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# Victory Greater Even Than Indicated Last Night

## Conservatives In Third Place In New House

### MARITIME PROVINCE LIBERAL SWEEP A FEATURE TRIUMPH DEC. 6

Some Names of Possible Cabinet Ministers in the New Government—Further Details of the Contest—Dr. Michael Clarke Among Those Defeated.

(Canadian Press.)

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 7—With a clear majority ver the combined strength of the Conservatives nd Progressives, the Liberal Party, under Hon. V. L. MacKenzie King, will form the new government, while the former administration will be reiced to the position of the third party in the House Commons, a post formerly occupied by the Prosives who now assume the place of the official position. The strength shown by the Liberals, pecially in Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island d New Brunswick, is one of the outstanding feares of the fight, while the clean sweep in Quebec nstitutes a record even for that traditionally Libal province.

**ABINET POSSIBILITIES.**

While the first steps have not been taken by Mr. King towards rming his government, speculation is already rife as to the composin of the cabinet. It is predicted that the Quebec representation ill include Sir Lomer Gouin, Hon. Walter Mitchell, Hon. Rodolph emieux, Ernest Lapointe, and Dr. H. S. Beland. From Nova Scotia e possibilities include Hon. A. K. MacLean, one time a member the Borden Union government, and Hon. W. S. Fielding, whose evation to the post of minister of finance is considered practically ire. Hon. D. D. McKenzie, of Cape Breton North and Victoria, ill also, it is believed, be numbered among the eastern representaves as will E. M. McDonald, of Pictou.

In New Brunswick A. B. Copp who carried Westmorland in 1917 nd again yesterday is supposedly sure of a place in the incoming abinet.

In Ontario Hon. Charles Murphy is entitled to consideration as Hon. George P. Graham and W. C. Kennedy. In Saskatchewan on. W. R. Motherwell and Hon. W. E. Knowles are possibilities, hile Alberta may be represented by Hon. Frank Oliver.

The exact date on which Hon. Mr. Meighen will resign is not yet known, ut it is said that this formality will ot be long delayed. It is thought posble that Hon. George Boivin of Sherord will have the honor of being apointed speaker of the fourteenth parliaent. He has filled the deputy speaker's hair acceptably to all parties in the ouse for some years. According to cusm, an English-speaking member will obably be named as deputy speaker.

K. A. Robb, chief Liberal whip for any years, is one of the outstanding uebec members of parliament, and will obably come in for consideration hen appointments are made.

Another outstanding member of Que- representation is A. R. McMaster Brome, who accompanied the pre-er-elect through part of his maritime mpaign ,as did William Duff of Lunburg, N. S., who has been looked upon the marine and fisheries expert of the osition.

If the members of the next parliaent there will be many who have ed in previous debates, but have n absent from the house for some rs. Among these, G. W. Kyte of e Breton South and Richmond will remembered as the originator of the cial charges which resulted in an intigation during the war years.

. M. McDonald, who defeated Colonel J. Cantley in Pictou county, is also ormer prominent member of the comns. R. B. Hanson, York-Sunbury, l be one of very few men who have n two elections before he was able to e his seat in the house. Others in same class are A. Boucher, Yamaska, bec, and Robert Gardner, Medicine , Alberta. These three members were ted in by-elections in May, 1921, but house adjourned before they were to take their seats.

. J. Logan succeeded in winning his d election contest in Cumberland, 3. Mr. Logan was twice defeated by . E. N. Rhodes, former speaker of house.

**Brunswick.**

New Brunswick, Hon. J. B. M. is perhaps the outstanding new r. He has for many years been t in provincial politics, and at me of his accepting the dominion folio of customs in the reorganized ighen government was leader of the servative opposition in New Brunsk. His advent will strengthen the ating power of the commons. Hon. n Morrissey, Northumberland, is a ner minister of public works in his ive province, and he succeeds W. S. gie.

r Lomer Gouin and Hon. Walter G. Mitchell are the outstanding members of the Quebec representation, in which there is comparatively little change.

