

WHITNEY GOVERNMENT GAINED MAGNIFICENT VICTORY AT THE ONTARIO POLLS ON MONDAY

Herculean Efforts by Liberals Failed to Stem the Tide of Popular Faith in Premier Whitney, Whose Government Was Returned With Splendid Working Majority—"Banish the Bar" Cry Failed Dismally—Contest Was One of the Most Bitter in the History of the Province—Full List of the Seats and Their Majorities—One Cabinet Minister Defeated and the Liberal Leader Had Narrow Escape.

Toronto, June 29.—After one of the bitterest contests in the history of Ontario politics a herculean effort on the part of the Liberal opposition to greatly reduce the Conservative majority in the legislature or even to get into power, failed today. What made the contest so heated was the issue which was slogan of Liberals "Abolish the bar." By insistence on the fact that prohibition of liquor traffic in Ontario was the supreme issue in the campaign the parties were actually aligned as for or against prohibition of retail trade in liquor in the Province (only Federal Legislation can prohibit the manufacture of liquor).

As a result of today's voting, which was very heavy, more especially in the rural constituencies, the Liberal opposition gained thirteen seats in the new legislature, the Conservatives gained nine seats and the independents two. The new house will thus be composed of 83 Conservatives, 26 Liberals and two Independents.

ONE MINISTER DEFEATED

Sir James Whitney, former premier of the Province, and leader of the Government party, had his majority in Dundas reduced by nearly 500. Hon. Dr. Reaume, former minister of public works, was the only member of the former cabinet to be defeated. A three cornered fight in Windsor resulted in his elimination and election of J. C. Toimie, Liberal.

ROWELL'S NARROW ESCAPE

Mr. N. W. Rowell, leader of Liberals had a narrow escape from defeat in his riding, North Oxford, as he was elected by only 98 majority.

Following were seats gained by the Liberals:

North Brant, South Brant, Cochrane, (New) North Essex, South Essex, North Middlesex, East Ottawa, West Ottawa, West Peterboro, Windsor (new) Lincoln (new), South Wellington and Prince Edward.

The Conservatives gained the following seats:

South Bruce, Haldimand, East Lambton, South Ontario, North Wentworth, Parkdale (new Toronto seat), Riverdale (new Toronto seat), Niagara Falls (new).

INDEPENDENTS GAINED PRESCOTT

Toronto, which for years has been a Conservative stronghold, held out some hope for the Liberals as there had been two new seats created, but the Conservatives not only held eight old seats, but they also captured two new ones. There was one satisfactory feature in the fight for the Liberals, and that is that they made a big increase in the vote. This year the Liberals vote was twice as large as in previous election. Out of four clergymen who were candidates in the campaign only one was elected, Rev. J. C. Toimie, Presbyterian minister of Windsor, who defeated a cabinet minister.

CONSERVATIVES ELECTED.

Table listing election results by constituency, including names of candidates and their respective vote counts.

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RETURNED TO POWER



SIR JAMES WHITNEY, Premier of Ontario, Whose Government Achieved a Splendid Victory at the Polls on Monday.

SOUTH AFRICAN HOUSE WILL LIKELY PROROGUE DURING PRESENT WEEK

Cape Town, S.A., June 27.—Parliament will probably be prorogued at the end of the present month, the government abandoning the remedial industrial legislation for the purpose of which the house was primarily summoned. It is not anticipated that anything beyond the taxation measures, the Indian Relief Bill, and the estimates will be taken.

It is stated on good authority that the government intends next session to introduce legislation in the direction of imposing the \$1,000 property qualification on voters the effect of which would be to disqualify many labor supporters.

CUNDY MEETS WITH HEARTIEST SUPPORT

Opposition Leader Has Fight of His Life Ahead of Him in Lansdowne.

Griswold, June 28.—There is no doubt about there being an election in this constituency. If T. C. Norris imagines that he will have an easy fight—like four years ago—he will realize, when the votes are counted, that more attention to this constituency was necessary, if he wished to represent it in the next legislature. Lansdowne has always been looked upon as a safe Liberal seat, but it would cause little surprise if this was changed. In W. J. Cundy, the Conservatives have a candidate who is popular and energetic. He has made a systematic personal canvass and has

HISTORICAL PAGEANT PLANNED FOR GENEVA; WILL LAST TEN DAYS

Being Held to Commemorate The One Hundredth Anniversary of the Battle of Marston.

London, June 29.—A great historical pageant play is to be performed in Geneva, Switzerland, beginning Thursday. It will continue for ten days, and will commemorate the 100th anniversary of the liberation of Geneva from the Napoleonic regime and its accession to the Swiss Confederation. For the play a special theatre has been built, capable of seating 6,000 spectators. The stage is immense, and so constructed that the Lake Geneva is to be employed as a background. In one scene the actors actually arrive by water.

