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CITIZENS WILL APPEAL TO MILITIA DEPARTMENT

Growers Urged to Discount Depression Rumors

Extradition Case Is Resumed

Evidence Concluded Yesterday Before His Honor Judge Inman Who Will Deliver Judgment On Wednesday.

The extraordinary case of the State of Massachusetts against Mr. Major Clark was resumed on Friday morning before His Honor Judge Inman at the Court House in Summerside, when the accused gave evidence in his own behalf.

Mr. Clark, being sworn, said that he left Cambridge, Mass., on May 18th, 1928, accompanying his mother's remains home to Hamilton, Lot 18, for burial.

His sister paid his fare and the funeral expenses. He had a return ticket to Boston, and after staying on the Island about two weeks he was turned back by the United States immigration officials, and told that he must have his head tax paid and passport papers made out, the total fees for same being \$18. He had only twenty five cents with him besides his ticket.

When he returned to St. John, N. B., where he was sent by the officials, he wired to his brother in Boston for money. The first night he spent in St. John in the Police Station and after that the Salvation Army kept him as he had no funds. As no money arrived from his brother in Boston, he applied to another brother who lives at Borden, who sent him \$4 for his fare from St. John to Borden. Since then he obtained a number of odd jobs at Kensington and Summerside, as a carpenter, but only made enough to keep himself and to send several small amounts, whenever he could do so, to his wife at Cambridge, and also for the support

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

**Reserve May 22nd. for Play in Marshfield Hall. 3764-5-11-11.

**Pantry and apron sale, May 18th, Christian Church schoolroom. 3780

**Mt. Stewart, Wednesday. Thrilling show. Prize given for lucky ticket. 3773-5-11-11.

**Dr. Cliff, M. D.—Start now home prevention cure, Purdy Station, Westchester Co., N. Y., U. S. A. 5078-6-12-3 mos.

**Buying Hogs at Emerald, Tuesday afternoon, May 14th. Everett Haslam 3772-5-11-11.

**Buying live hogs at Kensington Tuesday forenoon of each week. Alden Moase. 4957-3-satmontf.

**Kensington T. S. S. Club leading Hogs Wednesday of each week till noon. John A. Douglas, Secretary. 7042-3-16-satmontf.

**Prince Edward Island Hospital nurses graduation Tuesday, May 14th at 8 p. m., in St. Paul's Parish Hall. A fine program. Admission 25c. 3779

**Hope River, Monday, May 13. Come to concert of the junior talent. Excellent program. Sale of candy. 3781-5-11-21

**The Cornwall Young Peoples Society will present their play, "Go Slow Mary," in Hunter River, May 18th. Admission 35 & 25. Specialties between acts. 3782

**This afternoon is the cake sale at Fatons in aid of the King's Daughters, St. Pauls Church, 3762-5-11-11.

CHLORINE GAS PROVES FATAL

(Canadian Press)
SYRACUSE, N. Y. May 10—James Carlisle, 35, employee in the Solvay Process Co., a subsidiary of the Allied Chemical and Dye Corporation, died in a hospital shortly after noon today from the effects of chlorine gas which flooded the Solvay district, after the explosion of a nine thousand gallon tank early this morning. A fellow employee, Charles Nel, 34, was in a serious condition from the same cause.

of another child by his first wife, who was being looked after by his sister.

Mr. Clark wrote his wife to come with their child to P. E. Island but she alleges that she refused to do so. Asked by counsel on behalf of the United States, in cross examination, why he did not send the money to bring his wife and child to the Island he replied that he did not have enough money, but he would have tried to borrow it if he could have obtained her promise that she would join him and live on the Island, his native place, as he could live cheaper here and would support them as best he could. He did not make another attempt to return to the United States as he thought it was useless.

Claims Malpeque as Birthplace

Mr. Clark said he was born at Malpeque and, although residing in the United States for fifteen years, he had never taken out his naturalization papers and remained a British subject. He would much prefer to live on his native soil than in the land across the border. He testified that during the Great War he had

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FIRE TAKES TOLL OF FORTY- TWO LIVES

(Canadian Press)
MEXICO CITY, May 10—Forty children and two adults are reported to have perished in a forest fire which destroyed the village of Xochilapa, in the state of Guerrero on Wednesday. The fire engulfed the village shortly before dawn and most of the victims were burned in their beds and hundreds of villagers were burned out of their homes.

The Cavendish Dramatic Club will present their play "The Road Back" in Clifton Hall, May 13th. If not fine, the 14th. 3769-5-11-11.

