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### A New Cabinet Slate.

OTTAWA, June 25.—It is clearly evident from the tone of the local press policy as well as of some of their newspapers, that Laurier will be urged to make a clean sweep in the civil service. The latest cabinet slate emanating from the sources assigns the different portfolios as follows:

Premier and president of the privy council—Hon. Mr. Laurier.  
Minister of Justice—Sir Oliver Mowat.  
Minister of Finance—Sir Richard Cartwright.

Minister of Trade and Commerce—Hon. Mr. Paterson.

Minister of Public Works—Sir De Lotbiniere Joly.

Minister of Agriculture—J. A. Fisher.

Minister of Railways—Hon. L. H. Davies.

Minister of Interior—Clifford Sifton.

Postmaster General—R. W. Scott.

Secretary of State—J. I. Tarte.

Minister of Marine and Fisheries—D. C. Fraser.

Minister of Militia—Dr. Borden or Flint.

Controller of Inland Revenue—J. V. Ellis.

Controller of Customs—Wm. Mullock.

Solicitor General—C. A. Geoffrion.

Without portfolio—Hon. D. Mills with a seat in the senate; Senator McInnis, British Columbia.

The speaker of the house of commons will be a French Canadian and the speaker of the Senate an English speaking man.

MONTREAL, June 25.—Twenty-five thousand people listened to Laurier and Cartwright here to-night for fifteen minutes. Speaking of the industries of Canada, Mr. Laurier said the new government would be one of reform and not of revolution. We shall apply ourselves at once, he said, to a revision of the tariff, but whatever we do will be done gradually and slowly, and moreover, no steps will be taken likely to effect any particular interest, without due notice having been given, what our intentions are and why we consider it expedient to make the contemplated changes. He concluded by saying that Mr. Tarte had not been defeated, but that his election had been stolen from him and he would soon have a seat on the floor of the house.

At to-day's meeting of the cabinet the political situation was thoroughly discussed and the conclusion reached that as soon as certain routine business was disposed of the ministers will tender their resignations to his excellency. This business will take a day or two, so that by Monday or Tuesday of next week Mr. Laurier will be engaged in the task of forming his cabinet. It is most likely the government will make a few appointments before resigning.

TORONTO, June 25.—It has been settled that Sir Oliver Mowat is to be Minister of Justice in the new Liberal Cabinet. It is said that Senator Scott, of Ottawa, will give up his seat in the Senate to Sir Oliver.

The result in Ontario is very disappointing to Sir Oliver, who regards the way Western Ontario went as a direct slap at him. The reorganization of the Ontario Cabinet, necessitated by the withdrawal of Sir Oliver, will affect only three portfolios. Hon. A. S. Hardy will be Premier and Attorney-General; Hon. J. M. Gibson will be Minister of Crown Lands, and E. H. Bronson, of Ottawa, Provincial Secretary.

OTTAWA, June 25.—Hon. Mr. Desjardins, Minister of Public Works, came up from Montreal this forenoon to attend to some departmental business and went back this evening, but will return tomorrow for the meeting of the Council to be held then. In conversation with your correspondent he said that he attributed the loss of the Province of Quebec to several causes. First the organization of the Opposition was far superior to that of the Government. The Opposition had been organized for two years, and had clubs and committees in operation all over the Province, while the organization of the Government was very defective.

"What other causes were there?"

"Well, the principal cause of our defeat was the desire of the French-Canadian people to have a French-Canadian Premier. There is no doubt that this was the main cause of our defeat. The people got it into their heads that if they only got a Canadian Premier he would control the Cabinet and they get anything they wanted."

"What effect did the mandement have?"

"Well, it did not appear to have done much good as far as helping Conservative party was concerned. You see the Bishops only enjoined on their flock that they should vote honestly, according to their conscience, and only for candidates who pledged themselves to have justice done to the minority in Manitoba. As Mr. Laurier and his followers, almost to a man, pledged themselves either in writing or in their speeches from the hustings to do this, the people could vote the French Canadian Premier they wanted and at the same time obey the mandate of the Bishops."

"You do not think, then, there was any uprising of the laity against the clergy, as some of the newspapers have represented?"

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who pledged themselves in some way to grant relief to the minority. But, as I said before, the primary idea was to vote for a French Canadian premier and he would settle the Manitoba school question or any other question. This feeling, I am glad to say, was what beat us. There was a feeling that it was time for a change of government, and no doubt the dissensions in the cabinet last July and again in January, had something to do with the matter. So you see, we had a good deal to contend against.

—LOST—Between St. Louis and Kingston a lady's silver watch. The finder will confer a favor by leaving it at THE REVIEW office.

SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND.—At the closing exercises of the Halifax school for the blind which took place on Thursday, 25th inst., the following New Brunswick pupils received prizes:—First class, Della Maud Greu, Saint John, first; Hattie May Northrup, Apohaqui, second. Second class, Minnie Marsh, Bass River, Kent county. Third class, David Marsh, Bass River, Kent county, first; Israel Craig, Woodstock, second. Fourth class, Edward Allan, Cape Tormentine, first; Edward Trenholm, Port Elgin, second. Fifth class, George Wicklow, Carleton county, first; Isaac Hakes, Waterford, Kings county, second.

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Clear Case. "Do you ride a wheel?" asked the eldest of the doctors on the Insanity Commission. "Yep," answered the subject. "What make?" "I never noticed." The verdict was unanimous—dementia.

"I suppose," said the man trying to be chummy, "it doesn't hurt your glass eye when you get anything in it?" "Does it look as if it would ever be likely to have a pane in it?" responded the other frigidly. And he gave him the glass stare.

Old Texan (to fellow-traveller, a New Englander)—"Any news?" New Englander (who had just laid down the paper)—"Seems they've been hanging a man in effigy." Old Texan—"That ain't nothin'; they hanged three in Texarkana yesterday, all outer one gallus."

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