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—Mrs. B. W. Robinson and Mrs. Inman left on Friday morning for Montreal—S.

—FUNERAL OF MISS KELLY—The funeral of Miss Mary E. Kelly, who passed away in New York last Sunday was held yesterday morning from St. Paul's Church, Summerside. Solemn High Mass of Requiem was said by Rev. Fr. Kelly. Rt. Rev. Mgr. MacLellan, D. D., V. G., pronouncing the last rites at the grave. Interment was in the family plot in the R. C. Cemetery. The pallbearers were, Messrs. J. E. Dalton, A. F. Arsenault, Heath Strong, W. B. MacNeill, D. F. MacNeill and E. P. Foley.—S.

Cod Fishermen Look For Help In New Treaty

CARAQUET, N. B., Feb. 11—(CP)—Cod fishermen of Gloucester County, having lost their major markets in Italy and Spain, are hoping the projected new trade treaty between Canada and the United States will open a market for them in the latter country.

Among a long list of items the United States is prepared to consider tariff reductions on fresh and frozen cod. Whether or not this would help fishermen in this district is a question, as their product always has been mostly dried and salted.

Their most important market was lost when Mussolini, retaliating for League of Nations sanctions at the time of the Italo-Ethiopian war, decreed that Italy would pay for imported fish only with goods and not money. Civil war in Spain closed the large market there.

The price of cod here went down to $4 a quintal last summer. About 300 quintals are a good season's catch for one boat. The "half-liners" or members of the crew fish on shores, usually getting a sixth or seventh of the gross return. If a half-liner is lucky he earns $200 for a full season's hard dangerous work. The majority get considerably less.

On Monday the Caraquet fleet sails in single file for banks between the New Brunswick coast and Prince Edward Isalnd, remaining out a week in eary summer and two weeks after Aug. 15. They return Saturday nights, "coming in to bake," or discharge fish, take on provisions and spend the weekend in their small cottages.

Time has stood still in the industry. The fishermen still cure their catch with salt and sun. They use the same methods at sea that their grandfathers did. They still depend upon sail. Parish priests give the boats the same annual blessing on a special Sunday.

The men have two methods of fishing. One is by handline. They put out a line with a heavy sinker and two baited hooks. Sometimes a man works two lines and is kept busy. Often four men labor all day for less than 100 fish, enough to make only a quintal of dried cod.

The other method is by set line, the system mostly used by Nova Scotia and Newfoundland fishermen. To the set line at five or six-foot intervals are attached snood lines, each with a baited hook. The set lines of a boat may have up to 10,000 hooks. Those of the Caraquet boats usually range from 500 to 1,000.

Fishermen leave the boats in dories and place the set lines in position with anchors and buoys. Later they return to take in the fish and re-bait the lines. The merchants rent their own boats.

The Caraquet fleet comprises about 75 of these schooners, as well as 40 or 50 smaller boats carrying two and three men each. In addition from 100 to 150 dories trawl close to shore.

A good catch for one of the larger boats in a two-weeks fall trip is 4,000 fish.

Special "Luxury" Tax For Japanese

TOKYO, Feb. 12—(Saturday)—The Finance Ministry has approved plans for a special "luxury" tax on such articles as watches, fountain pens hats, automobiles, umbrellas footwear and radio sets, Domei, Japanese news agency disclosed today.

The tax, ranging between 10 and 15 per cent of value, will apply to 45 articles and is expected to raise about 63,000,000 yen.

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Trade Board Committees Appointed

A meeting of the Council of the Summerside Board of Trade was held on Thursday evening, the new president Mr. R. S. P. Jardine presided and appointed his committees.

New business to come before the meeting was the proposed new rate on telephones and the Rowell Commission.

A committee was appointed to deal with the questionnaire sent out by the Canadian Chamber of Commerce on the Rowell Commission. Hon. L. R. Allen, Mayor John E. Campbell and H. T. Holman were appointed. Some discussion took place on the increased rates proposed by the telephone company and a letter was read from L. B. Miller, of the Public Utility Board in connection with the matter. It was decided to have a committee take up the matter with Utility Board.

