

The Premier receives \$5,000 per annum in addition to the salary for any other portfolio he may hold. The salary of each Cabinet Minister is \$7,500, the amount paid as indemnity to each Member of the House of Assembly is \$2,400, plus an additional \$1,200 allowance for expenses. The Leader of the Opposition receives an additional \$3,000. An allowance of \$1,000 in addition to the regular indemnity is made to the Speaker.

**17.—Legislatures and Premiers of New Brunswick 1935-58 and Ministry as at Sept. 1, 1958**

**Legislatures 1935-58<sup>1</sup>**

Date of Election	Legislature	Number of Sessions	Date of First Opening	Date of Dissolution
June 27, 1935	11th.....	4	Mar. 5, 1936	Oct. 26, 1939
Nov. 20, 1939	12th.....	5	Apr. 4, 1940	July 10, 1944
Aug. 28, 1944	13th.....	4	Feb. 20, 1945	May 18, 1948
June 28, 1948	14th.....	4	Mar. 8, 1949	July 16, 1952
Sept. 22, 1952	15th.....	4	Feb. 12, 1953	Apr. 17, 1956
June 18, 1956	16th.....	2	Feb. 21, 1957	2

<sup>1</sup> The Ministries from 1935-58 were: 20th Ministry sworn in July 16, 1935, under the leadership of Hon. A. A. Dymart; 21st Ministry sworn in Mar. 13, 1940, under the leadership of Hon. J. B. McNair; 22nd Ministry sworn in Oct. 8, 1952, under the leadership of Hon. H. J. Flemming.

<sup>2</sup> Life of Legislature not expired at Sept. 1, 1958.

**Twenty-Second Ministry**

(Party standing at latest General Election, June 18, 1956: 37 Conservatives and 15 Liberals.)

Note.—Date of appointment does not necessarily mean that the Minister was sworn in on date given.

Office	Name	Date of First Appointment	Date of Present Appointment
Premier and Minister of Municipal Affairs...	HON. HUGH JOHN FLEMMING.....	Oct. 8, 1952	{Oct. 1, 1952 Aug. 1, 1958
Attorney General.....	HON. WILLIAM J. WEST.....	Oct. 8, 1952	Oct. 8, 1952
Provincial Secretary-Treasurer.....	HON. D. D. PATTERSON.....	Oct. 8, 1952	Oct. 8, 1952
Minister of Agriculture.....	HON. C. B. SHERWOOD.....	Oct. 8, 1952	Oct. 8, 1952
Minister of Health and Social Services.....	HON. J. F. MCINERNEY.....	Oct. 8, 1952	Oct. 8, 1952
Minister of Lands and Mines.....	HON. N. B. BUCHANAN.....	Oct. 8, 1952	Oct. 8, 1952
Minister of Education.....	HON. CLAUDE D. TAYLOR.....	Oct. 8, 1952	Oct. 8, 1952
Minister of Labour.....	HON. ARTHUR E. SKALING.....	Oct. 8, 1952	Oct. 8, 1952
Minister of Industry and Development.....	HON. J. ROGER PICHETTE.....	Oct. 8, 1952	Oct. 8, 1952
Minister without Portfolio and Chairman of the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission.....	HON. EDGAR FOURNIER.....	Oct. 8, 1952	Oct. 8, 1952
Minister without Portfolio and President of the Executive Council.....	HON. J. W. BOURGEOIS.....	Apr. 5, 1957	Apr. 5, 1957
Minister of Public Works.....	HON. J. STEWART BROOKS.....	Aug. 1, 1958	Aug. 1, 1958

**Subsection 5.—Quebec**

The Government of Quebec consists of a Lieutenant-Governor, an Executive Council, and a bicameral legislature—the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly. The Honourable Onesime Gagnon, Lieutenant-Governor at Sept. 1, 1958, was commissioned to office Feb. 14, 1958. Lieutenant-Governors since Confederation are cited in the 1951 Year Book, p. 90, and in the 1957-58 edition, p. 64.

The Legislative Council has 24 members nominated for life by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council. The Legislative Assembly has 93 elected members and, like the Legislative Council, has the power to bring forward Bills relating to civil and administrative matters and to the amendment or repeal of laws that already exist. A Bill to be approved by the Lieutenant-Governor must have received the assent of both Houses. Only the Legislative Assembly can bring forward a Bill requiring the expenditure of public money. The maximum life of a Legislature is five years.