

# LIBERALS HAVE CLEAR MAJORITY IN NEW COMMONS

*Liberals, 123; Progressives, 59; Conservatives, 51; Independents, 2*  
**MEIGHEN GOVERNMENT SWEEP AWAY  
 IN AN AVALANCHE OF PUBLIC SCORN;  
 LAURIER MANTLE FALLS UPON KING**

**Great Tidal Wave Carries Liberals and Progressives to Victory From Coast to Coast--Liberalism in Majority**

**FIVE PROVINCES OF CANADA  
 WITHOUT SINGLE TORY SEAT**

**Hon. Mackenzie King Scores Great Triumph in East  
 While Hon. T. A. Crerar Carries Prairies--  
 Canadian Electors Call for Constitutional  
 Government**

OTTAWA, Dec. 7.—As the Premier's defeat was overwhelming, and he accepted the verdict of the people, it is expected that he will place his resignation in the hands of the Governor-General at once. The latter will naturally ask Hon. Mr. King to form a Cabinet.

The Meighen Ministry which sought to govern Canada without the consent of the electors of the Dominion was swept out of existence at the polls yesterday and the Liberal party, under the leadership of Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, was given a mandate to take up the task of restoring constitutional government at Ottawa. No greater political revolution has ever taken place as a result of a Canadian general election.

The Premier and eight of his colleagues were defeated at the polls.

**FIVE PROVINCES OUST TORIES.**

In Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, Québec, Manitoba and Saskatchewan no Conservative candidate was elected.

East of the Ottawa River and west of the Great Lakes, Conservatism as a political force has ceased to exist, save in the urban centres of British Columbia.

All that remains of the once-great party of Macdonald, Cartier and Tupper is concentrated in the cities and towns of Ontario, for the rural parts of this Province voted overwhelmingly for the Liberal and Progressive candidates.

**HUGE ANTI-MEIGHEN MAJORITY.**

Only by the division of the opposition forces were many of the Conservatives in rural Ontario able to hold their seats. The popular vote when compiled will show a very great majority against the Government in the only Province in which the Conservatives made a stand against the tide of condemnation.

**Verdict in Brantford.**

The organization of the Government forces in the larger industrial centres—Toronto, Hamilton, London—enabled the party to carry all the seats in these cities, but in the smaller industrial cities, such as Brantford, where one of the most remarkable of the Liberal victories was won, the electors took the bit in their teeth and showed that they represented the endeavors of factory owners to direct the votes of their employees en bloc to the Conservative candidates.

**Swapped East and West.**

The Progressive wave in the West was scarcely less overwhelming than the Liberal tide that extinguished Conservatism in the East. Out of 48 seats between the Great Lakes and the Rockies the party led by Mr. Crerar is reported to have carried 37 of which 18 are in Manitoba, 14 in Saskatchewan and 10 in Alberta. Returns from British Columbia are incomplete at the time of writing, but the Conservatives will do fairly well there and may bring up the total of the party's strength in the new House to approximately 50 seats.

**Stalwarts Go Down.**

Among the notable changes in the representation of Ontario is the disappearance of such well-known Conservatives as Hugh Clark, Col. John Currie, W. F. Cockshutt, John Beet, Hon. Wm. Smith, E. W. Nesbitt, H. B. Morphy, Frank S. Scott, G. B. Nicholson, J. E. Armstrong and A. E. Frigg, all of whom were defeated at the polls. The most serious loss sustained by the Liberal party in Ontario was the defeat of Mr. F. F. Pardoe and Mr. Duncan Ross, both as a result of three-cornered contests. Another notable feature of the Ontario contests was the victory of Miss Agnes McPhail, Progressive, in Southeast Grey, which has the honor of re-

*'Little Rebel' Choice of Nation*



HON. W. L. MACKENZIE KING, PREMIER-ELECT  
 Even as he predicted in North York last Saturday, the grandson of the sturdy patriot of 1837 will be backed by so many Liberals that he will be independent of all the groups.

**RESULTS BY PROVINCES**

(Complete)	Lib.	Con.	Prog. and Ind.	Labor.
Ontario	24	38	20	..
Quebec	65	..	..	..
Prince Edward Island	4	..	..	..
New Brunswick	5	5	1	..
Nova Scotia	16	..	..	..
Manitoba	2	..	12	1
Alberta	..	1	10	1
Saskatchewan	2	..	14	..
British Columbia	1	7	2	..
Yukon	1	..	..	..
<b>Totals</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>2</b>

*The Leader of the West.*



HON. T. ALEXANDER CERERAR  
 Who represents the "new thought" in Canadian politics, and heads the second largest group in the Dominion's Fourteenth Parliament.

