Administration of George W. Ross Buried Under a Landslide

PREMIER, ALONE AT 10

WITH "THE WORST" KNOWN

KEEPS SECRET TO HIMSELI

'Not a Word for the Press To-Night"

He Said to Reporters Awaiting

AT PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS

"Isn't It Awful?" They Said as Power Faded Away—Robert

Jaffray's Passing Comment.

Hon. G. W. Ross was the only cab-

private office until the last election re-

turns came in by special wire. It was

his government was defeated, and by 3 o'clock it become quite certain that

one alternative wish of the premier

had been granted by the people, and

that they had elected a party with no

uncertain majority. For Hon. G. W.

Ross frequently expressed his desire

ority, or else to see Mr. Whitney re-

There had been a general feeling of

nrest among the government officials

the lobby of the building were many

waiting for the encouraging news

known faces in the crowd were: Dr.

partment; Frank Ford, the late Pre

mier Hardy's segretary; Thomas Gib-son, director of mines; Mr. Mulvey, as-

Robert Jaffray, who had been closet-

In the big January Fur

Sale now going on at

Dineen's, there is a new

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urned with a substantial majority.

an Interview.

CROWD RECEIVED RETURNS

VILLIAMS, 10 VICTORIA ST.

Five Ministers Lose Seats and Premier Has a Narrow Squeeze NOT ONE OF NEW CABINET IS BEATEN HANNA, REAUME IN LEGISLATURE

Sends Solid Delegation to Support Whitney's Build-Up

GAMEY STILL THE MAN FOR MANITOULIN ISLAND

Vindication of Man Who Exposed Bribery Plot Complete -MacKay and Graham Pull Out Decisive Victories.

WHEN NEW HOUSE MEETS CONSERVATIVES69 HOUSE TWO YEARS AGO.

Ontario turned itself upside down yes terday and will try a new set of repre-Ross government was complete, every section of the province, with the exception of two constituencies, doing its part in the house-cleaning business. The two constituencies which failed to show their disgust of the present regime were Ottawa, which in place of ending two Conservatives to the leg lature, sends two Ross suporters, and Glengarry, which converts a Conservative majority of 484 into a Liberal majority of probably 300.

There were some remarkable changes. West Peterbore gave T. E. Bradwin 1240 majority. This is the riding that gave Hon J R Stratton the comfortable surplus of 1194 two years ago. The late provincial secretary is propably congratulating himself that he withdrew from could the second that he withdrew from politics before the landslide.

Another big turnover occurred in South Renfrew. Hon. F. R. Latchford lcoked like a sure winner. He had 374 to the good when he went into the fight, but when the votes were counted he was 435 behind his Conservative opponent.

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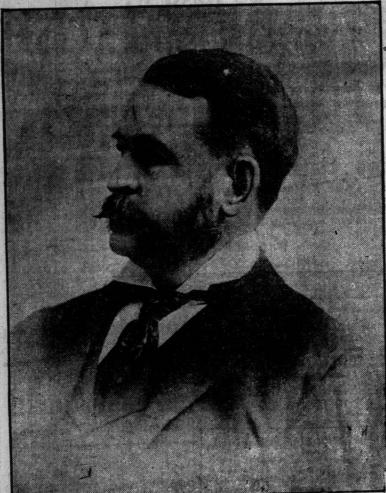
about 10,000 for the new government.
Mr. Foy ran close to Mr. Crawford for
the honor of having the largest major-ity in Ontario, going over the 3000 mark. tive delegation to the legislature. Alex. McCowan wins John Richardson's old seat by over 300, and T. H. Lennox reseat by over 300, and T. H. Lennox redeems North York after three efforts.
Mr. St. John boosted his majority to about 1500, covering himself with honor.
Not one of Mr. Whitney's strong backers in the last house was beaten.
They carried their seats by majorities away up int he hundreds. The Liberals wad a deed set on such men as Hanna. away up int he hundreds. The Elociais made a dead set on such men as Hanna in West Lambton, Renume in North Essex, Carscallen in East Hamilton, Hendrie in West Hamilton and Beck in London, but these men piled up votes faster than they were ever able to do it before Col. Matheson, J. J. Foy. Dr. Willer of the Control of Willoughby and other prominent Cor-servative candidates proved big wir

Even New Ontario, which Premier Ross discovered, almost unanimous'y decided against the government. Mr. Ross gaining only one seat out of seven. Eddie Dunlop holds North Renfrew by ever 1400 majority. Pettypiege, whose complete backdown on his realization.

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New Ontario, With Single Ex. The Man Whom the People Trust Chosen Leader of New Regime



JAMES PLINY WHI NEY, K.C., LL.D. ONTARIO'S PREMIER-ELECT.

Ottawa City Goes Liberal Murphy and Ross Go Under

Morrisburg, Jan. 25 .- (Special.) - "In the immediate presence of the great political upheaval in the province to-day, I can have but "All must acknowledge the serious meaning of this emphatic ex-

"I fully and gladly appreciate the fact that Liberals in large num-

bers joined in that expression."

J. P. Whitney, leader of the Conservative party in the Province of Ontario, made the above statement to The World to-night: During the evening Mr. Whitney was fairly deluged with telegraph

bulletins, which kept him informed of the situation as it developed, and congratulatory messages, while his friends in town were also prompt in their demonstrations of satisfaction. Many from far-off places who wished to speak to the new premier over the long distauce telephone were disappointed, as Mr. Whitney was far too busy a man to be able to spend the necessary time in the conversation. Among the messages of congratulation received was one from George Taylor, chief opposition whip at Ottawa, tendering from the Conservative members of the house of commons "heartiest congratulations from members in room 6."

