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Pegged Prices Under Potato Marketing Scheme Will Be First Objective

Administration Of Scheme In This Province Will Be Under Mr. J. J. Trainor, Who Is Appointed Selling Agent.

Pegged prices for potatoes!
This will be one of the measures put into effect within the next few weeks by the Potato Marketing Board of the provinces of Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Ontario under the provisions of the Dominion Marketing Act. Assurance to this effect was given to The Guardian yesterday by Mr. J. J. Trainor, who with Mr. M. G. McNeely leaves this morning for Ottawa to attend a meeting of the newly appointed board.

The board, whose potato marketing scheme was recently approved by Order-in-Council, is following advice received from the Department of Justice with regard to avoidance of conflict with the Combines Act in pegging prices. In each Province a single agent will be appointed for whom every registered dealer in the Province will act as sub-agent. No one will be appointed a sub-agent who is not licensed under the Fruit and Honey Act. The selling agent under the Act for this Province has been appointed in the person of Mr. J. J. Trainor, who will have sole administrative authority. Mr. McNeely's services will be of an advisory nature only. Mr. Trainor has taken an office in the Currie Building, which is now being fitted up and will be ready for occupancy when he returns from Ottawa, which will be not later than Tuesday of next week. The purpose in pegging potato prices, Mr. Trainor explains, is not to exploit the consumer but to insure that the farmer will get at least the price of production. "It is our view," he added, "that it will be better for the farmer to sell half his crop at cost of production than to handle it all at a very heavy loss. This is one of the first objectives which the board has in view. We hope to put it into effect early in February."

Mr. Trainor also made it clear that it is the intention to put the new grading regulations into effect simultaneously with the Potato Marketing Act. Farmers are cautioned, therefore, not to grade potatoes in advance as they may have to be re-graded under the Act. Dealers also are warned that any stock on hand will have to be graded to comply with the new regulations. One of the advantages of establishing a single selling agency in each Province will be uniformity of quotations.

Mounted Police Unearth Huge Smuggling Ring

Illegal Importation Of Furs From Newfoundland Being Investigated By R. C. M. P.

(Canadian Press)
The R. C. M. P. have unearthed a gigantic fur smuggling ring operating throughout the Dominion, particularly in the Maritime Provinces, with headquarters at Halifax and importing furs from Newfoundland. Some weeks ago the R.C.M.P. officers discovered a large cargo of furs in a steamer which docked at Charlottetown. Examination of the furs revealed that they had been shipped from Newfoundland and that no duty had been paid on them. The police had received a tip from St. John's, Nfld., that the furs were on board but they had a difficult time in finding them, searching the ship several times before they finally located them. They were found hidden in a specially constructed double floor, neatly packed. In other cases the police opened coffins supposedly containing bodies for burial which were being transported via steamer and train and found them to contain smuggled furs. Seal, fox and mink are the principal furs concerned. The police are now investigating the recipients in Montreal, the distribution centers for Canada. A number of Montreal furrers are said to be included in a list of those summoned for questioning.

Will Not Visit British Guiana

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
GEORGETOWN, British Guiana, Jan. 22.—The Duke and Duchess of Kent will not include British Guiana in their West Indies tour, Colonial Secretary Sir C. D. Douglas-Jones was informed today in an official message from London. The liner on which the royal couple sail will not call at any port in the South American colony.

Oddfellows Home Receives \$500

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
PICTOU, N. S., Jan. 22.—The Maritime Oddfellows' home at Pictou received \$500 from the estate of the late John J. MacKinnon of

JUDGE MURRAY RETURNS FROM MURDER TRIAL

Nova Scotia Jurist Not Impressed With Legal Procedure In American Courts.

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
HALIFAX, Jan. 22.—Judge R. H. Murray of the Halifax County Court, just returned from attending the Hauptmann murder trial at Flemington, N. J., told today what he thought of the American criminal system and the coverage of the trial by some American newspapers—and his remarks could not be construed as flattery. A large number of publications in the United States were simply guilty of "contempt of court" in forecasting the ultimate result of the trial, Judge Murray said at a club luncheon.

