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### **Cumberland North**

*Upon the recommendations of the 1992 Electoral Boundaries Commission report, the name of Cumberland East was changed to Cumberland North. Boundaries changed to include the area north of the Trans-Canada Highway (excepting Oxford), formerly part of Cumberland West.*

*In 2013, following the recommendations of the 2012 Electoral Boundaries Commission report, this district lost the area south of the Nappan River to Cumberland South.*

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<b><i>Member Elected</i></b>	<b><i>Election Date</i></b>	<b><i>Party Elected</i></b>
<b>Smith-McCrossin, Elizabeth Anne</b>	<b>17-Aug-2021</b>	<b>Independent</b>
	<i>Majority:</i> (1747)	
<b><i>Candidate</i></b>	<b><i>Party</i></b>	<b><i>Votes</i></b>
Smith-McCrossin, Elizabeth	Independent	4235
Casey, Bill	Liberal	2488
Skabar, Lauren	New Democratic Party	569
Wightman, David	Progressive Conservative	569

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<b>Smith-McCrossin, Elizabeth Anne</b>	<b>30-May-2017</b>	<b>Progressive Conservative</b>
	<i>Majority:</i> (919)	
<b><i>Candidate</i></b>	<b><i>Party</i></b>	<b><i>Votes</i></b>
Smith-McCrossin, Elizabeth	Progressive Conservative	3632
Farrell, Terry	Liberal	2713
Dow, Earl	New Democratic Party	496
Plett, Richard	Independent	106
Archer, Bill	Atlantica	84

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<b>Farrell, Terry</b>	<b>08-Oct-2013</b>	<b>Liberal</b>
	<i>Majority:</i> (732)	
<b><i>Candidate</i></b>	<b><i>Party</i></b>	<b><i>Votes</i></b>
Farrell, Terry	Liberal	2944
Giroux, Judi	Progressive Conservative	2212
Skabar, Brian	New Democratic Party	1974
Blanch, Jason M.	Green Party	279

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**Skabar, Brian**

**09-Jun-2009**

**New Democratic Party**

*Majority:* (1011)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Skabar, Brian	New Democratic Party	3170
Fage, Ernest	Independent	2159
Hunter, Keith	Progressive Conservative	1359
Noiles, Brent	Liberal	1073
Silburt, Aviva	Green Party	127

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**Fage, Ernest L. (Ernie)**

**13-Jun-2006**

**Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (3160)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Fage, Ernest	Progressive Conservative	4640
Fage, Bruce Alan	Liberal	1480
Cail, Kim	New Democratic Party	1085
Whetter, Darryl Gregory	Green Party	202

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**Fage, Ernest L. (Ernie)**

**05-Aug-2003**

**Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (3220)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Fage, Ernest	Progressive Conservative	4609
Fox, Marsh G.	Liberal	1389
Cail, Kim	New Democratic Party	1105
Blanch, Jason M.	Independent	337

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**Fage, Ernest L. (Ernie)**

**27-Jul-1999**

**Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (4341)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Fage, Ernest	Progressive Conservative	5936
Langille, Kathy	Liberal	1595
Wilson, Doug	New Democratic Party	856

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**Fage, Ernest L. (Ernie)**

**24-Mar-1998**

**Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (3013)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Fage, Ernest	Progressive Conservative	5451
Scott, Russell	Liberal	2438
Stewart, Peter	New Democratic Party	854

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**Fage, Ernest L. (Ernie)      04-Nov-1997 (By-election) Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:*    (2831)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Fage, Ernest	Progressive Conservative	4954
Scott, Russell	Liberal	2123
Jorgensen, Dorothy	New Democratic Party	1014

Bragg resigned November 1996`

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**Bragg, David Ross      25-May-1993      Liberal**

*Majority:*    (1251)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Bragg, David Ross	Liberal	5605
Fage, Ernest	Progressive Conservative	4354
Bird, Curtis L.	New Democratic Party	756

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### ***Cumberland East***

*Chapter 47 of the Statutes of Nova Scotia for 1948 divided the county of Cumberland into three electoral districts: Cumberland East, Cumberland West, and Cumberland Centre. Cumberland East consisted of that portion of the County of Cumberland contained in polling districts One, Three, Seven, Eight, Thirteen, Fourteen, and the Town of Amherst.*

*Upon the recommendations of the 1992 Electoral Boundaries Report, the name of Cumberland East was changed to Cumberland North.*