In Ontario where there have been many gains made by the progressives, a very large per cent. of the members elected are men who will, after the opening of the session be called upon to make their maiden speeches. Carleton sends back W. G. Garland, a former Conservative who resigned his seat in 1917. W. G. Raymond, Brantford, the Liberal candidate, who defeated W. F. Cockshutt and L. Stafford, who carried Ontario South in a three cornered fight will be prominent among the new Liberals. H. B. McGivern, Ottawa, is a former Liberal member while his running mate, Dr. E. R. Echever, is new to the parliamentary arena.

**First Woman M. P.**

Miss Agnes McPhail, the Progressive member elect for Grey Southeast, has the distinction of being the first woman returned to the Canadian House of Commons.

From Toronto and the Yorks there wil be a small group of members including Mayor T. L. Church, Toronto North; E. B. Ryckman, Toronto East, and Jos. Harris, York East.

**The West.**

Manitoba, with the exception of Hon. T. A Crerar, Progressive leader, will send an entirely new representation to the House of Commons. Hon. Mr. Hudson who ran as an independent Liberal is expected to support the Liberals. J. S. Woodsworth, Winnipeg Centre, has been an outstanding figure in Winnipeg labor circles for some years. The defeat of J. P. Malloy, Liberal candidate in Provencher by A. S. Beaubien, Progressive, was one of the surprises to Ottawa Liberals. Harry Leader, Progressive, who defeated Hon. Arthur Meighen in Portage la Prairie, will also be a ngure of outstanding interest when he makes his appearance in the green chamber.

The defeat of Hon. J. R. Wilson in Saskatoon by John Evans, Progressive, occasioned some surprise. Mr. Evans had been a prominent farmer in Saskatoon district since the early days and has taken an active part in the work of the local organizations and societies. T. A. McConica, Progressive, who defeated A. C. Champagne, Liberal, in Battleford, is a former lawyer who retired to a large farm in the Goose Lake district some years ago. He is regarded as a capable speaker and organizer.

Alberta is sending a new set of members, Hon. R. B. Bennett, minister of justice, who represents Calgary West, sat in the house previons before and has a national reputation as an organizer. Hon F. Oliver of Edmonton was at one time minister in the Laurier cabinet. William Irvine of Calgary East, who as a Progressive defeated Hon. Duncan Marshall, Liberal, has been prominent in Calgary labor circles for some time. Late reports from Saskatchewan indicate that Hon. W. R. Motherwell, former Saskatchewan minister of agriculture, has been returned in Regina.

**In British Columbia.**

British Columbia will not have so many changes in representation as the other provinces.

The defeat of Col. C. W. Peck, V. C., in Skeena by a Stork, Liberal, will remove a familiar figure from parliament. Two ministers were returned in British Columbia. There were H. H. Stevens, trade and commerce, and Hon. S. F. Tomlie, agriculture.

**How Ontario Stacks Up.**

Toronto, Dec. 7—The "morning after" finds the constitutency of Frontence decisively in the Progressive column. W. S. Reid, Progressive, defeated Dr. J. W. Edwards, Conservative and former member, by a majority of 142, with scattered polls to hear from. Temiskaming and Lennox and Addington are both firmly in the Progressive list, the latter being a Progressive gain, as well as Frontenac. In and about Toronto five election deposits are forfeited to the dominion treasury as a result of the returns yesterday. They are as follows:

Parkdale, Jas. Simpson, Labor; East Toronto, John Bruce, Labor; South York, Roland Palmer, Labor; West Toronto, Mrs. Prenter, Labor, and West York, James Cameron, Progressive.

The defeat of Colonel John Currie, Conservative and former M. P., in North Simcoe was unexpected in Independent circles. All the soldier candidates in the Torontos and Yorks were defeated. They were: General Robt. Rennie, Liberal, North Toronto; Sergt. W. G. L. Rayfud, East Toronto; Col. A. T. Hunter, West Toronto, Liberal. In East Toronto Mrs. Kielty, Liberal, retired in favor of Sergt. Rayfud.

**DR. MICHAEL CLARKE BEATEN.**

Banburn, Yorkton, Sask., Dec. 7—Dr. Michael Clarke, Liberal candidate in Mckenzie, has been defeated. Returns from 86 polls out of 177 give Campbell, Progressive, a lead over Dr. Clarke of 1,493, which cannot be overcome.

