

# Conquest Of Okinawa Practically Complete

## The Drew's Government Returned to Office With Over Two-Thirds of Seats

### C. C. F. Almost Wiped Out. Decided Trend in Province to Progressive Conservatives. Hepburn and Joliffe Both Lose Own Seats. Five Women Candidates, Including Agnes Macphail Defeated. Personal Triumph for Premier Drew and Cabinet

Premier Drew and his cabinet were returned to office by the provincial election on Monday with a cheering majority. Those keeping track of political matters expected that the Progressive Conservatives would have a working majority, but few expected the sweeping victory that resulted. Yesterday the summary given of the election returns was as follows:—

Progressive Conservatives	67
Liberals	10
C. C. F.	6
Labour Progressives	2
Liberal-Labour	2
In doubt	3
Total	90

Apparently Leader Joliffe's attack on Premier Drew and his yarns about "Gestapo" methods in Ontario instead of working political advantage for the C.C.F. boomeranged on the C. C. F. In any event the C. C. F. is now practically out of the picture. Leader Joliffe himself was defeated, as was also the former premier, Mitchell Hepburn. A McLeod, the Labour Progressive Leader, was returned with a small majority.

Premier Drew and all his cabinet were successful at the polls and the election must be taken as a very decided endorsement of the Government. It may also indicate a notable swing away from the C. C. F. and the Liberals and have marked effect on the Dominion election next Monday.

Out of 35 candidates from the armed forces only 9—All Progressive Conservatives—were elected.

There were five women candidates, all being defeated, including Miss Agnes Macphail, C. C. F.

First candidate to have his election conceded was F. S. Thompson, who resigned as Agricultural Representative to run against Mitchell Hepburn in Elgin County.

In the new Legislature the Liberals instead of the C. C. F. will be the official opposition. The C. C. F. lost 20 seats, while the Liberals lost 8. The Conservatives now have 67 seats, in place of the 38 in the last House.

Hastings West—X-J. F. Wilson (PC) 2,383.  
Huron—X-R. H. Taylor (PC) 1,981.  
Huron—Bruce—X-J. W. Hanna (PC) 2,887.  
Kent East—X-W. G. Thompson (PC) 906.  
Kent West—George Parry (PC) 1,181.  
Kingston—X-H. A. Stewart (PC) 2,597.  
Lambton East—C.E. Jones (PC) 162.  
Lambton West—Byron Cathcart (PC) 1,106.  
Lanark—X-G. H. Doucett (PC) 10,247.  
Leeds—X-W. B. Reynolds (PC) 3,843.  
Lincoln—X-Charles Daley (PC) 5,668.  
London—X-W. G. Webster (PC) 5,224.  
Middlesex North—X-T. L. Patrick (PC) 1,772.  
Middlesex South—Harry Allen (PC) 158.  
Muskoka-Ontario—Maj. Arthur Welsh (PC) 1,939.  
Niagara Falls—C. D. Hannell (PC) 291.  
Nipissing—Victor Martin (L) 574.  
Northumberland—X-W. A. Goodfellow (PC) 2,563.  
Ontario—T. K. Creighton (PC) 994.  
Ottawa East—A. Chartrand (L) 4,322.  
Ottawa South—X-G. H. Dunbar (PC) 8,644.  
Oxford—X-Thomas R. Dent (PC) 3,331.  
Parry Sound—M. T. Armstrong (L) 53.  
Peel—X-T. L. Kennedy (PC) 5,038.  
Perth—Fred Edwards (PC) 1,915.  
Peterborough—X-Capt. Harold Scott (PC) 4,553.  
Port Arthur—X-F. O. Robinson (CCP) 1,624.  
Prescott—X-A. Belanger (L) 817.  
Prince Edward—Lennox—X-J. Dec. Hepburn (PC) 2,702.  
Renfrew North—X-S. R. Hunt (PC) 1,417.  
Renfrew South—James Dempsey (PC) 986.  
Russell—X-Romeo Begin (L) 1,443.  
Simcoe Centre—X-George Johnson (PC) 1,503.  
Simcoe East—X-J. D. McPhee (PC) 1,550.  
Stormont—W. A. Murray (L) 2,051.  
Sudbury—X-R. H. Carlin (C.C.F.) 4,956.  
Temiskaming—X-C. H. Taylor (CCP) 1,820.  
Toronto Beaches—X-T. A. Murphy (PC) 4,820.  
Toronto Bellwoods—X-A. A. Macleod (Lab-Prog) 933.  
Toronto Brantford—Lieut. H. Hyndman (PC) 1,793.  
Toronto Dovercourt—X-William Duckworth (PC) 4,319.  
Toronto Eglington—X-Leslie Blackwell (PC) 16,492.  
Toronto High Park—X-George Drew (PC) 2,836.  
Toronto Parkdale—X-W. J. Stewart (PC) 6,103.  
Toronto Riverdale—Gordon Milien (PC) 3,582.  
Toronto St. Andrew—X-Joseph Salsberg (Lab-Prog) 5,710.  
Toronto St. David—Roland Michener (PC) 3,112.  
Toronto St. George—X-Dana Porter (PC) 5,886.  
Toronto St. Patrick—X-A. Kelso Roberts (PC) 4,389.  
Toronto Woodbine—G. C. Elgie (PC) 2,459.  
Victoria—X-L. M. Frost (PC) 4,696.  
Waterloo North—Joseph Melnzinger (L-Lab) 960.  
Waterloo South—Gordon Chaplin (PC) 2,122.  
Welland—T. H. Lewis (PC) 590.  
Wellington North—X-R. A. McEwing (L) 194.  
Wellington South—W. E. Hamilton (PC) 1,449.  
Wentworth—X-William Robertson (CCF) 345.  
Windsor-Sandwich—Lt. Col. W. Griesinger (PC) 1,705.  
Windsor-Walkerville—M. C. Davies (PC) 1,737.  
York East—J. A. Leslie (PC) 5,611.  
York North—Maj. Alex Mackenzie (PC) 2,481.  
York South—Capt. H. J. Sale (PC) 1,146.  
York West—J. P. Allan (PC) 4,382.