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<b><i>Member Elected</i></b>	<b><i>Election Date</i></b>	<b><i>Party Elected</i></b>
<b>Bacon, Roger Stuart</b>	<b>06-Sep-1988</b>	<b>Progressive Conservative</b>
	<i>Majority:</i> (1482)	
<b><i>Candidate</i></b>	<b><i>Party</i></b>	<b><i>Votes</i></b>
Bacon, Roger Stuart	Progressive Conservative	4758
Drysdale, Carolyn	Liberal	3276
Mitchell, Jim	New Democratic Party	1062
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<b>Bacon, Roger Stuart</b>	<b>06-Nov-1984</b>	<b>Progressive Conservative</b>
	<i>Majority:</i> (2488)	
<b><i>Candidate</i></b>	<b><i>Party</i></b>	<b><i>Votes</i></b>
Bacon, Roger Stuart	Progressive Conservative	4837
Drysdale, Ira	Liberal	2349
Marsden, Barbara A.	New Democratic Party	698
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<b>Bacon, Roger Stuart</b>	<b>06-Oct-1981</b>	<b>Progressive Conservative</b>
	<i>Majority:</i> (2250)	
<b><i>Candidate</i></b>	<b><i>Party</i></b>	<b><i>Votes</i></b>
Bacon, Roger Stuart	Progressive Conservative	4663
Davidson, Hal	New Democratic Party	2413
Frances, Shelagh R.	Liberal	1709
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<b>Bacon, Roger Stuart</b>	<b>19-Sep-1978</b>	<b>Progressive Conservative</b>
	<i>Majority:</i> (1721)	
<b><i>Candidate</i></b>	<b><i>Party</i></b>	<b><i>Votes</i></b>
Bacon, Roger Stuart	Progressive Conservative	4955
Mansour, Norman J.	Liberal	3234
Soontiens, Francis	New Democratic Party	1280
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**Bacon, Roger Stuart**      **02-Apr-1974**      **Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (635)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Bacon, Roger Stuart	Progressive Conservative	4125
MacNeil, Ronald S.	Liberal	3490
D'Aubin, David W.	New Democratic Party	934

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**Bacon, Roger Stuart**      **13-Oct-1970**      **Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (1213)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Bacon, Roger Stuart	Progressive Conservative	4355
Dolan, Leonard J.	Liberal	3142
MacSwain, James M.	New Democratic Party	895

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**Langille, James Arnold**      **30-May-1967**      **Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (1362)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Langille, James Arnold	Progressive Conservative	4415
Furlong, Howard R.	Liberal	3053
Burbine, John E.	New Democratic Party	536

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**Langille, James Arnold**      **08-Oct-1963**      **Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (2431)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Langille, James Arnold	Progressive Conservative	5226
Noonan, Norman Willard	Liberal	2795
Ayer, Lloyd	New Democratic Party	261

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**Langille, James Arnold**      **07-Jun-1960**      **Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (1610)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Langille, James Arnold	Progressive Conservative	5081
Purdy, Walter T.	Liberal	3471
Ayer, Lloyd	CCF (Cooperative Commonwealth Federation)	349

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**Langille, James Arnold      30-Oct-1956      Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (103)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Langille, James Arnold	Progressive Conservative	4406
Purdy, Walter T.	Liberal	4303

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**Langille, James Arnold      26-May-1953      Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (179)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Langille, James Arnold	Progressive Conservative	4393
Kaufman, Martin James	Liberal	4214

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**Kaufman, Martin James      09-Jun-1949      Liberal**

*Majority:* (661)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Kaufman, Martin James	Liberal	4280
McLellan, Arnold G.	Progressive Conservative	3619
Garnhum, Brenton	CCF (Cooperative Commonwealth Federation)	697

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**Cumberland**

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<i>Member Elected</i>	<i>Election Date</i>	<i>Party Elected</i>
<b>Kaufman, Martin James</b>	<b>23-Oct-1945</b>	<b>Liberal</b>
	<i>Majority:</i> (269)	
<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Cochrane, Kenneth Judson	Liberal	6995
Kaufman, Martin James	Liberal	6540
Smith, Archie Barney	Progressive Conservative	6271
Sanford, Norman Shaw	Progressive Conservative	5807
Crummey, John James	CCF (Cooperative Commonwealth Federation)	2867
Murray, Joseph Bernard	CCF (Cooperative Commonwealth Federation)	1706