He condemned public utterances of counsel, "not to say that he felt he was prejudicial to the interests of the prisoner. While justice was dispensed inside the little courthouse souvenir hunters scooped up handfuls of wood from the courthouse grounds, and during the recesses shipped pieces of wood from the judge's and witnesses' chairs. There was no dearth of newspapers and their facilities for calling the world about the trial. There were three cable connections, 65 transmitters, 350 operators, 75 telegraph operators, 20

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BULGARIAN CABINET RESIGNS

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
SOFIA, Bulgaria, Jan. 22.—Premier Kimon Gueorguev, Bulgaria's dictator for less than nine months, resigned today as King Boris moved suddenly and swiftly to take the reins of power into his own hands. In what foreign observers described as an "energetic gesture" to regain control of the regime, Boris accepted the resignations of the entire Gueorguev Cabinet. A section of the Bulgarian army emerged at the top of Bulgaria's political whirlpool as the King appointed General Zlateff, Minister of War, Premier. Zlateff placed three officers in his hastily formed Cabinet.

Reilly Makes Unexpected Move In Hauptmann Case

(By John Ferris)
(Associated Press Staff Writer)
(A.P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 22.—New Jersey witnesses against Bruno Richard Hauptmann placed him near the scene of the Lindbergh baby kidnapping today and sought to trace the kidnap ladder to his hands. It was a day of swiftly moving testimony, but not swift enough to stop a sudden defence attempt to cast doubt on the state's identification of Hauptmann as the ransom taker.

In an unexpected coup, Edward J. Reilly, chief of Hauptmann's counsel, brought out that a plaster cast was made of a footprint found in the Bronx cemetery where the \$50,000 ransom changed hands. Not a bit perturbed by the objections of Attorney General David T. Wilentz, Reilly then moved to use reports on the cast and the word of the state's own witness to show it was not Hauptmann's footprint. He let it be known also that he wants a phonograph record—that record that federal agent Thomas H. Sisk said had been made of Dr. John F. "Jafise" Jackson's imitation of the ransom taker's voice. Condon has said that "John," the ransom taker of St. Raymond's cemetery, was Hauptmann.

Mr. Craig came here half a century ago and set up business with his brother, the late John J. Craig. He had been in retirement for some time. Charlottetown, it was announced today. After 25 years as Grand Secretary of the organization, Mr. MacKinnon left the institution he gave this amount.

Three Brothers Drowned Off Nfld. Coast

(C. P. Cable By Guardian's Special Wire)
ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Jan. 22.—Searchers combed the seashore at Ross Beach, on the south coast of Newfoundland tonight, for the bodies of three brothers drowned when heavy sea swamped their fishing dory close to land. Heavily clothed, the three sons of James Courtney of Rose Blanche disappeared almost immediately when their boat was overturned today within sight of their home. Watchers on shore were powerless to help the young fishermen as the waves swept them into the sea. The three victims were Fred Courtney, 20; Oliver Courtney, 24; and Norman Courtney, 28. They were all single.

OFFICIALS OF T. EATON CO. ON STAND

Deny Knowledge Pressure Brought to Bear On Girls To Speed Up Production.

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
OTTAWA, Jan. 22.—The Royal Commission on Mass Buying is worried by repetition of evidence already presented, it was indicated today. Day after day for the past week it has heard witness after witness present evidence for and against the working conditions in the factories of the T. Eaton Co. in Toronto, and the end of not yet. The commission is hopeful the Eaton phase of the probe may end tomorrow.

Clashes were frequent today between Chairman W. W. Kennedy and various counsel. The chairman was warmly greeted by M. Bullen, appearing for certain former employees of Eaton's factory F-8, going over the same ground again and again in his cross-examination. He had no wish to choke off the evidence but he objected to the commission's time being wasted in wearing some repetitions of testimony that had already been embalmed in the record not once but many times, he said. "I don't think we should ever have started this thing," commented Commissioner Sam Factor. "What thing?" he was asked. "The investigation, I mean."

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CHANGE OF MENU PROMISED PRISONERS

Threat To Riot In Halifax City Prison Results In Better Fare For Inmates.

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
HALIFAX, Jan. 22.—A plot for rioting in city prison—because the prisoners disliked porridge for supper—was abandoned today for a conference which resulted in the promise of a changed menu. Word passed from prisoner to prisoner along the jail corridors last night that if porridge were served for supper tonight it would be thrown to the faces of the guards and a general riot of the 47 prisoners would follow. As prison authorities heard of the intended outbreak, swift action was taken to quell any disturbance. Fire hoses were directed to hydrants during the day, and a squad of city policemen commanded by three sergeants patrolled the prison as the zero hour approached. Today happened to be inspection day and Mayor E. J. Craig and his city prison committee were on hand as inmates were lined up for roll call just before supper. At that time, Governor George Grant stated that if any prisoner had any grievance he was at liberty to make it known. There were seven in all. Speaking for the "whole gang," one stepped forward and said: "I object to having porridge for supper; but, outlining a meal schedule that appeared more satisfactory, he recommended the prisoners be given porridge for breakfast Sunday instead of beans; hash some other time during the week instead of Sunday night; and when they had stew, the meat should not be given to a few and the water remain to the rest. After a hard day's work, he pointed out, porridge would not stay in their stomachs.