Timmins firemen had six calls during the past week. Two of them were for chimney fires, no damage, two for brush fires, no damage, one for a pipe fire, no damage, and the other for a fire that started from an electric cord attached to a refrigerator. The damage in this case being slight.

## Hollinger Defeats the Combines in First Game of Season

The 1945 baseball season opened last evening when the Hollinger team defeated the Porcupine Combines by a score of 4 to 1.

The game was a good one, and the pitching was excellent. Bill Tennant provided the game with a thrill when he knocked out a home run for Hollinger.

Hollinger—Cripps, second base; Barilko, left field; Bozzer, short stop; Tennant, right field; Bridgeman, short stop; Schwab, third base; Plipos, first base; Tokkenin, centre field; Delmonte, catcher; Gregores, pitcher.

Combines—Carlett, centre field; McDonnell, left field; Schultz, catcher; Neddo, second base; Remaldi, short stop; Wilson, first base; Laflamme, right field; Babando, third base; Koslick, pitcher.

Hollinger: 0 1 1 0 0 1 0 0 1—4  
Combines: 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Runs  
Hollinger—Tennant (home run), Schwab, Bridgeman, Delmonte.  
Combines—Wilson.

## Generous Work of Timmins Chapter of the I.O.D.E.

The regular meeting of the I. O. D. E. was held in the Municipal Building on June 5th. The meeting opened with the reading of the minutes and the treasurer's report.

Mrs. A. Booker reported on Knitted goods completed.

An order has been placed for the purchase of 3 wheel chairs for Christie Street Hospital and a donation was made to the corvette 'Ontario' which has been adopted by the Provincial Chapter.

Arrangements were made for a Guide party to be held on June 18th, and a luncheon to be held at the McIntyre Coffee Shop on June 13th.

A donation of \$25.00 was made to the blind war veterans.

Mrs. Carriere read her report on the Provincial Convention which was held in Hamilton on April 18th, and 19th and 20th. The meeting was brought to a close in the usual manner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Paice and infant son, David, of Ottawa, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Wm. Paice (Sr.) on Sixth Ave.

## Inspection Held of Timmins Army Cadets on Tuesday

### Major Reid Well Pleased with Local Army Cadets.

The Timmins Royal Canadian Cadet Corps was inspected by Major Reid, M. C., the District Cadet Officer on Tuesday afternoon at the Hollinger Ball Park. Major Reid was very pleased with the Cadets, and noted that they had done much to improve their corps since the last inspection, held last spring.

At present, the corps consists of four platoons. This year, only boys in Grades 10, 11 and 12 are compelled to be members of one of the three cadet corps in Canada—the Sea, Army or Air Cadets. Last year every boy in every grade had to be a member of one of the Cadet branches. Consequently, there were eight platoons of Army Cadets last year.

