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EDEN EFFECTS ITALO-ETHIOPIAN COMPROMISE

BANK LETTER REVEALS BUSINESS UPTREND

IMPROVED TONE IN BASIC INDUSTRY

Advancement all Along Line Noted In Report.

(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)
MONTREAL, May 24.—Business improvement in Canada this month reached a higher level than for some months past, it is stated in the Bank of Montreal business summary for April released here today.
Farm and metal prices stiffened and forestry indices have advanced, giving an improved tone to basic industry, the summary remarks. Wholesale prices reached a new recovery peak in April when the index of the Bureau of Statistics rose to 75.5 from 74.0 in March.
Largest factor contributing to the new peak was a five per cent rise in wheat prices, the summary continues. Livestock, silver and tin prices contributed materially while other commodities fluctuated within narrow limits.
Another major factor in the general outlook, the summary adds, has been a marked improvement in agricultural prospects in the western wheat-growing provinces following general and abundant rains. Soil conditions in each of the three Prairie Provinces are now said to be excellent.
Industrial production on the whole in April was firm to upward. The newspaper output was 222,244 tons, compared with 216,507 tons in April before. The automobile output was 24,123 cars, an increase of 31.4 per cent larger than that of April 1934.

Mr. Sharp Renominated At Rousing Convention

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HON. G. SHELTON SHARP
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ROYAL HOUSES ARE UNITED

Danish Prince Weds Swedish Princess.

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, May 24.—Two hundred thousand cheering Swedes packed Stockholm's streets this afternoon to bid farewell to Crown Prince Frederik of Denmark and Princess Ingrid of Sweden, Frederik's bride today and Denmark's future Queen.
Their brilliant wedding in the 18th century church where at Kings of Sweden's Bernadotte line have been crowned, was attended by such an assembly of crowned heads, royalty and notables as Scandinavia seldom has seen.
It was her own people, however, of whom the brown-haired, blue-eyed new Crown Prince of Denmark smilingly took farewell as he and Frederik, long sweethearts, sailed away for Copenhagen, their new home.
Ingrid said goodbye to her father, King Gustaf, smiled at the cheering thousands and the Swedish royal sloop crossed the harbor to the Danish royal yacht "Dannebrog" while harbor fortress guns boomed salutes.
The group of royalty in the ancient cathedral, Storkyrkan, included Frederik's parents, King Christian and Queen Alexandra of Denmark, King Leopold and Queen Astrid of the Belgians, Crown Prince Olaf and Crown Princess Matha of Norway and the former Crown Prince of Norway.

Public Works Minister Receives Ovation At Portage Meeting. Mr. Russell Rogers Nominated As Mr. Sharp's Colleague For Second Prince.

The tremendous ovation which Hon. G. Shelton Sharp, Minister of Public Works, received on Thursday night at Portage when he was unanimously re-nominated to represent the franchise voters of the Second District of Prince County, was the strongest indication that the tide, which turned in favour of the Conservative party in that district at a bye-election five years ago when Hon. G. Shelton Sharp defeated Thane A. Campbell, is still running in favour of the Conservative Party.
For sixty-eight years the vote in the district was strong for Liberal rule, but the packed hall with not even standing room, and with every available inch of space, including the commodious platform taken up with the electorate of the District, who had come to tender this great ovation to the man who had represented them at Charlottetown, proved without a doubt that they were satisfied with the way Mr. Sharp had looked after their interests in the last five years.
The Premier, Hon. W. J. P. MacMillan, and other members of the Government also received an enthusiastic welcome from the electorate.
Mr. Robert England, Ellerslie, very capably presided at the meeting and Mr. Boger was secretary.
On the platform, besides the Premier, Hon. W. J. P. MacMillan, Hon. G. Shelton Sharp, Hon. Adrian F. Kings, Mr. George M. Matthews, O'Leary; Mr. Fred. Tanton, Alberton; Mr. J. F. Arnett, Mr. D. F. MacNeill and Mr. E. W. Manson of Summerside; Mr. K. Sharbell, Portage; William Smith, Victoria West; William Bryon, Freehold, and others. There was a full representation of delegates from every poll.
The business opened with the nomination of candidates. Hon. G. Shelton Sharp's nomination for Assemblyman was unanimous and was greeted with a round of applause, which was graciously acknowledged by Mr. Sharp.
Two names were before the meeting for Councillor, Mr. Russell R. Rogers of Coleman, and Mr. Austin A. Ramsay of Conway. Mr. Rogers won the nomination, which on motion of Mr. Ramsay, was made unanimous.
Mr. Sharp's nomination was moved by Earle Ellis of West Cape, seconded by James MacIsaac, Coleman.
Mr. Rogers' nomination was moved by James MacIsaac, Coleman, seconded by Scott Currie, O'Leary.
Mr. Ramsay's nomination was moved by Thomas Boyle, Portage, and seconded by A. P. Sellick, Conway.