## THESE MEN WHO RAN IN MARITIMES LOST DEPOSITS

The following in the maritime provinces lose their deposits:

Progressives—McKinnon, Cumberland; W. Calhoun, St. John-lbert; A. E. Trites, Westmorland; D. J. Mullin, Kings, P. E. I.; Wright, Prince Edward; J. W. Jones, Queens, P. E. I.

Labor—F. A. Campbell, St. John-Albert; P. S. Brown, Queens, E. I.

Conservatives—Dr. O. B. Price, Westmorland; W. S. Montmery, Restigouche-Madawaska: A. DeGrace, Gloucester.

## WHAT EDITORS SAY ABOUT IT

Quebec Chronicle—The conditions of the campaign just concluded were fixed by Mr. Meighen and his associates, the issues of the day were exhaustively dealt with by these statesmen and those who differed from them on many platforms and for several weeks. We have therefore no excuses and no explanations to offer.

L'Eventment, Quebec—The majority is small but still increase rapidly, because the country does not want another struggle like this one and is satisfied that protection is secured under the new regime, thanks to Sir Lomer Gouin's bloc of supporters. The defeat of Hon. Arthur Meighen is to be regretted, but he will not be long outside of the political arena.

Montreal Gazette—"It has been a good fight on the part of the Progressives but a feeble one on the part of this party Another party will assume power with all its responsibilities. 'It is not an easy legacy into which it has fallen. There are debts and taxation beyond comparison and difficult conditions to be faced. The entrance of a Liberal government does not lighten the task, but the people will, judging by their votes of yesterday, give to the incoming cabinet a fair chance, with confidence that its accomplishments will justify the trust reposed in it."

Ottawa Journal—Under the caption "The government dead Mr. King comes," says "The National Liberal and Conservative party has been smashed for the time being. It will mean that the protection tariff is reasonably safe. True the Liberal party by its platform of 1919 is pledged to radical interference with the tariff but the majority of the Liberal party are elected by the province of Quebec and the province of Quebec is protectionist, and will not allow real interference with the tariff."

The Halifax Herald says "No excuses or apologies for the government of Hon. Mr. Meighen or the government of his predecessor, Sir Robert Borden, need be made. They both served the country with unquestionable faithfulness and the government which lost yesterday went down for a principle which, notwithstanding defeat is bound to be in favor of the people."

Acadian Recorder, Halifax:—The battle is over and the victory won. For the sake of the Liberal party and Liberal principles we are unfeignedly glad. For the sake of those who have suffered persecution for their adherence to the Liberal cause we are greatly pleased. There will be a righting of wrongs and redress of past grievance.

**FRANCIS McHUGH.**

The death of Francis McHugh occurred at his home on the Silver Falls road this morning. He was an employe of the C. N. R. for many years. He is survived by his wife, one son, Murray, at home; two brothers, Arthur and Thomas, of this city; two sisters, Mrs. [illegible] and Mrs. Olsen of Boston. The funeral will be held on Friday morning. [illegible] be sorry to learn of his death.

## Late Returns Give Liberals 121 Seats; Eight Over All With One To Hear From

A Toronto Canadian Press summary at noon gave the following:

| | Conservative. | Liberal. | Progressive. | Ind. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Prince Edward Island | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Nova Scotia | 0 | 16 | 0 | 0 |
| New Brunswick | 5 | 5 | 1 | 0 |
| Quebec | 0 | 65 | 0 | 0 |
| Ontario | 38 | 23 | 21 | 0 |
| Manitoba | 0 | 2 | 12 | 1 |
| Saskatchewan | 0 | 2 | 14 | 0 |
| Alberta | 1 | 1 | 9 | 1 |
| British Columbia | 7 | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Yukon—No results yet. | | | | |
| Total | 51 | 121 | 60 | 2 |

### FIVE-FIVE-ONE IN NEW BRUNSWICK

The following are the latest return in the New Brunswick—

St. John-Albert, (2 members).

Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, Con., 11,653; Dr. Murray MacLaren, Con. 10,889; H. R. McLellan, Lib., 10,465; Dr. W.P. Broderick, Lib., 9,573: F. A. Campbell, Lab., 1, 252; W. M. Calhoun, Prog., 951.

Westmorland.

A. B. Copp, Lib., 12,385; O. B. Price, Con., 4,892; A. E. Trites, Prog., 2,894.

Northumberland.

Hon. John Morrissy, Lib., 6,736; E. A. McCurdy, Con., 5,090.

Restigouche-Madawaska

Pius Michaud, Lib., 7,697; W. S. Montgomery, Con., 1,769. In Madawaska, Montgomery had only 289 votes.

Gloucester.

O. Turgeon Lib., 7,270; J. E. Degrace, Con., 2,606.

Carleton-Victoria.

T. W. Caldwell, Prog., 6 248; B. F. Smith, Con., 4,960.

York-Sunbury.

R. B. Hanson, Con., 7,297; W. J. Osborne, Lib., 6 727.

Charlotte.

R. W. Grimmer, Con., 5,204; W. F. Todd, Lib., 5,077.

Kent County.

Legere, Lib., 3,660; Doucett, Pro., 2,575.

ROYAL.

The absence of an official return from one of the Canning polls leaves the results in Royal in doubt. One report gives the following totals:—Jones, Con., 5,555; McAllister, Lib., 5,553; Perkins, Prog., 2,375. A report from Hampton gives the following:—Jones, 5,564; McAllister, 5,420; Perkins, 2,384; while the Western Union gives the following amended totals of the leaders:—Jones, 5,509; McAllister, 5,537.

Grand Manan gave Todd 444 majority over Grimmer.

British Columbia Summary.

Vancouver South, Complete—Ladner, Conservative, 4,700; Odlum, Liberal, 3,902; Richard, Socialist, 2,683; Richmond, Ind., 413; Kavanaugh, Communist, 748.

Burrard, 122 polls out of 147—Clark, Con., 8,284; MacDonald, Lib., 4,597, Harrington, Socialist, 1,863. (Unchanged).

Vancouver, B. C., Centre—121 out of 123—Stevens, Con., 9,490; Gale, Lib., 4,982; O'Connor, Lib., 1,604; Batson, Ind., 25. (Unchanged).

Bonnet, Con., is defeated by Beattie, Lib., 2,754 to 2,456. (Lib. gain).

Skena, 51 of 85—Peck, Ind., 2,291; Stork, Lib., 2,406, (Liberal gain).

Westminster, 82 out of 87—McQuarrie, Con., 4,913; Reid, Lib., 2,467; Pettiple, Labor, 3,200. (Unchanged).

Yale, 63 of 102—McKelvie, Con., 5,882; Sutherland, Lib., 5,412. (Unchanged).

Victoria City, final—Tolmie, Con., 7,833; Ivel, Lib., 5,172. (Unchanged).

West Kottenay—94 of 109—Rose, Con., 3,806; Etaples, Lib., 1,129; Humphrey, Labor, 4,668.

Nanimo, 55 out of 75—Dickie, Con., 6,866; Booth, Lib., 4,085.

**DR. WANG.**

Distinguished Chinese statesman, who is one of the three representatives of his country engaged in secret committee with an equal number of Japanese at the Washington Conference in discussing the crucial Shantung problem.

## As Hiram Sees It

"Erin go bragh!" said Mr. Hiram Hornbeam to the Times reporter.

"Caed Mille Failthe!" said the reporter.

"If I knowed any more," said Hiram, "you should hev it."

But what will they do in Ireland now?" queried the reporter.

"Tie ribbons on the shillelagh," said Hiram, 'and git ready fer Christmas."

"And what will the rest of us do without an Irish question?" went on the reporter.

"If we hev sense," said Hiram, "we'll fergit our squabbles over race an' religion an' git together fer the good o' the country. Yes, sir—that 'ud be my advice."

"But do you suppose they will have peace in Ireland?" asked the reporter.

"I wouldn't say they'd jist fall on one another's necks right away," said Hiram, "but they've made a good start. That there truce hes give 'em all time to think things over—an' I guess they'll give an' take a lot afore they go back to fightin' agin. Any feller that makes trouble now orto be walloped by both sides—By Hen!"

