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LONDON, Oct. 29.—(AP). Rt. Hon. Philip Snowden, who followed Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald into the National Government as Chancellor of the Exchequer, said that he did not rejoice "at the disaster which has come to the Labor Party."

The chancellor emphasized that the voting resulted in a National Government victory and not in the victory of any one party.

"Millions of men and women have voted for candidates whose whose general political views they are not in agreement on the sole ground of showing the world that Britain is determined to stand four square and bring the nation through its difficulties," Mr. Snowden said.

"The result is a magnificent justification of democracy. The leaders of the National Government have told the nation the truth about the issue and the democracy has trusted its leaders."

"I do not rejoice at the disaster which has come to the Labor party—I regret it because the Labor leaders have brought this catastrophe upon themselves and to the party by their folly, lack of courage and leadership, and their misunderstanding of the popular spirit."

"They hope to exploit the unemployed for party advantage. The electors in the industrial areas, where unemployment is highest, have given a most emphatic condemnation of the Labor Leaders. "Millions of unemployed and former Labor voters have put National interest before party at this election, without in the least changing their political and social ideas."

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**PETERS ROAD
AND VICINITY**

Recently your correspondent had occasion to visit the Murray Harbor Starch Factory, and was courteously shown through the various departments of that plant by Mr. John A. McSwain, Peters Road, who has charge of the drying department, and a general supervision in other parts of the work of this important manufactory.

The plant is necessarily large owing to the many subdivisions required in the transformation of the tubers into the finished product. The potatoes after being weighed, are received in a large building, which is generally filled to capacity, there being a constant stream of wagons and motor-trucks loaded with the raw commodity from the surrounding country. A stream of fresh water is admitted into the washing room where the tubers are thoroughly cleaned, and turned over into the cutter or masher, where in some unaccountable way all waste parts with rot pass through a long trough, and thence into the rear of the stream which carries the refuse away.

The pure substance is carried in another direction and finally is received into a large vat where the limp mass resembles pulp of a

cream-like texture. At the proper time this mass is conveyed into the drying department, subjected to a high degree of heat, and eventually becomes starch in its purest form.

The engine-room holds the propelling machinery, and also furnishes steam-heat, through interminable pipes which permeate the drying section. A large apartment was partially filled with sacks of starch ready for shipment, while an immense bin was filled with starch in bulk, preparatory to being also made ready for shipment. This plan has been in operation for about 48 years and was built, owned and operated originally by the late Hon. Senator Prowse and Sons of Murray Harbour.

It is now owned and operated by the Murray Harbor Starch Co. of which Mr. Fred Leclachur of Murray Harbour is the business manager.

In 1928 the amount of potatoes handled in this plant was 72,240 bushels. The present year will be a banner year here in starch production, and the general opinion is that the amount of potatoes handled will greatly exceed that of the year mentioned.

An average of 2,000 bushels per day are being manufactured into the finished article. Potatoes of every variety are taken from "the

run of the field" to "culls" and prices correspond with the grade, generally this year from 20 to 25 cents per cwt. In a recent issue of the Guardian we advocated the adoption of enterprises such as this in Prince Edward Island to a larger extent. As we stated then, we now reiterate our conviction that in the large potato areas of the province, there is room at least for half a dozen more of these manufactories.

I omitted to state that the Murray Harbor plant is about to add to its outfit the installation of machinery for the manufacture of potato-flour. Let us have home manufacturers, and it follows that we then shall have home markets.

On Thursday 22nd, Mr. J. L. McKinnon, merchant, Peters Road, was busily engaged in his annual purchase of lambs. Upwards of 200 were bought and shipped by Mr. McKinnon and Co.

Rev. Alexander R. Gibson of Montague conducted the services in Murray Harbor North and Peters Road Presbyterian churches on Sunday 23rd inst. declaring the pulpits vacant in these churches, re. the resignation of Rev. P. Watson Currie from this charge. Mr. Gibson preached to very appreciative audiences.

Mrs. A. M. Johnston, Peters Rd., who visited a short time at the home of her son and family, Dr. and Mrs. L. Johnston, Montague, has returned home.

The Guardian's "Famous Canadians" contest is interesting if

perhaps somewhat difficult. In our opinion not many perfect solutions will be submitted? We shall see.

Mrs. Allan Morrison, Peters Rd., has a large number of pupils taking music lessons. Mrs. Morrison has great natural ability and extensive training in this cultured art, which easily makes her a leader in her profession.

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Their many friends are congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Jenkins of Watertown, Mass and formerly of Peters Road on the arrival of a "bonnie lassie," "Gloria June."

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jordan and son, Sheldon, of Borden P. E. I. are visiting at Mrs. Jordans home, guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Davidson Peters Road—P.

**Dal. Debaters
Are Defeated**

(Halifax Chronicle)

By a vote of 144 to 92, the arguments advanced by the Bates College debaters against a recognition of the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics were approved by the audience that gathered Tuesday night at the School for the Blind, to hear the representatives of the Lewiston Me. college, in debate against Dalhousie University speakers. Bates College was ably represented by Randolph Weatherbee, leader, and Frank Murray while the Dalhousie representatives were Howard Oxley, of Halifax, leader, and Douglas MacIntosh of Charlottetown, P. E. I. An audience of over two hundred attended the debate, which was presided over by Carleton Stanley, President of Dalhousie University.

The visiting debaters took the negative of the resolution, "That the Nations Should Grant De Jure Recognition to the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics," while the Dalhousie pair spoke for the affirmative. In opening the proceedings, Mr. Oxley extended a warm welcome to the visiting debaters, and declared that such contests served the purpose of bettering international relations.

