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THE ROGERS HEADWARE CO., LTD. will be open for business on Saturday night, starting May 8th, until further notice. L-4087.

CHANGE IN PAYMENT CLAUSE.—Consumers of electrical energy are advised to read the Maritime Electric Company advertisement in this issue.

A GOOD CATCH.—Mr. Jerry Mayne while fishing (up east) Tuesday afternoon landed a fourteen pound salmon, and a number of good size trout.

ARRESTED FOR COAL THEFT.—Last evening a man alleged to have stolen coal from the railway was placed under arrest. He spent the night at the Police Station and will appear in Court this morning.

MANAGER ARRIVED.—Mr. Frank Hall, new manager of the Metropolitan store, and Mrs. Hall and family arrived in the city last evening from Truro. They are registered at the Canadian National.

A SACRED MUSICAL will be given by the choir of Zion Church on Sunday evening at 8.30. The choir will be assisted by Mrs. Arthur Roper and Mr. Charles Earle, with Prof. Thompson at the organ. L-4102

SMOKED FISH of all kinds at Roods. L-4020.

Mission Band Present Program

The Mission Band of the Charlottetown Baptist Church delighted and entertained an appreciative audience in the Baptist Schoolroom last evening. The youthful performers carried through most brightly and interestingly a carefully selected programme ended with an earnest missionary spirit presenting the claims of the healthful nations on our Christian civilization.

After an intermission in which Life Membership Certificates were presented to Pauline Ward, Beverly Pound, Mae Robinson, Velma Worth and Marguerite Burhoe, an Scripture Reading on "Seekers for Light" was given by Dr. A. V. Vincent. This dealt with the wonderful progress of Christianity in that densely populated portion of our great British Empire.

The careful training evidenced by the enthusiastic and finished manner in which the children contributed their many appealing selections reflected great credit on the capable committee in charge, Mrs. T. Gordon Ives, Mrs. A. C. Vincent, Mrs. Gordon R. Starratt and Mrs. Alfred MacNeill.

Programme

1. Opening Chorus by Band.
2. "Give, Oh, Give."
3. Recitation, Bernice Ward, followed by Exercise Prayer.
4. Recitation, "I Welcome You," Alfred McDonald.
5. Recitation, Betty Dingwell.
6. Exercise, "Who Gives the Grain," by Ivan Robinson, Maurice Brehaut, Windsor Brehaut, Darrell McQuarrie and John McInnis.
7. Song by Primary Group.
8. Recitation, Merville Vincent.
9. Recitation, Jean Cooper.
10. Duet, "Whisper Song," Gladys Ward and Shirley McLeod.
11. Recitation, Donald Irvine.
12. Recitation, Verna McInnis.
13. Exercise, "Missionary Fruit," Beverly Pound, Elsie Casford, Marguerite Brehaut, Georgia Ward, Ruth Tarbush and Aletha Saunders.
14. Solo, "Father, We Thank You," Louise Brown.
15. Recitation, "A Little Bird Tells," Beverly Pound.
16. Dialogue, "Sowing Time," Darrell McQuarrie and Hugh Campbell.
17. Recitation, Marguerite Burhoe.
18. Piano Solo, Jean Hamm.
19. Recitation, "My Children," Velma Worth.
20. Recitation, Ruth Tarbush.
21. Solo, Georgia Ward.
22. Recitation, "Mr. Small's Example," Hugh Campbell.
23. Song by Junior Girls.
24. Exercise, "Christianity's Conquest," Bernice Ward, Freda Blanchard, May Robinson, Vivian Rix, Velma Worth, Audrey McInnis, Joyce Cooper.

HAVING OIL TROUBLE IN YOUR CAR?

Is your car always oil-thirsty? Are you always adding quarts? Can't find out why? Then you'll be interested in this experience of the superintendent of a plant in Preston, Ontario:

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GOV'T WILL COMMUNISTS
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many unemployed men back to work, thus brightening their outlook and at the same time taking them off the dole list.

(C. P. Cable by Guardian's Special Wire)

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., May 2.—Newfoundland's new agricultural policy has not been announced by the Commission Government but an experiment is being conducted at Whitbourne where a pioneer party has been settled and given assistance. If the experiment is successful it is understood the government will inaugurate a widespread homestead scheme for putting hundreds of unemployed men and their families on workable soil inland.

Every year Newfoundland imports thousands of dollars worth of farm produce and the new commissioners believe some vegetables and other products, now sold at such high prices that they are out of reach of those who need them most, can be grown here. Thousands of impoverished fishermen live in rocky settlements all around the Island. When returns from fish are low they merely exist but if those not working can be induced to leave the sea they will be given a chance to earn comfortably-livelihood inland and at the same time the country toward diversified industry.