After the Cadets had been inspected, a class of girls trained by Mrs. Davidson, the girls' P. T. instructor at the school, gave a demonstration of many difficult exercises. Major Reid said that the girls' demonstration was the best he had seen in his tour of inspection throughout the province.

A group of signallers and first aid men also gave a demonstration of what they had learned in their classes at school.

A small detachment of Sea Cadets and Air Cadets were present at the inspection. Also present at the ceremony were a number of school students.

## Over 450 United States Superfortresses Hit the Japanese City of Osaka

### Fire Bombs and High Explosives Pour Down on Industrial Jap City. Canadian Ship with Stern Blown Off Gets Safely to Port with Voluntary Crew. King and Queen on Visit to the Channel Islands

## J. A. Habel Wins in North Cochrane

### Former Member Has Majority over J. J. Kehoe

J. A. Habel, who was the Liberal member of the Legislature for the riding of North Cochrane, but who was defeated in the last election by J. J. Kehoe, C.C.F., has again been returned as the representative for the North riding. Preliminary figures give him a majority under 500, but it is not likely that this will be upset by the soldier vote, though it may be reduced. There are also some polls to hear from in the north riding, but the result is not likely to be changed by these polls.

The preliminary figures for the North riding are:— J. A. Habel, Liberal, 3,253; J. J. Kehoe, C.C.F., 2,828; Michel Halle, Progressive Conservative, 1,720; Richard Burton, Labour Progressive, 331.

Despatches this morning from Guam say that over 450 U.S. Superfortresses have hit the Jap city of Osaka with high explosives and incendiary bombs.

United States forces have virtually completed their conquest of Okinawa with the capture of Naha airfield and all of Chinen peninsula.

The King and Queen are on a visit to the Channel Islands, the only British territory occupied by the Germans during the war.

From Ottawa last night came the story of the Canadian frigate that was towed to safety despite the fact that the whole stern of the vessel was blown away by the explosion of a torpedo. Six men died in the explosion but a volunteer crew brought the frigate, H.M.C.S. Chebogue, under Lieutenant Commander Maurice Oliver, of Halifax, safely to port of Swansea, Wales.

## Dr. F. W. Schumasher Urges All to Hold to the Spirit of Enterprise

### In Brief Address to Timmins Kiwanis Club Recalls the Early Pioneer Days of the Porcupine and the Great Progress Made Since Those Days. Pioneer of North Believes that the Spirit of Enterprise and Co-operation Very Necessary To-day

Monday's weekly luncheon of the Timmins Kiwanis Club was in the form of an open forum, with no regular speaker, but the Club had the pleasure and profit of a brief impromptu address from Dr. F. W. Schumasher, now of Columbus, Ohio, but in the early days of the Porcupine one of the pioneers here, with firm and abiding faith in the future of the country.

The enterprising town of Schumasher was named in honour of Dr. Schumasher. Kiwanian Geo. S. Drew introduced Dr. Schumasher, whose brief address was an inspiring one. Dr. Schumasher recalled the early days of the Porcupine and the astounding progress made by the district since early times. This progress and success, he said, was due to the spirit of the people. They had faith, friendliness and enterprise, the virtue of the pioneer. Dr. Schumasher urged all to hold fast to these virtues. The courage, faith and enterprise of the pioneer were needed to-day more than ever before. He also referred to the value of the Kiwanis, with which he had been acquainted for many years. The club had a tendency to develop personality, he pointed out, and without the development of personality little progress would be made. "Keep up your interest in your fellow man," the speaker said, "do not let your enterprise flag or falter, and continue to serve your community and your country with the old-time enthusiasm and energy." The Kiwanis also developed team work, he added, and that was a vital factor in success. Dr. Schumasher's brief but inspiring address brought rounds of sincere applause.

## St. Matthew's Church Now Has Effective Boys' Choir

Another milestone was reached in the lives of 10 young boys who took their places in the choir of St. Matthew's Anglican Church last Sunday. The boys have been training for the past two months under the very capable directorship of Mrs. A. R. Childwick, wife of the Rector. The choir and congregation were surprised and delighted at the progress made by the boys during their two months' preliminary training and their rendition of the anthem "O Sacred Head Surrounded," was a great tribute to their teacher in gaining such results in the short space of two months.

The boys were gowned in mulberry coloured cassocks, white surplices and wore Eton collars with mulberry bows. They looked most becoming and attractive and the ladies of the congregation who were responsible for the making of the outfits in their entirety deserve much credit.

