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HALIFAX, March 23 (CP) — It is planned to put all Halifax restaurants on a rating system as soon as possible. Dr. A. R. Morton, city health commissioner, reported recently.

ronizing the cleaner restaurants. The system would be introduced as soon as the health department's current restaurant improvement program reached a suitable stage.

SUTTON HOO, Suffolk, England (CP) — A 1,200-year-old harp, discovered by archaeologists in 1936, was pieced together and played at a meeting of the Society of Antiquaries.

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LITTLE THEATRE GUILD active members attention! Studio party Wednesday, March 24. Empire Theatre, 8 p.m. Use side door of Market Building.

FROM VANCOUVER — Dr. and Mrs. W.H. Soper will arrive home this evening by plane after spending a pleasant vacation in Vancouver.

COMING FOR EASTER — Two Mount Allison University girls, Miss Lorna Creelman and Miss Mary Tuck will arrive home on Thursday evening to spend the Easter holidays at Dr. and Mrs. P.A. Creelman's.

SORORITY MEETING — The regular weekly meeting of the Phi Kappa Sorority was held at the home of Jean Moore on Monday evening March 22 with the president in the chair. A very interesting and instructive Bible quiz was conducted by the program committee. At the close of the meeting a dainty lunch was served by the hostess.

HOLMAN-KEELER NUPTIALS — Mr. B. Roy Holman, former Mayor of Charlottetown, was married in Toronto on Saturday evening to Mrs. B.M. Keeler of this city. The wedding was attended by a number of out-of-town guests, including Mr. Holman's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B.C. Howard of Sherbrooke, Quebec.

LEAVE FOR NEW YORK — Mr. H. J. Kennedy, president of the Exhibition Association, and Mrs. Kennedy, left for New York yesterday morning where Mr. Kennedy will meet his brother, Wilfred Kennedy, arriving from Johannesburg, South Africa. Mr. Kennedy has been absent from the Province for many years and is now one of the prominent men of the gold and diamond mining city. He is expected to visit this province and various other parts of Canada before returning to South Africa.

SUCCESSFUL CARD PARTY — The auction forty-five card party held at the Legion Home last night, sponsored by the Charlottetown Branch of the Canadian Legion to raise funds for cigarettes, magazines, etc., for war veterans in the City hospitals and Sanatorium, went over with its usual success, when members and guests gathered around 15 tables in the evening's play. The following are last night's prize winners: Ladies: 1. Mrs. Percy Carr; 2. Mrs. A. Ford; Men's: 1. Mr. Mike Robinson; 2. Mr. H. A. Ebers; Door prize, Mr. S. A. Weatherbie; Consolation prize, Miss Marjorie Griffith and Mrs. A. Ford; Freezout prizes, Mr. Vernon Gay and Mrs. Loreta Martin.

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Frank York, 27, Oak Ridges, Ont., well-digger, crashed 26 feet to his death after rescuers had brought him to within a foot of the top of a well into which he tumbled and was impaled on the handles of a drilling pipe. A fellow worker said that Page's foot had slipped from the windlass cable. Above Les Bell holds the cable from which the dead man fell.

NEW LIQUOR

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parties divided on the issue. The new bill provides for the elimination of doctors' prescriptions insofar as the general sale of liquor is concerned, but makes no change in the quantity of spirits or beer which may be purchased at the present time under the six months' script system. It provides stiffer penalties for violation of the act, both on the part of the public and of employees of liquor stores in selling any applicant more than the amount legally purchasable. These clauses, however, were amended in committee to conform with the old Prohibition Act, on motions of Messrs. R. R. Bell and D. L. Matheson.

Sorny Amendment

Storm centre of the debate in committee was on Mr. MacKinnon's amendment to bring the new Temperance Act into effect before the holding of the Plebiscite.

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Hon. A. W. Matheson asked who had promised that.

Mr. Saville: "We Liberals. It is in our platform."

Mr. Matheson: "I didn't have anything at all to do with it."

Mr. Saville: "You think a platform is only something to get in on?" (Laughter).

Mr. MacKinnon and Mr. H. H. Cox maintained it would be a good thing to give the new Temperance Act a trial for three months before the Plebiscite was held, then the people would know what they were voting on. The bill had been favorably commented on by even the strongest Prohibition members.

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Grains Firmer At Winnipeg

WINNIPEG, March 23 (CP)—All grains showed a firmer trend today on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange. Cattle prices advanced on good shipper and processor buying, while commission houses demand contributed to fair gains in barley. Offerings in coarse grains dried up on the upturns.

Dealings in rye futures were more active than in previous sessions, with American interests active in the May future, while July trading also increased in volume. All months scored substantial gains.

Class two wheat prices increased one cent from yesterday. Cash prices: Oats: 2 CW 81 1-8; Ex 3 CW 73 7-8; 3 CW 75 7-8; Ex 1 feed 71 7-8; 1 feed 73 7-8; 2 feed 70 1-8; 3 feed 66 1-8; track 73 7-8.

Barley: 1 CW 6-row 1.23 3-8; 2 C W 6-row 1.22 3-8; 1 CW 2-row 1.18 3-8; 2 CW 2-row 1.18 3-8; 3 CW 6-row 1.18 3-8; 1 feed 1.07 3-8; 2 feed 1.05 7-8; 3 feed 99 7-8; track 1.07 1-8; 2 CW yellow 1.14 3-8; 3 CW 1.10 3-8.

Rye: 1 CW 4.25; 2 CW 4.25; 3 CW 4.20; rej 2 CW 3.60; 4 CW 3.60; track 4.03.

