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URGES DOMINION WIDE BODY FOR FARMERS



J. J. MORRISON

Secretary of the United Farmers of Ontario, in addressing the United Farmers of Quebec at their convention in Montreal, said it is high time agriculturists throughout the Dominion take advantage of their provincial organizations to merge into one solid body representative of Canada from coast to coast. The farmers, he said, were habitual backbenchers and there was no reason why they should be.

CANADA HAS RIVAL IN THE CHEESE MARKET

Will Face Organized Competition From New Zealand in Britain

(Special to The Guardian)
WELLINGTON, Feb. 12.—The report of the overseas delegation of the Dairy Produce Control Board, just issued, indicates that the Canadian cheese exporters will have to face organized competition from their New Zealand rivals in the British market.
The report recommends the establishment of a regular monthly delivery service to provincial ports, supplies being distributed through merchants under the board's direction. A period of fierce competition is immediately ahead, and waste methods or anything contributing to low quality must be eliminated. It is recommended that the board should undertake the responsibility of all sales and establish a London office. Every sound firm or organization wishing to serve as distributors should be given an opportunity to prove their sales capacity, which would determine the measure of continued opportunity for them. National brand for the first grade and superfine produce is recommended, and also that the board should aim at having butter and cheese available at all times of the year.

Russia Places Order For 1,300,000 Bbls. of Flour

(Canadian Press)
TORONTO, Feb. 12.—What constitutes the largest order for flour ever given at one time on this continent has been placed by Russian buyers with two Canadian milling companies, says the Globe today. The total business placed amounts to 1,300,000 barrels to be shipped early as possible to Black Sea ports. The transaction is on a cash basis and it is understood Soviet authorities have arranged credits at New York to cover this and previous orders. Further purchases are believed to be pending.

TRAVELOGUE ON PALESTINE

Is Subject of Interesting Lecture by Hon. J. H. Bell at Caledonian Club

Hon. J. H. Bell's lecture at the Caledonian Club last night was chiefly a description of "the Out of Doors" in Palestine—the of the several places he had visited in a leisurely ramble over the whole country. The church of the Holy Sepulchre in Jerusalem and the Russian pilgrims were especially interesting. The Dead Sea was not so black as painted—the waters were bright and sparkling and beautiful than those of the Mediterranean. And so buoyant was the water that the bathers could turn on their back and go to sleep if he liked without danger of being submerged.
In the Master's day Jericho on the Dead Sea was a famous bathing resort. It was a beautiful city and contained according to estimates 100,000 inhabitants. This was the spot that Satan from a neighboring mountain is said to have unfolded to the eye of the Master as representing all the glories of this world. Hermon rising 9,000 feet into the air—its head covered with snow—its sides glistening with ice and throwing back the rays of the setting sun—Hermon in its glory—was the most beautiful and magnificent object seen in Palestine. Yet it is seldom referred to by the sacred writers.
The view from Pisgah was most inspiring. But Nazareth was the most impressive especially the view from the mountain back of the city. Here the Master lived for 30 years. He was of course familiar with every hill and mountain peak. On one of these, the highest—a bare prominence of rock—made smooth by human feet, you are sure that you are treading in the very footsteps of the Master. His eye was familiar with every feature of the landscape—Carmel to the North, Hermon to the Northeast, the hills of Moab and the Jordan to the East. Pisgah in the far distance (the Mount of the Transfiguration) to the South and away to the West the blue ribbon line of the Mediterranean Sea.
But we were not aware till now that we had a ventriloquist in our midst. The ride across the Delta of the Jordan by moonlight, the lecturer in the saddle on the donkey's back, the Arab owner by his side applying the switch and twisting the tail and the donkey reeling and protesting against the inhuman treatment, is all too rich for description. Baalam and his ass were not in it.
Although the lecture was a capital one. Some of the descriptions were most eloquent and impressive. On motion of Mr. W. P. Donnell, seconded by Messrs. F. J. and supported by Messrs. Paton, John Anderson, and Geo. E. Hughes, a hearty vote of thanks was tendered the lecturer by Vice President J. G. MacFadyen who occupied the chair.

