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## SOCIAL LEGISLATION BEFORE PARLIAMENT

### LEGISLATURE WILL OPEN ON MARCH 5TH

#### Great Interest Taken In Guardian Story Of The Smith Flax Process

Prince Edward Islander's Far-reaching Discovery  
In Textiles Discussed On Winnipeg Grain Exchange. English Press Comments On Process, And Says Canadian Government Interested.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC

\*Zion Church Valentine Tea,  
Thursday, February 14th. L-4259-2-9-51.

\*Maple Leafs vs. Loyalist Greenhorns at Milton Rink tonight, 8 p.m. L-4259-2-11-31.

\*Hockey at York Tuesday night, West Covhead Allstars vs. York Centrals. Skate after. L-4268

\*Cornwall Rink tonight, league hockey, Dunedin vs. Cornwall. Skating after game. L-4268

\*Hockey at Marshfield tonight, Dunstaffnage Red Wings vs. Millers Sports. Skate after. L-4269

\*League hockey game for Jenkins trophy tonight, Mt. Herbert vs. Alexandra. Skate after. L-4272

\*Hockey at Wheatley River Rink tonight, Milton Hornets vs. Stars. If not fine, come Tuesday. L-4273

\*Borden Line Club leading hogs, lambs, calves, Albany, Wednesday, Feb. 13, until noon. L-4274-2-11-31

\*Come to Old Time Concert, Pie Social and Entertainment in Tracadie Hall, Wednesday, Feb. 13th. If stormy, Thursday. L-4239-2-9-21

\*Carnival and Moccasin Dance, Covehead Rink, Wednesday, February 13th. Admission 10c. If not fine, first fine night following. Costume prizes. L-4212-2-9-21

\*Free! With every 2 loaves bread Crown Bakery will give away free a contract bridge pad. Get them while they last. L-4266-2-11-31

\*Borden Rink tonight, Tip Top League, Trvon vs. Cape Traverses at 8 p.m. sharp. One hour skating. Admission 10c and 20c. L-4263

\*Livestock Marketing Board leading hogs at Wiltshire Wednesday morning until train time. Please notify Club Secretary today. L-4270

\*Semi Final Clark League Games, Bedouin Rink, February 8 and 11th. St. Eleanor vs. Albany. Goals to count. Skate after matches. Admission 15c. L-4143-2-7-8-11

\*Doubleheader at Highfield tonight, Winsloe Huskies vs. Second Granites, Braekley Married Men vs. Highfield Married Men. Game starts 7 o'clock. Skate after. L-4267

\*Hickey and Nicholson's new product H & N Bright Cut Smoking Tobacco in the Red Package at 10c is now sold at every store in the Province; a companion of Hickey's Black Twist. L-4068-2-2-11

\*You work for your money. Let your money now work for you by a guaranteed annuity in the Sun Life and double your income today. See J. A. Moore, Branch Manager. L-4252

\*The annual meeting of the Lea & Wright Hockey League will be held on Feb. 14th at 1 p.m. in A. E. MacLean's office, Summer side. All interested are invited. T. J. Inman, President; Fred Mowse, Secretary Treasurer. L-4264-2-11-31

\*Weekend market information indicates steady hog prices, but Monday's wires may have something different. Why worry about prices. Let the "Marketing Board" do the worrying and the selling. We are interested in getting high prices back to the farmer. We enjoy doing it, that's why we are different. Livestock Marketing Board. L-4270

\*OTTAWA, Feb. 10.—Col. W. C. Hyde, D.S.O., of Montreal, was elected president of the Canadian Artillery Association at the annual conference of that body here yesterday.

(Canadian Press, by Guardian's Special Wire)  
WINNIPEG, Feb. 10.—Substitution of flax for cotton in the processing of linen as a revolutionary step that might have great effect upon Canadian agriculture and industry was discussed among members of the grain trade here today with considerable interest.

From Charlottetown last night came word that such a substitution was being studied in Manchester. It had been found, the report said, Canada's flax has given better results than any other flax. The report discussed possibility of Canadian flax displacing a volume of United States cotton in Lancashire mills.