NOT IN SYMPATHY WITH VIEWS OF CONSTITUENTS

London, June 29.—At a recent meeting of the St. Ives division of the Liberal association, the following resolution was passed:

"That this meeting of Liberal delegates of the St. Ives (or Western) Division of Cornwall is strongly of opinion that Sir Clifford Cory, Bart., is out of sympathy with the great majority of Liberals in the division, and cannot again represent them in parliament. It hereby empowers the executive to take immediate steps to secure a candidate in full sympathy with the Liberals' programme, and able to support it in parliament, to be brought before the delegates for acceptance as the Liberal candidate for the next election at the earliest possible date."

HEIR APPARENT TO AUSTRIAN THRONE AND SPOUSE VICTIMS OF COWARDLY ASSASSINATION

Archduke Franz Ferdinand and Duchess of Hohenburg Foully Murdered While Out Riding in Automobile Yesterday—Archduke Was Joking About Precautions Taken to Safeguard Him at Time Shots Were Fired—Aim of Assassin Was Deadly and Each Bullet Inflicted Mortal Wound—Martial Law Has Been Proclaimed—Number of Servian Students Arrested—Bomb Thrown Today Was Cause of a Serious Anti-Servian Outbreak.

Sarajevo, Bosnia, June 29.—Martial law was proclaimed today both in the city and the district of Sarajevo in consequence of the assassination yesterday of Archduke Franz Ferdinand and the Duchess of Hohenburg. Death masks of the archduke and the duchess were taken today and the bodies placed on a catafalque in the chapel of the palace and surrounded by a magnificent display of wreaths and other floral emblems from all parts of the country.

According to the semi-official report of the tragedy, when Gavro Princip, the young assassin, fired the fatal shots, Field Marshal Oskar Potiorek, governor of Bosnia, was seated in the archduke's motor car. Count Francis Von Harrach was standing on the footboard of the car acting as a shield to the occupants, of whom he constituted himself the special guard after the bomb had been thrown a short time before by Nedzjo Gabrinovic.

The aim of the assassins was so true that each of the bullets inflicted a mortal wound. For an instant after the attack, Field Marshal Potiorek thought the archduke and the duchess, seated opposite him, had again escaped. Neither the archduke nor the duchess uttered a sound but a moment afterward it was seen that they had been hit.

Lieutenant Colonel Erick Merriah, who had been wounded by a bomb in the first attack, was today pronounced out of danger, while the injury sustained by Count Von Bloss-Waldeck is said to be insignificant.

The Grotian students here today made several attempts to punish the Serbs, but the troops were called in, maintained order.

They were arrested as accomplices of the assassins.

Bomb Starts Riot Sarajevo, June 29 (Bulletin).—A bomb thrown by a youth standing on the corner of the main street of the Bosnian capital, was the signal this morning for a serious anti-Servian outbreak, which the troops found considerable difficulty in quelling.

The only damage done by the bomb was a slight injury to a passing Mussulman, but the rougher element seized on the incident as an excuse to start a demonstration. They were joined by a number of Croatian students and the crowd passed along the streets stoning the windows of Servian shops, clubs, schools and houses and looting the interiors.

The manifestants proceeded to parade the streets with a portrait of Emperor Francis Joseph at their head. They sang the Austrian national anthem, and attacked everything servian until they were continued on Page Five

MANY VISITORS FROM BRANDON WELCOMED TO CAMP AT SEWELL

Large Number of Brandonites Spending Day at the Big Military Camp. SIR ALBERT AIKINS AND FAMILY PRESENT Special Train from Winnipeg Will Bring Total of Visitors to Thousand. TROOPS IN REVIEW. Roblin Cup Won by 20th Border Horse from Reston Man.

ANOTHER CORDIAL RECEPTION GIVEN BRANDON MEMBER

Minister of Education Addressed Big Gathering of Napinka Electors Saturday Night.

TALKED SCHOOL QUESTION.

Legal Opinion Secured by T. C. Norris Contradicts Liberal Statements.

Napinka, June 28.—Hon. Geo. R. Caldwell, minister of education, was greeted with great enthusiasm here Saturday night when he addressed a meeting called in the interests of J. C. W. Reid and A. M. Lyle, the present Conservative members for the constituencies of Deloraine and Lyleton respectively. The hall, which seats some 250, was well filled, and the greatest interest and enthusiasm were displayed by the large audience throughout the meeting. W. R. Cosgrove was chairman of the meeting. Cheers for Minister.