FINANCIAL REPORTS FOR CH'TOWN HOSPITALS AND ST. VINCENT'S ORPHANAGE '24

The reports of the St. Vincent's Orphanage, Charlottetown Hospital, New Charlottetown Hospital for the year ending December 31st, 1924, as read at Last Mass, Sunday, are published below:

Statement of Building Fund St. Vincent's Orphanage For Year Ending January 31st, 1925.

RECEIPTS	
By Subscriptions:	
Rev. P. D. McGuigan	\$ 25.00
By Xmas Collections	1,285.52
By Balance from Current Acct.	734.95
	\$ 2,045.47

EXPENDITURE	
To Interest on Loans	\$ 135.00
To Balance applied to Reduction of Debt	1,910.47
	\$ 2,045.47

Summary of St. Vincent's Orphanage Debt

Jan. 31, 1924. To Debt as per Statement	\$ 1,666.02
Jan. 31, 1925. To Repair Fund	320.00
Less Payment as above	75.56
Jan. 31, 1925. Balance Due	\$ 1,986.02

CHARLOTTETOWN HOSPITAL—Financial Report for the Year Ending December 31st, 1924.

RECEIPTS	
Cash on hand, Dec. 31st, 1923	\$ 135.61
Sailors' and Seamen's Board	1,385.00
Patients' Board	16,405.45
Special Nursing	337.50
Sisters' Industry	1,234.69
Medicine, Dressing, X-Ray, Laboratory	3,071.90
Small Donations, Interest & Discount	58.79
Government Grant	500.00
	\$ 22,947.33
	\$ 23,082.94

EXTRA INCOME	
Messrs. Prowse Bros.	\$ 100.00
Gillis Charity	200.00
Late Rev. Plus McDonald	200.00
Mrs. Ellen McAulay	50.00
Mrs. McGrath	50.00
Dr. Jenkins	25.00
Dr. McMillan	10.00
Dr. McGuigan	25.00
Dr. Ledwell	30.00
16.00	
Catholic Women's League, Tighish	2,500.00
Ladies of St. Charles Aux. Society	

EXPENDITURE	
Food	\$ 7,768.61
Fuel	2,394.47
Light and Power	612.77
Linen and Furniture	1,339.63
Chapel Expenses and Alms	244.86
Medicine	2,458.06
Stationery, Telephone	250.11
Stock for Sale	154.13
Laundry	290.01
Repairs	638.38
Travelling Expenses, Freight	442.72
Nurses, Maids, Servants, Salary	2,538.27
Sisters' Salary	1,350.00
	\$ 21,081.99
Current Receipts exceed by	\$ 2,000.95

Opium Conference Reports Progress

(Canadian Press)
GENEVA, Feb. 12.—The first Far Eastern Opium Conference yesterday adopted and signed a Convention and an Annex Protocol. The main features are: first—Discontinuance of opium in the far east within fifteen years after China has curbed overproduction and smuggling, with a large commission declining when a reasonable reduction in the growth of opium has been attained; second—A decision to abolish the farm system of opium traffic with substitution of Government monopoly. The convention is signed by Britain, France, Holland, Portugal, Japan, Siam and India.

50 Per Cent. Cut In Immigrants Admitted to U.S.

(Canadian Press)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Almost fifty percent cut in the number of immigrants admitted to the United States in the present fiscal year as compared to those allowed to land in the previous fiscal year is predicted by representative Albert Johnson, Chairman of the House Immigration Committee on basis of figures just received from the Labor Department.

Explosion In The Engraving Room Of Chicago Am.

(Canadian Press)
CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—Approximately fifteen persons were reported to have been injured, some seriously, in an explosion in the engraving room of the Chicago Evening American today. Fire followed the explosion.