A sum of twenty five dollars was voted, on motion of Mr. H. T. Holman, seconded by Mr. W. E. MacDonald, to help with the moving picture "Prince Edward Island on parade."

Meeting adjourned.

Committees For 1938

Transportation: B. W. Robinson, Chairman; Hon. L. R. Allen, G. M. Muttart, R. B. Richardson, W. F. Strong.

Marine: Mayor J. E. Campbell, Chairman, M. L. Bradshaw, L. H. MacFarlane, P. G. Clark, G. W. Phillips.

Fisheries: W. J. Lidstone, Chairman, T. D. Morrison, George Sheen, T. M. Linkletter, M. L. A., T. H. E. Inman.

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Mail Service: W. E. MacDonald, Chairman, W. J. Lidstone, Hon. L. R. Allen, J. LeRoy Holman, R. E. Ellis.

Membership: M. M. Bell, Chairman, R. L. Mollison, J. L. Gorrill, C. B. Jelly, Dr. H. E. Clark.

Agricultural: Donald Baker, Chairman, Austin A. Scales, J. H. MacFarlane, Major Townsend, B. G. Rogers.

Public Health: Dr. J. A. McPhee, Chairman, Dr. J. C. Simpson, Dr. W. B. Howatt, J. E. Dalton, G. E. Smith.

Entertainment: E. P. Foley, M. L. A., Chairman, L. W. Hancock, S. G. Merriam, J. P. McInnis, J. C. Mountain.

Town Improvements: Peter G. Clark, Chairman, W. E. MacDonald, A. R. Brennan, Harold Schurman, B. W. Robinson.

Air Service: A. R. Brennan, Chairman, H. T. Holman, John M. Nicholson, W. J. Lidstone, Dr. J. C. Simpson.

Community Music: S. G. Merriam, Chairman, L. W. Hancock, John Arthur, E. C. MacKay, W. Spindle.

For Educational Committee: J. F. Arnett, Chairman, L. W. Hancock, B. W. Robinson, B. Graham Rogers.

NEW DRYDOCK COMPLETED AT SINGAPORE

British And Foreign Warships Mass For Inauguration Ceremony Monday.

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)

SINGAPORE, Feb. 11—Preparations went forward tonight for the inauguration Monday of the new drydock, part of the huge Singapore naval base built by Great Britain at a cost of £9,000,000 ($45,000,000).

The new dock is second in size only to the drydock at Southampton, specially built to accommodate the Queen Mary, and thus is able to take the largest warship afloat.

A large British fleet, anchored in the Straits of Johore, with snow-white decks and newly burnished brass was ready to take part in the exercises, as were army and Royal Air Force units ashore. Defence forces, assembled last week to stage the most extensive manoeuvres ever held by Britain in eastern waters to test the defences of the base, were held over to join in the ceremony.

Foreign Warships

Three French warships lay in Singapore Straits and a Dutch warship was anchored off the headlands. The United States cruisers Trenton, Memphis and Miwaukee steamed towards the Straits Settlements from Sydney where they participated in the Australian sesqui-centennial celebrations.

The dock will be opened by Sir Shenton Thomas, Governor of the colony. Colonel J. J. Llewellyn, civil lord of the Admiralty, now in Singapore on a tour of inspection of oversea naval bases, will represent the Board of Admiralty.

Sir Ibrahim, Sulton of Johore, whose capital city and beautiful palace are across the Straits of Johore, within five miles of the wide-spread fortifications of the base, will aid Sir Shenton at the inauguration.

Personal Donation

The Sultan personally donated £500,000 to the British Government to speed completion of the Singapore defences on the occasion of King George's Silver Jubilee in 1935.

The drydock, opening of which will be saluted as virtual completion of the base, is described in the official program as "the largest naval dock in the world and designed to provide for the growth in size of His Majesty's ships for many years to come." The largest warship now afloat is the 42,100-ton battle cruiser Hood.

A crowd of many thousands is expected, consisting of workers on the base, large delegations from the visiting warships and thousands of civilians from Singapore.

