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Dr. Jamieson, M. P. P. with increased majority.

Rowell increases his following, but Temperance and Moral Reform receives serious check.

There was no uncertain sound from the ballot boxes on Monday last. The country has gone unmistakably in favor of the government though Mr Rowell will have a following some six or seven larger than in the previous parliament. All the Cabinet Ministers, except Hon. Dr. Reaume, were returned with big majorities, all the Candidate ministers, except Tolmie of Windsor, were defeated. It was a bad day for the Independents also, for out of 38 running for Temperance, Labor, Socialist or otherwise Independent candidates, only two are returned. Sir James Whitney has won his greatest victory: he sits supreme with a majority of 56 or more.

The great issue of Temperance and Moral Reform, formulated a dozen years ago by representatives of the churches and temperance and moral reform societies and supported since by the Dominion Alliance, comprising men of both Liberal and Conservative faith, has received a serious blow. This issue has been presented time and again to Mr Whitney by the Alliance, asking for political action, but always turned down. Local option victories meanwhile showed men of all parties behind the Alliance in temperance sentiment, yet, when a Liberal leader appears, who for himself and his party accepts this platform, sentiment and consistency are thrown to the winds by the great mass of Conservatives and by some Liberals, and the Leader on the (to him) new platform, will now look around him and say, "Where are these who but yesterday saw eye to eye with me," and echo answers "Where"!

The Leader and the platform are lonely to-day, but the great principles represented are as vital as ever, and will some day triumph: "Truth crushed to earth will rise again." The fight against the liquor traffic will go on, though apparently more of sorrow, of loss, of blood and tears and shame must be endured, before victory is won.

Of one thing we may be assured much water will flow down the rivers before a political leader will again trust himself to the mercies of the temperance people.

The Result in South Grey

All through the campaign a reserve was felt, different from other elections rendering "counting heads" a difficult process. Few or none entertained the idea that Dr. Jamieson would be defeated, but few imagined his majority would be so large.

In the west of the Riding, especially where the German element prevailed, there were large Conservative gains, undoubtedly owing to antipathy to the Temperance issue. The result in Hanover was a great disappointment to the Liberal forces, and prepared them for like results from other western points. Even Neustadt, always strongly Liberal, gave six majority for the Conservative, while in Bentinck and Normanby Conservative gains were large. Truly the policy of "Abolish the Bar" does not appeal to our German fellow citizens. Dundalk and Artemesia and Proton showed Liberal gains, while Egremont, Glenelg and Durham were the other way.

A Personal Word

As a candidate representing the South Grey Temperance Alliance as well as being the unanimous nominee of the Liberal party of South Grey, we felt a peculiar pleasure in presenting the claims of temperance so prominent in the campaign, as well as other progressive planks of the Rowell platform. From boyhood we have consistently and persistently endeavored to do all in our power to discourage the use of intoxicating liquor as a beverage and generally to discountenance its use in the community. We shall continue to follow the Star of Temperance: it has been dimmed by this election, but not extinguished. It will one day shine more brightly and we would rejoice in that day to have with us under its beams, friends who have often worked with us, but who on this occasion have turned their backs upon it.

We have accomplished our purpose, we have fought a clean fight, in a two weeks campaign, we have no regrets defeat means little to us: We have given the people of S. Grey the opportunity to accept or reject a progressive policy under a progressive leader and we have discovered just how lightly in many instances temperance principles are brushed aside when the interests of party are concerned.

We thank heartily those Conservative friends who voted with us and even in some cases took the platform for the cause. Liberal friends who approved not the policy and voted against it, were quite within their rights, but we hope a closer study of the question will convince them they were wrong. To the great majority of Liberals who stood by us so nobly in the campaign, to the many who gave talent, time and energy in platform or other work, we return sincere thanks and for their sakes could have wished for a better reward.

We completed our two weeks' campaign as planned, this was our victory. Our opponent was an old campaigner, six months or more in the field, with means, motors and methods beyond our ken and an extra township thrown in.

The people have spoken, they meant it, we accept the verdict cheerfully, we accomplished our purpose.

NOTES

A drizzly showery day was Monday, hindering some from going out, but giving no excuse to go a-haying to others.

It was quiet in town during the day, the only unwonted stir being the rush pollwards of automobiles of which there were six or seven hauling voters for Dr. Jamieson.

The result was at no time in doubt, and as the majority developed friends of the winner naturally rejoiced and demonstrated.

Congratulations to Dr. Jamieson, M. P. P. for the sixth time. There will be no recount.

The new House will have 111 members, 84 Conservatives, 26 Liberals, one Labor and one Independent. The Independent is Gustave Evanturel, who was read out of the House last session and has won out in a three-cornered contest.

McDonald appears to have won in N. Bruce by 7, in spite of the gerrymander.

