a Navy Day address. Senator Pepper declared that "We now have a navy which, consistent with the treaty, or may be made the equal of the British navy."