Representatives of Australia, New Zealand, India, Ceylon, Hong Kong, Sarawak and Borneo will be with the official party.

Gold Mining In Quebec Makes Progress

OTTAWA, Feb. 11—(CP)—Gold mining in Quebec has made notable progress in the past decade, the production of the metal having increased in value from $172,217 in 1927 to $24,365,321 in 1937 Quebec is now Canada's second largest gold producer with practically the entire output coming from the mines in the northwest section of the province. The copper-gold ores of the Noranda mine have been the chief source of Quebec's gold output but production from the lode gold properties has been steadily increasing, and whereas in 1933 they contributed only twenty per cent of the province's output they are now contributing about fifty per cent.

Among the regions reporting outstanding developments is the Dubuisson-Bourlamaque area which is rapidly becoming one of the leading gold-producing camps in the Dominion. Gold production was commenced early in 1939, and since then it has increased from an annual rate of $307,000 to the present rate of approximately $9,500,000 with expectations of a further increase in 1938. This area adjoins the Cadillac-Malartic area on the east, and forms part of the gold belt which extends from the Ontario boundary eastward a known distance of about 120 miles. In addition to the Siscoe mine, the first and for several years the only gold producer in the area, there are now four other properties—Lamaque, Sigma, Sullivan Consolidated, and Shawkey—contributing to the output.

Carleton and Vicinity

Mr Fenton Howatt of Carleton was a week-end visitor to Crapaud.

Mrs. John A. Deegan of Carleton is spending a few days in Summerside.

Mrs. Melville Bell of DeSable is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs John McWilliams of Cape Traverse.

Miss Amelia Haslam of Springfield is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Haslam of Carleton.

Mrs. Thomas MacFarlane of Augustine Cove is a patient in the Prince Edward Island Hospital. Her many friends hope for her speedy recovery

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Irving of Cape Traverse have returned from a holiday trip to Boston.

Miss Margaret Woolner, principal of Carleton School spent the week-end at her home in Rustico.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Shaw and small son of DeSable spent Sunday in Cape Traverse, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed McWilliams.

Miss Anita Webb of Cavendish is enjoying a pleasant holiday in North Carleton, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Webb.

The many friends of Miss Jean Muttart, Carleton, who recently underwent an operation in the Deaconess Hospital, Boston, are welcoming her home again and are glad that she is convalescing steadily.

Mrs. Claudine Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor and little son Bobbie, of Kensington were guests of Mrs. Helen Bell of Carleton last Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Dougherty who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. James Taylor of Truro, N. S., was the guest of Mrs. Harry Muttart of Carleton, en route to her home in Victoria.

Many friends of Mrs. James Ferguson of Victoria will be glad to learn that she is now convalescing at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bell of Borden, following a very serious operation in the Prince County Hospital

Grading of Chicks Helpful Policy

Under the Record of Performance and hatchery approval policies operated by the Dominion Department of Agriculture, breeders and hatcherymen have available three distinct grades of chicks, all of which are produced under Departmental supervision and by the best methods of incubation. Consequently, all grades may be purchased with confidence as they are as represented.

The three established grades are: R.O.P. chicks, shipped in containers bearing a purple label; R.O.P.-sired chicks, red label; and Approved chicks, blue label.

R.O.P. chicks are individually recorded and are bred from blood tested flocks conforming in every respect to Record of Performance standards. These chicks have R.O.P. breeding on both male and female sides, especially bred for high egg production, egg size and meat type. Such chicks are available only from R.O.P. breeders and provide an excellent source of foundation stock and cockerels for flock improvement. R.O.P.-sired chicks are produced by mating R.O.P. cockerels with approved, banded flocks that are blood tested and selected for egg production, egg size and meat type.

The Record of Performance and hatchery approval policies are part of the national poultry breeding program, supervised by the Dominion Department of Agriculture under which poultry breeders keep accurate records of individual and flock production in all phases. It is largely through these activities that production standards have been raised so materially in Canada in recent years, an example being the increased average of from three to five dozen eggs per bird per year. All three grades of chicks have played an important part in these improved standards.