(C. P. Cable by Guardian's Special Wire)

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., May 2.—United States fishing schooners operating on the Grand Banks will be permitted to purchase bait and supplies in future as a result of action taken today by the Island's new commission government. The commission rescinded the old bait act which precluded foreign fishermen from obtaining bait and the regulation which fixed the price of British fishermen was wiped out.

Forbes on the south coast are expected to benefit by increased purchases of supplies and it is believed the concession will be a convenience to United States and other foreign fishermen.

MINES
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The conferring mining interests had accepted it as a fair way of dealing with the situation. It is anticipated the tax will bring in a revenue of about \$9,000,000 which will more than offset the loss in revenue from reduction of the tax on sugar for which the originally imposed on gold was designed.

"NO OBJECTION"
HALIFAX, May 2.—(C. P.)—Hon. Michael Dwyer, Minister of Mines for Nova Scotia said tonight he saw no particular objection to the Federal Government's gold taxation as announced in amended form at Ottawa today by Premier R. B. Bennett. "In its modified form," the minister declared, "it looks to be an improvement over the original tax."

"I think it's all right the way it stands now," Mr. Dwyer added. "It takes the load off the little fellow who is trying to get started, off the mines which are still under development."

He expressed belief practically all gold mining companies in Nova Scotia would be exempt.

TORONTO, May 2.—Under the government's revised plan of taxation on gold production, only 12 companies will contribute to the Federal treasury while about 25 producers of the yellow metal, some of them now paying dividends, are exempt.

The companies upon whose income the levy falls are Lake Shore, Teck Hughes, Wright Hargreaves, and Sylvanite in the Kirkland Lake field, Dome, Hollinger and McIntyre in the Porcupine district, Noranda and Siscoe in Quebec and Pioneer, Consolidated Smelters and Premier in British Columbia.

TORONTO, May 2.—Hon. Charles McCrea, Ontario Minister of Mines tonight declared the Dominion Government's modification of its gold tax "a fair and satisfactory one." He declared the slogan now for the mining district should be "full steam ahead." Mr. McCrea returned from Ottawa this morning. While in the capital he conferred with the Dominion authorities on modification of the 10 per cent gold tax.

NOVA SCOTIA LEGISLATURE PROROGUED
 (C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)

HALIFAX, May 2.—Lieut.-Governor Walter H. Cover, prorogued the first session of Nova Scotia's 40th Legislature today and the eight-months old Liberal Government of Premier Angus L. Macdonald left the historic chamber with powerful legislation for changes in industry, taxation, miners' unions and living conditions. Big changes are necessary right now in the opinion of Canada's youngest premier, 48, and he has let it be known further important developments will follow revision of the British North America Act and re-adjustment of relations between the Dominion and the provinces, which he has advocated in Ottawa.

Old age pensions were paid for the first time in the province one month after the House opened on March 1, the Governor-in-Council proclaiming enabling legislation that had been passed in 1933. Of new legislation, one of the outstanding measures passed during the session classes gasoline as a public utility and gives the public utilities board power to regulate distribution and sale. Another act increases the tax on gasoline from six to eight cents per gallon but Minister of Highways A. S. McMillan has expressed belief the new control act eventually will more than offset this by creating competition and reducing prices to the consumer. A tax of one cent a gallon is levied on fuel oil. The Provincial Revenue Corporations Act, expected to bring in about \$1,000,000 additional revenue, provides for new taxes on chain stores and small companies hitherto untaxed and increased levies on banks, finance companies and telegraph and telephone companies.

An amendment to the coal mines regulation act compels coal companies in Nova Scotia to check-off fees for only one union and is designed to end rivalry between the United Mine Workers and Amalgamated Mine Workers. It is considered imperative to get the men back together in one organization before a new wage scale is negotiated with the Dominion Steel and Coal Corporation next fall. An experiment looking toward improved housing conditions will be financed by an item of \$200,000 in the estimates. Companies will be formed for erection of dwellings, and these money will be advanced at low interest rates. The scheme will be worked out by the new Housing Commission under chairmanship of G. Fred Pearson, K. C., prominent Halifax barrister. First steps will be taken in Halifax on properties held by the civic, provincial and Imperial governments.

The government budgeted for a revenue deficit of \$986,223 and a net deficit of \$1,297,959.66 including sinking fund instalments.

To finance its programme during the year, the government will borrow about \$8,000,000, of which instalments for \$5,000,000 were offered to the Canadian public today in Halifax, Montreal and Toronto.

Contentious measures of the session were put through by weight of the government forces, which number 22 to the Opposition's eight. Sharp-tongued Opposition leader Gordon B. Harrington, former Premier, and his followers vigorously objected to the gasoline control bill on grounds that the government was not quite sure what the measure would do. Some of his provisions were considered very wise.

