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GOVERNMENT IS DEFEATED

Result of the Elections Throughout the Province is the Downfall of Premier Martin and His Party.

Two of His Ministers Will Lose Their Deposits --Victoria Elects the Straight Opposition Ticket.

Joseph Martin will not build a railway | ers of the different parties were astir with the people's money for some time early and shortly after the polls were to come, nor will he have an opportunity opened the voters commenced assemto pass any more experimental legisla- bling. The procession to the booths went The electors of the province yes- on all through the day, and the best of terday pronounced against him, his pol- good feeling prevailed. The crowd around the market building icy and his government in no uncertain erms. Of the thirty odd Martin candipeople only seven were returned, among which was calculated to create trouble. those who went down being two cabinet This was the arbitrary and outrageous ninisters, Hon. J. S. Yates, who ran in act of the agents of the government can-Victoria as well as in Nanaimo, and didates in challenging a number of voters the Hon. G. W. Beebe, whose first con- and having them photographed. Only est for a seat in the legislature ended in the ignorance of the gentlemen so treatisaster, he, like Mr. Yates in Nanaimo, ed prevented them from protesting and numerous other Martin candidates, against this mode of treatment, it being explained by lawyers that there was no expected, but nobody was doing much sing about the result in Vancouver, there being so many candidates in the field. The government ran a little stronger in Victoria than the betting men thought they would. In Esquimalt the two government candidates lose their deposits, their only consolation being that one of their opponents, Mr. Higgins, did likewise. Mr. Eberts more than held his own in his old constituency, South Victoria, his majority being substantially increased. Much regret will be expressed at the defeat of Mr. John Bryden in North Nanaimo, he being recognized as one of the most useful members of the legislature, Mr. James Dunsmuir has been backed by his employees in South Nanaimo, and the expectations are that his majority will be increased eing so many candidates in the circular the practice was stopped.

sembled outside the iron gates at the chimer elected on the sland was Mr. McInnes.

On the Mainland Mr. Martin fared a little better, electing four members on the Lower Mainland, including himself and his finance minister, Mr. Brown, of New Westminster, the others being Mr. Oliver in Delta, and Mr. Gilmour in Vancouver. Hon. Smith Curtis defeated C. H. Mackintosh in Rossland, and E. C. Smith, the other Martinite, hails from Southeast Kootenay. Mr. Smith's election was somewhat of a surprise, as it was thought that Mr. Fernie would certainly earry that constituency.

The Cotton party has suffered nearly as badly as the Martinites, the leader and his chief lieutenauts, Forster and Desne, being caught in the avalanche of votes, in fact there will be but three menwho ran as supporters of Mr. Cotton in the next legislature. Ralph Smith, the labor leader, was himself elected but will have no followers in the house. But four of the party likes Conservatives were elected, these including Mr. K. McBrids, who has always been a supporter of the present opposition. There are two Independents, Messrs. Green and Houston, both uncompromising opponents of Mr. Myartin.

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IN VICTORIA.

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Although no official announcement was made at the close of the poll by Returning Officer Tubman, as near as could be ascertained the result was as follows:

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had come down from the upper country on business, he said; there were several matters which required attention, and until this had been done he did not care Dr. McKechnie was equally non-com

Dr. McKechnie was equally non-communicative to the press, though he talked freely to the reporter. In his opinion the situation was too complex to admit of a judicious estimate of the result of the elections. Asked as to whether it was not likely that Ralph Smith would be called upon to form a government, the Doctor replied that he would not be at all surprised if the Governor should so decide; and he further expressed the belief that in that event Mr. Smith's 209 Fourteen places to hear from. DEWDNEY. lief that in that event Mr. Smith's chances for success would not be entirely

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It is known that Hon. J. C. Brown, finance minister, entered the cabinet on the distinct understanding that in the event of Mr. Martin making a fair showing at the elections, he (Mr. Brown) would be called upon by the Governor to form a ministry and be granted another appeal to the country.

In well-advised quarters it is believed that the Governor will take that action; though prominent Liberals assert that the Governor will be dismissed forth-with, Hewitt Bostock, M.P., succeeding

Rumors were aftoat last evening to the effect that the Lieutenant-Governor had forwarded his resignation to the federare repairing the damaged line which is quiry failed to develop anything corroborating the statement. Another rumor is to the effect that Mr. Martin will hang on to office until the house meets, if he is permitted to do so by the Lieutenant-Governor.

Governor.

Additional returns yesterday assure the election of Wels in North East Kootenay. His opponents lost their depression of Shanghai will be sent to

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Mr. Booth is reported elected by six majority. This will increase the opposition to 18, or making the total combination against the government 28 out of a house of 38, with Alberni and Cassiar only to hear from.

A feature of the elections, in so far as Victoria is concerned, was the up-to-date manner in which the Colonist handled the news. Anticipating the remarkable interest which would be manifested by the people in the result, the Colonist had perfected every arrangement for speedily acquainting them with the returns without the loss of a moment's time.

A special wire from the C. P. R. telegraph system ran into the Colonist office, and an operator received bulletins from all over the country direct. These returns were inmediately flashed on a screen at the large plate-glass window in the front of the building. During the time in which bulletins were received Broad street in front of the Colonist building was choked with a mass of people eager to get news of the results of the elections. And they were not disappointed. Without any loss of time they were told of the progress of the entire count throughout the province. No paper on the continent was major-on-to-date in its method of handling fulletins.

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Russia Has Cossacks Massed On the Frontier Ready to Advance.

Welsh Fusiliers at Hong Kong In Readiness to Proceed North.

London, June 11 .- (4.20 a.m.)-The Admirals at Taku, acting in concert are are repairing the damaged line which is hardly be effected before Monday night.

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Pekin to back up the demands of the ministers upon the government, or if necessary to suppress the Boxers them-

particularly alarming, since it indicates that anarchy is not confined to the districts around Pekin, but that fanaticism is flaming out throughout the empire. All foreign interests are imperiled and admirals and diplomatic representatives recognize the common danger and are drawing together in conference and to adopt measures of co-operation."

Alex. McArthur's Family Killed and Slayer Shoots Himself.

Winnipeg, June 9.—Alex. McArthur, his wife and two children, aged 10 and 12, were mundered by a hired man named John Morrison, early this morning, at Welwyn village, near Moosomin. The murderer was captured. He had shot himself through the chest, but will recover. He is supposed by many in Moosomin to be insane, as he has hither to borne a good character. H. G. McArthur, of this city, and John McArthur, of Vancouver, B.C., are brothers of the deceased man.