PAGANISM DENOUNCED

Pope Pius Delivers Attack On German Program.

VATICAN CITY, May 24.—Pope Pius today delivered an attack on sterilization and the German program of paganism in receiving 400 delegates to the international hospital congress.
The Pope said he had seen that the program of the congress had included the topic, "eugenics and sterilization" and that he was glad the topic had not been discussed, and that it was not necessarily connected with the scope of the congress.
"Our idea on this subject has been abundantly disclosed," the Pope said, "in our encyclical 'Casti Connubii' this we wrote not only through our sense of religious duty, but also through our love toward humanity. The encyclical received the approbation of the highest medical authorities."
"We know Germany, we have many friends there, but we must realize that if the German program of paganism is extended to and accepted by other nations, incalculable damage will result to the whole world."
The pagan world, which has given us so many masterpieces of sculpture, literature, and painting, has fallen into that terrible degradation which St. Paul recognizes."
BERLIN, May 24.—The German Ministry of Justice today announced that "58,244 German males and females were sterilized up to Dec. 31, 1934."
The Government declined to say whether this figure was the total amount of sterilization since the inauguration of the law or was only the operation during 1934 and forbade the German press to publish any report on the matter.

Local Choral Group Makes Good Showing

(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)
HALIFAX, May 24.—The Windsor, N. S. Glee Club today held the most coveted trophy presented by the first annual Maritime music festival—that for the most outstanding group participating in the competition which opened here May 21.
Nova Scotia singers and musicians carried off most of the prizes in the three-day carnival of song ending Thursday. Only two groups outside the eastern provinces were represented, Mount Allison conservatory and Charlottetown Serenaders.
The Sackville, N. B., University group produced four prize winners, Miss Vera Campbell, soprano, and A. W. Trueman, baritone, won silver cups for solos.
Miss Margaret Coffin and Miss Pauline Wornum were winners of the soprano duet competition and combined with Miss Frances Elliott to produce the best vocal trio.
Charlottetown and Halifax competed in ladies three part chorus and also later in ladies two part chorus. Halifax winning both events on points. Charlottetown having proved a worthy competitor. The marks were 87 and 85 in one event and 173 and 170 in the other.
Included in the Charlottetown chorus were Mrs. F. M. Nash, Mrs. Elliott, Miss Berna Huser, director, Miss Lillian McKensie, Miss Davida Baker, Miss Pearl Burns, Mrs. R. Holman, Miss Doris Tait, Miss Margaret Sterns.

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Wallace Successor



Leslie Charteris, of England successor to Edgar Wallace, late writer of best-seller detective stories, is shown in his New York hotel suite. He is the creator of "Alias the Saint", a character that appears in 20 books. He is in U. S. specifically to study crime.

PREPARE WAY FOR PEACE CONFERENCES

"Air Locarno" Foremost In Minds Of European Diplomats.

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Secession Question One For Dominions

LONDON, May 24.—The question of secession of a state or province of a British Dominion is first of all a question for the federal government of that Dominion to pass upon, it was ruled today.
The joint select committee of the House of Lords and the House of Commons reported on the case of the state of Western Australia, seeking secession from the Australian Commonwealth and independent status as a Dominion within the British Commonwealth.
The decision was that the British Parliament was constitutional in its incompetent to take the legislative action requested, except upon a definite request of the commonwealth government.
MELBOURNE, Australia, May 24.—(C. P. Cable via Reuters)—"The people of Western Australia will fight on until they receive justice from the Commonwealth government," declared Premier Philip Collier of the state of Western Australia tonight when he learned of the verdict of the select committee in London, refusing the state's petition to the Imperial Parliament.
"The present position is intolerable," said the Premier. "Unless there are great changes the federation cannot last—another 10 years."

Unable To Accept Care Of Quints

NORTH BAY, Ont., May 24.—Not from any personal wish, but because they were forbidden by the rules of their order, the Grey Nuns of Mattawa Hospital, in the Pembroke diocese, have declined to take over the duties of nursing the Dionne quintuplets in the Dafoe Hospital, Judge J. A. Vallin, one of the guardians, announced today.
The Grey Nuns offered to furnish a home for the babies in the Mattawa Hospital but were forbidden to care for them in the Dafoe Hospital, it was explained.

Averts Threat Of War And Ends League's Crisis

Italian Premier Agrees To Submit Controversy To Conciliation And Arbitration.

(By Joseph E. Sharkey)
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(A. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)
GENEVA, May 25.—The League of Nations Council unanimously adopted tonight two resolutions previously accepted by Premier Mussolini, for a compromise proposal looking to settlement of Italy's border dispute with Ethiopia.
The action was taken at a public session, called precipitately upon Italy's yielding to British and French demands for arbitration of the dispute, after the council, in a secret session, had given preliminary approval to the proposals.
The compromise proposal, embodied in a resolution by Capt. Anthony Eden, British Lord Privy Seal, was said by council delegates to have averted the threat of war and one of the greatest crises in the League's history.