The Vote by Wards:

		Jamieson	Ramage
	DURHAM		
1	North	60	40
2	East	83	32
3	West	120	55
	Jamieson's majority 136		
	HANOVER		
1	North	103	76
2	South	120	90
3		163	80
	Jamieson's majority 140		
	DUNDALK	75	49
	Jamieson's majority 26		
	NEUSTADT	54	48
	Jamieson's majority 6		
	NORMANBY		
1	Alsfeldt	66	35
2	Ayton	154	32
3	Neustadt wd.	46 maj.	
4	Hampden	55	21
5	Blyth's	49	23
6	McPhee's	19	21
	Robinson's	60	16
	Jamieson's majority 301		
	GLENELG		
1	Ritchie's	75	33
2	Glen	85	54
3	Markdale	46	33
4	McKenzie's	38	25
5	Township Hall	62	30
	Jamieson's majority 81		
	EGREMONT		
1	Allan's	49 maj.	
2	Dromore	39	47
3	Holstein	60	69
4	Yeovil		15 maj
5	Mt. Forest	41	61
6	Drury's	45	53
	Ramage's majority 11		
	BENTINCK		
1	Tobermory	24	24
2	Clark's	33	29
3	Hutton Hill	35 maj.	
4	Allan Park	79	31
5	Camp. Corners	52	15
6	Lamlash	76	34
7	Louise	64	34
8	Elmwood	31	40
	Jamieson's majority 187		
	PROTON		
1	Cedarville	42	30
2	Hopeville	34	78
3	Swinton Park	46	50
4	Ventry	25	26
5	Dundalk wd.	46	16
6	Separate sch.	17	34
7	Kingscote	24	20
8	Proton stn.	30	6
	Ramage's majority 6		
	ARTEMESIA		
1	Orange Valley	24 maj.	
2	Flesherton wd.	38	20
3	Proton stn.	24 maj.	
4	Ceylon	47	38
5	Priceville	28	60
6	Vandeleur	30	28
7	Eugenia	81 maj.	
8	Portlaw	43 maj.	
	Jamieson's majority 114		
	FLESHERTON	60	28
	Jamieson's majority 32		

Jamieson's majority in riding, 1006.

UNDELIVERABLE EDITION

Mr Jack McDonald, of Midhurst, was home Monday to see his friends

Mrs Dan Greenwood and daughter Miss Clara left Tuesday to visit three months with relatives in Manitoba.

Miss Frappier, of Ottawa, arrived in town Saturday to visit a couple of weeks with Mrs Marshall and Miss Annie Robertson in town at Mrs T. Banks'.

Miss Winnie Brooker, of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting with old friends in Durham and other points in Ontario.

Miss Irene Lawson, Toronto, is home for a few weeks.

Miss Jean McGowan with her uncle, Mr Gray, of Portage La Prairie, visited relatives in Collingwood the past week. She intends accompanying her uncle west for a visit.

Mr Chas. Ramage, Jr., leaves for London Saturday for a Teachers' Training Course in the Military College.

Dr. Fettes and Mrs Fettes, of Saskatchewan, who arrived from the West in time to take in the Geddes—Hooper wedding, visited with relatives in Mt. Forest and Markdale and also in Durham with the latter's sister, Mrs Coleridge, for a few days.

Mrs Hall, Mrs Bailey and Miss McFarlane, all of Toronto, were Dominion Day guests of their cousin, Mrs. Thos. Banks.

Mr Wm. Browning came home last week from Stratford Business College, where he has been a student for the past eight months.

Mr Arthur Adlam, of International Falls, Minn., will visit his grandmother and aunt, Mrs R. Marshall in town this week end, after attending his mother's funeral in Toronto.

Mrs Wm. Saunders and Master Fred are visiting at the former's old home in Marmora.

Miss Marion Gun has the distinction of writing A. T. C. M, after her name now, having passed at the head of the class in vocal music at the recent exams in Conservatory of Music in Toronto.

Miss Lizzie Lauder is at present visiting old friends and relatives in town.

Miss A. Hassan, of Regina, who has been visiting relatives in Ontario for some time, visited her aunt, Mrs Geo Wilson of town, the past week

Miss Agnes Ramage is taking a six weeks' Teachers' Course at the Toronto University.

Misses Margaret Grant and Mary Edge are each taking an Art Course in Toronto.

Miss Mary McQueen and two brothers were the guests of their uncle in Boothville Sunday. They also took in the Dromore picnic Dominion Day.

Mr. —— Black, from Saskatchewan, is visiting his uncle, Mr. Fred Kelsey, for a few days.

Miss Carrie McKechnie of the Rocky is seriously ill with appendicitis. An operation was performed this Thursday morning by Dr Deakin of Stratford.

BORN

LAUDER—In Durham, on Saturday, June 27, to Mr and Mrs W. H Lauder, a son.—John Forrester

Obituary.