Grand lecture in Stanley hall on Thursday evening, May 16th, by Mr. Thomas Hiscoth, Sr., subject, "A life on the ocean." If not fine Friday. 3787-5-11-41.

Concert and box social in Rose Valley Hall, Tuesday, May 14th. Come and hear the Buckle-Busters of Crapaud. If not fine, Wednesday. 3740-5-10-21

The Corran Bann Dramatic Club presents their three act comedy "The Irish Millionaire" in drama "The Irish Millionaire" in Corran Bann Hall, Friday, May 17. Ladies please bring pies. 3734-3-10-51

Notice.—As we are making a slight change in our method of Book-keeping we would request each of our customers to kindly call up our office before June 10th, and have their accounts adjusted. Harold S. McLeod, Vernon River. 3761-3-11-11.

IS SECRETARY



Rev. Dr. K. B. Cochrane, pastor of Augustine United Church, Winnipeg, and former minister of College Street United Church, Toronto, who has been appointed secretary of home mission board of United Church of Canada.

THE KING DISSOLVES PARLIAMENT

Prorogation Took Place Shortly After Noon Yesterday Following Which His Majesty Signed the Proclamation Dissolving Parliament.

(Special to The Guardian)
LONDON, May 10—The British parliament was prorogued shortly after noon today, following reading by the Lord Chancellor of the King's speech from the throne. King George signed the proclamation dissolving parliament, immediately after word that the House of Commons had been prorogued had been received over an open telephone from parliament. The proceedings occupied only a few minutes.

The dissolution was preliminary to holding of the general elections May 30, and for most of the members of the Commons ended a full five year term in the English legislative body. Inasmuch as it was constitutionally impossible to dissolve the parliament until after prorogation, arrangements were made whereby Sir Maurice Hankey, clerk of the Privy Council, could rush from Bognor, where the King is recuperating from his long illness, back to London, with the signed proclamation of dissolution. The Lord Chancellor then announced in the House of Lords that parliament was prorogued until May 24.

The King's speech touched on all political matters but more particularly on the recent preparatory disarmament conference at Geneva. The Privy Council at Bognor was the first which the king had held since the historic meeting at Buckingham Palace during the early days of His Majesty's illness, when he appointed councillors of state to act for him.

With the dissolution of parliament the campaign for the general election will now enter on its most active stage. On May 20th the nominations will close and on May 30 Great Britain will go to the polls to elect a new government.

THREE KILLED

HANOVER, Mass., May 10—Three persons were killed and several others injured today in a series of explosions at the plant of the National Fire Works Company in West Hanover.

Vigorous Protest Unanimously Passed Against Camp Change

Strong Resolution Adopted At Last Night's Meeting Against Proposed Removal Of Local Militia Camp To Nova Scotia.

At a meeting of the Retail Merchants' Association and citizens held last night, a strongly worded resolution against the transference of the annual militia camp, customarily held in this city, to Aldershot, N.S., was carried unanimously. The importance of Empire shopping week, which begins on May 25th was brought to the notice of the meeting by Major T. E. MacNutt, and appropriate action taken. It was also decided to hold the customary summer half holidays on Wednesdays during July and August, beginning the first Wednesday in July.

The President, Mr. W. A. Stewart, occupied the chair, and opened the meeting. There was an interesting discussion on the main question under consideration, namely, the removal of the militia camp to Aldershot for training this season.

Condemns Proposal

Mr. George E. Hughes said that the citizens and people were much surprised at the decision of the Council of the Board of Trade, in voting down a resolution protesting against the camp going to Aldershot. This camp means an expenditure of \$15,000 per year in the province, and it looks as though we would lose this in future, and also our identity in a military sense. Citizens could not stand by and see this injustice brought about. Parents came into the city to see their sons at drill and in training. If the camp is removed, it will lessen the interest of the people in military matters. Our Island soldiers, as shown by their records both in war and in peace, have proven themselves to be the equals, if not the superiors of any in Canada. Our men are worthy of having our identity in things military, preserved.

He was sorry the room was not crowded tonight. All should be here to express their views and send a strong resolution to our representatives and senators. Our local government, too, should take an interest in the matter.

We are losing our identity in this province, and the first thing we know, the Federal grant to the exhibition will be cut off, and we will be asked to send our exhibits to Halifax. We have a class "A" exhibition, and have received \$5,000 for this reason.

For the last four years attempts have been made to move the camp but hitherto they have failed. He controverted the reasons given in the press for this move. A prominent military man had said that the argument that the men would receive better training, was no argument at all.