*************** POPULAR MAJORITY OF 30,875.

The figures last night were far from complete. Quite a number of the constituencies have not reported figures, just the general complete backdown on his railway tax-ation bill made him the butt of Con-servative jibes, goes down in East

Conservative majorities..... 35,474 Liberal majorities 4,599 Conservative popular majority...... 30,875

The result of the polling yesterd ty was surprising only in the completeness of the Ross government defeat. That the government would be turned out was a foregone conclusion. That its following would be practically wiped out could not have been anticipated by Mr. Whitney's most optimistic friends. Ontario did herself credit yesterday. Every effort had been made by the overnment and its organs to obscure the real issue. There was constant appeals to prejudice and to party feeling. Over all these cries rose the call to duty, and the Ontario electorate responded by administering a hu-

yet it now appears that the government was not at any time a dangerous factor in the elections, and that it could not by any process of deception in campaign tactics, have escaped the vengeance of an outraged electorate. But the fight was not won in the campaign; it was won during a long series of electoral villainies which are without parallel in the history of Canada, Mr. Ross thought he could overcome the effect of these villainies by pleading personal innocence and by relieving his government of responsibility for wrongs committed in its behalf. It never seemed possible that the people of Ontario could be induced to take such a view of the case, and the result of the voting yesterday shows that the people are fully capable of thinking for themselves in election contests, The people have also shown that they are not blind to the methods of smart politicians and that they cannot be fooled by the methods which were the principal equipment of Hon. G. W. Ross and his friends in the cam paign which has just closed,

Mr. Ross imagined that he could commit wrong and profit from wrong and at the same time impress the public with his own and his government's virtues. But the people of Ontario read between the lines of this insolent appeal. They showed by their votes yesterday that who take refuge in cant and hypocrisy and that public actions must be justing Result in Toronto Aw:-Inspiring NESBITT (Cons.) fied by sound argument or not at all. The defeat of the Ross government is so sweeping as to leave no doubt as to its meaning. It means that the people of Ontario held, and rightly held, that a government is no better and no worse

into voting for false issues and that a more delightful surprise than even the government which does wrong or allows most sanguine of the wo kers for clean. Hunter (Lib.) wrong to be done for its profit must honest and progre sive government were suffer the natural penalty for such looking for. It came as a dul!, sickenwrong. Mr. Whitney will not fail to ing thud to the Liberal organization Five Ministers Stain.

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Five ministers went down to defeat—Gibson, Dryden, Latchford, Charlton, Evanturel. The late attorney general had truly worn out his welcome in East Wellington. Some of the Liberals of the riding wanted to give the nomination to another, but he won out at the of contributing the three Liberal gains, frew came as a kind of surprise, tho ing his legislation and in organizing.

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HE RAN HARD.



BUT HE MISSED HIS CAR.

Toronto West.

Toronto East.

CRAWFORD (Cons.)

NESBITT IS 1400 AHEAD

In its Grandeur-South, West Blain (Lib.) and East Simply Swamp All

Opposition. It's the same old story as far as Tothan the wrongs which are committed ronto is concerned. Only this time the Galbraith (Pro.) than the wrongs which are committed ronto is concerned.
in its name or for its profit. It means emphasis is more pronounced and, in Noble (Ind.)
Crawford's majority, 3170. also that the people cannot be deluded the north riding anyway, the result a

Hendrie. Kerr.
....306 258
....1062 742
....995 879
....726 782 Mr. Blain sat in the back parlor of

his committee room at 505 Yonge-street and listened to his fate as he sat, with

at the parliament buildings all day. A nice little uncheon had been prepared for those who took refuge in the

Enthusiastic Meetings Held in South Gilmour, warden of the Central Prison Dryden's Defeat.

Whitby, Jan. 25.- (Special.) - South Mowat, and a host of others. A de-Ontario has been redeemed and Charlie pressed feeling came over the gather-ing as the large Conservative mabearer in several unsuccessful fights, has led his party to victory. He is a shrewd, successful farmer, and is a worthy representative of a rural conward with the majority for Premier Ross was given out as 30, there was an audible expression of "Isn't it awful?"

The Worst of It. riding's answer to the Pickering roorbach. Whitby's majority of 118 is a 1198 tribute to the active work of the young 184 Conservative Club and to the indepen-

Enthusiastic meetings were held in M. Mowat were met at the door by a the committee room and in the music

WEST PETERBORO CONSERVATIVE

Riding That Elected Hon. Mr. Stratton by Large Majoritles

Many Times Refuses to Endorse the Ross Aggregation.

Peterboro, Jan. 25.-(Special.)-West night at the big turn over was intense.

Peterboro, which in the last election It was the wildest night seen in town

gave Hon, J. R. Stratton a majority for years. Mr. Bradburn warmly

of 1194, today elected T. E. Bradburn, thanked his supporters at a big mass

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3 below-10; Ottawa, zero-6; Montreal,
below-6; Quebec, 2 below-6; St. John,
below-6; Halifax, 8 below-12.

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late residence, 37 De Grassi street, John to Norway. MERKLEY-At the Western Hospital, on

Jan. 25th, 1905, Helen, beloved wife of H. O. Merkley (nee May Nellie Saunders), aged 28 years.
I uneral from the residence of her brother, A. J. Saunders, 374 Ossington avenue, on Friday, Jan. 27th, at 1.30 p.m. to Prospect Cemetery, Toronto. Funeral

WEAVER-At St. Michael's, Mrs. Agner