**TRAFFIC CASE.**

The case against Max Lambert, charged with exceeding the speed limit in Main street, was resumed today. James McKinney testified that he had seen the accused, and he was driving at a rate of between twenty-five and thirty miles an hour, and that in reply to a question from Lambert, he said he drove a White truck and could go seventy miles an hour if he wished to. Lambert asked if he did not say thirty miles because his friend, Policeman Howard, told him to. Lambert said that he had been going at fifteen miles an hour. He said Howard had a spite against him because of an alleged high price asked by the defendant for some tool which Howard wanted to buy in his store. The policeman resented this and made Lambert state his charges to the chief of police. In the chief's presence the accused apologized to the policeman. He was fined $10 on his own admission of exceeding the speed limit of twelve miles an hour.

## King Summons The Parliament For Next Week

### Will Meet on Wednesday to Consider Irish Agreement—Plan is to Adjourn Until February After Settlement Terms Are Approved.

(Canadian Press Cable.)

London, Dec. 7—King George came to London from Handringham today to preside at a meeting of his privy council and sign the proclamation calling a special session of parliament for next Wednesday to consider the momentous agreement reached yesterday by Great Britain and Ireland for the establishment of the Irish Free State.

Should the agreement be approved—of which little doubt is entertained—the session will last only a few days and the parliament will adjourn until the regular session in February when a bill embodying the agreement will be dealt with.

**CRAIG DELAYS HIS STATEMENT.**

Belfast, Dec. 7—A statement from Ulster Premier on the Irish settlement will be delayed for some days. The news that a treaty between Britain and Ireland had been concluded has nonplused Belfast. When parliament assembled tremendous excitement prevailed. There was great curiosity mixed with anxiety as to how Ulster would fare under the treaty.

Sir James Craig announced that the treaty had been received, but he had not read it, and the house adjourned after transacting routine business. The cabinet assembled immediately to consider the new situation and later Colonel Spender formally announced that another cabinet council would be held tomorrow to continue the discussion. On Thursday a party meeting of government supporters will be convened to consider the settlement. Colonel Spender said that there were a great many points requiring elucidation, which might necessitate further correspondence before any decision could be made by the Ulster cabinet.

In reply to questions, he declared that if the South were going to continue hostile "it would be better to have it out now," but if the South really intended to act with friendliness that would put a different complexion on affairs. He admitted that the first impression of the Ulster government was one of "puzzlement." He thought that details were likely to afford more trouble than the broad outlines. Ulster disliked the form of the oath proposed, but if it was acceptable to the British people, Ulster would not object.

**Irish Papers.**

Dublin, Dec. 7.—The Irish Independent is enthusiastic over the peace agreement. It says that when the terms are ratified, as they doubtless will be, all estrangement and bitterness between England and Ireland will be forgotten and they will prosper side by side.

"Reason triumphed over force," says the Cork Examiner. "Might bent the knee to right, and justice, founded on good-will, seems designed to come into its own. The sacrifices and determination of Irishmen who loved their country and sought her liberty are to be rewarded."

The great feeling in Belfast today was rather of doubt and distrust.

**STILL ON DUTY.**

The ferry steamer Maggie Miller is still running on the Kennebecasis river route between Millidgeville and Somerville. It is understood that she will remain in service until the ice forms.

## BIG MAJORITIES RULE IN QUEBEC

### Record is 17,367 in Hochelaga Division.

### Only Woman Candidate Badly Defeated—Large Number of Opponents of Liberals Lose Deposits — Solid Liberal Bloc.

(Canadian Press)

Montreal, Dec. 7—With majorities running as high as 17,000 in the City of Montreal and 7,000 in the rural districts and with nineteen of the thirty-six candidates in the Island of Montreal losing their deposits, the Liberals made a solid bloc of the 65 seats in this province in the federal elections yesterday. Ministers in the Meighen government who went down to defeat included Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, Minister of Marine; Hon. R Monty, Secretary of State; Hon. L. P. Normand, President of the Council; Hon. L. G. Belley, Postmaster General, and Hon. A. Fauteux, Solicitor General.