At the present rate of progress St. Matthew's can look forward with confidence to having a boys' choir of which the entire community will have every reason to be proud. It is certainly another long step forward in the promotion of music appreciation in the Porcupine district.

The boys' choir is composed of the following members:—Lorne Taylor, Gordon Kneil, Peter Caldwell, Norman Gadsby, Arthur Hudson, Victor Roberts, Donald Kerr, Ray McFadden, John Stephens and Jim Burt.

## Soldiers' Vote May Make Difference in a Few Ridings

### General Result, However, Not Likely to be Affected

The returns for the soldiers' votes will not be announced for a week or so, but in the meantime it is generally believed that the general result will not be materially affected when this vote is counted. Indeed, the Progressive Conservatives believe that it may add two or three more seats to their total.

There are only four seats that would ordinarily be considered as in doubt.—The Progressive Conservative candidate has only a small majority over the C.C.F. candidate at Sault Ste. Marie; in Kenora there are only a few votes between the C. C. F. and the Progressive Conservatives; in Wellington North the Progressive Conservative and Liberal candidates are tied with 6,623 votes each; in Rainy River the Liberal-Labour candidate is only a few votes ahead of the Progressive Conservative. In Wellington North, of course, the soldier vote will decide the tie, and in the other three ridings the result generally accepted to-day may be changed by the soldier vote.

Despite the apparent suggestion that present results will not be changed by the soldier vote, there are several ridings where apparently defeated candidates refuse to concede victory for the candidate with the most votes now. These candidates wish to wait for the soldier vote. One of these is E. Joliffe, C. C. F. leader, who is quoted as refusing to concede the election in South York to Capt. Howard Sale, who is 1200 votes ahead. Mr. Joliffe suggests that the soldier vote may alter this. It is even betting that it will increase Capt. Sale's majority. Harry Drouillard, P. C. candidate in Essex North, does not concede that the majority of Alex Parent, (Liberal-Labour) 593 will not be upset by the soldier vote. Two other Progressive Conservatives losing out, soldiers' votes may change the picture. These are Dr. Williams, in Toronto-Bellwoods, and Flight Lieutenant Warrender in Wentworth. A. A. McLeod, Labour-Progressive, so far has 993 votes more than Dr. Williams.

## Good Work Being Done at Ramore by the Red Shield

The regular monthly meeting of the Red Shield was held in the Salvation Army Hall on Tuesday evening. Mrs. J. McChesney presided and the meeting was opened with the Lord's Prayer. Capt. Douglas Church read the treasurer's report and minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary.

Mrs. McChesney told of her visit to Ramore with Mrs. Major Dixon, Lieut. Lang and Capt. Church and spoke of the very splendid work being done there by the Red Shield.

Capt. Church told of the relief teams of the Salvation Army already established in Holland, Belgium and France.

Completed articles were handed in by the members, and the meeting was closed with prayer.

## Weekly Comforts Tea of Ladies' Auxiliary of Legion

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion held their weekly Comforts Tea in the Legion Hall yesterday afternoon. Those attending were Mrs. L. Nicholson, Mrs. R. Hardy, Mrs. F. Wilkinson, Mrs. L. Mason, Mrs. W. Curtis, Mrs. A. Borland (Sr.), Mrs. K. Kelly, Mrs. Hinds, Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. R. Sibley, Mrs. T. Gay, Mrs. E. Finchen, Mrs. A. Borland (Jr.), Elizabeth Borland, Mrs. J. McGarry, Margaret McGarry.

## Mayor Taylor Re-Elected for Temiskaming Riding

Cal. Taylor, Mayor of Cobalt, who was the C.C.F. member in the last legislature, was again elected to the Legislature in Monday's vote in Temiskaming. He won over R. Cumming, P.C., W. H. Nixon, Lib., and W. Lewis, L.P.

## W. J. Grummett Re-elected to Legislature, but With Much Smaller Majority

### Vote on Monday in This Riding Much Larger than at Last Election. Many Not on Voters' Lists. With Only Few Polls to Hear From Vote Stands—Grummett, 9,394; Brunette, 6,987; Hornick, 5,732; Karol, 1,607. Majority of Polls Give Majority to Grummett

In the last Provincial election held in 1943, the C. C. F. won 34 seats. In Monday's contest they only won 6. And this riding of South Cochrane is one of the six. W. A. Grummett, barrister and solicitor, of Ansonville, who was the member for the riding in the last session of the Legislature, was re-elected by Monday's vote. Whereas in 1943 he had a majority of over 7,000, the majority in this election will not be much over a third of that number. However, a majority of 2,000 odd is certainly not to be sneezed at, as the crib players say.