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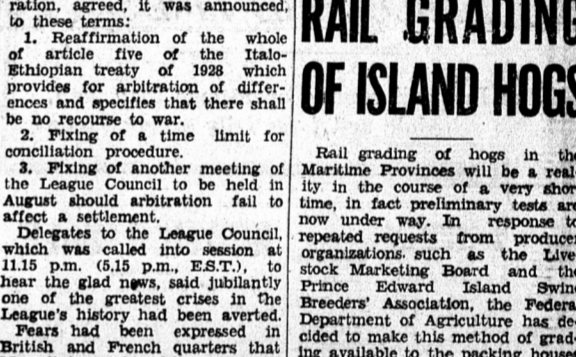
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Double Drowning Tragedy At William's Lake Near Hlfx.

HALIFAX, May 24.—Two school-boys were driven to shelter this afternoon by a rainstorm. As they attempted to dry their clothes by a fire under the trees near the lake some smaller boys were seen playing in the punt, and McIntyre and Dowling decided to row out on the lake.
They had not gone far before they found the little craft leaking badly, and as it began to sink they jumped.
Meade and Curran could not swim but hurried to a store a quarter of a mile away for help. No trace of the missing schoolboys was found until early tonight, when a search party using grappling irons brought up both bodies.
The bodies were found tonight, clasped together at the bottom of the lake.
Two younger companions who witnessed the tragedy, told police Dowling was unable to swim. McIntyre could swim a little, but they disappeared after struggling together in the water for little more than a minute.
McIntyre, Dowling, Mansell Meade 13, and Ralph Curran, 12, set out on a holiday this morning and

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Burned Up?

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BLAOKGUM, Okla., May 24.—The postoffice had just closed when Elmer Dirselser reached the door May 5. And was he angry? In fact, postal inspectors charged in complaint. Elmer with the United States commissioner at Muskogee today—he set it on fire.

ANNOUNCEMENTS COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC

- *Talkies, Malpeque, Wednesday. L-7465-5-25-21
- *Talkies, Bradalbane, Thursday. L-7465-5-25-21
- *Cub cake sale at Moore and MacLeod's Saturday. L-7433-5-25-21
- *Talkies—Hunter River, Monday. L-7423-5-25-21
- *Talkies—French River, Tuesday. L-7423-5-25-21
- *The House of Rothschild with George Arliss at Montague, Saturday night. L-7389-5-25-21
- *Poultry. Quantities of dressed Fowl wanted. Will stop buying June 1st. The Royal Packing Company. L-7413-5-23-25-28
- *Livestock Marketing Board leading at York Wednesday forenoon, May 29th till train time. L-7454-5-25-11
- *Cavendish players on the stage again! See them in "The Fifty Thousand and a String of Pearls" Cavendish Hall, May 28th. Admission 25c. and 15c. L-7461-5-25-21
- *I will be buying live hogs at Albany Thursday, May 23rd until 2 P. M. and at Emerald Friday 23th until noon. Highest prices. G. C. Green. L-7351-5-21-41
- *Central United Church Y. P. S. one act play and concert, Marshall Hall, Tuesday, May 29th. Admission 25c and 15c. L-7440-5-25-31
- *Come and see Humer River Players present their play "Doty and Daffy" under auspices of Canadian Legion in Mt. Stewart Legion Hall on Monday, May 27th. Dance after. Admission 15c and 25c. L-7440-5-25-21
- *Hear "Sardines" and "The Reading of the Will," one act plays under the direction of Mrs. Arthur Henry, presented by York Young People, in the Hall Monday evening at 8.15. Admission 25c and 15c. L-7470
- *Sacred program by York Choir assisted by Miss Mary Ferguson, soloist, and Miss Prudence Inglis, violinist, in the church at 8.15 this Sunday evening following church service. Silver offering for choir. L-7469

Swimmer Ill After Eating Gift Chocolates

BOSTON, May 24.—11 Morrison, 23 year old long distance swimmer who hails from Picton, N. S., was at City Hospital today, painfully ill after eating a box of chocolates sent her anonymously through the mails.
Physicians at the hospital said her name was on the danger list, but that she would doubtless recover. Police, meanwhile, were investigating the source of the chocolates and having them analyzed.

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HON MR. SHARP

Hon. Mr. Sharp was greeted with cheers when he came forward to thank the delegates for their continued confidence in him.
He referred with regret to the many old friends who had passed away in the district since the last election. He also referred to the great loss to the party of the late Hon. D. Stewart and Hon. L. M. MacNeill.
Mr. Sharp went on to say that he and the district had been signally honoured in receiving the portfolio of Minister of Agriculture and later Minister of Public Works, two of the most important portfolios in the Cabinet.
There had been many Opposition criticisms levelled at him during his term of office, but he did not think the people of the Second District of

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