EXTEND BILL TO

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late April or early May. So far, his time has been taken up by emergency Government legislation before Parliament.

Justice Minister Isley said the Government had not yet decided whether to appeal last week's acquittal of 18 dental supply firms charged with violating the Combines Act.

As the tax legislation won approval, Mr. Abbott reported "marked downward trend" in Canadian sales of cars and radios in January and February as a result of the tax and said this meant "substantial savings" in United States dollars. The levy is part of the Government's dollar-saving program launched Nov. 18.

For example, sales of motor cars dropped from \$14,584,093 in December to \$10,888,913 in January and \$8,970,820 in February while sales of radios covering the same months, went down from \$1,990,074 to \$786,742 and \$714,239.

Opposed Bill

Before the agriculture bill was given third reading, John Bracken, Progressive Conservative leader, reiterated his party's opposition to adding the words "unless otherwise provided for in regulations made under this Act."

Where the holder of a permit violates any of the provisions of the Act, or is otherwise disqualified, the Commission, in its discretion, may suspend all rights of the holder thereunder for such period as the Commission sees fit, or may cancel it altogether.

The magistrate before whom any permit holder is convicted for a violation of any of the provisions of the Act may also cancel the permit or suspend it for a period not exceeding one month.

Administration

Stiff penalties are provided against employees in vendors' stores selling liquor to persons under age or interdicted persons, in which cases they are liable for first offense, to imprisonment with hard labor, for one to three months.

The Bill provides that the Commission shall make reports "to the Minister of Public Works, for the time being charged with the administration of this Act"; that it shall make report "to the Attorney General, charged with the enforcement of this Act," etc. It must make a full financial report to the Government, which must be laid before the Legislature. The books and records of the Commission shall at all times be subject to examination and audit by the provincial auditor.

The bill also makes provision for holding a provincial Plebiscite on Monday, June 28, "to ascertain the approval or otherwise of the Prohibition Act by a majority of persons qualified to vote thereat."

Each person qualified to vote at a provincial election for Assembly shall be entitled to cast one ballot only. The plebiscite shall be conducted "as nearly as possible, mutatis mutandis, in the manner provided for the holding of Provincial general elections, the polls to remain open from 1 p.m. until 9 p.m."

At Last Moment

When the bill had been moved into committee Hon. Dr. MacMillan asked why this important legislation had been brought in at this late date. It should have been before the House weeks ago. "It was only given first reading a few hours ago and we have had to suspend the rules of the House so today you can get it into committee today," he said. "Legislation of as much importance as this should be given due and proper consideration, and I submit that it is a poor policy and a poor principle to have it introduced at the present time with the evident purpose of having it railroaded through in the dying hours of this session."

Premier Jones said he had not been able to get the bill into shape before. "It is not much different from what you have had," he said.

Dr. MacMillan: "I suppose it was left until today for a purpose."

Premier Jones: "Oh, no." Dr. MacMillan: "No! That would be verifiable."

OTTAWA WILL

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action by the Lieutenant-Governor.

Mr. Isley made up his mind that while the Justice Department had interfered with provincial legislation in other provinces — particularly Alberta where efforts repeatedly have been made to introduce a new and freakish economic system — he was keeping hands off Prince Edward Island organized labor.

The C.C.F. the Labor (Communist) Progressives and other left-wing organizations have charged that workers on the Island were being turned into "second class Canadians" by this amendment to the Provincial Trade Union Act.

In refusing to interfere — and there has been tremendous pressure on the Government to do so — Mr. Isley clearly indicated the Justice Department did not go along with any such charges from the left.

DECLARES RUSSIA

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American forces of "international reaction" are trying to stir up enmity against Russia.

"They will never succeed" he declared.

Panyushkin said the phrase "Iron Curtain" was "two little catchwords put into circulation by the light hand of Goebbels and later picked up by Churchill."

He said, however, in an address prepared for delivery at a dinner meeting of the National Council of American-Soviet Friendship:

"It is not the Soviet Union, but certain circles from the camp of international reaction, which are well known to all of us, which have lowered this curtain in order to conceal beyond it the truth about the Soviet Union and about countries of Eastern Europe."

Eleven times in the 1,600-word speech Panyushkin said Russia wants to live at peace with the United States and all other countries.

Panyushkin said any "desire for freedom" on the part of Russia's neighbors, or "any intention on their part of taking the road of democratic reforms," is being "distorted" by propaganda into "an act of aggression by the Soviet Union."

He defended the recent coup in Czechoslovakia as reflecting "the will of the Czechoslovak people for freedom, independence and democracy," and he suggested that this was none of the Western Powers' business.

It was carried out, Panyushkin said, "in full accordance with the constitution of the Czechoslovak Republic" and it constitutes "an internal affair of the Czechoslovak people themselves."

After Russia's present "demobilization" is completed, Panyushkin said, the Red Army will be made up solely of men born in 1923 and 1927.

WIRE LETTERS, CHEQUES

LONDON — (CP)—Photographs, letters and cheques now can be sent by wireless between London and Wellington, New Zealand, on the new cable and wireless phototelegraph circuit, the largest in the world. Pictures automatically relayed via Colombo. Malaya travel more than 18,000 miles.

FULLNESS FEATURED

PARIS — There are dresses with full pleated skirts, others with fullness drawn to the back and bunched up in bustle effects. Certain houses still pad the hipline into heavy curves, others are introducing modified versions of this, but the silhouette which dominates owes to sloping shoulders, tightly nip-in waist and a full, circular skirt which is decidedly long.

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