A second argument was that the range was out of condition. Even if it were, this was a matter to be remedied by the Department of Militia at Ottawa.

Then there is the argument that they would not have enough officers at headquarters to attend both camps which were being held at once. But why could they not hold our camp later?

He felt that there was great danger of our losing our shooting range here altogether.

In the face of this, we should enter our strong protest against this, and call upon our representatives at Ot-

ELECTED



Prof. R. B. Thomson, professor of plant morphology at the University of Toronto, who has been elected president of the Royal Canadian Institute.

PROROGATION ABOUT JUNE FIFTEENTH

Much Uncertainty As to When Canadian Parliament Will Conclude Work of Present Session.

(From our own Correspondent)

OTTAWA, Ont., May 10.—This afternoon Public Works estimates for New Brunswick and Quebec held the floor and with few exceptions items passed quickly and with little opposition, after they were still under consideration. In reply to a question the Hon. Mr. Cardin ventured the statement that under the proposed U. S. tariff the fisheries would not be materially affected.

Present arrangements for the payment of reparations, of arrears and amounts received to date will be laid on the table of the house as soon as possible, said the prime minister, Right Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, in the House of Commons today, replying to a request by Hon. H. H. Stevens, Conservative, Vancouver-Centre. The attention of the premier had been drawn by Mr. Stevens to a Canadian Press cable from Paris, which declared that "the absence of direct representation for the dominions at the present conference is considered by the British delegation as all the greater reason for not yielding on the question of the dominion's share of German reparations. The delegation is practically certain to reject that phase of the Young proposal which would reduce the German payments to the dominions to zero."

A very strenuous day was spent in the committee on agriculture and colonization. The Hon. T. A. Crerar, former minister of agriculture and a number of western experts were under examination. Grading and mixing were the desiderata and whatever conclusions were arrived at by the committee it is almost certain that the whole question will be reopened on the floor of the house because there is nothing upon which western members are more divided than upon what ought to be done in order to make a perfect grain act.

At present predictions are made that prorogation will take place about the fifteenth of June. Nothing could be more uncertain. It is understood that important announcements will be made on Monday as the result of caucuses on the U. S. tariff proposals and the exchange situation which is regarded as serious.

OTTAWA, Ont., May 10.—With little discussion the House of Commons approved the few remaining

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Potato Market Is Felt Hopeful

ACCEPTANCE OF PLAN FORECAST

(Special to The Guardian)
PARIS, May 10—Acceptance of the Owen D. Young compromise reparations plan was forecast as the conference of reparations experts neared the end of their deliberations this afternoon. A meeting of the four principal creditor powers—France, England, Belgium and Italy was called at 3 p. m. In the British committee it was asserted that the delegation's acceptance of the Young plan still held good despite the protest of Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in the House.

OTTAWA, May 10.—The outstanding feature of the annual meeting, Canadian Council of Girl Guides yesterday was the presentation to Her Excellency the Viscountess Willingdon of a council pin in gold. Her Excellency attended the meeting and was interested in the proceedings. Mrs. H. D. Warren, Chief Commissioner of Canada, made the presentation.

This was the opinion expressed by Messrs. J. Lester Douglas, Frank Clarke of Clarke Bros., and Mr. M.G. McNeely, Provincial manager of the Harris Abattoir Company, Ltd. They were firmly convinced that if the potatoes remaining are marketed in an orderly fashion and not crowded into consuming markets except as ordered, not only would present prices be maintained but there was a good chance to realize even better prices before the close of the season. These firms stated that they were receiving orders regularly but that considerable potatoes were going into consuming markets not carefully graded and often on consignment. These potatoes were breaking down the market and making the dealers at these points afraid to buy for shipment for fear that by the time their purchases arrived they would be against a competition of these consigned cars which would be sold for whatever they would bring on their arrival, with no respect whatever to the cost of the product.



U. S. Official Report

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**Island Producers
Advised To Discount
Depression Rumors
And Go Easy During Next
Few Days.**

Interviewed by The Guardian yesterday with respect to the potato situation, a number of prominent local shippers stated emphatically that there was no justification for the pessimism expressed recently in the clean-up of the small quantity of potatoes still on the growers' hands in Prince Edward Island. While some shippers did not care to express a definite opinion as to the outcome, others declared that there was as good an opportunity for the market to advance during the next couple of weeks as there was for it to go to pieces, and that the surest way of bringing about demoralization was to rush the few potatoes to market within the next two or three days.

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