Other demands asked for better general conditions, improved medical attention and more reading material. One prisoner complained his clothes were damp the last time he was released from prison, and he was ill for several weeks following. This led one prisoner to ask his clothes be returned to him two days before his release so he could "get them in proper shape." An English war veteran asked that aid be given him in his request for deportation to the Old Country. Soon afterward, prisoners returned to their cells, apparently feeling better after having aired their grievances, and the police guard retired. Meanwhile the prison committee was in session. Mayor Craig pointed out there had been no complaint of ill treatment, abuse, hunger or of being cold. The entire matter was in relation to the schedule of meals, he said. Steps were taken to revise the various menus.

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Liberal Leader's Insincerity Seen From Past Record

Prime Minister Charges Mr. King, Among Other Things, With Misrepresenting Unemployment Conditions—Liberals Seek To Close Debate.

(Canadian Press, by Guardian's Special Wire)
OTTAWA, Jan. 22.—Premier R. B. Bennett told the House of Commons today there is no general demand throughout the country for an election. With the despatching of his followers sounding in his ears, he defended the administrative record of his government and repeated his intention of introducing reform legislation to cure social and economic distress. The Prime Minister's words were interpreted in some quarters as indicating a late summer or fall election and seemed to end reports the government would go to the people in April or May.

For an hour and a half today, continuing the speech he opened last night, Mr. Bennett assailed the Liberals for not passing reform legislation when they were in office and pledged his government to free Canada "from the irregularities and inequities that have grown up under the (capitalistic) system."

James S. Woodsworth, leader of the C. P. group congratulated both Liberals and Conservatives "on seeing the light." The reform legislation of the government, he said, would be welcomed but it covered only the fringe of the difficulties. "Capitalism still stands as a menace to the people of our country and the world," he said, adding that a combination of democracy and socialism was the only lasting solution.

When the two party leaders took their seats, there were indications the debate would end later tonight. The Liberals withdrew from the list of speakers as soon as Hon. Mackenzie King, their leader, finished last night, leaving only one or two Conservatives and a like number of Progressives. At the outset of his speech, the Prime Minister declared.

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
OTTAWA, Jan. 22.—Complete vindication of Senator H. J. Logan in a law suit of the Government to recover \$71,000 reparation money paid to the skipper direct for loss of his vessel off the Irish coast in 1918. The claim was paid on the submission to the Canadian Reparation Commissioner in 1920 that the vessel was destroyed by a torpedo; but the Government now contends she was lost in a storm. The evidence of defence with

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ALL QUIET IN MINING TOWN

Police Reinforcements Ready To Prevent Further Disorders.

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
PORT HOOD, N. S., Jan. 22.—All was quiet in this colliery town tonight as Royal Canadian Mounted Police reinforcements stood ready to prevent further disorders among the miners, who flooded the boilers yesterday, looked a watchman in the office and kept underground men from entering the pit. Deputy minister of mines Norman MacKenzie arrived from Halifax to meet the rival groups with a view to settling the dispute about management of the colliery. The colliery was re-opened two years ago by Captain J. F. Symons of the Inverness. Last wages amounting to \$3,000 were not paid the miners placed a lien on the property and obtained permission from the provincial department of mines to work the pit under management representing the operator. Yesterday one faction attempted to install P. J. MacKay of Inverness as manager and when manager W. E. Stewart of Sydney Mines refused to make way for him a number of men doused the boiler fires. A watchman was locked in the office and was freed only after manager Stewart had broken down the door. The fires were rebuilt today, and with police from Inverness, Sydney, North Sydney and Sydney Mines on the scene no further trouble was feared.

Senator Meighen Asks For Inquiry Into His Conduct

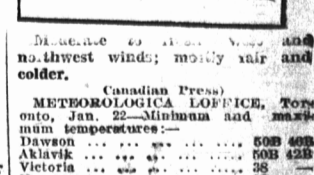
(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
OTTAWA, Jan. 22.—Senator Arthur Meighen invited any member of the Upper Chamber tonight to move for the appointment of a committee of the Senate to investigate his conduct as a member of the Ontario Hydro Commission. If the motion were made, he would support it and appear before the committee, he said. If this move were not made he would treat the committee as a member of the Ontario Hydro Commission, which it deserved "which is nothing."

