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TALKS OF FURTHER CUT IN U.S. TAXATION

Coolidge Makes Plea to Government Executives for Economy and Efficiency.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Suggesting the possibility of still another tax reduction "within a few years," President Coolidge on Saturday night renewed his plea to Government executives for economy and efficiency under a general programme of "constructive economy." Coolidge observed that too much economy might not be beneficial; he chose to "make every dollar count" and to obtain the maximum of results with money in hand. The economy policy has done more than reduce the cost of Government, the President said for he saw in it an example to the world in administrative effort.

One Per Cent Club

General Lord announced the "chartering" of a one per cent club within the Government, saying the one qualification of membership was ability to reduce expenditures by one per cent of the total authorized. Last year's two per cent club had fallen short of its objective by only three million dollars, he explained in setting the figure of \$38,000,000 as the amount to be saved.

The President's idea of constructive economy was to eliminate many non-essentials as possible while bolstering the agencies whose function developed a better order of national life.

Agreements to Outlaw War

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 3.—By the signature of a compulsory, unlimited arbitration treaty with Finland Sweden has completed a system of agreements with all her Scandinavian neighbors for the outlawing of war.

LATEST FROM THE CAPITAL

House Had Long and Hectic Sitting—Government Defeats Conservative Motion by Lone Vote.

(Canadian Press) OTTAWA, Feb. 3.—A motion for adjournment of the debate made by J. L. Stansell, Conservative member for Norfolk-Elgin, in the House of Commons, shortly before four o'clock this morning was defeated by a single vote. An earlier division on a similar motion had found the government with a majority of ten, but in the second vote five Progressives, Messrs Campbell, Lucas, Carmichael, Boutillier, and Fanshawe voted with the Conservatives. These five members are the ones who supported the opposition on the first vote of the session when the government was sustained by three.

See Abolition of Legislative Council in Nova Scotia

(Canadian Press) HALIFAX, N. S. Feb. 3.—Indications that the Nova Scotia government would move for the abolition of the legislative council at the approaching session of the legislature were contained in a statement given this afternoon by Premier E. N. Rhodes.

To Seek Presbyterian Clergymen For Canada

(Canadian Press) TORONTO, Feb. 3.—The commission of assembly of the Presbyterian church in Canada at a meeting here, decided to send two representatives on a tour of England, Ireland, Scotland and the United States with a view to bringing to Canada Presbyterian ministers from those countries.

Unearth Relics of Roman Site in London

(Canadian Press) LONDON, Feb. 3.—Excavations for a building at the corner of Grace Church Street and Lombard Street, the busiest commercial section of London, has revealed what is believed to be the site of the main forum or market place of Roman London during the first four centuries of the Christian era when the City was called Londinium.

Negotiating for New Wage Scale for Miners

(Canadian Press) GLACE BAY, N. S. Feb. 3.—Negotiations for a new wage contract were begun at the general office of the B. E. Steel Corporation here this morning.

Nomination Day

Yesterday was nomination day in Charlottetown for the forthcoming civic elections, and the following names were officially nominated at the City Clerk's office.

REVOLT IS SUPPRESSED

(Canadian Press) LISBON, Feb. 3.—An attempted revolution has been suppressed by the government. The rebels threatened with bombardment, surrendered.

VILLAGE IS SWEEPED BY HURRICANE

Child Killed, Scores Injured and Many Rendered Homeless.

(Canadian Press) WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 3.—One child was killed, 300 persons made homeless, and property damages estimated at \$750,000 done by a hurricane which swept Green Acres, two miles west of Lake Worth early today.

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LABOR EDITOR IS HELD AT U. S. BORDER

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