#### U. S. Novelist Passes

(A. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)  
ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 10.—Mrs. Corra Harris, the novelist, died of a heart ailment in a hospital here Saturday at the age of 85.

The writer, whose best known work, "A Circuit Rider's Wife," attracted wide discussion through its interpretation in many quarters as an attack on policies of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, had been ill since Jan. 27.

Mrs. Harris was the author of more than a score of novels and many short stories. Her books included "Evil's Second Husband," "Recording Angel," "In Search of a Husband," "Co-citizens," "Marrying Her His Life," "Happily Married," "Daughter of Adam," "As a Woman Thinks," "Flapper Anne," "May Book and My Heart" and "Happy Pilgrimage."

#### 10 JAILED IN AUSTRIA

Rioting Breaks Out On  
Eve of Civil War  
Anniversary.

(By Wade Warner, Associated Press Foreign Staff)  
VIENNA, Feb. 10.—Rioting broke out tonight in the factory suburb of Floridsdorf as radical anti-government demonstrations began in connection with the anniversary Tuesday of last year's Socialist civil war.

Despite the bitter cold, hundreds of workers suddenly swarmed into the streets, shouting defiance to the Fascist government.

Strong detachments of police swept down upon them, however, and quickly dispersed them. Ten persons were jailed.

The workers scattered thousands of anti-government handbills in Floridsdorf and other sections of Vienna.

#### Trustees Named For Cancer Fund Which Opens March 1

(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)  
OTTAWA, Feb. 10.—Announcement was made today of the composition of the board of trustees to administer the King George V. Silver Jubilee Cancer Fund for Canada to be launched March 1 by the Governor General over a national radio network on which Prime Minister R. B. Bennett and Liberal Leader Mackenzie King also will speak.

Personnel of the board will be: The Chief Justice of Canada, the Prime Minister, leader of the Opposition, Minister of Pensions and National Health, chairman of the Canadian Medical Association's committee on cancer, chairman of the Public Health Committee of the Canadian Life Insurance Officers Association, a representative of the teaching faculty of one of

#### REVOLT LOOMS AGAINST U.S. PRESIDENT

Greater Freedom On  
Legislation For Congress  
Is Demanded.

(By Clarence M. Wright, Associated Press Staff Writer)  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—A major revolt against President Roosevelt was said today by some Democratic leaders in Congress to be in store unless he makes even more concessions to the legislative branch of the government.

These same leaders, however, said the President was now listening to advice from those who long had argued that with the banking crisis over, Congress should have greater freedom on legislation.

To illustrate this new attitude, they pointed out that:

1. The President left to Congress actual drafting of the bill to extend the NRA, instead of sending up a bill as had been his past practice;
2. He declined to choose between various proposed methods of regulating holding companies, informing leaders that Congress should select the method it preferred;
3. He submitted only "informal" suggestions that the omnibus and converted banking bill be considered;
4. He left to Congress a choice between the opposing attitudes of Secretaries Perkins and Morgenthau on the social-security programme.

Last Congress, they reminded,

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#### 18 DEAD IN TRAIN WRECK

Third Disastrous Soviet  
Wreck In Five  
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(A. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)  
MOSCOW, Feb. 10.—Russia's third disastrous railway wreck in five weeks, killing 18 persons and seriously injuring nine others, was reported today near Saratov in west central Russia, on the Volga River.

A freight train and a passenger train crashed head-on at Karjan-Stroganov station on the Rayzan-Ural railway, completely destroying both locomotive and piling coaches and cars into a mass of wreckage. A mail car and a passenger coach caught fire and burned.

First reports received here indicated the wreck was caused by station employees routing two trains over the same track by mistake.

Two other recent accidents have been blamed on personnel failures, investigations indicating that train crews, anxious to acquire bonuses for being on schedule, disregarded warning signals.

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#### Rush To Obtain Benefits Under Adjustment Act

Dominion Wide Organization  
Now Complete For Handling Important  
Farmers' Legislation.

