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course of things and somebody will  
sing your virtues when you are a  
long time dead.

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time; that love alone survives each  
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## Firemen Fight Stubborn Blaze

### Much Damage From Fire, Smoke And Water In Queen St. Conflagration Last Night—Barber Shop, Candy Store And Laundry Razed.

Originating in apparently either Hooper's Barber Shop or Livingstone's Candy Store, sweeping through the upper stories of the clothing establishment of D. A. Bruce and the building occupied by Sam Lee's Laundry a fire, which was discovered about 10.30 last evening, did considerable damage, as a direct result of the flames which gutted the buildings, and as a result enormous quantities of water were poured on the fire in streams for two hours and one and a half when the fire was discovered it made considerable headway and spreading rapidly, especially through the centre and rear of the buildings involved.

Attention of the firemen working from Queen Street, was first directed to Hooper's Barber Shop and Livingstone's Candy Store. While the fire was being extinguished in the upper floor of these establishments considerable headway into the second story of the clothing establishment of D. A. Bruce, and into the third and third stories of the buildings occupied by Sam Lee's Laundry. In the latter two buildings flames from both front and rear were extinguished only after a most stubborn fight.

The clothing on the lower floor of Hooper's was removed to the City Cafe across the street and was practically all saved. However, the goods on the second storey were a total loss from fire and water. The total value of the goods in the building was in the vicinity of \$12,000, part of which was covered by insurance.

The interior of Hooper's Barber Shop was badly damaged by the flames, a looking glass, three chairs and the tonsorial paraphernalia being almost a total loss.

The stock in Livingstone's Candy Store, valued at \$3,000 also sustained considerable damage from fire, while that of the Brady Shoe Store, adjoining D. A. Bruce's was considerably damaged by water. The latter establishment, however, was not touched by the flames.

All the laundry in Sam Lee's establishment was removed safely.

Police Officer Trotter, who superintended the removal of the clothing, deserves great credit for the systematic way in which the work of salvage was conducted.

It is understood that the Bruce Building occupied by the establishments of Livingstone and Hooper and Sam Lee was to be removed this summer. The total damage done to the building at the time of writing is impossible to ascertain, as is also that to the other building belonging to Mr. George Hughes.

## RUM RUNNER BELIEVED TO BE SCUTTLED

### Sank As She Was Being Towed to Port By Coast Guard Cutter.

(Canadian Press)  
BOSTON, April 3.—The British two masted schooner Aramay, laden with liquor which was seized off the Maine Coast yesterday, sank as she was being towed to this port; probably scuttled by her own crew to destroy evidence, Commander Hiram P. Searles, Commandant of the coast-guard base said here today.

The Aramay out of Halifax was believed to have been driven within the twelve mile limit by adverse winds. The coast guard cutter Harriet Lane found her off Mount Desert Island yesterday afternoon and took her in tow. About nightfall it was noticed the schooner was settling. The tow line was cast off and the coast vessel came alongside and took off the schooner's crew.

PARIS, April 3.—Premier Tardieu was taken suddenly ill at a committee meeting today and had to be assisted to his automobile and taken to the hotel where he resides.

## Engagement Announced



Miss Mary Coyne Rowell, daughter of the Hon. Newton W. Rowell and Mrs. Rowell, whose engagement to Mr. Henry R. Jackman, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Jackman of Toronto, has just been announced, the marriage to take place on April 24.—Photograph by Ashley and Crippen.

## CH'TOWN MAY HAVE DAYLIGHT SAVING

### Committee Appointed to Wait On City Council by Large Representation of Citizens at The Board of Trade Rooms Last Evening.

"Resolved that this meeting of citizens called for the purpose of considering the advisability of adopting daylight saving for the city of Charlottetown strongly approve of the idea and recommend its adoption. And further resolved that a committee of three be appointed from the meeting to wait on the city council requesting them to pass a city-by-law adopting daylight saving for this city by advancing the time one hour and that said by-law becoming operative each year from May 1 to Sept. 30, both dates inclusive."

The above resolution moved by Mr. Frank Riggs and seconded by Mr. T. B. Rogers was adopted by a vote of fifty to nine at a largely attended meeting of citizens held in the Board of Trade Rooms last evening.

Councillor Holman who presided, announced the object of the meeting and called for an expression of opinion.

Mr. Roy Cullen stated that he had discussed the subject with hundreds of people, and of those one two were opposed to the measure. He thought that the laboring men would be in favor of the change.