Record Canadian Tobacco Crop

OTTAWA, Feb. 11—(CP)—Tobacco growers in Canada established a new high record in 1937, with a crop amounting to 71 million pounds compared with 46-1 million pounds in 1936 The quality was exceptionally good and a marked increase was shown in the flue-cured type. In Ontario alone the acreage sown to the flue-cured 1936 to 49,000 in 1937, with production was increased from 36,000 in duction estimated at from 53 to 55 million pounds. The area planted to flue-cured tobacco in Quebec in 1937 was 420 acres compared with 53 acres in 1936 while in British Columbia the production of 427,000 pounds on 450 acres shows a substantial increase over the 90,000 pounds produced in 1936 on 125 Quebec also shows a gain of more acres. Cigar tobacco production in than one million pounds due to increases in both acreage and yield per acre.

The history of tobacco growing in Canada reaches back to the early French Colonial days. The French settlers on the banks of the St. Lawrence found tobacco smoking a general custom among the Indians, but the white population did not acquire the habit quickly Several years passed before the farmers began to grow the plant, and it was not until about 1735 that the government gave any encouragement to tobacco growing. With the settlement of what is now Ontario the tobacco area was extended, and it is probable that the Loyalists who came to Canada after the American Revolution of 1775 brought the seed from the tobacco districts in the south There are records of shipments of tobacco from Essex County, Ontario, shortly after the war of 1812-14, the leaf being sent down the Mississippi to New Orleans.

To-day tobacco growing plays an important part in Canada's Agricultural production. There are five general types grown-flue-cured, burley, dark, Quebec pipe, and cigar. For each of these types are grown ten to fifty varieties and strains.

Seven Trinidad Youths Missing

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)

PORT OF SPAIN, Trinidad, Feb. 11—Intensive search by air and sea began today for seven schoolboys who rowed out the harbor last Wednesday to see the French liner Normandie, anchored seven miles off Port of Spain on her first West Indies tourist cruise.

The youths borrowed a rowboat and set out to see the giant steamship, despite the rough seas. An airplane combed the harbor today and reported she had found no sign of the missing boys. Coastal boats were ordered to keep a sharp watch for the tiny rowboat and its crew.

Fears were held the boat had capsized and the seven boys had drowned.

Keen Matches At Summerside Curling Club

Keen competition continued to feature play in the commercial competition at the Summerside Curling Club according to results of the last few days made known last night.

The results:

Commerce V. S. MacMillan Art Bell H. B. Leonard R. L. Willett Skip—8	**Hardware** A. W. Palmer Roy Tanton H. Phillips W. Brooks Skip—9
Hardware A. W. Palmer Roy Tanton H. Phillips W. Brooks Skip—4	**Civic** J. W. McNaught T. D. Morrison N. R. Durant R. E. Ellis Skip—10
Produce Ed. Estey George Bishop George Sheen M. L. Bradshaw Skip—5	**Foxmen** H. Bell John Brooks H. MacGougan P. Weeks Skip—15
A. Horne K. Jamieson R. Palmer F. C. Murphy A. B. L. Horne Skip—16	**Lawyers** L. G. Lewis D. O. Stewart W. E. Darby M. M. Bell Skip—10
Y's Men F. Osborne J. T. Lines Dr. Clark W. A. Currie Skip—8	**Civic** J. W. McNaught T. D. Morrison N. R. Durant R. E. Ellis Skip—9
Car and Oil Fred McRae Ivan Nicholson Alex Horne C. E. Corney Skip—3	**Silvers** Cliff Rogers V. Traverse G. E. Smith J. H. Prichard Skip—10
Commerce V. S. MacMillan Art Bell H. B. Leonard R. L. Willett Skip—10	**Civic** J. W. McNaught T. D. Morrison N. R. Durant R. E. Ellis Skip—14

Three Stars Capture Tilt

On Monday Feb. 11, the Cape Traverse Three Stars and Borden Terraplanes played a very fast and clean game of hockey at Borden. The Three Stars won 5-3.

In the first period the Three Stars dominated the play, with their passing attack working to perfection.

The second period was about even with regard to play and scores.

The score at the end of the second period was Three Stars 5, Terraplanes 2.

