

PARISH ELECTIONS A GREAT VICTORY FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT

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Excellent Organization at the Polls and General Satisfaction at the Result—Only Three Members of Old Municipal Council Will be Found at Board After January 1—Big Turnover in Parish of Simonds.

The result of the elections in the parishes yesterday was a great victory for the Local Government. Every ticket supporting the highway policy of the Local Government was returned by large majorities.

As a result of the elections Henry Skillington of Silver Falls, Fred Stephenson of Golden Grove and Thos. B. Carson of Black River, three new men, will represent the parish of Simonds in the new municipal council.

In St. Martin's William Smith, Coun. C. Fred Black and John Howard defeated Warden Robert Connelly and Dr. Creamer.

In Musquash, Coun. William J. Dean and James J. Corcoran easily defeated Wm. J. Mclurg and Ed. Edward Hanson.

The winning ticket had the better organization. For the first time automobiles put in their appearance at the election.

One prominent liberal who asked why he was not supporting Donovan and his gang replied, "We want an honest man for the highway act."

An amusing incident occurred at Kane's corner after the result of poll No. 1 was announced.

In all the parishes the election passed off quietly.

ELECTIONS IN KENT COUNTY

Seventeen Conservatives and Five Liberals Compose New Council Board—Richibucto Goes Dry by Small Majority

Special to The Standard. Moncton, Oct. 17.—The Kent county municipal elections took place today.

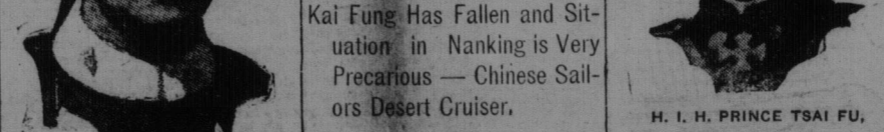
The contest was not on political lines as a rule, but the result is the election of 17 Conservatives and 5 Liberals.

Scene of Chinese Uprising



THE REBELS IN CHINA CAPTURE ANOTHER CITY

Kai Fung Has Fallen and Situation in Nanking is Very Precarious—Chinese Sailors Desert Cruiser.



GERMAN TROOPS ARRIVE

Peking, Oct. 17.—The acting U. S. consul at Nanking telegraphed the American legation here today that the fall of Nanking was imminent.

METHODISTS HEARD PLEAS FOR A UNION

Organic Union Favored but Actual Fusion Condemned by One Speaker—Coronation Ceremonies Criticized.

Toronto, Oct. 17.—The ranks of the Ecumenical conference showed signs of heavy defection at the last morning session.

THE WESTERN MINE STRIKE

Fernie, B. C., Oct. 17.—Negotiations between miners and operators said to be at a standstill against neither operators or miners have any news of progress being made.

A TRUE PROPHECY

A correspondent at Canterbury Station sends to The Standard the following interesting item:

When Mr. J. Kidd Fleming, newly Premier of New Brunswick was teaching at school near Canterbury Station, about twenty-one years ago, he said in one of his many public speeches.

PLACING THE MINISTERS.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Oct. 17.—Geo. Gordon Nipissing was in town today and spent today with Mr. Cochrane.

OFFICIAL RETURNS OF THE CANADIAN CENSUS ARE A DISAPPOINTMENT

Canada's Growth in the Past Ten Years Not as Large as There Was Reason to Expect.

Western Cities and Towns Show Great Gains While the Eastern Cities Did Little More than Hold Their Own—St. John's Population Shows Slight Increase Over 1901—Moncton Shows Greatest Gain in Province.

Ottawa, Oct. 17.—Four electoral districts have not yet made complete returns, viz.: Cumberland, In Nova Scotia; Regina, and Battledore, in Saskatchewan, and Yale-Cariboo in British Columbia, which are estimated to give a population of 70,000.

The population of the cities and towns reported may be changed slightly on revision but it is thought it may be accepted as correct.

Table showing population statistics for various provinces and cities, including Ontario, Quebec, Alberta, and British Columbia.

THE ITALIANS ARE DEFEATED BY THE TURKS

Reconnoitering Force Badly Beaten Outside of Tripoli—Cut off from Their Base by Turkish Troops.

London, Oct. 17.—A dispatch to the Chronicle from Constantinople says the Italian army expedition in Tripoli suffered serious reverse outside Tripoli.

BOYS ARRAIGNED ON A SERIOUS CHARGE

Sussex, Oct. 17.—Ora Keith, Irvine Alward, Walter Gindoff, Frank Mills, and James Coates, the boys who were charged with having been connected with discharging a shot into the house of Fred H. Alward, Havlock, were put upon their preliminary examination here yesterday.

GARBAGE REMOVAL SCHEME HELD UP

Officials of the Board of Health are somewhat annoyed at the delay which has arisen in connection with the proposition to make provision for the collection and removal of household garbage as a civic enterprise.

FAMOUS ENGINEER IN CANADA

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 17.—Sir William H. White, the famous naval engineer passed through here yesterday over the lines of the G. T. P. of which he is a director.

At any rate nothing has yet been done providing for the calling on tenders to remove the garbage under conditions such as the contractors would take up the work as willing to accept.