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## SPEECH FORECASTS IMPORTANT LEGISLATION

### ROME DENIES PEACE TALKS RESUMED

### MUSSOLINI DISCUSSES DEFENCE PLANS

### League Committee Concludes Oil Embargo Would Be Effective.

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) ROME, Feb. 6.—(Italian newspapers today discussed the new Franco-British proposal of December and led to unofficial reports peace talks again have started. In authoritative circles, however, it was said: "Nothing is doing in the peace line." Diplomatic quarters said the British and French are not taking new initiative to end the four-month old warfare. Premier Mussolini presided today over the second meeting of the Supreme Commission for defence. Presumably it discussed the nation's preparedness in the event of any eventually including a war at home. Earlier he conferred with army corps commanders. Rumors were spread in informed quarters that Marshal Pietro Badoglio, Commander of the armies of Africa, would be called back to Rome shortly to resume his position as chief of staff. These sources said that the move was likely as a precautionary measure against the possibility of a European war. Italian press dispatches from the "some told of a British officer's smiling defence" of the northern border of Kenya Colony. A column of the Southern army of General Rudeof Girardini is advancing northward. Fascist soldiers were reported to have executed a "work" in desolate the southern part of Palestine.

### Pope Quietly Observes 14th Anniversary

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) VATICAN CITY, Feb. 6.—Pope Pius quietly observed today the 14th anniversary of his election to the throne of St. Peter. The Pontiff, who is now 78, received hundreds of messages of congratulation from throughout the world. To many the day recalled the one 14 years ago when the College of Cardinals elected the present Pope, the Cardinal Ratti of Milan, to succeed Benedict XV after 14 ballots. The Pontiff, now reported seriously ill, disturbed over the Italian European crisis, announced then his intention of assuming the title Pius XI in these words: "Plus is the name of peace. Since I desire to consecrate my labors to the work of the peace of the world, that work to which my predecessor Benedict XV dedicated his life, I choose the name of Pius XI."

### Heaviest Star Is Discovered

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Feb. 6.—Harvard College observatory announced tonight the discovery of the heaviest star known to astronomy. Dr. Sergei Gaponchkin, who made the discovery, found the star to be 40,000,000 times heavier than the earth and 70 times heavier than the sun. Known to astronomy as "29 Canis Majoris" (constellation of the great dog), the star is easily visible to the eye in the southern sky under Sirius and near the constellation Orion. One of the hottest of known stars, it is light travelling at a speed of 180,324 miles a second takes 20,000 years to reach the earth.

### Ontario Government Against Waterways Development

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) TORONTO, Feb. 6.—Full force of the Ontario government's influence would be employed to prevent development of the St. Lawrence waterways at the present time Premier Mitchell Hepburn assured representatives of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers today. Assurance of the Premier came when his cabinet received a deputation of the Brotherhood, and afterward Mr. Hepburn told reporters: "I don't believe the St. Lawrence scheme could be justified at the present time. We need neither the power that could be developed nor the new avenue of transportation it would provide." The deputation urged the government to oppose the plan which they said, threatened more serious competition for the railways.

### Youth Confesses To Slaying Of Globe-trotting Writer

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Feb. 6.—The murder of Carl Taylor, globe-trotting writer who perished some of the secrets of a strange religious sect, the "Penitentes," was marked solved by authorities tonight with the alleged confession of his Spanish-American houseboy. Sheriff Ross Salazar said he was satisfied with the story of the youth, 16-year-old Modesto Trujillo, that he shot and robbed his friend and employer in Taylor's lonely mountain cabin near here last night. District Attorney Mabry charged the boy with murder and asserted there were no grounds for a theory that vengeance of the Penitentes