There died on Friday last 26th of June, 1914, at the home of her son George, Toronto, Mrs. Robt. Adlam, in her 52nd year. Her husband, at present working in Hanover, was on his way to the station to see his mother in Durham, who is seriously ill, when a telegram reached him that his wife was dead, and he at once took ticket for Toronto to mourn with his children the loss of his loving wife and mother.

Besides her husband and son George named, she leaves to mourn a son Arthur of Minnesota, who was home for the end, one daughter Laura, of Toronto.

There are also two brothers, Thomas Bailey in Hanover, and James in Wisconsin.

It was Mr. Adlam's intention to have interment in Saugeen cemetery, but as the children wished her to be buried in Toronto, he acquiesced in their wishes. The funeral was held Tuesday to Mt. Pleasant cemetery, services being conducted by Rev. Mr. Hodgkinson, English Church Minister.

Important Anniversary Services

The Anniversary Services of Knox Church, Normanby, will be held on Sunday, July 12th and on the following Monday evening, July 13th. An up-to-date entertainment will be given in the church when a good and varied program consisting of addresses, music, recitations, &c, will be rendered. Rev. Mr. Whaley, Rev D. N. Smith, Rev. Mr. Marsh and the new Methodist minister from Varney will be present. Services on Sunday at 3 p. m. by Rev. Mr. Whaley and at 7.30 p. m. by the pastor, Rev D. N. Smith.

Tables will be set on the adjoining grounds. Tea served from 6 to 8 p. m., preceding entertainment on Monday evening.

Admission, Adults 25c, children 15c. Everyone cordially invited to attend and enjoy a rare treat.

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Glenelg Centre Baptist Ch. will hold a garden party, Tuesday July 7, at Jas McGillivray's.

Trinity Church will hold a Garden Party at the Rectory on Wednesday, 8th July. Admission 10c. Band in attendance.

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Miss Janet Preston of Napanee, delegate to the Women's Institute, will give an address at the home of Mrs. R. T. Edwards, Zion, on Monday, July 6, at 2.30 p m. All ladies are cordially invited to attend.

Roger McGill, for over 20 years station agent at Ceylon, and latterly retired, dropped dead on Friday last while sitting on a case as magistrate in Flesherton. He was 60 years of age and unmarried.

MID-WEEK HALF-HOLIDAY.—The Council on Monday night passed a by-law, making Wednesday afternoon a half holiday in town, and in consequence shifting the open night to Thursday of each week, which is to continue during the year. Country friends will please take notice of these changes.

The Methodist Garden Party was held in the capacious rink on Thursday evening and despite the counter attractions the evening gave, they realized a tidy sum of money. Attentive waiters were on hand to cater to the people's wants and the candy and refreshment booth did a lively trade. The Band was in attendance and enlivened the proceedings with choice music. Proceeds were in the neighborhood of $50.

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HASTINGS—TWAMLEY

A pretty wedding took place on Wednesday, June 17th, at the home of Mr and Mrs Geo. Twamley, when their daughter Addie was united in holy bonds of matrimony to Mr Chas. Hastings, postmaster of Webb, Sask., by the Rev. Mr Endicott, of Swift Current, in the presence of a number of friends. The bride was given away by her father, wearing a bridal dress of white satin, trimmed with shadow lace and beads. The presents were numerous, her father giving her a house and lot in town and her four brothers a cheque for one hundred dollars. After the ceremony a dainty luncheon was served, the bride attired in a blue travelling suit, going by auto to Swift Current, where they left on the Flyer, visiting in Toronto, Owen Sound, Durham, Elmwood. On their return they will stop off in Winnipeg and will be at home to their friends in Webb after Sept. 1st.

MARTIN—LISTER

A very pretty wedding was solemnized in St. Peter's R. C. Church, Markdale, on Wednesday, June 24th, when Rev. Father Ferguson united in marriage Mr Stephen Martin, of Irish Lake, and Miss Eliza Lister, daughter of Mr Wm. Lister of Dornoch. Mr Louis Martin assisted his brother through the trying ordeal and Miss Margaret Ryan, of Edge Hill, was bridesmaid. After the ceremony the wedding party motored back to the residence of Mr and Mrs P.J. Sullivan, the latter being a sister of the bride, where a reception was held, over one hundred guests being present from Toronto, Owen Sound, Dornoch, Markdale and surrounding country. The bride looked winsome in a pretty gown of white voile and was the recipient of many useful and costly gifts among them being a fifty-dollar check from her father. The happy couple will reside on their farm near Irish Lake.

For Wedding presents see W. Black's north window of Silverware.

Notice to Contractors

Tenders will be received until July 19th by the Trustees of S. S. No. 3, Bentinck and Glenelg for the erection of a brick porch to school, size 8 x 8 ft., walls 9 ft high set on stone foundation. For further particulars apply to

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