Consequently the last period was a continual gang attack on the part of the Terraplanes. They controlled the play practically all this last period but due to over-anxiousness robbed themselves of numerous scores, and when the period ended were successful only on one occasion.

Outstanding for the Three Stars were Elmer McInnis, McAleer and Carver. The shining examples of the Terraplanes were Love, J. Darrach, P. Darrach and the two Oatways.

O. Campbell and D. McPherson refereed in a very efficient and capable manner.

Lineups:—

Three Stars: Goal: D. Carver; defence, L. McAleer, J. McAleer; forwards, F. McWilliams, H. Muttart, R. Cutliffe, E. Campbell, E. McInnis, L. McInnis.

Terraplanes: Goal, B. McAleer; defence, W. Muttart, G. Gay, A. Bell, D. Baird; forwards, C. Love, J. Darrach, P. Darrach, B. Burch, R. Oatway, A. Oatway, L. Gaudet.

SUMMARY

FiFirst Period

1. Three Stars E. McInnis.
2. Three Stars, F. McWilliams.

Penalties: J. McAleer, H. Muttart, C. Love.

Second Period

3. Three Stars, E. McInnis).
4. Terraplanes, Love, (J. Darrach, P. Darrach).
5. Terraplanes, Love (J. Darrach, P. Darrach).
6. Three Stars, E. McInnis (H. Muttart).
7. Three Stars, H. Muttart.

Penalties: L. McAleer, Burch, Love, Jay.

Third Period

8. Terraplanes, R. Oatway (P. Darrach).

Penalties: None.

World Hockey Championship Play Opens

PRAHA, Czechoslovakia, Feb. 11—(CP Cable)—Great Britain, Switzerland and Lithuania scored 1-0 victories in the world amateur hockey championshps which got underway here today while Latvia was forced into overtime play to win 3-1 from Norway.

Jimmy Kelly, left winger of Brighton Tigers, scored for Great Britain in the third period to defeat Germany in a fast game. Captain Gordon Dailley of Wembley Monarchs and Alex Archer, Wembley Monarchs, were stars for Britain.

Switzerland defeated Hungary while Lithuania downed Rumania.

The Canadian team, playing as Sudbury Wolves, the United States squad and other outfits will play their opening matches later. Fourteen teams are entered.

TO HELP PENSIONS

(By The Canadian Press)

LONDON—The Football Association Council has agreed to extend next season to include the week beginning Aug. 20. On that day teams may play matches to raise funds for the Football League $100,000 ($500,000) jubilee fund pension scheme or other charitable objects.

BOWLER BROTHERS DIE

NEWCASTLE, England—Death of Henry Muras, former president of the English Bowling Association was followed by death of his two brothers. William died on hearing the news and Robert collapsed at William's funeral and never recovered. They all were bowlers.

RENEWS PLEA FOR REMISSION OF JAIL TERMS

Aberhart Request To Receive Immediate Consideration Says King.

OTTAWA, Feb. 11—(CP)—A speedy investigation of the cases of F. G. Powell and J. H. Unwin, Alberta Social Credit Party workers, will be carried out by the remission branch, Department of Justice, Prime Minister MacKenzie King assured Premier William Aberhart tonight.

Mr. MacKenzie King replied to a telegram from Mr. Aberhart asking for "immediate consideration" of the request for remission of sentences of six and three months respectively imposed upon Powell and Unwin for defamatory libel.

While promising quick consideration the Prime Minister added the warning that "in the opinion of the government attacks upon the judiciary and the administration of justice can hardly be expected to be conducive to an exercise of clemency."

SERVING SENTENCES

Powell and Unwin yesterday started their sentences at Fort Saskatchewan jail after Mr. Aberhart had been advised by Justice Minister Lapointe that his department would not interfere with the decision of the courts. They were charged with publishing defamatory libel in connection with a pamphlet entitled "Bankers' Toadies."

Today Neil McLean, prominent Edmonton attorney, called upon Mr. Lapointe, presumably to ask for quick action on the release of the two men on ticket-of-leave or parole. Neither Mr. McLean nor the minister would discuss any details of their conversation.