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OTTAWA, Feb. 10.—More than 16,000 farmers have taken the first steps toward making use of the debt adjustment provisions of the Farmers Creditors Arrangement Act adopted at the last session of Parliament, and at least 1,000 promises have already been effected.

Finance Minister E. N. Rhodes today made public some statistics of the work of the Act up to the present.

With the recent appointment of the Provincial Board in Prince Edward Island the Dominion-wide organization was completed, and in five provinces (Ontario and Quebec and the Prairie Provinces), it was already functioning.

At the end of January, 2,528 formal applications had been received at the central office in Ottawa and it was believed the total applications signed by debtors would exceed 5,000.

#### Two Killed In Train, Truck Collision

(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)  
VALOIS, Que., Feb. 10.—James Gray, 26, and Thomas Helps, 18, both of Montreal, were killed today when their milk truck was struck by the trans-continental train of the Canadian National Railways at a railroad crossing here. Gray was instantly killed while Helps died half an hour later in hospital.

#### COUNSEL WILL SUM UP CASE TODAY

Case Expected To Go  
Before Jury For De-  
liberation Late  
Tuesday Afternoon.

(By John Ferris, Associated Press Staff Writer)  
FLEMINGTON, N. J., Feb. 10.—Bruno Richard Hauptmann gets his last chance tomorrow to convince eight men and four women jurors that he is innocent of the kidnapping and killing of the Lindbergh baby.

The 30th day of his trial will open with prosecutor Anthony M. Tauck, Jr., of Hunterdon County, in the chief prosecution role. To him falls the task of presenting the formal statement of what the state believes it proved by its 111 witnesses.

When Hank has concluded, the defence will begin its summation. Chief defence counsel Edward J. Reilly of Brooklyn has cast himself for this part, although reports still circulated that Hauptmann himself wished C. Lloyd Fisher of Flemington, young associate defence counsel, and Frederick A. Hope, another of his counsel, to have a share in addressing the jury.

Will Be Brief  
Hauck's statement will be comparatively brief. He will sketch

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Attend King's Silver Jubilee  
May 6. Early Election Rumored.

(Canadian Press, by Guardian's Special Wire)  
OTTAWA, Feb. 10.—Social legislation may hold the spotlight in the House of Commons this week since the Government has the Unemployment and Social Insurance Act in readiness for second reading and bills respecting hours of labor in industry, and the weekly day of rest, are down for introduction at the first opportunity.

Tomorrow is private members' day and there is little likelihood that any government business will be reached. There are seven notices of motion by private members on the order paper, the first on the list being that of D. M. Kennedy (U.F.A.-Peace River), expressing the opinion that the Peace River Country should be connected by a direct railway outlet to the Pacific Coast.

Farm Loan Act  
Other matters of interest in the schedule for this week include second reading of the Canadian Farm Loan Act amendments designed to enlarge the loaning fund and facilitate its operations by confining administration exclusively to the Dominion Government. Provincial boards will be eliminated and with passage of these amendments no enabling provincial legislation will be required. Provisions of the act will be available to farmers in every province.

Finance Minister E. N. Rhodes has a resolution on the order paper to authorize a measure which will give him power to refund maturing and callable Canadian National Railways financial obligations up to a maximum of \$200,000,000. With this power the Minister will be in a position to refund maturing and callable securities at any time the market makes such a move advisable.

Shipping Dues  
Minister of Marine Alfred Durand will ask authority of Parliament to collect dues from ships arriving at and departing from Canadian ports, which derive benefits from the lighthouses and buoy placement on or near the Bahamas and Leeward Islands by the British Government. The dues so collected would be applied toward maintenance of these navigation aids.

Debate over the resolution of J. H. Harris (Conservative-Scarborough) approving of the 1932 Ottawa Trade Agreements, occupied much of the time of the House last week. It is still unfinished and may be proceeded with this week.

Cabinet councils were held every day during the week and it is understood there has also been considerable discussion over the date of the general elections and the popular rumor at present current in Ottawa selects July as election month.

Will Attend Jubilee  
It is believed