Prefacing his remarks with an explanation as to the difference between de jure and de facto forms of recognition, Mr. Oxley declared that recognition of the Soviet Government did not necessarily mean approval of their morals or economic system. He believed that Russia, when granted such recognition, would honor their financial and international obligations, and would open up a vast market for international trade.

The practice of reviling Russia, which is common in many countries today was just a passing fad, exercised because the Russians were a misunderstood people.

Frank Murray, the first speaker for the affirmative, expressed his pleasure at the reception he and his colleague had received in Halifax, and declared that debating contests such as this one were a great means of cementing international goodwill.

Because Russia had not lived up to her international obligations, and never intends to, he contended that the Soviet Union should not be granted de jure recognition. Russia's aim was to secure the overthrow of all existing "bourgeois" governments of the world, and the Soviets had carried on propaganda and incited disorders in all countries of the world, whether they were on diplomatic terms with those governments or not.

The surest way to mitigate the social evils which exist in Russia and other countries of the world today, stated Douglas MacIntosh, Dalhousie speaker, was to treat Russia as a self-respecting nation and to grant her de jure recognition. He refuted the argument that the Soviet and the Third In-

ternational were one and the same.

Randolph Weatherbee, last speaker, declared that Russian propaganda was spreading the seeds of war, and was the greatest force militating against international peace in the world today. Howard Oxley, of the Dalhousie team, and Frank Murray, Bates College, were heard in rebuttal.

The verdict of the audience was taken by ballot, at the close of the debate, resulting in a 144-92 vote in favor of the negative. The visiting debaters undoubtedly had a slight edge in both presentation and argument, Mr. Murray, especially pleasing the audience with his restrained fluent manner of presenting his case.

Of the Dalhousie speakers, Mr. Oxley was the more forceful debater, while Mr. MacIntosh treated the subject in a highly interesting and at times humorous way that gained favor with his hearers.

Among the large congregation present at Wheatley River United Church Rally Day Service was Mr. and Mrs. Earl Toombs Greenvale and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Sellar of Hunter River—L.

MT. MELICK SCHOOL

Following is the standing of Mt. Melick School for months of August and September.

GRADE IX—1 Edna Robertson, 3 Finlay Drake, 3 Mary Cannon.

GRADE VIII—1 Pansy Cannon, 1 Eliza Lane, 3 Evelyn Robertson, 1 Helen McInnis, 5 Andrew Cannon, 6 James Cannon.

GRADE VI—1 Elsie Jenkins, 2 Helen Jenkins, 3 Robert Boswall, 1 GRADE V—1 Estelle Mutch, 2 Anita Praught, 3 Willie Cannon, 4 Rita Cannon.

GRADE III—1 Joseph McKenna, 2 Stewart Jenkins, 3 Jennie McInnis, 4 Phyllis Jenkins.

GRADE I—1 Kenneth MacEachern, 2 Charlie Mutch, 3 Harry Cannon, 4 Stratton Cannon.

Perfect Attendance, Edna Robertson, Mary Cannon, Eliza Lane, Percy Jenkins, Willie Cannon, Stewart Jenkins, Phyllis Jenkins, Jennie McInnis, Keith Boswall, Harry Cannon Stratton Cannon.

E. Gertrude Villett.—Teacher.

MARSHAL PETAIN RETURNS HOME

(Canadian Press)

NEWPORT, R. I. Oct. 29.—Two French Destroyers steamed out of Newport yesterday headed toward with Marshal Henri Petain and other members of the French delegation which had joined Newport in paying tribute to the French forces who had aided George Washington back in 1780.

Grandmother Takes To Bike

LEAMINGTON, England, Oct. 27. (U.P.)—Mrs. Clara Brown, a grandmother, has just learned to ride a motorcycle.

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(1) BOYS AND GIRLS BETWEEN 12 and 20 YEARS.—For best stories—1st prize, \$3.00; 2nd prize, \$2.00; 3rd prize, \$1.00. For best drawings—1st prize, \$3.00; 2nd prize, \$2.00; 3rd prize, \$1.00.

(2) BOYS AND GIRLS LESS THAN 12 YEARS.—For best stories—1st prize, \$2.00; 2nd prize, \$1.25; 3rd prize, 75c. For best drawings—1st prize, \$2.00; 2nd prize, \$1.25; 3rd prize, 75c. Stories should not exceed 1000 words. The subjects should be of a Christmassy nature. The drawings should be in firm outline in Indian ink without shading lines, and should not be larger than a half-sheet of note-paper. They must, of course, be original work, not mere copies.

Entries, addressed to Christmas Number care Charlottetown Guardian and marked "Christmas Story" or "Christmas Drawing," must be received not later than December 1st. The prize winners will be announced in the Christmas Number.

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Say Schwartz and be sure

HUNTER RIVER AND VICINITY

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith accompanied by son Robert and Mr. Guy Gamester, Hunter River, were the guests recently of Mr. Nelson Kent, Milton.

Miss Glen Wignore, Wheatley River, was the guest recently of Misses Bessie and Ada Stead, Hunter River.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor McPhail, Meadow Bank, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bernsley Wonnacott and children Alice and Lillian were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. James Murray, Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. Earn Stead, Hunter River, were visiting the former's father who has been ill Mr. Robert Stead, Mayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stevenson, New Glasgow, accompanied by their little son Allison, were the guests Sunday of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ling, Wheatley River.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Houston who have been visiting the latter's sisters in the Bay State for the past three months have returned home.

Miss Dorothy Smith, Wheatley River, has been visiting her cousin Miss Doris Smith for a few days in Hunter River.

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