In his telegram to the Prime Minister today Mr. Aberhart said "much indignation is being expressed in various parts of the province against what our people regard as severe and unwarranted jail sentences. These judgments are upsetting the public peace and destroying the people's respect for our courts."

Ivestigations preliminary to preparation of a report to cabinet council on remission applications are normally long and drawn out. They start with a report from the trial judge. These cases went through the appeal court which will mean study by officers of the remission branch of a great many documents and files.

Plant Is Closed By Labor Dispute

CORNWALL, Ont., Feb. 11—(CP)—For the fifth time in six months, Cornwall Mills of Canadian Cottons, Limited, were closed today over labor disputes. About 1,000 workers marched out of two mills at noon, claiming the company had broken its agreement with the workers.

A conference was scheduled for tonight with Assistant General Manager W. V. Boyd meeting a workers committee to discuss the situation. Conciliation Officer O. C. Janette of the Ontario Labor Department was to arrive here tomorrow.

There was no disorder as the dispute came to a head this morning in the key napping department of the Canada mill.

Newfoundland Waiting For Announcement

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Feb. 11—Newfoundland waited today for announcement of progress of negotiations which may lead to establishment of a sulphite mill in the Gander Lake district to the northwest, not far distant from the spot where a giant airport is rising for use in transatlantic plane flights.

Negotiations have been underway since last July between the Newfoundland Commission of Government and the Bowater-Lloyd Company of England for construction of a mill of at least 226 tons daily capacity at a cost of about $6,000,000.

Such a mill would give employment to about 300 men, with an addtional 2,000 loggers in the woods, tapping one of the most heavily-timbered areas of Newfoundland. Annual payroll in the mill is estimated at $350,000 and normal payroll of loggers would add another $575,000.

The mill would occupy a 60 acre site, in addition to storage sheds, townsite and wharves. A modern town would be built by the company as part of the scheme "equipped with streets, lighting, water supply, fire prevention, school, church, hospital."

Commissioner of Natural Resources R. B. Ewbank, in announcing the proposed agreement to ascertain public reaction, made it clear that "neither the Government nor the Company are yet committed, and both still retain complete freedom of action."

Opposition to the plan—strongest around the Grand Falls district, present site of a large pulp and paper industry—is based largely on the claim that too much in the way of concessions is asked by the company. It is believed that it is this fact that has drawn out negotiations for the last six months.

As originally submitted, the plan called for operations in Labrador as well, where 3,000 square miles of timber land would be leased at a rental of $2 a square mile with royalties paid on the wood exported.

Many Concessions

Concessions sought by the company include re-issue or renewal of existing licenses on all properties on a 99 year enewal basis freedom from mport duties on all operating plant machinery, constructional material and material used in manufacture; exemption from all taxation other than Income Tax.

In addition, the company asks the right of compulsory acquisition of land for purposes of the company; the provision by the Government of a railway between the mill site and the main line of the Newfoundland Government Railway—a distance of about 20 miles.

If the proposal for a railway spur were agreed to, the Government would build and operate the line, the company guaranteeing gross receipts of at least three per cent of the capital cost of the line each year.

Another concession the company is seeking is the unrestricted export of pulpwood from the properties of the company to an amount which, in the opinion of the Company would not endanger the supply of raw material required for the proposed mill.

It is believed most serious objections of the Government concern the export of raw pulpwood, and the provisions about tax exemption, the Government "choosing rather some form of agreement whereby they would safeguard the company against any special or discriminatory taxation."

LIKE LONGER OVER

(By The Canadian Press)

MANCHESTER, England—Subject to agreement with captains of visiting cricket clubs, the eight-ball over will be used in all Manchester club home games next season.

India Liberals Endorse Detail For Federation

(By G. E. Powell Canadian Press Correspondent)

CALCUTTA, Feb. 11—(CP)—The National Liberal Federation of India at its Calcutta session just ended, accepted with criticism of details the scheme for an all-India Federation embodied in the Government of India Act, 1935, and thus became the first important Indian political organization to do so.