"Happy" Felsch Drops Out

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 12.—Clear (Happy) Felsch, former member of the Chicago club of the American League and headed an organized baseball for alleged participation in the 1919 world's series scandal, today accepted a judgment from the club for \$1,166.71 in his suit to recover back salary under breach of contract. Felsch brought suit against the Chicago club charging breach of contract when he was discharging two weeks and two days before the expiration of his 1920 contract. He also sought to recover \$1,500 which he alleged was due him under a bonus offer by the club for winning the 1917 pennant.
In accepting the offer in judgment, the plaintiff dropped the suit to recover under the alleged bonus offer.

30,604 "VETS" ON LAND

Of This Number, 24,148 Have Been Granted Loans

OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—War veterans 30,604 in number, have been placed on the land according to the third annual report of the Soldier Settlement Board, tabled in the House of Commons today. Of this number 24,148 have been granted loans. The remainder are on soldier grant, entries of free Dominion land and have been set aside for the purpose of land removal of encumbrances, permanent improvements and stock and equipment. It is \$103,150,098. There has been returned in initial payments and repayments of principal and interest over \$10,000,000. In connection with the location of farms of 3,000 British families arranged under the agreement with the British Government, the report says that the surplus lands of the board are available and that 31 of the new settlers will have the settlement officials in the selection of lands, their values, farming condition and the like. The work of selecting these migrants is now proceeding in Great Britain and land settlement officials of seven hundred and twenty-seven soldiers have paid their loans in full. Thirteen per cent of the farms upon which loans were made are on hand, and some of these will be used in connection with the British family settlement plan. It is noted that in 1,521 cases where farms of settlers have been re-sold, a surplus was realized on the land itself of \$569,738. With on the sale of live stock and machinery in the same cases there was a loss of \$45,325.

P. W. C. To Close Monday

At a meeting of the Board of Education held yesterday it was decided on account of the disorganization of some of the classes at Prince of Wales College owing to the absence of a number of the students, some on account of having contracted scarlet fever, and others from a fear of the same, that it would be well to close the college for a period of three weeks, starting Monday, and to make up the time during the Easter holidays and at the end of the term.

Condensed Specials

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WHAT CAN BE BOUGHT FOR 25 cents? See P. J. McDonald's ad. in this issue. 21

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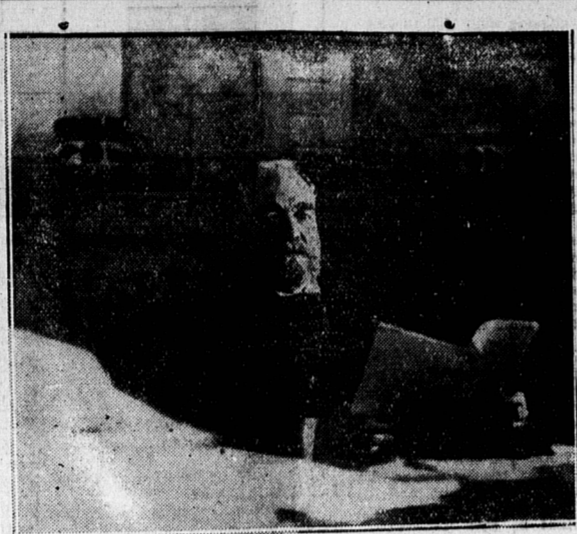
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CNRA Will Broadcast At 7.15 Tonight

MONCTON, N.B., Feb. 12.—Station CNRA, Moncton, N. B., will commence broadcasting at 7.15 o'clock Friday night, Feb. 13th, instead of 7.30. Regular musical programme which is to be given by artists from Mount Allison Ladies College, Sackville, N. B., will commence at 8 o'clock instead of 8.30. This change is effective only for this night, broadcasting to be as heretofore on subsequent broadcasting nights, namely, Tuesday, 8.30 p.m., Friday, 7.30 p.m.

