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#### 49.—Lieutenant-Governors of British Columbia since Confederation, 1871-1959

Name	Date of Commission	Name	Date of Commission
Hon. J. W. TRUTCH.....	July 5, 1871	Col. the Hon. EDWARD G. PRIOR.....	Dec. 9, 1919
Hon. ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS.....	June 27, 1876	Hon. WALTER C. NICHOL.....	Dec. 24, 1920
Hon. CLEMENT F. CORNWALL.....	June 21, 1881	Hon. R. RANDOLPH BRUCE.....	Jan. 21, 1926
Hon. HUGH NELSON.....	Feb. 8, 1887	Hon. J. W. FORDHAM JOHNSON.....	July 18, 1931
Hon. EDGAR DEWDNEY.....	Nov. 1, 1892	Hon. ERIC W. HAMBER.....	Apr. 29, 1936
Hon. THOMAS R. McINNES.....	Nov. 18, 1897	Lieut.-Col. the Hon. WILLIAM C. WOODWARD.....	Aug. 29, 1941
Hon. Sir HENRI G. JOLY DE LOUBINIÈRE.....	June 21, 1900	Col. the Hon. CHARLES ARTHUR BANKS.....	Oct. 1, 1946
Hon. JAMES DUNSMUIR.....	May 11, 1906	Hon. CLARENCE WALLACE.....	Oct. 1, 1950
Hon. T. W. PATERSON.....	Dec. 3, 1909	Hon. FRANK MACKENZIE ROSS.....	Oct. 3, 1955
Hon. Sir FRANK S. BARNARD.....	Dec. 5, 1914		

#### 50.—Premiers of British Columbia since Confederation, 1871-1959

Ministry	Name	Date of Formation of Ministry	Ministry	Name	Date of Formation of Ministry
1	Hon. J. F. McCREIGHT.....	December 1871	14	Hon. J. DUNSMUIR.....	June 15, 1900
2	Hon. A. DeCOSMOS.....	Dec. 23, 1872	15	Hon. E. G. PRIOR.....	Nov. 21, 1902
3	Hon. G. A. WALKEM.....	Feb. 11, 1874	16	Hon. R. McBRIDE.....	June 1, 1903
4	Hon. A. C. ELLIOT.....	Feb. 1, 1876	17	Hon. WM. J. BOWSER.....	Dec. 15, 1915
5	Hon. G. A. WALKEM.....	June 26, 1878	18	Hon. HARLAN CAREY BREWSTER.....	Nov. 19, 1916
6	Hon. R. BEAVEN.....	June 13, 1882	19	Hon. JOHN OLIVER.....	Mar. 6, 1918
7	Hon. W. SMYTHE.....	Jan. 28, 1883	20	Hon. J. D. MACLEAN.....	Aug. 20, 1927
8	Hon. A. E. B. DAVIE.....	Apr. 1, 1887	21	Hon. S. F. TOLMIE.....	Aug. 21, 1928
9	Hon. J. ROBSON.....	Aug. 3, 1889	22	Hon. T. D. PATTULLO.....	Nov. 15, 1933
10	Hon. T. DAVIE.....	July 2, 1892	23	Hon. JOHN HART.....	Dec. 9, 1941
11	Hon. J. H. TURNER.....	Mar. 4, 1895	24	Hon. B. I. JOHNSON.....	Dec. 29, 1947
12	Hon. C. A. SEMLIN.....	Aug. 12, 1898	25	Hon. W. A. C. BENNETT... ..	Aug. 1, 1952
13	Hon. Jos. MARTIN.....	Feb. 28, 1900			

#### 51.—Legislatures of British Columbia, 1937-59, as at Oct. 31, 1959

NOTE.—Legislatures from Confederation to 1923 are given in the 1924 Year Book, p. 83, and for 1924-37 in the 1938 edition, p. 118.

Date of Election	Legislature	Number of Sessions	Date of First Opening	Date of Dissolution
June 1, 1937	19th.....	5	Oct. 26, 1937	July 22, 1941
Oct. 21, 1941	20th.....	4	Dec. 4, 1941	Aug. 31, 1945
Oct. 25, 1945	21st.....	5	Feb. 21, 1946	Apr. 16, 1949
June 15, 1949	22nd.....	4	Feb. 14, 1950	Apr. 10, 1952
June 12, 1952	23rd.....	1	Feb. 3, 1953	Mar. 27, 1953
June 9, 1953	24th.....	4	Sept. 15, 1953	Aug. 13, 1956
Sept. 19, 1956	25th.....	1	Feb. 7, 1957	1

<sup>1</sup>Life of Legislature not expired at Oct. 31, 1959.