This, and the success with which the provincial part of the constitution is working, have strengthened the impression that even politician ordinarily acounted more extreme than the Liberals will eventually work under the federal constitution, much as they now talk about wrecking it. In other words, the success that has attended provincial autonomy may also shine on Federation.

The Liberals' resolution urging that the constitution should be utilized to India's best advantage especially for accelerating progress towards dominion status was moved by the noted Madras leader, V. S. Srinivasa Sastri, once Indian agent in South Africa.

He mentioned his former fears, not wholly dispelled, that the federal scheme might destroy the possibility of India's achieving dominion status, a fear based, for one thing, on the princes' insistence that their connection with the crown should remain intact. The other feature of the session was the further evidence it afforded of the low ebb to which the Liberal Federation's fortunes have declined.

Liberals Broke Away

Liberals seceded from the Indian National Congress in 1918, when it was captured by the extremists, and formed the present Federation under the presidency of the famous Bengal leader, Sir Surendranath Banerjea.

In 1921 the British government instituted the Montagu Chelmsford Reforms under which certain departments of provincial governments were transferred to India ministers. The congress refused to take office and boycotted the elections. This gave the Liberals their chance. They worked the reforms, provided executive councillors and ministers.

Men like Sir P. C. Mitter in Bengal and Sir Chimanlal Setalvad and Sir Cowasji Jehangir in Bombay, made capable administrators and so strengthened Indians claims to further constitutional reform, for which Liberals constantly pressed.

They were much criticized by congress-minded politicians, and themselves complained that by not appointing an Indian on the Simon Commission and by inserting so many safeguards in the India Act of 1935, the British government repaid their co-operation with ingratitude.

The voting for the Central Assembly in 1934 and for the provincial assemblies this year revealed the electoral weakness of Indian Liberals. Their following among the electors proved meagre.

They have been unable or unwilling to ally themselves with landholders and other moderate elements. Though they claim to have established British India's right to at least the present measure of democracy by their successful handling of the Montagu Reforms and by their skilled advocacy at the round-table conference, today they are largely out of the political picture as an organization.

The annual session in Calcutta was poorly attended and there was pathos in the sight of eminent leaders grouped around a table with an almost empty hall in front of them.

The Congress by its decision to accept ministerial office has taken the wind out of Liberals' sails. It is doing what they did in 1921. Several delegates urged that it was not worth while holding the annual session again.

Split Might Help

With only a handful of representatives in the legislatures the outlook for the Liberals is not bright, but Sir Cowasji Jehangir predicted that when the inevitable split between the left and right wings of the Congress occurred, moderate Congressmen would accept for their guidance the principles the Liberals professed. The chief of these is dominion status for India as opposed to the claim for complete independence now made by the Congress.

Some commentators are critical of Sir Chimanlal Setalvad's presidential address on the ground it unduly taunted Congress with shilly-shallying over entering the legislatures and with talking about wrecking the constitution while in fact working it with gusto. Sir Chimnlal thought the growth of Communism under the guise of Socialism the greatest threat to India.

By one resolution Liberals drew attention disapprovingly to the dissemination of the Communist ideas in India. This has for some years been a favorite subject with Liberals, one of those strongholds is Bombay, a city that has witnessed great industrial unrest. To this resolution was tacked a clause disapproving of Fascism, which a noted United province Liberal said threatened to dominate several Indian political organizations.

Demand Strong Navy To Defend Coasts

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11—A movement to bind the United States to a policy of "non-aggression" but to maintain a navy big enough to defend both coasts and all American possessions developed today in the House of Representatives Naval Committee.

Chairman Vinson (Dem-Georgia) informed the committee he would attempt to write this policy into the pending $800,000,000 fleet expansion bill. Vinson had conferred yesterday with State Secretary Hull, and earlier in the week with President Roosevelt.

The representative said his proposal was an answer to those who charged that the naval expansion program was based on a policy of aggression.

Today's Short Wave Radio Program

(All Time is Eastern Standard)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12

TOKYO

4:45 p.m.—National Program JZK, 19.7 m., 15.16 meg.; JZJ 25.4 m., 11.80 meg.

BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

6:00 p.m.—Orchestra of the Royal Opera House. HAT—4 32.4 m., 9.12 meg.

LONDON

6:20 p.m.—"Music Hall," with the BBC, Variety Orchestra. GSC 31.3 m., 9.58 meg.; GSB, 31.5 m., 9.51 meg; GSL, 49.1 m., 6.11 meg.

MOSCOW

7:00 p.m.— News and Program for English Listeners. RAN, 31 m., 9.6 meg.

ROME

7:30 p.m.—Chamber Music, Elizabeth Luin; "Famous Singers of Old." 2RO, 31.1 m., 9.63 meg.; IRF, 30.5 m., 9.83 meg.

LONDON

8:10 p.m.—Ice Hockey: World Championship Series. GSC, 31.3 m., 9.58 meg; GSB, 31.5 m., 9.51 meg.; GSL, 49.1 m., 6.11 meg.

CARACAS

9:45 p.m.—Dance Music. YV5-RC, 51.7 m., 5.8 meg.

LONDON

11:00 p.m.— Ballad Recital. GSD, 25.5 m., 11.75 meg.; GSC, 31.3 m., 9.58 meg; GSB, 31.5 m., 9.51 meg.; GSL, 49.1 m., 6.11 meg.

PARIS

11:45 p.m.—Musical Recordings. TPA—4, 25.44 m., 11.72 meg.

TOKYO

12:45 a.m. —"Guide to Famous Places Series." JZJ, 25.4 m., 11.80 meg.

SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA

4:30 a.m. —(Sunday) —Chimes from G. P. O. Sydney. VK2ME 31.28 m., 9.59 meg.

Spring Valley Juniors Blank New Annan 4-0

The Spring Valley juniors defeated the luckless New Annan junior squad 4 to 0 on Wednesday evening in Kensington rink in a junior North Shore League game and stepped into first position in the league. The Spring Valley boys scored twice in the first period and added two more in the final period. The New Annan squad, although through many times for what looked like sure goals were unable to beat McInnis who turned in a sensational game.

Lineups:—

Spring Valley: Goal D. McInnis; defence, S. McKinnon, D. Cousins; forwards, L. Campbell, N. Cole, W. Burch, I. Adams, E. McKinnon. Coach—H. Champion.

New Annan: Goal, D. McKay; defence, W. Hogg, B. Dalziel; forwards, B. Clarke, D. Howard, R. Bowen, J. Tuplin, L. McPherson. Coach, J. Marchbanks.

SUMMARY

First Period

1. Spring Valley, Campbell (McKinnon) 1.38.
2. Spring Valley, Cole 5.03.

Penalties: Cole, McKinnon.

Second Period

Scoring: None.

Penalties: Howard, Campbell.

Third Period

3. Spring Valley, Adams (Campbell) 10.01.
4. Spring Valley Cole (Campbell) 15:37.

Penalties: B. Delziel.

Referees: Miller and Waite. —H.

The Week At S. D. U.

The relative value of the lawyer and the blacksmith was debated at a meeting of the St. Augustine's Debating Society Wednesday night Supporting the resolution that "The lawyer is of more value to the community than the blacksmith," R. Morris gained the decision with a team that included H. Sumarah and R. Maher. The negative side team comprised L. Arsenault, L. McDonald, L. Berubi and B. White. Also on the evening's program was a talk on "The Stanley Cup", by J. Hogan.

The twenty five fishermen taking the second short course arrived at the College Monday, and have quickly established themselves in college life.

The St. Thomas Debating Society held its first meeting Wednesday night. The Society did not meet before Christmas because the members were attending the elocution classes. The meeting confined itself to drawing up a program for the year. At the meeting next week an Open Forum will be held.

Prince of Wales defeated the College's Senior Hockey team 5-3 in a game played at the College Tuesday night. This extends the series for the Wellner Trophy to one more game, which is scheduled for Feb. 19. It will be played in Charlottetown.

Rev. E. M. Francis, until this year in charge of the Commercial Department, is visiting the College this week to conduct classes in business English and simplified book-keeping in connection with the second fishermen's short course