**THE MORNING AFTER**



**CELT AND SAXON JOIN HANDS  
 TO MOULD EMPIRE'S DESTINY  
 IN BRITISH ISLES AND OVERSEA**

Irish Agreement Gives Erin Same Constitutional Status as Dominions in Anglo-Saxon Community of Nations With Power to Make Laws—New Era Dawns for Mother Country and States Beyond the Seas

**DETAILS STILL TO BE WORKED OUT,  
 BUT ACCEPTANCE IS NOT DOUBTED**

LONDON, Dec. 6.—"Ireland shall have the same constitutional status in the community of nations known as the British Empire as the Dominion of Canada, the Commonwealth of Australia, the Dominion of New Zealand and the Union of South Africa, with a Parliament having powers to make laws for the peace, order and good government of Ireland, and an Executive responsible to that Parliament, and shall be styled and known as the Irish Free State."

Such is the first article of "a treaty between Great Britain and Ireland" which was signed, some minutes after two o'clock this morning, on behalf of Great Britain by Lloyd George, Austen Chamberlain, Lord Birkenhead, Winston Churchill, Sir Laming Worthington Evans, Sir Hamar Greenwood and Sir Gordon Hewart, and on behalf of Ireland by Arthur Griffith, Michael Collins, Robert Barton, E. J. Duggan and Gavin Duffy. The signatures were affixed to the document in that historic room of 10 Downing street on whose walls hang the portraits of the greatest British Premiers of the past and of one American, George Washington.

A New Era Entered on.

It was that same room, Lord Birkenhead pointed out to-day, which witnessed the fateful and melancholy discussion that preceded the final recognition, on the part of the statesmen of this country, that the American colonies were lost. It was in that room, said the Chancellor of the Exchequer, in which the anxieties, uncertainties and vicissitudes of the war met with daily reflection that, yesterday, was entered upon, in my judgment, a new phase which promises, after all these bitter centuries and generations, that at last an era may dawn which will enable us of our day and generation to say that we have not achieved less in settlement, here or on our own doors, of an issue which, from the time of the signing of the treaty, is not, domestic than we had been reached. There are those of these islands from the great force that assailed them since Napoleon's period.

Lord Birkenhead, it may be stated, who, a little after 2 o'clock this morning, brought out the historic Cabinet room of the waiting group of newsmen, the glad news that an era had been reached. There is, not long ago, when the Lord Chancellor, was nicknamed "Birkenhead" because of his

**PACIFIC COAST PUTS LIBERALISM IN THE SADDLE**

Four British Columbia With Yukon Make King Premier  
 FLASH DAYBREAK Morning Despatch Chron Results That Decide Canada's New Ministry

**SEVENTEEN LOSE ELECTION DEPOSITS**

Tory and Independent Candidates in Montreal Evail to Save Money

(Special Despatch to The Globe Vancouver, Dec. 7.—(Wed. 5:30 a.m.)—Final results in the Province of British Columbia the election of seven Conservative Liberals and two Progressives while a bulletin from Dawson states that Congdon (Liberal) leading in the Yukon.

The British Columbia returns as follows:  
 VANCOUVER CENTRE—St. Clair, Lib., 9,400; Gale, Lib., 6,500; O'Connor, Labor, 1,804.  
 VANCOUVER SOUTH—Macdonald, Lib., 4,700; Gen. Odium, Cons., 4,800; Richardson, Labor, 2,400.  
 BURBARD—Gen. Clark, Cons., 2,900; Macdonald, Lib., 4,500; Kingston, Soc., 1,500.  
 VICTORIA—Hon. S. F. Tolson, 2,429 majority.  
 NANAIMO—C. H. Dickie (Cons.) elected.  
 YALE—J. A. McKelvie (Cons.) elected.  
 SKEENA—Stark (Lib.) elected.  
 FRASER VALLEY—Munroe (Cons.) elected, Lib. gain.  
 COMOX—ATLIN—McNeill (Lib.) elected, Lib. gain.  
 EAST KOOTENAY—Bentley (Cons.) elected, Lib. gain.  
 WEST KOOTENAY—Humpal (Prog.) elected, Prog. gain.  
 CARBO—McCabe, Prog., elected, conceded, Prog. gain.

**Tory and Independent Candidates in Montreal Evail to Save Money**

(Canada Press Despatch.)  
 Montreal, Dec. 7.—Seventeen candidates on the Island of Montreal lost their deposits. They are:—Michael Buhey, Independent; H. A. Cholette, Conservative; L. P. Millie, Labor, in George Etienne Cartier district; Ubaldo Faquin, Independent, in James; Alfred Mathieu, Labor, in J. A. Nadeau, Conservative, in L'Assommoir; Ross Hender, Labor, in St. Lawrence St. Georges; H. Julien, Conservative, in Marye; J. E. Bernier, Conservative, in O. E. Leclaire, Independent, in Zouave; G. L. in Maloune; A. Lanoue in St. Ann's; J. L. Ayotte, Conservative, in Hochelaga; J. C. Gauthier, Independent, in St. Denis; Dupre (Independent Liberal), in Denis and Wilfrid Lamirre, Conservative, in Westmount St. Henri. The list of deposit losers among Conservative, Farmer, Independent and Labor candidates in rest of the Province will also be lengthy one.

**Autocracy Crumbles**



HON. ARTHUR MEIGHEN,  
 Ex-Premier, who was summarily dismissed from office yesterday by the elected Government of Canada.