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<b>Cochrane, Kenneth Judson</b>	<b>23-Oct-1945</b>	<b>Liberal</b>
	<i>Majority:</i> (724)	
<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Cochrane, Kenneth Judson	Liberal	6995
Kaufman, Martin James	Liberal	6540
Smith, Archie Barney	Progressive Conservative	6271
Sanford, Norman Shaw	Progressive Conservative	5807
Crummey, John James	CCF (Cooperative Commonwealth Federation)	2867
Murray, Joseph Bernard	CCF (Cooperative Commonwealth Federation)	1706

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<b>Smith, Archie Barney</b>	<b>28-Oct-1941</b>	<b>Progressive Conservative</b>
	<i>Majority:</i> (140)	
<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Cochrane, Kenneth Judson	Liberal	7970
Smith, Archie Barney	Progressive Conservative	7954
Fraser, Leonard William	Progressive Conservative	7814
Mason, Archibald Joseph	Liberal	7040

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**Cochrane, Kenneth  
Judson**

**28-Oct-1941**

**Liberal**

*Majority:* (156)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Cochrane, Kenneth Judson	Liberal	7970
Smith, Archie Barney	Progressive Conservative	7954
Fraser, Leonard William	Progressive Conservative	7814
Mason, Archibald Joseph	Liberal	7040

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**Fraser, Leonard William**

**28-Oct-1940 (By-election) Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (Acclamation)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Fraser, Leonard William	Progressive Conservative	0

Fraser won by acclamation.

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**Smith, Archie Barney**

**29-Jun-1937**

**Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (1225)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, Perry Chapman	Progressive Conservative	10289
Smith, Archie Barney	Progressive Conservative	9272
Smiley, John Stanley	Liberal	8047
Mason, Archibald Joseph	Liberal	8024

Black resigned to contest the federal general election.

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**Black, Perry Chapman**

**29-Jun-1937**

**Progressive Conservative**

*Majority:* (2242)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, Perry Chapman	Progressive Conservative	10289
Smith, Archie Barney	Progressive Conservative	9272
Smiley, John Stanley	Liberal	8047
Mason, Archibald Joseph	Liberal	8024

Black resigned to contest the federal general election.

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**Smiley, John Stanley**

**22-Aug-1933**

**Liberal**

*Majority:* (298)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Smiley, John Stanley	Liberal	9540
Black, Perry Chapman	Liberal Conservative	9406
Paul, Earle B.	Liberal	9242
Terris, Archibald	Liberal Conservative	8291

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**Black, Perry Chapman**      **22-Aug-1933**      **Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:* (164)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Smiley, John Stanley	Liberal	9540
Black, Perry Chapman	Liberal Conservative	9406
Paul, Earle B.	Liberal	9242
Terris, Archibald	Liberal Conservative	8291

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**Terris, Archibald**      **01-Oct-1928**      **Labour**

*Majority:* (437)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, Perry Chapman	Liberal Conservative	7710
Terris, Archibald	Labour	6667
McKenzie, Daniel George	Liberal Conservative	6605
Smiley, John Stanley	Liberal	6230
Cochrane, Kenneth Judson	Liberal	5999
Read, Charles H.	Liberal	5758

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**McKenzie, Daniel George**      **01-Oct-1928**      **Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:* (375)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, Perry Chapman	Liberal Conservative	7710
Terris, Archibald	Labour	6667
McKenzie, Daniel George	Liberal Conservative	6605
Smiley, John Stanley	Liberal	6230
Cochrane, Kenneth Judson	Liberal	5999
Read, Charles H.	Liberal	5758

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**Black, Perry Chapman**      **01-Oct-1928**      **Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:* (1480)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, Perry Chapman	Liberal Conservative	7710
Terris, Archibald	Labour	6667
McKenzie, Daniel George	Liberal Conservative	6605
Smiley, John Stanley	Liberal	6230
Cochrane, Kenneth Judson	Liberal	5999
Read, Charles H.	Liberal	5758

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**Black, Perry Chapman      01-Aug-1925 (By-election)      Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:* (Acclamation)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, Perry Chapman	Liberal Conservative	0

Black was appointed Minister of Highways and he was re-elected by acclamation.