Col. Harrington advocated economies instead of increased taxation while he fought the Revenue Act, and as a former minister of mines he advised against the Coal Mines Regulation Act because he knew from experience the men resented being coerced in their labor organizations.

Other important measures include an act to validate the appointment of Dalhousie University's Board of Governors and ratify transactions of the board. This legislation was necessary because it was found the board's membership had increased without authority and had lacked legal jurisdiction.

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Four Families Homeless By Fire

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)

CANTERBURY, N. B., May 1.—Four families were made homeless and damage estimated at \$30,000 was caused when fire destroyed a row of modern farm properties on the upper Skiff Lake road, four miles from here, this afternoon. The fire starting in a barn, roared through dry grass from one building to another along the main road, and within an hour and a-half had destroyed houses and other farm buildings owned by William McChilcuddy, Ralph Hamilton, Mrs. Timothy Donovan and Thomas Graham. Several barns owned by Mrs. Thomas English were used, but her home was saved.

Woods at the rear of the English home were on fire late tonight. The strong southwest wind of the afternoon having shifted the flames away from the highway, but as further danger was feared, Chief Scott, Canterbury, was severely burned about the head and hands in successful efforts to save the infant baby of Mrs. Thomas Graham. Mrs. Graham had rushed from her house, forgetting the baby for a moment, but Scott rushed into the blazing home to rescue the child. The historic shrine of St. Francis Assisi was in danger for a time, but the fire fighters managed to beat the flames away from that area, a shift in the wind helping them. Further destruction of farm properties was prevented by heroic efforts of the Canterbury fire brigade, assisted by a large crowd of volunteers.

Publishers Hear Address By Hon. R. J. Manion
 (C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)

TORONTO, May 2.—Canadian publishers today were faced with four fundamental duties, Hon. R. J. Manion told the daily newspaper publishers of Canada at their annual dinner tonight. They must uphold the parliamentary institutions and the parliamentary system which had been built up, correct the system so that the evils of unemployment would vanish, insist on justice to all classes, and do everything in their power to further the cause of peace. The Minister of Railways and Canals in a staccato address touched on democracy, unemployment, the railway problem, debt interest, the implicit in the problem of international relations.

He was introduced by Andrew W. Robb, of Halifax, President of the Canadian Daily Newspaper Association, as a "doctor, soldier, author and statesman," after Henri Gagnon of Quebec Soleil, President of the Canadian Press and chairman of the banquet, had outlined the responsibilities of the organization in providing a complete daily newspaper with a "daily and complete news service" and had expressed the opinion that without this service "democracy in our country would not be possible."

Senators Praise League In Debate
 (C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)

OTTAWA, May 2.—Two members of Canada's Upper House strongly deprecated the suggestion that this country withdraw from the League of Nations when the debate was continued in the Senate this afternoon by the motion of Hon. A. D. McRae, which urged Canada to abandon the League. Senator John S. McLennan of Sydney, N. B., and Senator John Lewis of Toronto both came out in support of the League.

Senator McLennan reviewed the origin, the history and the achievements of the international body, commending its good work over a period of years. During that time the League had accomplished more in the way of preserving peace and averting threatened warfare than had been done during any corresponding period in history.

Nothing that Senator McRae had said seemed to support his resolution, said Mr. Lewis. He shared the disappointment and disillusionment which had come to many since the war. It had been a war to end war, but, as Milton said: "What can war but endless war still breed?"

The consequences of the last conflict had imposed on those responsible for government the consciousness that they must weigh the responsibilities of going into another war. Whether that should be done by way of an election or a referendum he was not prepared to say. However, world conditions did not arise from the operation of the League of Nations. The problems troubling the world had risen before the League was established, said Senator Lewis, and Europe's present condition was not the result of following the League's counsels but of action taken in defiance of them.

been charged twice with criminal offences and had been confined to the Provincial Hospital at St. John with mental trouble for "a little better than two years."

Officers Elected At Annual Meeting
 (C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)

TORONTO, May 2.—Canada will be invited to send eight delegates to the fifth Imperial Press Conference, it was announced at the annual meeting of the Canadian Press Association here today. The conference will be held in the Union of South Africa from May 6 to June 21, 1935.

Details of the trip were explained at today's meeting, held under the chairmanship of J. H. Woods, Editor of the Calgary Herald. There will be a tour of South Africa and Rhodesia, the delegates to be the general Lord Alhouston, Montreal; Preliminary arrangements, for selection of delegates were left in the hands of the executive.

Reports presented at the meeting showed the Canadian section to be in flourishing condition with membership well maintained. The news letter issued monthly and mailed to all members of the Empire Press Association continues to be well received and is doing good service in making Canadian affairs better known in other Empire countries.