Mr. Caldwell, who was greeted with very hearty applause, congratulated the district on the magnificent prospects, and on the splendid advance which had been made since he visited the district some years ago. This was his first public visit to Napinka.

Challenges Statement He challenged the statement that there were any separate schools in the province supported under the Educational act. Such a thing was impossible under the present law in any shape, manner or form as claimed by ex-Grand Master Willoughby of the Orange Order. When he brought in the amendments which had been associated with his name he knew perfectly well what he was doing. He explained their effect to the House, but every member of the Opposition voted for them. They even asked for the debate to be closed so that the vote could be taken. Mr. Norris had taken the opinion of Isaac Campbell, K.C., and he had the opinion of Mr. Munson, K.C., that the amendments did not interfere with the principles of the Public Schools Act in the least.

Received Special Report Ashern, Gimil and Winnipeg Beach had been quoted as separate schools, and he had instructed the inspector for that district, Mr. Best, to send him a special report. In Gimil, an Icelandic school, nothing but English is taught; in Ashern the teacher was a Wesley College man who spoke nothing but English. Winnipeg Beach was taught by a bi-lingual teacher and good progress was made in English. Bi-lingual teachers were necessary in some districts as the children spoke no English, and English or Canadian teachers would not go out to teach in the foreign settlements.

There were 1,700 schools under the control of the department and difficulties must be expected. The school system in towns did not leave much to be desired; it was the one-room country schools which was the worst feature of the Manitoba school system. Time and the co-operation of the people were needed to remedy the state of affairs.

SUFFRAGETTES AGAIN ANNOY ROYAL COUPLE

London, June 29.—Militant suffragettes circumvented the police on Saturday and bombarded King George and Queen Mary with leaflets at the entrance to Hyde Park. A bundle of papers struck the King's hat and knocked it sideways, while the Queen's parasol caught another shower of pamphlets.

Sewell, Man., June 29.—The finest day of the camp period welcomed the visitors on Monday from Brandon, many having come down on the 8 o'clock train. Lady Aikins and her two daughters accompanied Sir Albert Aikins from Brandon on this train. Another contingent of visitors from Brandon arrived in camp on the afternoon train.

This morning was infantry morning and the various regiments were on their own areas drilling away for dear life. The splendid turnout of all regiments has brought the strength of the camp up to the 7,000 mark and the official figures will be announced tonight. The Holt cup which was to have been shot for yesterday, has been postponed, it having been decided not to run this competition on Sunday. The Roblin cup goes to "A" Squadron of the 20th Border Horse. Reston Man, whose team shot under command of Captain G. McNell, The total score made was 36; second, 18th Mounted Rifles, "B" squadron, Altamont, under Lieut. J. C. Missell, total 34. Three teams tied for third place with a total of 29. These were "B" squadron, 20th Border Horse, Caraduff, Sask., "C" squadron 16th Light Horse, Regina and 24th

four teams in all were in the competition.

Saturday saw the annual parade and marking by Major F. L. Vaux, of the 16th Cavalry Field Ambulance. This unit turned out in remarkable shape and earned the appreciation of all who saw them. The same officers who attended the inspection of the 36th assisted Major Vaux in this last inspection. Every infantry unit in the district is now in camp, with the exception of the 98th regiment from Fort Francis, Kenora. Emo and Rainy River, this unit having been delayed owing to the Ontario elections, but they will arrive in camp on July 2, when they will undergo the usual training periods. The combined field operations of what is better known to the layman as the "sham battle," commences tomorrow, and will last three days. The big review by Col. Steele, takes place this afternoon at 2:30, shortly after the Winnipeg special arrives in camp with the visitors. A large number are expected and great preparations have been made for their entertainment.

The following is a list of the infantry regiments now at Sewell: 79th Cameron Highlanders, 302 strong; 90th rifles, 475; 100th Grenadiers, 417; 106th Winnipeg Light Infantry, 350, all from Winnipeg; 52nd Regiment Prince Albert Volunteers, 285; 99th, 200; 60th Moose Jaw, 22; 105th Saskatoon, 400; 95th, 828.

CLOUDBURST DID HEAVY DAMAGE IN CITY OF BATAVIA

Business Section Destroyed and Public Buildings, Including Hospital, Collapsed.

MANY EUROPEANS INJURED Batavia, Java, June 29.—Immense damage was caused by a terrible cloudburst last evening at Benkoelen, Sumatra, where the business section was destroyed and the hospital, the school and a number of houses collapsed.

Belated reports from the southern districts of Sumatra state that many Europeans were injured during the recent earthquake, which also caused great destruction of valuable property. The passenger steamer Van Cloon, of the Dutch Royal Mail Company, went ashore in Macassar harbor in the island of Celebes as a result of the heavy seas following the earthquake.

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