Traditionally safe government seats, such as St. Antonine, which Hon Walter Mitchell, who succeeding in annexing it to the Liberal column, described as some feat after forty-seven years of Conservatism was won by close on to 3,500 votes, while the other two which went Conservative in 1917, St. Anns and St. Lawrence-Outremont, were lost to the government by majorities of 5,000 and 2,400. The biggest majority in the dominion was scored in Hochelaga division where the Liberal candidate won by 17,367 and Sir Lomer Gouin's plurality in Laurier-Outremount was well above 10,000.

Mrs. Rose Henderson, the only woman candidate in the Province of Quebec, lost her deposit when she ran as a labor representative in St. Lawrence-St. George Division. Her vote ran only to 506.

The best candidate who ran on Conservative, farmer, independent and labor tickets in the Province of Quebec and who will lose their deposits will be a lengthy one.

An idea of the big majorities obtained in the province is given by the following instances:

Hon. H. S. Beland was elected in Beauce by 7,000.

Hon. Mr. Monty was defeated by 5,000 in Beauharnois.

T. K. Laflamme won a victory over three opponents in Drummond-Athasbasca by a plurality of five thousand. Dr. J. E. Fontaine was elected in Hull by 5,733.

L. A. Pacaud won Megantic by 5,000, Arthur Trahan gained his victory in Nicolet by 6,000.

E. D. D'Anjou was elected in Rimouski by 5,000.

Contests of interest were those of L. J. Gauthier, in Ste Hyacinthe, which he lost by a narrow margin; J. A. Barretee defeated in Berthier by over 2,000 and Aramon Lavergne, Nationalist candidate in Quebec County, who lost by 1,000.

Mr. Gaurthier left the Liberal party two years ago and was at one time reported to have entered the Meighen government. Mr. Barrette was the author of the sub amendment to the Mils Service Act giving the conscription issue a six months hoist of which amendment great play was made throughout the province. Mr. Lavergne put up a very lively fight and called down to attack him all the provincial Liberal forces, including Premier Laschereau.

**DOMINION LIVE STOCK.**

Montreal, Dec. 7.—Dominion live stock branch report there were 215 cattle, 130 sheep and lambs, 600 hogs and seventy-five calves on sale this morning. The cattle were particularly of canner or cutter quality and sold from $2 up. Calves were strong at a top of $10.50 for milk-fed stock, and from $3 to $4 for grassers. Select hogs that are not being delivered on contract brought $11.

**MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.**

Montreal, Dec. 7.—(10.30.)—Breweries featured the first half hour's trading this morning. This issue was very active, and advanced 1½ points to 58½. Brazilian was fractionally stronger at 26 1-8. No other leader appeared during the first half hour.

## WEATHER REPORT

Phelix and Pherdinand

*Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries. R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.*

Synopsis—The weather has been fair and somewhat colder throughout the dominion.

Forecast:

Fair and Cold.

Fresh to strong northwest and west winds; fair and rather cold today and on Thursday.

New England — Generally fair tonight and Thursday; not much change in temperature; moderate to fresh west to northwest winds.

Toronto, Dec. 7.—Temperatures:—

| Stations. | 8 a. m. | Highest during yesterday. | Lowest during night. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Prince Rupert | 46 | 54 | 44 |
| Victoria | 80 | 46 | 40 |
| Kamloops | 20 | 38 | 30 |
| Calgary | 6 | 38 | 24 |
| Edmonton | 18 | 24 | 16 |
| Prince Albert | 14 | 30 | 4 |
| Winnipeg | 12 | 20 | 16 |
| White River | 26 | 30 | 14 |
| Sault Ste. Marie | 18 | 36 | 22 |
| Toronto | 18 | 32 | 24 |
| Kingston | 20 | 28 | 18 |
| Ottawa | 16 | 22 | 16 |
| Montreal | 14 | 16 | 18 |
| Quebec | 20 | 32 | 12 |
| St. John, N. B. | 34 | 36 | 10 |
| Halifax | 28 | 32 | 18 |
| St. John's, Nfld. | .. | 40 | 26 |
| Detroit | .. | 40 | 28 |