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**Terris, Archibald      25-Jun-1925      Labour**

*Majority:* (2759)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, Perry Chapman	Liberal Conservative	9057
McKenzie, Daniel George	Liberal Conservative	8580
Terris, Archibald	Labour	8267
Ralston, James Layton	Liberal	5508
Read, Charles H.	Liberal	4797
Wardrope, James M.	Liberal	4754

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**McKenzie, Daniel George      25-Jun-1925      Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:* (3072)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, Perry Chapman	Liberal Conservative	9057
McKenzie, Daniel George	Liberal Conservative	8580
Terris, Archibald	Labour	8267
Ralston, James Layton	Liberal	5508
Read, Charles H.	Liberal	4797
Wardrope, James M.	Liberal	4754

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**Black, Perry Chapman      25-Jun-1925      Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:* (3549)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, Perry Chapman	Liberal Conservative	9057
McKenzie, Daniel George	Liberal Conservative	8580
Terris, Archibald	Labour	8267
Ralston, James Layton	Liberal	5508
Read, Charles H.	Liberal	4797
Wardrope, James M.	Liberal	4754

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**Terris, Archibald**

**27-Jul-1920**

**Labour**

*Majority:* (230)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Allen, Gilbert Nelson	Farmers' Party	4934
McKenzie, Daniel George	Farmers' Party	4766
Terris, Archibald	Labour	4716
Ralston, James Layton	Liberal	4486
Carter, Rufus Seaman	Liberal	3215
Fullerton, Varley B.	Liberal	2659
Rogers, Grace McLeod	Liberal Conservative	2470
Spicer, Percy L.	Liberal Conservative	1864
Leslie, Everett C.	Liberal Conservative	1714

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**McKenzie, Daniel George**

**27-Jul-1920**

**Farmers' Party**

*Majority:* (280)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Allen, Gilbert Nelson	Farmers' Party	4934
McKenzie, Daniel George	Farmers' Party	4766
Terris, Archibald	Labour	4716
Ralston, James Layton	Liberal	4486
Carter, Rufus Seaman	Liberal	3215
Fullerton, Varley B.	Liberal	2659
Rogers, Grace McLeod	Liberal Conservative	2470
Spicer, Percy L.	Liberal Conservative	1864
Leslie, Everett C.	Liberal Conservative	1714

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**Allen, Gilbert Nelson**

**27-Jul-1920**

**Farmers' Party**

*Majority:* (448)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Allen, Gilbert Nelson	Farmers' Party	4934
McKenzie, Daniel George	Farmers' Party	4766
Terris, Archibald	Labour	4716
Ralston, James Layton	Liberal	4486
Carter, Rufus Seaman	Liberal	3215
Fullerton, Varley B.	Liberal	2659
Rogers, Grace McLeod	Liberal Conservative	2470
Spicer, Percy L.	Liberal Conservative	1864
Leslie, Everett C.	Liberal Conservative	1714

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**Ralston, James Layton**      **20-Jun-1916**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (331)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Carter, Rufus Seaman	Liberal	3962
Ralston, James Layton	Liberal	3951
Kirkpatrick, James W.	Liberal Conservative	3791
Morrison, Daniel A.	Liberal Conservative	3620
Gilroy, J. Flemming	Liberal Conservative	3572
Livingstone, Joshua H.	Liberal	3554
Nelson, James B.	Labour	727

Ralston was on active service and did not take his seat until March 4, 1920.

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**Kirkpatrick, James W.**      **20-Jun-1916**      **Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:*    (171)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Carter, Rufus Seaman	Liberal	3962
Ralston, James Layton	Liberal	3951
Kirkpatrick, James W.	Liberal Conservative	3791
Morrison, Daniel A.	Liberal Conservative	3620
Gilroy, J. Flemming	Liberal Conservative	3572
Livingstone, Joshua H.	Liberal	3554
Nelson, James B.	Labour	727

Ralston was on active service and did not take his seat until March 4, 1920.

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**Carter, Rufus Seaman**      **20-Jun-1916**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (342)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Carter, Rufus Seaman	Liberal	3962
Ralston, James Layton	Liberal	3951
Kirkpatrick, James W.	Liberal Conservative	3791
Morrison, Daniel A.	Liberal Conservative	3620
Gilroy, J. Flemming	Liberal Conservative	3572
Livingstone, Joshua H.	Liberal	3554
Nelson, James B.	Labour	727

Ralston was on active service and did not take his seat until March 4, 1920.