### WESTERN LEGISLATURES ARE OPENED

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) REGINA, Feb. 6.—Shorn of its traditional opening ceremonies the eighth Legislature of Saskatchewan was declared in session tonight. Members adjourned until Friday following the reading of the Speech from the Throne by Lieutenant-Governor H. E. Munroe. Out of respect to the memory of King George V, colorful pageantry usually in attendance was dispensed with. Premier W. J. Patterson and members of the House, observed court mourning by wearing dark suits and black ties. At the opening ceremony a two minutes' period of silence was observed. No invitations to attend the ceremony were issued and following the Throne Speech the House adjourned. Legislation forecast included revision of seed grain laws, gas franchise amendments and a new amendment designed to check cattle rustling in the southern part of the province. EDMONTON, Feb. 6.—Economic reconstruction with establishment of a Social Credit plan, revision of the taxation scheme and a regime of rigid economy in government expenditures became Alberta's objectives for 1936 today set forth in the Speech from the Throne read by Hon. W. L. Walsh, Lieutenant-Governor, at the opening of the first session of Alberta's eighth Legislature. The speech, containing an expression of grief at the death of King George V, and of joy at the accession of King Edward VIII, said "a measure leading to the formulation and adoption of a plan based upon the principles of Social Credit will be submitted for your consideration."

### Imperial Parley Postponed

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The Imperial Conference scheduled for the summer of 1936 will not be held until 1937, Reuters News Agency learned today. It is understood the conference has been postponed at the wishes of the Dominions, whose prime ministers wished to avoid having to make a journey to London in two successive years. They will be visiting London in 1937 for the King's coronation and it is believed the Imperial Conference date will be settled when the coronation date is fixed. The coronation and conference would not occur together but within a short time of one another.

### Demand Jewish Race "Stand Trial"

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) BERLIN, Feb. 6.—Nazi Jew baiters demanded today that the Jewish race "stand trial" for the assassination in Switzerland two days ago of Wilhelm Gustloff, Nazi leader. He was slain by David Frankfurter, a Jew. The manifesto followed a demonstration in which 1,500 strikers marched on the Thames docks in an effort to secure the support of employers and refrigerating employees. Police refused to permit the demonstrators to enter the dock and the marchers dispersed after a short meeting on waterfront streets.

### Short Course In Agriculture Completed

The short course in agriculture conducted under the auspices of the local Department of Agriculture in Prince of Wales College for the past four weeks concludes this afternoon. Yesterday the Minister of Agriculture, Hon. W. H. Dennis, visited the classroom and gave an interesting address to the students on productive agriculture. He stressed the importance of co-operation and community development and invited the young men to keep in close contact with the Department over which he presides. Mr. W. R. Shaw, Deputy Minister of Agriculture also gave a short address to the students. The class this year was attended by twenty-nine young men from different parts of the Province, all of whom evinced an intense desire to extend their knowledge of problems pertaining to the successful carrying on of agriculture. The course was modelled along very practical lines and included instruction dealing with every-day problems of the farm and community. Instructors were drawn from the Provincial and Federal departments of agriculture and the Experimental Farm. It was to be regretted that an epidemic of measles interfered considerably with the work of some.

### Strike Ends At Pekin III.

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) PEKIN, III., Feb. 6.—Life suddenly surged back to normal in this strife-torn community today after a dramatic sequence of events terminated the city wide shutdown enforced by organized labor. Members of the Trades and Labor Assembly—de facto rulers of a city of 17,000 persons for 22 hours—ended the paralyzing general holiday they had proclaimed in an effort to force the dismissal of Chief of Police Harry Donahue. Their action followed swiftly upon the adoption of aggressive tactics by the town's business leaders. Two hundred of them banded together in a united front and announced they would defy the unionist junta by re-opening their establishments tomorrow. A hurried conference of labor chiefs was called. It ended in their formal announcement at 1:15 p. m. that the widespread moratorium on virtually all phases of commercial activity had been lifted.

### London Strike Continues

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) LONDON, Feb. 6.—Striking workers of the Smithfield Central Market tonight decided to maintain a united front and continue their walk-out until employers agreed to meet their demands for more pay and shorter hours. A manifesto issued by the strike committee stressed their peaceful conciliatory intentions. They said railway, tram and bus employees were in sympathy with the meat workers and officially recognized the strike, which has been termed "outlaw" because it has not received the approval of the trade unions. The manifesto followed a demonstration in which 1,500 strikers marched on the Thames docks in an effort to secure the support of employers and refrigerating employees. Police refused to permit the demonstrators to enter the dock and the marchers dispersed after a short meeting on waterfront streets.