He read correspondence with Premier E. B. Bennett asking that Chief Justice Sir Lyman Duff proceed with the enquiry under the commission issued before the Latchford-Smith Commission. The Prime Minister had replied he saw no necessity for a further enquiry. The interchange of letters was dated this month.

GYPSUM QUEEN CASE CONTINUES

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After all there's no place like home maybe that's why we stay away from it!

ANNOUNCEMENTS COMING EVENTS MEETINGS, ETC

- **Shooting in Wheatley River Rink tonight. L-3748
- **Poultry! George Lightner Co. next Queen Hotel, buying dressed Chicken and Fowl until March. L-3046-tf.
- **Cake Sales in aid of Prince Edward Island Hospital will start Saturday, February 2nd. L-3706-1-22-31.
- **Dr. Lacoustere, Dentist, will be in Murray River January 24th and 25th. L-8784-1-23-11.
- **Borden Rink tonight, Tip Top League, Tryon vs. Albany, 8 P. M. One hour skating. L-3746
- **Hokey, East Royalty, tonight—Bradley Rovers vs. All Sports. L-3747
- **Cornwall at York Rink Tuesday night. Prizes for best costumes. If not fine, Wednesday. L-3733-1-23-11
- **Loyalist Greenhorns vs. Brackley Rovers at Milton Rink tonight. L-3750
- **Cornwall vs. Spring Park, Cornwall Rink tonight. Skating after game. L-3736
- **Hokey at Marshfield Rink tonight, Dunstaffnage Juniors vs. school team. Skate after. L-3753.
- **Whist and Dance in Iona Hall, Wednesday, January 23rd. Admission 20 cents. Lunch served. L-3711-1-22-21.
- **Will be unloading cars of coal at Milton Station today and Wednesday. Mimer Proude. L-3794-1-22-21
- **York Central Rink, Thursday night, Dunstaffnage vs. York Central. First league game. Skate after. L-3744
- **The annual meeting of St. Paul's Church Congregation will be held Monday evening, February 4th at 7.30 in the Parish Hall. L-3749
- **The Rummage Sale at the Salvation Army is postponed until Friday, February, 1st. Collections will be made next week. L-3752-1-22-21
- **The East Royalty Dramatic Club presents "George in a Jam" in Hearty Memorial Hall, Thursday, January 24th, at 8.15 p.m. L-3755
- **We will be loading live hogs Thursday, January 24th, at Kensington. Paying top market prices. H. S. McEwen and Oliver Campbell. L-3725-1-22-21
- **Annual meeting Kensington Shipping Club will be held in King George Hall, Friday afternoon, Jan. 25 at 1 o'clock sharp. All members requested to attend. John R. Sharp, Secy. L-3754
- **In order to live comfortably in later years, one must save money for that purpose. We have an ideal method. Why not investigate. Ask J. A. Moore, Manager, Sun Life. L-3919-tf
- **League game at Sea View Rink tonight, Wednesday, French Rivka vs. Sea View. Hour skate after game. Admission 10 cents. L-3730-1-23-11
- **Annual meeting Hunter River Shipping Club will be held in New Glasgow Hall Friday afternoon, Jan. 25 at 1 o'clock sharp. S. D. Irvine of the Dominion Livestock Branch will be present and address the meeting. Russell Nicholson, Secy. L-3754
- **Livestock Marketing Board loading during week of January 28th as follows: Monday afternoon, Elmira; Tuesday afternoon, Souris, Murray River, Ulge, Millville; Wednesday until 10 o'clock, North Wiltshire, Hunter River, Albany and Kensington until noon. Hunter River taking hogs Tuesday afternoon, if seeing hogs Tuesday afternoon, if seeing hogs Tuesday afternoon, if seeing hogs Tuesday afternoon. Please list early. L-3745

CANTONING DEFEATS ACADIA

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KENTVILLE, N. S., Jan. 22.—Making a sensational come-back, Cantoning Habitués defeated Acadia University 8-7 in overtime play here tonight giving the fans one of the most exciting finishes in Annapolis Valley League hockey this season. Miller Rogers, tricky forward of the Cantoning, was credited with the winning goal.