

KOWALSKI'S KWIZ

1. Which of the following MLAs did not have a town, village, or post office named after them?
 - a) Peter Gunn
 - b) Ernest Manning
 - c) Andrew Shandro
 - d) Ernest Isley
2. Following the 1921 election, this woman became Alberta's first female Cabinet Minister:
 - a) Irene Parlby, Lacombe
 - b) Edith Rogers, Ponoka
 - c) Cornelia Wood, Stony Plain
 - d) Edith Thursten, Cypress
3. Indignantly, this MLA rose in the Legislative Assembly during Question Period to admonish the Solicitor General because one of his officials issued a ticket to the MLA's constituent for parking in front of the local provincial building. The constituent had parked his truck in front of a sign that read "Fine for Parking" and was outraged to get the ticket!
 - a) John Batiuk, Vegreville
 - b) Alan Hyland, Cypress
 - c) Gordon Stromberg, Camrose
 - d) Stan Woloshyn, Stony Plain
4. Of the following, who was not first elected in a by-election?
 - a) Mary Ann Jablonski, 2000, Red Deer North
 - b) Doug Griffiths, 2002, Wainwright
 - c) Don Getty, 1967, Strathcona West
 - d) Stu McRae, 1973, Calgary Foothills
5. The Wildrose Alliance Political Association merged with the Alberta Alliance Party and became registered as the Wildrose Party in which year?
 - a) 2005
 - b) 2006
 - c) 2007
 - d) 2008
6. The Legislature Library contains a full record of all Tablings. This MLA, unhappy with the quality of food in the legislature cafeteria, tabled what he said was a substandard hamburger. The hamburger was sealed and remains preserved to the present for all visitors to see. Who was the MLA?
 - a) Clarence Copithorne, Banff-Cochrane
 - b) Al "Boomer" Adair, Peace River
 - c) Neil Webber, Calgary Bow
 - d) Shirley Cripps, Drayton Valley
7. From 1906 until an amendment to the Legislative Assembly Act came into effect in 1972, the tenures of Leaders of the Official Opposition were based only on Session dates. When the House did not sit, the title was not in play and no benefits or stipends were provided. Who became Alberta's first full-time Leader of Her Majesty's Loyal Opposition?
 - a) James D. Henderson, Wetaskiwin-Leduc
 - b) Robert C. Clark, Olds-Didsbury
 - c) Harry E. Strom, Cypress
 - d) Laurence Decore, Edmonton-Glengarry

8. This man was probably the most decorated former military officer to have served in the Alberta Legislative Assembly. He spent his youth in India and was a major in the British Army until 1948, came to Alberta and was first elected in 1971. He was decorated in France, Britain, the United States, Italy, and Greece. He was:

- a) Roy Farran, Calgary North Hill
- b) Raj Pannu, Edmonton Strathcona
- c) Merv Leitch, Calgary Egmont
- d) Fred Peacock, Calgary Currie

9. In the 1913 provincial election, Charles W. Cross ran as the Liberal candidate in both Edmonton and Edson. He was elected in both constituencies and represented both as a Member of the Legislative Assembly.


- a) True
- b) False

10. The 1982 provincial election saw 75 Progressive Conservatives elected, along with 2 Alberta New Democrats and 2 Independents. Choose the 2 New Democrats and the 2 Independents:

- a) Walter A. Buck
- b) Raymond Martin
- c) Raymond Speaker
- d) Stephen Stiles
- e) Grant Notley
- f) William (Bill) Purdy

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