### Charges Japanese Craft Operating For Military Purposes

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—Representative Strovich (D., N.Y.) charged before the United States House of Representatives merchant marine committee today that Japanese craft operating off the coast of Alaska ostensibly in fishing operations are acting for military purposes. The New Yorker said Japan's purpose "is to grab Alaska, in the event of war, to provide a food supply for the Japanese, a fish-eating people."

### BANNISTER YOUTHS SENT UP FOR TRIAL

MONCTON, N. B., Feb. 6.—Tonight, a month after the Lake family murders at Pacific Junction, Arthur and Daniel Bannister were in the county jail at Dorchester awaiting joint trial on a charge of murdering Philip Lake. Arthur 19, and Daniel 20, replied in the negative this afternoon when asked if they had anything to say before Magistrate W. F. Lane committed them for trial in the Westmorland circuit court opening at Dorchester Feb. 25 with Chief Justice J. H. Barry presiding. Later in the afternoon the accused brothers were taken to Dorchester. "This ended the first phase of a complicated case resulting from the deaths of Lake, his common law wife and their baby son. Four members of the Bannister family were arrested and two other preliminary hearings have yet to be concluded. The summary trial of Corporal J. H. Pettigrew, Royal Canadian Mounted Police, began this afternoon. He had pleaded not guilty to a charge by Mrs. May Bannister, mother of Arthur and Daniel, that he had threatened her in an effort to secure information. The case was adjourned until tomorrow morning after testimony by H. V. Harris and J. K. Randall, members of the Moncton city police, and lengthy arguments on points of law. Mrs. Bannister is charged with having kidnapped Lake's surviving infant, Betty, who was found in the Bannister home Jan. 10. The preliminary hearing of this case was expected to start tomorrow morning.

### Britain Seeks Oil Compensation

LONDON, Feb. 6.—British oil interests are seeking compensation from Manchoukuo—for losses suffered as a result of the oil monopoly established in that country, it was revealed in the House of Commons today. Questioned concerning the amount of compensation sought, Viscount Cranborne, Parliamentary Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, said discussions were in progress and no concrete results had yet been recorded. British and American oil interests charge their business suffered when Manchoukuo authorities, under Japanese pressure, established an oil monopoly requiring foreign companies to trade only through local intermediaries and under strict regulation.

### Hospital Fund For N.B. Urged

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) FREDERICTON, N. B., Feb. 6.—The New Brunswick government today was asked to provide a special hospital fund to relieve in some degree the municipalities of their burden of hospitalization costs. The means suggested was a five percent tax on all liquor sold in stores of the New Brunswick Liquor Control Board. The proposal was made by a delegation from the union of New Brunswick municipalities who presented resolutions adopted at the union's last convention. Hospitalization of the poor in municipalities of New Brunswick averaged 25 to 30 per cent of their total assessment, the delegation said. Another resolution presented to the government requested a general revision of assessments, valuations and methods of tax collections throughout the province. The delegation included C. H. Blakeny, M.L.A.-elect, Moncton.

## Federal Controlled Bank Of Canada And Closer C.N.R. Supervision Sought

### History Created At Opening Session.

### SPEAKER OPPOSED

OTTAWA, Feb. 6.—Conservative leader Bennett made Canadian political history today when he shattered the traditional peaceful formality of the opening of Parliament by criticizing the selection of Pierre Casgrain as Speaker of the House of Commons. The pomp and ceremony, he said, was a relic of the past, which had been eclipsed by the scene in the House of Commons. The Conservative leader accused the new Speaker of attempting to dismiss more than 120 employees of the House summarily and without cause. He said Mr. Casgrain's conduct could not be condoned and would serve as a warning to opposition members of his political partiality and unfairness. Elected Speaker The former Liberal whip was elected Speaker without a recorded vote, after the Conservative leader gave notice he would seek investigation of the dismissal episode, including the part played by Arthur Beauchamp, clerk of the House. Lord Tweedsmuir officiated for the first time as Governor-General, making the Speech from the Throne which forecast important bills to be presented this session. It referred to legislation establishing a national loan council, nationalization of the Central Bank, Parliamentary under-secretaries, restoration of direct control of the Canadian National Railways and a Parliamentary inquiry into radio broadcasting. It was a long day on Parliament Hill. It started at 11:30 a. m. AST when 19 new senators—the largest number in history—were sworn in to office. The House met at 1 p. m. AST to go through the formality of electing a Speaker, the customary procedure for a new Parliament. Formal Ceremonies At 4 p. m. AST the formal ceremonies were held. The Governor-General arrived with a guard of honor and was saluted by an artillery blast. In keeping with the national mourning over the death of King George, the scene in the red-walled Senate Chamber was drab in contrast to other years. Women wore black dresses, blending in with the dark morning attire of Senators and members standing in disorganized ranks outside the bar. The red-robed judges of the Supreme Court, huddled like mediaeval monks in front of the throne. Behind them stood Premier Mackenzie King and Senate leader Dandurand in solid-encrusted uniforms.

