

# MEMBERS OF THE GOVERNMENT

OF THE

## RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR WILFRID LAURIER,

P.C., G.C.M.G., Q.C., D.C.L. (*Oxon.*)

AT THE OPENING OF THE  
FIFTH SESSION OF THE EIGHTH PARLIAMENT  
1900

(CABINET FORMED JULY 13, 1896)

President of the Privy Council (Premier) .....	Right Hon. Sir WILFRID LAURIER, P.C., G.C.M.G. Q.C., D.C.L. ( <i>Oxon.</i> )
Minister of Trade and Commerce .....	Hon. Sir RICHARD J. CARTWRIGHT, G.C.M.G.
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Minister Militia and Defence.....	Hon. F. W. BORDEN, B.A., M.D.
†Postmaster General.....	Hon. W. MULLOCK, Q.C., M.A., LL.D.
Minister of Agriculture .....	Hon. S. A. FISHER, B.A.
Minister of Public Works .....	Hon. J. I. TARTE.
Without Portfolio.. ..	Hon. R. R. DOBELL.
Minister of Finance .....	Hon. W. S. FIELDING.
Minister of Railways and Canals.....	Hon. A. G. BLAIR.
Minister of the Interior .....	Hon. CLIFFORD SIFTON.
Minister of Customs .....	Hon. WILLIAM PATERSON.
*Minister of Inland Revenue.....	Hon. Sir H. G. JOLY DE LOTBINIÈRE, K.C.M.G.
‡Without Portfolio.....	Hon. JAMES SUTHERLAND.

[*The above form the Cabinet.*]

Solicitor General .....

	Hon. CHARLES FITZPATRICK, Q.C.
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\* Hon. Sir H. G. Joly de Lotbinière, sworn in as Lieut. Governor of British Columbia on June 22 1900, and on same date the Hon. Michel Esdras Bernier sworn in as Minister of Inland Revenue.  
 † Acting Minister of Public Works.  
 ‡ Acting Minister of the Interior.

Clerk of the Privy Council..... JOHN J. MCGEE, ESQ.

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LOUIS PHILIPPE BRODEUR, M.P.....	Deputy Speaker.
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