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**Ralston, James Layton**      **14-Jun-1911**      **Liberal**

*Majority:*    (138)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Ralston, James Layton	Liberal	4168
Carter, Rufus Seaman	Liberal	4154
Gilroy, J. Flemming	Liberal Conservative	4030
Smith, C. R.	Liberal Conservative	3617

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**Carter, Rufus Seaman**      **14-Jun-1911**      **Liberal**

*Majority:* (124)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Ralston, James Layton	Liberal	4168
Carter, Rufus Seaman	Liberal	4154
Gilroy, J. Flemming	Liberal Conservative	4030
Smith, C. R.	Liberal Conservative	3617

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**Livingstone, Joshua H.**      **24-Nov-1909 (By-election)**      **Liberal**

*Majority:* (282)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Livingstone, Joshua H.	Liberal	3200
Rogers, T. S.	Liberal Conservative	2918
Landry, A. F.	Labour	1278

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**Pipes, William Thomas**      **20-Jun-1906**      **Liberal**

*Majority:* (168)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Paul, Elisha B.	Liberal	3619
Pipes, William Thomas	Liberal	3587
McLeod, Daniel J.	Liberal Conservative	3419
Jamison, C. F.	Liberal Conservative	2995

Pipes died October 7, 1909. He was replaced by Joshua H. Livingstone.

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**Paul, Elisha B.**      **20-Jun-1906**      **Liberal**

*Majority:* (200)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Paul, Elisha B.	Liberal	3619
Pipes, William Thomas	Liberal	3587
McLeod, Daniel J.	Liberal Conservative	3419
Jamison, C. F.	Liberal Conservative	2995

Pipes died October 7, 1909. He was replaced by Joshua H. Livingstone.

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**Paul, Elisha B.**      **15-Dec-1904 (By-election)**      **Liberal**

*Majority:* (563)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Paul, Elisha B.	Liberal	3256
Day, J.W.	Liberal Conservative	2693

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**McLeod, Daniel J.**

**02-Oct-1901**

**Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:* (13)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
McLeod, Daniel J.	Liberal Conservative	2946
Black, Thomas Reuben	Liberal	2944
Tucker, M. L.	Liberal	2933
Smith, C. R.	Liberal Conservative	2720

Black resigned. He was appointed to the Senate June 10, 1904 and replaced in the legislature by Elisah B. Paul.

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**Black, Thomas Reuben**

**02-Oct-1901**

**Liberal**

*Majority:* (11)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
McLeod, Daniel J.	Liberal Conservative	2946
Black, Thomas Reuben	Liberal	2944
Tucker, M. L.	Liberal	2933
Smith, C. R.	Liberal Conservative	2720

Black resigned. He was appointed to the Senate June 10, 1904 and replaced in the legislature by Elisah B. Paul.

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**Fraser, Alexander E.**

**20-Apr-1897**

**Liberal**

*Majority:* (562)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, Thomas Reuben	Liberal	3487
Fraser, Alexander E.	Liberal	3251
McKinnon, A. A.	Liberal Conservative	2689
McDougall, J. C.	Liberal Conservative	2541

**Black, Thomas Reuben**

**20-Apr-1897**

**Liberal**

*Majority:* (798)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, Thomas Reuben	Liberal	3487
Fraser, Alexander E.	Liberal	3251
McKinnon, A. A.	Liberal Conservative	2689
McDougall, J. C.	Liberal Conservative	2541

**Fraser, Alexander E.**

**15-Mar-1894**

**Liberal**

*Majority:* (404)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, Thomas Reuben	Liberal	3109
Fraser, Alexander E.	Liberal	2902
Forrest, George W.	Liberal Conservative	2498
Oxley, William	Liberal Conservative	2411

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**Black, Thomas Reuben**      **15-Mar-1894**      **Liberal**

*Majority:* (611)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, Thomas Reuben	Liberal	3109
Fraser, Alexander E.	Liberal	2902
Forrest, George W.	Liberal Conservative	2498
Oxley, William	Liberal Conservative	2411

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**Oxley, William**      **21-May-1890**      **Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:* (178)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Forrest, George W.	Liberal Conservative	2818
Oxley, William	Liberal Conservative	2715
Black, Thomas Reuben	Liberal	2537
Black, Richard L.	Liberal	2252

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**Forrest, George W.**      **21-May-1890**      **Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:* (281)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Forrest, George W.	Liberal Conservative	2818
Oxley, William	Liberal Conservative	2715
Black, Thomas Reuben	Liberal	2537
Black, Richard L.	Liberal	2252

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**Black, Thomas Reuben**      **15-Jun-1886**      **Liberal**

*Majority:* (144)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, Thomas Reuben	Liberal	2083
Black, Richard L.	Liberal Conservative	2064
Forrest, George W.	Liberal	1939
MacFarlane, C. J.	Liberal Conservative	1855
Wilson, James B.	Independent	341