In the election of 1943 Mr. Grummett led in most polls, and he repeated the method in the contest on Monday. Even in Timmins the C.C.F. Candidate headed the polls, though Mayor Brunette was a mighty close second, being only a few votes behind in Kirkland Lake area Mr. Grummett secured quite a few more votes than taken by Mr. Hornick. It was an odd fact that in Mr. Grummett's own town of Ansonville he was beaten in votes received by Mayor Brunette of Timmins.

The following are some of the returns from some of the more important or interesting centres in the riding:—

Timmins—Grummett, 3,049; Brunette, 2,931; Hornick, 1,444; Karol, 569.

Schumacher—Grummett, 584; Brunette, 158; Hornick, 378; Karol, 205.

South Porcupine—Grummett, 563; Brunette, 261; Hornick, 314; Karol, 227.

Dome—Grummett, 133; Brunette, 39; Hornick, 111; Karol, 7.

Whitney—Grummett, 191; Brunette, 74; Hornick, 131; Karol, 24.

Wawatina Falls—Grummett, 6; Brunette, 6; Hornick, 11; Karol, 1.

Sandy Falls—Grummett, 18; Brunette, 38; Hornick, 4; Karol, 1.

Paymaster—Grummett, 5; Brunette, 7; Hornick, 9; Karol, 0.

Ankerite—Grummett, 100; Brunette, 35; Hornick, 63; Karol, 13.

Mountjoy—Grummett, 111; Brunette, 111; Hornick, 31; Karol, 18.

Ansonville—Grummett, 257; Brunette, 363; Hornick, 41; Karol, 38.

Troquois Falls—Grummett, 266; Brunette, 142; Hornick, 143; Karol, 2.

Matheson—Grummett, 37; Brunette, 33; Hornick, 80; Karol, 2.

Connaught—Grummett, 46; Brunette, 52; Hornick, 31; Karol, 10.

Hoyle—Grummett, 46; Brunette, 23; Hornick, 18; Karol, 10.

Dugwall—Grummett, 9; Brunette, 12; Hornick, 5; Karol, 3.

Cook's Lake—Grummett, 16; Brunette, 11; Karol, 1.

Craft's Creek—Grummett, 24; Brunette, 45; Hornick, 2; Karol, 3.

Monteith—Grummett, 57; Brunette, 44; Hornick, 24; Karol, 0.

Swastika—Grummett, 66; Brunette, 25; Hornick, 86; Karol, 2.

Kirkland Lake—Grummett, 2433; Brunette, 1390; Hornick, 2191; Karol, 381.

## Event by the Dome and Dome Extension Group

South Porcupine, June 6th. Special to The Advance.

The Dome and Dome Extension Group of the Women's Association of the South Porcupine United Church held a tea and a sale of home baking, articles of sewing, aprons, etc., on Wednesday afternoon last from 3 to 5:30 in the Guest House at the Dome Mine.

The rooms were festive with decorative spring flowers, and at a table daintily spread with lace cloth, with bowls of tulips and long tapers in crystal candlesticks, Mrs. J. C. Thomson and Miss E. White, of South Porcupine, poured tea and coffee.

The room was artistically arranged so that the guests were at ease to visit and enjoy the tea.

Mrs. F. H. Hall, leader of the group the conveners and committees wish to take this opportunity to thank all those who braved the inclement weather and came out to make the tea a success both socially and financially.

## Several Jail Terms at Police Court This Week

There were several jail terms imposed at this week's police court. Mrs. Bertolome, from Riverside Drive across the river, was sentenced to three months on a charge of keeping liquor for sale. The charge was laid by the provincial police, who had the place under observation for several months. The accused denied that she had sold any liquor, and a man living at the house corroborated this, claiming the drinks had been given away. Police, however, told of overhearing conversation as to paying for drinks served, and also money apparently changing hands on one occasion. The visitors at the house were there after midnight.

For theft of articles from a hotel room Roland Plourde, of Kapuskasing, was given 60 days.

On pleading guilty to being drunk in charge of a car, Jalmar Kuutenian was sent down for 15 days, with the usual other penalties.

A lady, on a second offence consuming while on interdicted list, was fined \$200 and costs or one month in jail.

One lengthy case was one of assault in which two ladies told slightly different stories, but both lengthy. The accused was bound over to keep the peace for a year.

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