TO INVESTIGATE WESTERN WAR INDEMNITY CLAIMS



Hon. William Pugsley, Commissioner, investigating individual Canadian claims for reparations from Germany, leaves for the Pacific Coast on February 15th. He will hold sittings at a number of Western cities en route.

RESCUERS REACH ROOF OF COLLINS' CAVERN

CAVE CITY, Feb. 12.—The lime-ore cavern which can be opened stone roof of Floyd Collins' cave sufficiently for rescuers to work tunnel early this morning at the base of the cavern in a rock rise at the foot of 45 foot stage and at any minute of the Sand Cave, the diggers expect to find a crevice.

DEATH THREATS TO WITNESS IN COLLINS PROBE

Cave City Excited Over Drastic Inquiry Into Rumors—Gerals is Missing— Stories That Collins is Not in Cave, of a Murder And of a Hoax Grow.

(Special to The Guardian)
CAVE CITY, Ky., Feb. 12.—Threats of death were made last night to one of the witnesses expected to testify tomorrow morning when Governor Wm. Jason Fields opens his military court of inquiry into the Collins case. The scope of the inquiry ordered by Governor Fields yesterday will be to take all available testimony in relation to the mysterious and sensational rumors surrounding the imprisonment of Floyd Collins. His findings, it is expected, will be turned over to the Warren court grand jury, which meets March 6. County Attorney J. Lewis Williams today sent his special investigators into the Sand Cave district as they immediately started rounding up natives and outsiders and taking their stories. Last night with the announcement of the result of investigations by newspapermen lasting a week Lt. Governor Denhardt and his allied state officials finally decided it was about time to start a probe. Rumors that Collins is not in the rocky cavern; or that he has been murdered there; and that the story was a publicity frameup, have been rife among the local people who know all concerned, and they have grown in passage.
The town is excited. Little

PROPOSES A CENTRAL BANK



G. G. COOTE, M. P.

Of MacLeod, Alberta, will bring up the proposal in the House of Commons again this session, that a central or reserve bank of Canada be established.

ADDRESS IN REPLY IS ADOPTED WITHOUT PARLEY

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—The debate on the Address in the House collapsed and the address was adopted without a division and without weeks with endless talk on all most every topic under the political sun. This session, it began and ended within four Parliamentary days. But short as it was the debate does not constitute a record. Old parliamentarians recall instances of the address being moved, seconded, discussed by the two leaders and adopted all in the course of one day. Contributors to the debate today were Herbert Marler, Liberal, of St. Lawrence—St. George, and W. F. MacLean, Conservative of South York. Mr. Marler made a detailed study of Canada's financial position, of the national income and expenditure, remarking that until the railway position substantially improved there was little probability of substantial reduction in taxation. Mr. Marler thought that the deficit resulting from a reduction in railway freight rates might well be borne by the country as a whole and should not be assessed in a manner that would injure existing railways. On the tariff, Mr. Marler urged a scientific revision, conducted by a properly constituted tariff board. Mr. MacLean had a sharp criticism for the judicial committee of the Privy Council. "I am sorry," declared Mr. MacLean referring to the Lemeux Act decision, "to protest against a condition which allows the judicial committee to shoot holes in our constitution. Under present conditions the Dominion of Canada has no more to do with its own Constitution than the man in the street." It was on the cards that the debate on the Address would finish tonight, but so sharp an ending was obviously unexpected.
Most of the members, anticipating an evening sitting, had drifted away and the Chamber had the deserted look it usually bears around six o'clock. But just as the House was about to rise for the dinner recess Mr. MacLean ended his speech. "The Deputy Speaker, put the former motion for the address. It slipped through and the debate was over. Then Premier King rapidly submitted formal motions which paved the way for the House going later into committee of Supply and Ways and Means. He announced that the main estimates would be brought down tomorrow, and the House adjourned.