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**Black, Richard L.                      15-Jun-1886                      Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:*    (125)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, Thomas Reuben	Liberal	2083
Black, Richard L.	Liberal Conservative	2064
Forrest, George W.	Liberal	1939
MacFarlane, C. J.	Liberal Conservative	1855
Wilson, James B.	Independent	341

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**Black, Thomas Reuben              02-Jul-1884 (By-election)      Liberal**

*Majority:*    (Acclamation)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, Thomas Reuben	Liberal	0

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**Townshend, Charles              20-Jun-1882                      Liberal Conservative  
James**

*Majority:*    (8)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Pipes, William Thomas	Liberal	1875
Townshend, Charles James	Liberal Conservative	1690
Smith, Charles	Liberal	1682
Vickery, Edward	Liberal Conservative	1519

Townshend resigned to contest the federal by-election of June, 1884. He was replaced by Thomas Black.

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**Pipes, William Thomas              20-Jun-1882                      Liberal**

*Majority:*    (193)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Pipes, William Thomas	Liberal	1875
Townshend, Charles James	Liberal Conservative	1690
Smith, Charles	Liberal	1682
Vickery, Edward	Liberal Conservative	1519

Townshend resigned to contest the federal by-election of June, 1884. He was replaced by Thomas Black.

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**Vickery, Edward                      17-Sep-1878                      Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:*    (10)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Townshend, Charles James	Liberal Conservative	1792
Vickery, Edward	Liberal Conservative	1667
Oxley, William	Liberal	1657
Lewis, C.	Liberal	1311

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**Townshend, Charles James**

**17-Sep-1878**

**Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:* (135)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Townshend, Charles James	Liberal Conservative	1792
Vickery, Edward	Liberal Conservative	1667
Oxley, William	Liberal	1657
Lewis, C.	Liberal	1311

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**Vickery, Edward**

**17-Dec-1874**

**Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:* (3)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, J. Hiram	Independent	1461
Purdy, Amos Joseph Griffin	Liberal	1304
Vickery, Edward	Liberal Conservative	1301
Townshend, Charles James	Liberal Conservative	1209

Black was elected as an Independent. He supported the Liberal Conservatives. Vickery and Purdy were very close in election results with Vickery a few votes in the lead, which showed him to be ahead, but as the result of some obvious "ballot-stuffing". Purdy was nonetheless declared duly elected on the Sheriff's return. Since the election was clearly illegal, another was anticipated, which Purdy felt confident of winning. On March 11, 1875, his resignation was read in the House, and he was commended for his action replaced by Edward Vickery - Declared duly elected, writ amended, and took seat March 12, 1875. Purdy subsequently controverted Vickery's return on the ground that the election was known to be illegal, but the petition was discharged when he failed to push it.

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**Black, J. Hiram**

**17-Dec-1874**

**Independent**

*Majority:* (160)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Black, J. Hiram	Independent	1461
Purdy, Amos Joseph Griffin	Liberal	1304
Vickery, Edward	Liberal Conservative	1301
Townshend, Charles James	Liberal Conservative	1209

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**Vickery, Edward**

**16-May-1871**

**Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:* (541)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Pineo, Henry Gisner	Liberal Conservative	1605
Vickery, Edward	Liberal Conservative	1584
Hibbard, George	Liberal	1043
Kiderkin, J. K.	Liberal	946

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**Pineo, Henry Gisner**

**16-May-1871**

**Liberal Conservative**

*Majority:* (562)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Pineo, Henry Gisner	Liberal Conservative	1605
Vickery, Edward	Liberal Conservative	1584
Hibbard, George	Liberal	1043
Kiderkin, J. K.	Liberal	946

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**Purdy, Amos Joseph  
Griffin**

**18-Sep-1867**

**Anti-Confederate**

*Majority:* (25)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Pineo, Henry Gisner	Confederate	1337
Purdy, Amos Joseph Griffin	Anti-Confederate	1309
Fullerton, W.	Anti-Confederate	1291
Vickery, Edward	Confederate	1284

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**Pineo, Henry Gisner**

**18-Sep-1867**

**Confederate**

*Majority:* (53)

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Party</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Pineo, Henry Gisner	Confederate	1337
Purdy, Amos Joseph Griffin	Anti-Confederate	1309
Fullerton, W.	Anti-Confederate	1291
Vickery, Edward	Confederate	1284

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