### Speech From The Throne

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) OTTAWA, Feb. 6.—The text of the Speech from the Throne, read by the Governor General to Parliament, today, follows: Honorable members of the Senate: Members of the House of Commons: I meet you under the shadow of the loss which Canada, in common with all parts of the Empire, has sustained in the death of our late beloved Sovereign, King George V. The sorrow so universally expressed is but one of the many evidences of the great regard in which His late Majesty was held by all men and nations. In no part of the King's Dominions has the sense of national and personal loss been more deeply felt than in Canada. King George's patience and wisdom, his example of courage and devotion to duty, throughout a reign of unparalleled anxieties, will be held in all our memories as a great heritage. Extends Sympathy I join with you in extending profound sympathy in their bereavement to King Edward VIII, Her Majesty Queen Mary, and all the members of the Royal Family. Toward the new King, there already exists on the part of the people of Canada, a feeling of personal attachment and affection, occasioned by His Majesty's visits to this country, and the many friendships and wide acquaintances formed during the years he was known to us all as the Prince of Wales. To these sentiments will now be added in increasing measure those of loyalty and devotion. I am profoundly sensible of the great honor of having been chosen as the King's representative in Canada. I am pleased that my meeting with the members of both Houses should be at the beginning of the first session of the eighth Parliament. It is with the greatest pleasure that I look forward to the associations of the next few years. The seriousness of the international situation has contributed to the world's anxieties. My ministers are confident that they express the conviction of the people of Canada in adhering to the aims and ideals of the League of Nations, and in seeking, in unison with members of the League as well as with other nations, to support by all appropriate and practical means the maintenance of peace, and the establishment of a world order based on justice and equity. Unemployment Problem Unemployment continues to be Canada's most urgent national problem. While there is an increase in the number of persons employed, the number of those on relief shows no abatement. As a means of dealing with present emergency conditions, you will be asked, with the approval of the governments of all the Provinces of Canada, to make provision for the establishment of a representative national commission, intended to investigate the problem of unemployment and to report thereon to the next session of Parliament. Repeal Indicated Intention of the government to repeal the extraordinary powers obtained by the last administration to act independently of Parliament in the interests of "peace, order and good government" was outlined in the speech. "It is proposed," the speech said, "to restore to Parliament its control over taxation and expenditure by ending all measures which have deprived members of the House of Commons of this control and which have served to invest the executive with unwarranted arbitrary powers." Nationalization of the Bank of Canada, now a privately owned undertaking with a wide measure of

### Adherence To Ideals Of League Stressed.

### PLEDGE LOYALTY

OTTAWA, Feb. 6.—A legislative program comparatively brief but providing for changes of far-reaching character was forecast in the Speech from the Throne read at today's opening of Parliament. Nationalization of the Bank of Canada, constitutional reform and the establishment of a national commission to deal with unemployment relief were some of the salient features. It was indicated radio broadcasting in Canada would be again overhauled by a special committee of the House of Commons and a further inquiry would be conducted into the "monopolistic control of the importation and distribution of anthracite coal." Something is to be done with the Canadian National Railways, the speech indicated in a paragraph which said amendments would be asked which would "serve to afford a greater measure of governmental authority and responsibility to Parliament." Prominence was given to Canada's continued adherence to the aims and ideals of the League of Nations, although no specific mention was made of the conflict in Ethiopia or to Canada's participation in League sanctions against Italy. As was expected the speech opened with a warm tribute to the late King George, expressions of sympathy and condolence to the Royal Family, and renewed pledges of loyalty and devotion to King Edward. Lord Tweedsmuir, presiding for the first time at the opening of Parliament, expressed appreciation of the honor of having been chosen Governor General of Canada. He expressed satisfaction that his first meeting with members was on the occasion of the first session of a new Parliament.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS COMING EVENTS MEETINGS, ETC