Words of appreciation were voiced also of the Australian news letter which is doing a similar service for Australia in Canada and elsewhere. The following officers were elected: Honorary Chairman, Lord Alhouston, Montreal; Star; Chairman, J. F. Woods, Calgary Herald; Honorary Secretary, W. A. Crack, Industrial Canada, Toronto; Executive Committee—representing daily newspapers: J. W. Dafeo, Winnipeg Free Press; Henri Gagnon, Quebec Journal; P. D. Ross, Ottawa Journal; representing weekly newspapers: E. Roy Sayles, Renfrew Mercury; representing trade and class publications—H. T. Hunter, Maclean Publishing Company, Limited, Toronto; Auditor, T. F. Drummond, Saint John Telegraph-Journal.

Representatives on the council of the Empire Press Union: J. H. Woods, Calgary Herald; P. D. Ross, Ottawa Journal; J. W. Dafeo, Winnipeg Free Press; B. O. Nicholas, Victoria Times; J. B. Livesey, General Manager, J. B. Livesey, Kingston, Toronto; W. Rupert Davy, Kingston Whig-Standard; Oswald Maynard, Montreal La Presse; Hon. W. H. Dennis, Halifax Herald; C. F. Crandall, British United Press, Limited, Montreal.

British Company Fixed Prices
 (C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)

QUEBEC, May 2.—It was a British coal company that fixed the prices at which its Canadian agents should sell to Canadian consumers and therefore the five Montreal coal companies convicted of acting in restraint of trade and of having fixed prices detrimental to the public had done nothing illegal, according to Canadian jurisprudence, Aime Geofrin, K.C., of Montreal, submitted before the Court of Appeals today.

His arguments were presented at the second day's hearing of the appeal of the Canadian Import Company, Limited, the British Coal Corporation, the F. P. Weaver Company, and the F. P. Weaver Company, Limited, all Montreal coal firms from a conviction in virtue of the Combines Act and a fine of \$30,000 divided pro rata between them imposed by Mr. Justice Wilfred Lambert, of the Superior Court. Admitting Senator Lorne C. Webster head of the Canadian Import Corp. "did not like competition," Mr. Geofrin said this did not constitute a crime. If it did, he said, all merchants ought to be in prison.

The amount of branded beef sold in Canada during the month of March was 3,890,023 lbs.

BIRTHS

McKENNA—At City Hospital, May 1, 1934, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred McKenna, a daughter.

PROCTOR—At the P. E. Island Hospital on May 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Proctor, City, a son.

DEATHS

MACFARLAN—At the P. E. I. Hospital on Wednesday, May 2, Mrs. Margaret MacFarlan, aged 50 years, wife of the late Alfred MacFarlan. Funeral notice later.

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Witnesses Testify At Jordan Trial
FREDERICTON, N. B., May 2.—Five Crown witnesses testified today after the trial of Gilbert Jordan, 60, opened before Chief Justice J. H. Barry. The accused pleaded not guilty to a charge of murdering Clara Jordan, 45, mother of his four young children who were seated at the front of the Court. Jordan followed the evidence closely and smiled frequently.

Dr. Arthur F. Vanwart, Fredericton, testified that the bullet causing the wound could have been back-inflated. The wound could have been caused by a bullet from a cartridge similar to one exhibited in Court, he said.

The next witness was Lloyd Arnold, neighbor of the Jordans at Barker's Point, where the shooting occurred on March 14. After police had left the scene, he said, he had found, on the floor of the Jordan kitchen, an empty cartridge resembling the one shown in Court. The previous afternoon Jordan had said he "would be under the ground soon showing up in the grass," continued the witness. Cross-examined, Arnold admitted he had

Sentence Will Be Appealed
 (C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)

QUEBEC, May 2.—A stay of execution until July 2 in the case of Nelson Phillips, sentenced to be hanged May 2 for the murder at Gaspé last summer of his cousin, Maud Oscar, was granted here today by Mr. Justice Albert Savigny, Acting Chief Justice of the Superior Court. The conviction and sentence of Phillips will be appealed during the present sitting of the Court of Appeals and judgment expected toward the middle of June. The trial judge was Chief Justice R. A. E. Greenshields, of Montreal.

LATE ARRIVAL WINS CHAMPIONSHIP
 (By The Canadian Press)

DULWICH, England, May 2.—Arriving nearly four minutes late for the start in the Insurance Athletic Association's seven mile walking championship race, L.J. Wells overtook all rivals and finished a minute ahead of the second man.

for the University, which has expanded beyond the visions of those who framed the original acts, will be drafted before the next session of the House.

The last official act of the House was adoption of a resolution asking the Federal government to subsidize pulpwood exports from Nova Scotia to the United Kingdom markets. Attorney General J. H. MacQuarrie, who introduced the resolution, stated exports from the Pacific coast to the Orient were subsidized and declared Nova Scotia operators were entitled to similar subsidies.

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