

Subsection 8.—Saskatchewan

The Government of the Province of Saskatchewan consists of a Lieutenant-Governor, an Executive Council and a Legislative Assembly.

The Honourable W. J. Patterson, the present Lieutenant-Governor, was commissioned to office July 4, 1951. Lieutenant-Governors since Confederation are cited in the Year Book 1951, p. 95.

The statutory number of members of the Legislative Assembly is 53, elected for a maximum term of five years.

As of Apr. 1, 1953, the Premier receives \$8,500 and each Cabinet Minister \$7,000 annually in addition to the sessional indemnity, while the Leader of the Opposition, the Speaker and the Deputy Speaker receive \$4,000, \$2,000 and \$1,000, respectively. The annual salary of a Member of the Legislature is \$2,000 together with an expense allowance of \$1,000.

9.—Legislatures and Premiers of Saskatchewan, 1934-53, and Ministry as at Mar. 31, 1953

Legislatures, 1934-53:

Date of Election	Legislature	Number of Sessions	Date of First Opening	Date of Dissolution
June 19, 1934	8th General Assembly.....	4	Nov. 15, 1934	May 14, 1938
June 8, 1938	9th General Assembly.....	6	Jan. 19, 1939	May 10, 1944
June 15, 1944	10th General Assembly.....	5	Oct. 19, 1944	May 19, 1948
June 24, 1948	11th General Assembly.....	2	Feb. 10, 1949	2

¹ The Ministries from 1934-53 were: 6th Ministry, sworn in July 19, 1934, under the leadership of Hon. J. G. Gardiner; 7th Ministry, sworn in Nov. 1, 1935, under the leadership of Hon. W. J. Patterson; 8th Ministry, sworn in July 10, 1944, under the leadership of Hon. T. C. Douglas. ² Life of Legislature not expired at Mar. 31, 1953.

Eighth Ministry

(Party standing at latest General Election, June 11, 1952: 42 Co-operative Commonwealth Federation, 11 Liberal.)

NOTE.—See headnote to Table 3.

Office	Name	Date of First Appointment	Date of Present Appointment
Premier, President of the Council and Minister of Co-operation and Co-operative Development.	Hon. T. C. DOUGLAS.....	July 10, 1944	Premier and President—July 10, 1944 Co-operation—Nov. 14, 1949
Provincial Treasurer.....	Hon. C. M. FINES.....	July 10, 1944	July 10, 1944
Attorney General.....	Hon. J. W. CORMAN.....	July 10, 1944	July 10, 1944
Minister of Natural Resources, and Minister of Mineral Resources.	Hon. J. H. BROCKELBANK	July 10, 1944	Natural Resources—Aug. 4, 1948 Mineral Resources—Apr. 1, 1953
Minister of Highways and Transportation.....	Hon. J. T. DOUGLAS.....	July 10, 1944	July 10, 1944
Minister of Education.....	Hon. W. S. LLOYD.....	July 10, 1944	July 10, 1944
Minister of Social Welfare and Rehabilitation.....	Hon. J. H. STURDY.....	July 10, 1944	Aug. 4, 1948
Minister of Municipal Affairs.....	Hon. L. F. MCINTOSH.....	July 10, 1944	Aug. 4, 1948
Minister of Labour.....	Hon. C. C. WILLIAMS.....	July 10, 1944	Aug. 4, 1948
Minister of Agriculture.....	Hon. I. C. NOLLET.....	Feb. 26, 1945	Feb. 26, 1945
Minister of Public Works.....	Hon. J. A. DARLING.....	Aug. 4, 1948	Aug. 4, 1948
Minister of Public Health.....	Hon. T. J. BENTLEY.....	Nov. 14, 1949	Nov. 14, 1949
Minister of Telephones.....	Hon. A. G. KUZIAK.....	Oct. 24, 1952	Oct. 24, 1952
Provincial Secretary.....	Hon. J. W. BURTON.....	Oct. 24, 1952	Oct. 24, 1952