- Hockey at Fredericton tonight, New Glasgow vs. Fredericton. L-839
- Hockey, East. Royalty tonight, St. Avards Beavers vs. Royals. Skate after. L-884
- Hospital Cake Sale by ladies of St. James Church, Saturday at Moore & McLeod's. L-781-2-7-11.
- Princes of Wales College vs. Alexandria, Mt. Herbert rink tonight, Skate after. Good ice. L-886
- Card party and dance at the home of Regina Smith, Emerald, Friday night. L-795
- Carnival at Fowal Saturday, February 8th. Good ice with electric lights. L-876-2-7-21.
- Hockey tonight at Wheatley River Rink, 2nd Royals vs. Wheatley River Rink Ramblers. L-835
- Hartsville Maple Leafs vs. Hunter River Royals, Wilt-hira tonight, Skating after. L-581
- Buying live hogs, Hunter River and Kensington, Monday, February 10, if not fine, Tuesday, A. E. Wedlock. L-832
- Hockey, Forum tonight at 8 o'clock, Cross Roads vs. Southport. 1 hour's skate after game, Admission 15c. L-880
- Kings County L. O. L. meets at Lion Lodge Room, Uigg, Saturday, February 8th, at 9:30 A. M. If stormy, Tuesday, February 11th. L-776-2-6-21.
- First playoff of A. E. MacLean Hockey League in Borden rink Friday, February 7th, Kensington vs. Borden, Admission 15 and 35 cents. L-855
- The Annual Meeting of St. Andrew's Egg Circle will be held in the school house on Monday, February 10th at 7 P. M. If stormy, first one night following. D. F. Egan, Secretary. L-870-2-7-11.
- The annual meeting of Stanley's Bridges Dairy Co. will be held in the Masonic Hall, Stanley Bridge, Tuesday, Feb. 11, 1936, at 2 P. M. Sgd. H. S. MacEwen, Secty. L-847-2-6-21.
- Livestock Marketing Board leading hogs during week of February 10th as follows: Monday afternoon, Elmira Tuesday afternoon, Melville, Uigg, St. Peters; Wednesday forenoon, Hunter River. Please list stock with local secretary. L-878-2-7-11.

### Record & Forecast Of The Weather

Fresh westerly winds; fair and cold, followed by increasing north-east winds and probably some snow in Nova Scotia.

TORONTO, Feb. 6.—Minimum and maximum temperatures:  
Dawson ..... 56B 50B  
Aklavik ..... 52B 46B  
Edmonton ..... 34B 30  
Regina ..... 36B 16B  
Winnipeg ..... 42B 15B  
Toronto ..... 2B 12  
Ottawa ..... 4B 8  
Montreal ..... 2B 8  
Quebec ..... 4B 4  
Saint John ..... 0 14  
Halifax ..... 8 12  
Charlottetown ..... 4 8

Maritime Provinces: Fresh westerly winds; fair and cold, followed by night by increasing northeast winds and probably some snow in Nova Scotia.

High tide this morning at 11:17 and tonight at 10:45.  
Sun sets this afternoon at 5:15 and rises tomorrow morning at 7:13.  
Full moon Friday, Feb. 7, at 6:13 a. m.  
Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

THE OLD-FASHIONED WIFE PRESERVED FRUIT;—THE MODERN ONE CANS HER HUBBY

THE CAR FERRY

Leave Borden 6:45 A. M. (Extra)  
1 P. M.  
Leave Tormentina (Extra) 21 A. M.  
2:55 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Any Time is Tea Time

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