Mr. S. A. McDonald, a member of the delegation that waited upon the

## Would Not Give Five Cents To A Tory Province

### Premier King Makes Heated Speech On Unemployment Situation In Canada—Cries Of "Shame" From Opposition Benches.

(Special to the Guardian)  
OTTAWA, Ont., April 3.—Proceedings this afternoon in the House were signalized by a voluminous speech by the Prime Minister on unemployment, in which he displayed to advantage all his peculiar gifts of plausibility. Prior to his taking the floor, Mr. McIntosh of North Battleford, continued his speech of yesterday. As to an economic survey of Canada with a view to ascertaining the causes of unemployment as suggested by Mr. Garland, he agreed, but stated that this survey, if undertaken, was the obligation of the provinces. As to unemployment insurance, the decision of the law officers of the Crown was that it was under provincial jurisdiction. If the provinces saw fit to take action after the Prime Minister had done their part, well and good. It was, he declared, a world problem.

The Prime Minister occupied the rest of the afternoon, and there was certainly not a tame moment throughout. He started out to say there must be in the endeavor to meet this problem, some division of labor, and in this division he included the League of Nations, in establishing a standard for the world, and Great Britain in establishing a standard for the British Empire, but the parts to be played by these were vastly different from the part of a municipality. And the position of the Dominion Government in this matter was largely analogous to that of the League of Nations and Great Britain. He most positively disavowed the right of the Dominion to call upon the tax payers of this country to make contribution to municipalities and the provinces for unemployment purposes, seeing no obligations on its part to distribute funds to certain sections of the community in the various provinces. How much consideration he asked, was given by members opposite to the professional men, who often had to go without employment for several months a year, but some time for several years. These very persons he alleged, were numbered among the taxpayers. How about literary men and journalists, whose work was more or less seasonal; what about

## Fifty Cases "Pending" Under Prohibition Act

### Is Winner



Herbert Carman Flegg, Regina, Sask., Queen's University undergraduate and winner of Royal Bank of Canada's fellowship open to all Canadian universities.—Photograph by C. H. Boyes, Kingston.

## No Leader For Farmer's Party

### SASKATCHEWAN PARTY AFFAIRS TO BE HANDLED BY EXECUTIVE

REGINA, April 2.—No leader will be chosen for the Saskatchewan Farmers' Political Association.

This was the decision of the convention at its session today. Instead the destinies of the new Saskatchewan Political organization will be placed in the hands of a Provincial Executive of 21 members, representatives from each of the Saskatchewan Federal constituencies. This body will choose an executive of nine members, their own chairman, Vice Chairman and other officers.

India is spending \$20,000,000 in railway electrification.

## Farce Of Law Enforcement Revealed By Senior Conservative Member For Charlottetown.

Reading from the statement of the Prohibition Commission for the past year, Dr. McMillan, during the debate in the Legislature last evening, showed that there were fifty prohibition cases "pending"—cases in which convictions had been secured and neither fines nor imprisonment had been imposed.

"What do you think of that," he said, "for a record, for one year, of a Government that was elected to enforce the Prohibition Act? Are these cases "pending" for political reasons, or are they not?"

Dr. McMillan challenged the Government to answer. There was no reply.

Dr. McMillan, who followed Hon. B. W. LePage and Hon. Dr. McNeill in the budget debate last night, spoke for nearly an hour before adjournment. He was in brilliant form and scored repeatedly over his opponents, when interruptions were attempted.

## DEBATE ON BUDGET STILL IN PROGRESS

Provincial Legislature April 3rd. The House met at 10.30 a. m.

The clerk read a report from the Minister of Justice on the Statutes passed by the Legislature in 1928.

The Premier tabled the annual report of the Provincial Board of Health for the year ending Dec. 31, 1929.

The following bills were read in committee and agreed to:

An Act respecting the Law Society of Prince Edward Island.

An Act to incorporate the Highlands Hotel Co. Ltd.

An Act to Amend the Statute Law

An Act to incorporate the Tyrone Rural Telephone Co. Ltd.

An Act to authorize the granting of land in the Common of Georgetown, for burial purposes.

Afternoon Session

The following bills were read in committee and agreed to:

An Act to Amend an Act to Promote the Improvement of Highways

An Act to incorporate the Tryon Hotel Company Ltd.

An Act to incorporate the Summerside Hotel Co. Ltd.

An Act to further Amend the Town of Summerside Incorporation Act 1928.

An Act to incorporate the Sisters of St. Martha, Prince Edward Island.

The House went into committee on second reading of the Adoption Act, which was agreed to without amendment. The purpose of the bill as the promoter Hon. Mr. Lee explained, was to make legal provision for the adoption of infants. Earlier legislation along this line had been repealed and the present bill had been drafted to suit the requirements of the Province.

