

expense allowance plus \$15 for each day during the session when the member is necessarily absent from his ordinary place of residence, both tax free. The Speaker's sessional indemnity is \$6,000 plus \$3,000 expense allowance, the Deputy Speaker's sessional indemnity is \$4,800 plus \$2,400 expense allowance, and the Leader of the Opposition's sessional indemnity is \$7,600 plus \$3,800 expense allowance. Each also receives \$15 for each day during the session when he is necessarily absent from his ordinary place of residence. The Premier, in addition to the sessional indemnity, receives \$16,000 and each of the other Ministers receives \$12,500.

### 30.—Legislatures of Alberta, 1945-66, as at June 30, 1966

NOTE.—Legislatures from Confederation to 1923 are given in the 1924 Year Book, p. 82; for 1924-34 in the 1938 edition, p. 117; and for 1935-44 in the 1963-64 edition, p. 90.

Date of Election	Legislature	Number of Sessions	Date of First Opening	Date of Dissolution
Aug. 8, 1944	10th.....	5	Feb. 22, 1945	July 16, 1948
Aug. 17, 1948	11th.....	5	Feb. 17, 1949	June 28, 1952
Aug. 5, 1952	12th.....	3	Feb. 19, 1953	May 12, 1955
June 29, 1955	13th.....	5	Aug. 17, 1955	May 9, 1959
June 18, 1959	14th.....	5	Feb. 11, 1960	May 9, 1963
June 17, 1963	15th.....	1	Feb. 13, 1964	'

<sup>1</sup> Life of Legislature not expired at June 30, 1966.

### 31.—Eighth Ministry of Alberta, as at June 30, 1966

(Party standing at latest General Election, June 17, 1963: 60 Social Credit, 2 Liberal and 1 Coalition.)

Office	Name	Date of First Appointment	Date of Present Appointment
Premier, President of Council and Attorney General.....	HON. ERNEST C. MANNING.....	Sept. 3, 1935	(May 31, 1943 Aug. 2, 1955
Minister of Municipal Affairs.....	HON. ALFRED J. HOOKE.....	Apr. 20, 1945	Aug. 2, 1955
Minister of Highways.....	HON. GORDON E. TAYLOR.....	Dec. 27, 1950	May 1, 1951
Minister of Education.....	HON. RANDOLPH H. MCKINNON.....	July 31, 1964	July 31, 1964
Minister of Public Welfare.....	HON. LEONARD C. HALMRAST.....	Jan. 3, 1953	Oct. 15, 1962
Minister of Lands and Forests.....	HON. HENRY A. RUSTE.....	Feb. 18, 1965	Feb. 18, 1965
Provincial Treasurer.....	HON. ANDERS O. AALSBOG.....	Sept. 9, 1952	July 29, 1964
Minister of Public Works.....	HON. FRED C. COLBORNE.....	Aug. 2, 1955	Nov. 30, 1962
Minister of Industry and Development and Minister of Mines and Minerals.....	HON. A. RUSSELL PATRICK.....	Aug. 2, 1955	(Sept. 1, 1959 Oct. 15, 1962
Minister of Labour and Minister of Tele-phones.....	HON. RAYMOND REBERSON.....	Aug. 2, 1955	Sept. 22, 1959
Minister of Health.....	HON. J. DONOVAN ROSS.....	Sept. 18, 1957	Sept. 18, 1957
Minister of Agriculture.....	HON. HARRY E. STROM.....	Oct. 15, 1962	Oct. 15, 1962
Provincial Secretary.....	HON. AMBROSE HOLLOWAY.....	Oct. 15, 1962	Oct. 15, 1962
Minister without Portfolio.....	HON. IRA McLAUGHLIN.....	Nov. 30, 1962	Nov. 30, 1962
Minister without Portfolio.....	HON. ETHEL S. WILSON.....	Nov. 30, 1962	Nov. 30, 1962

### Subsection 10.—British Columbia

The Government of British Columbia has a Lieutenant-Governor, an Executive Council and a Legislative Assembly. Maj.-Gen. the Hon. George Randolph Pearkes, Lieutenant-Governor at Apr. 30, 1965, was commissioned to office Oct. 12, 1960. Lieutenant-Governors from Confederation (1871) to 1959 are cited in the 1960 Year Book, p. 118.

The Legislative Assembly, elected for a statutory term of five years, has 55 members. Premiers from Confederation to 1959 are cited in the 1960 Year Book, p. 118; the present Premier assumed office in 1952.

Each member of the Executive Council and the Legislative Assembly receives a sessional allowance of \$5,000 and \$1,500 for expenses. There is also paid to each member a living