

The percentages are to the nearest full per cent.

POPULATION BY NATIONALITIES.

The English, Irish and Scotch combined equal 25 per cent of the whole.

Russians, Austro-Hungarians, and half-breeds combined equal 51 per cent of the whole.

The Russian population is four-fifths of the English, Irish and Scotch combined.

The Russian and Austro-Hungarians very nearly equal the English, Irish and Scotch combined.

POPULATION BY RELIGION.

The Roman Catholics exceed all Protestants combined.

The Roman Catholics and Greek Church exceed by 55 per cent all Protestants combined.

Since the Census the influx of settlers other than those of English, Irish and Scotch descent has been probably, five times as great as those of such English, Irish and Scotch descent.

If these people were to give their votes they would vote as we would expect people of similar religious complexion to vote in other constituencies of Canada. But I question very much—and the Minister of the Interior (Mr. Oliver) himself is my authority—whether some of these men weighed very carefully in their own minds the legislation that is passed in this House and because of which the election arose. Now, I have given myself a very important and a serious task, a greater difficulty than I have ever had of reading a public record in this House. I have obtained a printed voters' list for polling district No. 70 Shandro, in the electoral district of Edmonton. There are 109 names on the voters' list in that district. And the hon. member for Edmonton before he was made Minister of the Interior, secured 82 votes out of the 109. His opponent secured 5 votes. So out of 87 cast the Minister of the Interior obtained 82 against 5. But that is only a sample of some of the divisions I find in these voters' lists. Now, I am obliged to make the confession before I read this document. I confess that I am unable to read these names, and, unless the House will permit me to put them on 'Hansard' without reading I shall be obliged to spell them. For, as I have said, it is utterly impossible for me to read them. And I will go further and say that I challenge any hon. gentleman including the Minister of the Interior himself to read these names correctly.

Kost Homonink, Iwan Andrijchuk, Metro Solowan, Jacko Repchuk, Maketa Solowan, Wasel Hawreliok, Andrew Hawreliok.

It seems to me there are a great many 'O K's' for the minister here.

Mr. GUNN. I would like to ask the hon. gentleman (Mr. Ingram) if these are the Minister of the Interior's officials.

Mr. INGRAM.

Mr. INGRAM. These are the intelligent constituents of the Minister of the Interior in polling division No. 70 who gave 82 votes against 5 in the last general election.

Mr. LALOR. Is this the constituency that decided the school question?

Mr. INGRAM, (reading):

George Pasichnek, Wasel Harateshen, Nekefir Gawredink, Jokino Ongurian, Stefan Ongurian, Wasel Ongurian, Wasel Pasichnek, Ted Iwanchuk, Suken Frishtej, Kosten Demko, Stefan Rosijchuk, Wasel Rosijchuk.

If the rules allowed me, Mr. Chairman, I would be glad to have these names appear in 'Hansard' without my reading them, but I understand the rule does not allow it without general consent. I desire to place all these names on 'Hansard.' I think it is of the highest importance that the people of this country should know who comprise the electors in the district of Edmonton.

Mr. SPROULE. Who settled the school question?

Mr. INGRAM. For whom we hear so much credit claimed.

Mr. A. K. MACLEAN. The hon. member for East Grey (Mr. Sproule) just now remarked that these were the electors who were going to settle the school question.

Mr. HENDERSON. Who had settled it.

Mr. A. K. MACLEAN. A few days ago, while speaking on this very Bill, I called attention to the fact that the member for East Grey told us that probably 75 per cent of these were opposed to any form of separate schools, and he invited the opening of a constituency in the west, and I think it was the same afternoon in which the leader of the opposition recommended—

Mr. INGRAM. If the hon. gentleman is interrupting me, and has anything to say—

Mr. SPROULE. I want to say the hon. member for East Grey—

Some hon. MEMBERS. Order.

Mr. SPROULE. I am quite in order. The hon. member for East Grey was only referring to what members supporting the government say, that the election in that constituency settled the school question, and therefore it must have been settled by these people.

Mr. INGRAM. I shall proceed with the list:

Danelo Rosijchuk, Iwan Tinrijchuk, Tofan Iwoniak, Mojsy Iwanchuk, Amtin Russ, Metro Megly, Stefan Shantiro, Nikon Shandro, Sidor Shandro, Andrew Flara, Iwan Iwoniok, Petero Kostriuk, Metro Farus, Jokiwi Matijchug, Thodor Losorink, Iwan Lastowka, Stefan Kucher, George Ostashek, Iwan Saschuk, Polit Kutash, Wasel Harman, Simion Hawdeliak, Iwan Boucher, Wasel Huculiak, Simion Huchuliak, Somdo Gardey, Iwan Klein, Dimtro Bebej, Nihay Balan,