The Audit Act was re-committed, and was agreed to with amendments.

At 4.30 p. m. the debate on the budget was resumed by Hon. Mr. LePage, Hon. Dr. McNeill, and Dr. W. J. P. McMillan. At 11 p. m. Dr. McMillan adjourned the debate and the House adjourned until 10 a. m. today.

Deaths in civil aircraft accidents in England last year totaled 22.

## Well Known S' Side Citizen Passes Away

(Special to The Guardian)  
SUMMERSIDE, April 3.—Mr. Edward Jelly, one of Summerside's best known citizens died suddenly tonight at his residence on Convent St., at the age of 67 years. At about 9 o'clock he was suddenly stricken with paralysis and passed away almost immediately. The deceased had resided at Summerside for many years and was an expert accountant having been bookkeeper for several of the leading firms in the west of the Province and for some years past occupied that position with Mr. R. T. Morrison, Water Street, Summerside. He leaves to mourn a widow, formerly Mrs. MacLeod of Park Corner, but no family; also three brothers and three sisters namely: Herbert, O'Leary, George, of St. Elizabeth's, Tynes, in Ontario; Mrs. McWilliams of Clinton, Mass. Mrs. Swaby Jelly, Mrs. Chester Wynde, of Kibee, Manitoba, Mr. C. B. Jelly principal of the Summerside High School is a nephew of the deceased.

The funeral takes place on Saturday at 2 p. m. from the home to the Central Christian Church and thence to the People's Cemetery, Rev. A. E. Smith, officiating.—S

## More Bodies Recovered From Pioneer Coal Mine

(Canadian Press)  
KETTLE ISLAND, Ky., April 3.—Eight more bodies were recovered today from the Pioneer Coal Mine, wrecked by an explosion Saturday which entombed sixteen men. Seven bodies had already been recovered leaving only J. E. Hill, mine foreman still to be found.

## Eight Killed In Fireworks Plant

(Canadian Press)  
PHILADELPHIA, April 3.—Eight persons were killed and scores of others injured in a series of explosions today at the plant of the Pennsylvania Firework Display Company, Inc., at Devon, sixteen miles west of Philadelphia. About thirty of the five injured persons were taken to the Bryn Mawr Hospital. Within a comparatively short time police and firemen established a measure of traffic control on the Lincoln Highway and automobilists were detoured out of the danger zone. The plant was comprised of a number of small buildings and the five men killed were said to have been in the buildings when the first explosion occurred. A mile from the plant the explosions created havoc in the lumber yard of C. A. Lobb and Sons of the Lincoln Highway, which is also known locally as the Lancaster Pike. Piles of lumber were dislodged and windows in surrounding buildings were shattered.

## Proposed Head Police Unknown

HALIFAX, N. S., April 3.—Attorney General W. L. Hall stated in the House of Assembly yesterday that he did not know the name of the man who was to be commissioner of the Nova Scotia Police, the establishment of which force is provided for in a bill now before the House. All he knew was that the chief commissioner of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police had promised to release to Nova Scotia a competent man for one year, to organize the provincial force.

## Fight Postponed

MILAN, Italy, April 3.—The return match between Roberto Roberti, Italian heavyweight champion and the Canadian fighter Larry Gains which was fixed for April 15 has been postponed until April 27, on account of Roberti's illness.

LONDON, April 3.—Miss Alhambra noted soprano died today in London.



## May Quit The Eastern League

### Kentville Star Players Reported Ready To Sign To Play With Other Ice Clubs.

## COMMITTEE APPOINTED RE MARKET HALL

### By Representatives of Different Societies in The City.

Representatives of the different societies and clubs of Charlottetown met in the Caledonian Club rooms last evening to consider the question of repairing the Market Hall in order that entertainments may be held for charitable purposes at as small expense as possible.

Mr. T. M. White, who presided outlined the object of the meeting and called for an expression of opinion relative to the matter.

After considerable discussion a proposition advanced by Mr. C. J. Gallagher was agreed to, viz that the different societies represented appoint a committee consisting of two representatives from each organization to discuss with Mr. F. G. Spencer, lessee of the Market Hall, the advisability of taking the course outlined. It was agreed that the secretary of the Caledonian Club should notify the members when the meeting is to take place.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS, DANCING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

Dancing seed at Winsloe Monday 7th. 2839-4-4-21

Loc.—The Baldwin Road Dr. Club will stage their play "My Wife" in Morell Rear Court Hall Easter Monday night, after play. 2827-4-4-10-16.