

14.—First Ministry of Newfoundland, as at Oct. 1, 1966

(Party standing at latest General Election, Sept. 8, 1966: 39 Liberal and 3 Progressive Conservative.)

Office	Name	Date of First Appointment	Date of Present Appointment
Premier and Minister of Economic Development	Hon. J. R. SMALLWOOD	Apr. 1, 1949	Apr. 1, 1949
President of the Council	Hon. L. R. CURTIS	Apr. 1, 1949	Sept. 8, 1966
Minister of Mines, Agriculture and Resources	Hon. W. J. KEOUGH	July 29, 1949	May 1, 1957
Minister of Public Works	Hon. J. R. CHALKER	Apr. 4, 1950	May 1, 1957
Minister without Portfolio	Hon. P. J. LEWIS	Dec. 15, 1951	Dec. 15, 1951
Minister of Finance	Hon. F. W. ROWE	May 21, 1952	Dec. 7, 1964
Minister without Portfolio	Hon. B. J. ABBOTT	May 1, 1957	Sept. 8, 1966
Minister of Health	Hon. J. M. MCGRATH	July 5, 1956	Aug. 7, 1956
Minister of Provincial Affairs	Hon. G. A. FRECKER	Aug. 28, 1959	Dec. 7, 1964
Minister of Fisheries	Hon. C. M. LANE	June 12, 1961	Feb. 15, 1963
Minister of Highways	Hon. E. S. JONES	Dec. 7, 1964	Dec. 7, 1964
Minister of Education	Hon. H. R. V. EARLE	Dec. 7, 1964	Dec. 7, 1964
Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply	Hon. J. C. CROSBIE	July 19, 1966	Sept. 8, 1966
Minister of Justice	Hon. T. A. HICKMAN	July 28, 1966	Sept. 8, 1966
Minister of Labrador Affairs	Hon. C. R. GRANGER	Aug. 1, 1966	Sept. 8, 1966
Minister of Public Welfare	Hon. AIDAN MALONEY	Aug. 8, 1966	Sept. 8, 1966
Minister of Labour	Hon. CLYDE WELLS	Aug. 15, 1966	Sept. 8, 1966

Subsection 2.—Prince Edward Island

The Government of Prince Edward Island consists of a Lieutenant-Governor, an Executive Council and a Legislative Assembly. Lieutenant-Governors from Confederation (1873) to 1959 are cited in the 1960 Year Book, p. 105; since that date, the position has been held by the Hon. F. W. Hyndman, appointed effective Mar. 31, 1958, followed by the Hon. W. J. MacDonald, appointed effective Aug. 1, 1963.

The General Assembly elected May 30, 1966 is the 51st in the history of Prince Edward Island Legislatures and the 26th since Confederation. It has 32 members from 16 electoral districts who serve for a statutory term of five years. Each district elects one Councillor and one Assembly member. Premiers from Confederation to 1959 are listed in the 1960 Year Book, p. 105.

The annual salary of the Premier is \$8,000 and that of a Cabinet Minister \$5,000. Each member of the Assembly is paid \$2,000 for each session attended by him and an additional \$1,000 tax free as indemnity for expenses and travelling. The Speaker is paid an additional \$666.60 and a further additional \$333.40 tax free as indemnity for expenses and travelling. The Leader of the Opposition is paid an additional \$1,000 and a further additional \$500 tax free for expenses and travelling.

15.—Legislatures of Prince Edward Island, 1945-66, as at Oct. 1, 1966

NOTE.—Legislatures from Confederation to 1923 are given in the 1924 Year Book, p. 75; for 1924-35 in the 1938 edition, p. 110; and for 1936-43 in the 1963-64 edition, p. 82.

Date of Election	Legislature	Number of Sessions	Date of First Opening	Date of Dissolution
Sept. 15, 1943	20th	4	Feb. 15, 1944	Oct. 27, 1947
Dec. 11, 1947	21st	5	Feb. 24, 1948	Mar. 30, 1951
Apr. 26, 1951	22nd	6	Oct. 23, 1951	Apr. 27, 1955
May 25, 1955	23rd	4	Feb. 2, 1956	Aug. 3, 1959
Sept. 1, 1959	24th	4	Mar. 1, 1960	Nov. 8, 1962
Dec. 10, 1962	25th	4	Mar. 14, 1963	Apr. 14, 1966
May 30, 1966	26th	1	1	1

¹ Not yet in session by Oct. 1, 1966.