BOOSTING THE TOURIST TRADE

Responding to a request from the Guardian for some suggestions to improve Tourist Traffic Mr. A. J. Mathieson of O'Leary P. E. I. offers the following:
"Keep the roads in such good condition and repair that automobile driving will be a pleasure, such a pleasure that those who come here will be so pleased that they will tell their neighbors so that they, too, will be anxious to visit our shores. Most of the roads are well marked, as good, I believe from personal experience, as any in Canada and with well built roads, properly maintained. Tourists will easily be induced to come here. Once they come it is an easy matter to secure their return."

Zion Decides Date Of Voting

At the regular monthly meeting of the session of Zion church last night, which was fully attended, with Rev. G. C. Taylor, the moderator, in the chair, it was decided to begin a vote on Church Union on Monday, February 23rd, at a polling clerk and scrutineers will be appointed.

Runs Amuck, Then Ends Own Life

(Canadian Press)
KENORA, Ont., Feb. 12.—Brother Apollinaire Damour, assistant principal of the Indian Boarding School here was shot dead and Joe Bernicot, a hired man, was severely wounded by Franco Salou on Monday, February 23rd, at a polling clerk and scrutineers will be appointed. After his murderous assault, Salou ended his own life with the same weapon.

Two Children Were Suffocated

(Canadian Press)
WINNIPEG, Feb. 12.—Two children were suffocated to death when a fire gutted their cottage home in St. Vital, suburb, late yesterday. The mother, Mrs. Annie Arnold, was down town shopping at the time and when the firemen broke into the home they found Clifford and Winnie, four year old twins, dead.

To Enlist Support Of Brother Boards

(Canadian Press)
HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 12.—At a meeting of representatives of the St. John and Halifax Boards of Trade held here this afternoon, it was decided to send a delegation of two members from each board to Montreal and Quebec early next week for the purpose of enlisting the support of the Boards of Trade in those cities in a scheme to send a delegation of representatives of all Canada if possible to Ottawa to impress more fully the views and needs of the country and especially the coast provinces. Further details will be worked out at a meeting.

Liberals Held First Sessional Caucus

(Special to The Guardian)
OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—The Liberal members had their first sessional caucus today. There was a general talk on the sessional programme but no new themes were outlined. The most of the time was taken up by the four new members telling how they were elected.

Can. Universities Will Hold Conference

(Canadian Press)
MONTREAL, Feb. 12.—A conference of the Canadian Universities will be held this year in Halifax at Dalhousie University according to a statement made at McGill University today.

Subsidies Proposal Will Be Extended To The Pacific

(Special to The Guardian)
OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—The statement is authorized by J. G. McGreer, counsel for British Columbia that he has the assurance of the Government that the Steamship Subsidies Proposal outlined for the Atlantic will be extended to the Pacific; announcement of this effect is expected within a few days. It has been represented to the Government by Mr. McGreer and R. H. Gall, representing the Spiller Grain Agency of Vancouver that to limit the subvention scheme to the Atlantic would result in completely ruining the Pacific grain trade. It is not yet known whether the Pacific extension will involve an increase in the Petersen Fleet or whether some other company, for instance the Canadian Pacific has decided to take advantage of the subventions.

Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings, Etc.

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**P. E. I. Hospital cake sale at Prowse Bros. Saturday afternoon by ladies of Methodist Church. 419-2-13-11

**Reserve Friday, February 13th for Whist, Auction and Dance in Hope River Parish Hall. If not fine, Monday evening. 895-2-12M21.

TORONTO, Feb. 13.—Maritime strong winds, cloudy, local showers or snow flurries.
Maximum and minimum temperatures:
Toronto, snow 36—20
Montreal, cloudy 38—34
Quebec, rain 34—28
Charlottetown, cloudy 47—36
Halifax, foggy 40—34
St. John, cloudy 46—40
Boston, rain 58—40
New York, rain 54—42
High tide this afternoon at 1.49 and tomorrow morning at 1.57.
Sun sets this afternoon at 5.24 and rises tomorrow morning at 7.04.
Last quarter moon Monday, February 16th, 5.17 a. m.
Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

