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Reports on all the Ridings
to December 1st, 1912.

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Halton (Continued)

	Cons Added	Cons Struck off	Reform Added	Reform Struck Off
Nelson	20	12	27	3
Burlington	73	26	72	0
Trafalgar	7	10	40	0
Georgetown	16	22	18	10
Esquesing	18	13	19	6
Oakville	39	8	55	1
	<u>249</u>	<u>142</u>	<u>296</u>	<u>24</u>
	24		142	
	<u>273</u>		<u>438</u>	
			273	
			<u>165 Reform Gain</u>	

HAMILTON EAST June 3rd, 1912

Sent W.T. Evans, Secretary of the Association fifty Naturalization forms. As Registration prevails here no general revision is made. The party stood aside last election for John Peebles a Labor Candidate.

HAMILTON WEST

Ex Mayor J.L. McLaren was the last candidate. As registration prevails here, there is no general revision made.

HASTINGS EAST. July 10th, 1912

Organizer W.F. Summerhayes reports; "E.W. Rowell, M.P.P. addressed an open air meeting in the park under the auspices of "The Twentieth Century Club" Belleville. It was well attended, four M.P.Ps., six former candidates, a number of presidents and secretaries being present, as well as a considerable representation from the surrounding Ridings. Hastings both East and West are hopeless Ridings but they have undertaken to look after the work: Marmora Village lists were posted June 4th, and the time is up. Mayo Township list was posted June 18th. Under instructions from William Cross, President of the North Hastings Association, the revision forms for Mayo Township were sent to William Rankin of Hermon P.O., and some to Mr. Cross himself.

P.P. Clark was the last candidate for the Dominion. There is a large normal Conservative majority to confront and conditions do not favor the Liberal party.

Belleville Nov. 16th, 1912.

"I am on my return from home answering your favor of the 11th inst. I cannot give you the information you desire as to the result of such voters Courts as have been held. Since our riding has been made so perfectly hopeless no matter what is done along the line of Voters List revision no organization of an effective character is possible and no one will spend the necessary time and trouble, and money.

To revise East Hastings properly would require at least \$500.00 and three month's hard labor. This work would greatly reduce the majority but we could not win. I did the work and found most of the cash for thirty years