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—TO HOLD VARIETY CONCERT —At a recent meeting of the Directors of the Bedeque Rink it was decided to hold a Variety Concert in the Month of April with a two hour program, with the following teams each to be responsible for one half hour; 1st team W. N. Jenkins and Alden Leard; 2nd team, Fred Moyse and Jack Green; 3rd team, Allison Profitt and Ray Lidstone; 4th team, Frank Jardine and James Clark. All the young ladies are expected to bring boxes, and Mr. Hugh Morrison will be asked to attend and auction the boxes off at the close of the program.—S

—W. M. S. MEETING—Monthly meeting of Women's Missionary Society, Central Street, Christian Church, Summerside was held at the home of Mrs. A. P. Wells on Tuesday afternoon, April 7th with a good attendance. The President, Mrs. M. F. Schurman had charge of the business period. The study theme for the month was "Argentina," and the program was in charge of Mrs. (Rev.) C. Watterworth. Scripture from John 6: 1-13 was read by Mrs. H. S. Harvey. Devotional Study from "World Call" was read by Mrs. MacLure. Mrs. Watterworth gave a very interesting paper on "Argentina," which was very instructive. The new study book "House of Happiness" by Bruce S. Wright was introduced by a review of the first two chapters by Mrs. Schurman.

—W. M. S. MEETING — The W. M. S. of the Kensington United Church met in the young people's room on Thursday evening with a good attendance, considering the weather and roads. Meeting opened by singing Hymn 241. Call to worship and prayer by the President. Scripture reading, Matt. 28th, by Mrs. Taylor. Then Mrs. Yeo, our Christian Stewardship Secretary gave a well prepared and very impressive talk on Christian Stewardship. This was followed by sentence prayers led by Mrs. Glover. After singing Hymn 475, a playett was presented "Shall we have a thank-offering" and was much enjoyed. After singing Hymn 262, minutes of last meeting were read and approved. Several items of business were discussed. This was followed by the Treasurer's report and presentation of financial chart for the quarter. The meeting closed with the Doxology.

Personals

—Miss Molly Meikle, Summerside left Thursday morning on a trip to Boston.—S

—Friends will be pleased to know that Mr. Ira Banks of Conway who has been a patient in the Prince County Hospital suffering from injuries received while sawing wood is sufficiently improved to be able to return to his home Thursday.—S

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SOVIET CLAIMS

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in Tokyo had been arrested but said they were merely being "detained" pending legal proceedings.

The Soviet charged the Japanese "attitude toward the embassy of a foreign state is unprecedented in civilized countries."

NANKING, April 10—China may appeal to the League of Nations should Soviet Russia for a second time disallow her protest against the Soviet-Outer Mongolian pact of mutual assistance, it was indicated tonight in authoritative circles.

The National Government foreign office was engaged in studying the Soviet reply to China's protest, which asserted Outer Mongolia is an integral part of China. A second note to Moscow was indicated and the possibility of an appeal to Geneva, should Moscow's reply to the second note fail to bring "satisfaction," was discussed.

(Russia replying to the Chinese protest, said the Mongol assistance pact would serve the best interests of China as well as Mongolia and did not imply Russian territorial claims)

BREWERY STALLION NOW HERE

Nature of Government's Dicker With Montreal Brewery Not Revealed In Official Statement.

As already intimated in The Guardian, negotiations were entered into some time ago by members of the Liberal Provincial Government with Dawes Brewery, Montreal, for the loan of a prize stallion for use in this Province. The animal, "Starlight Laget", a pure bred Percheron, arrived here yesterday.

According to information released by Hon. W. H. Dennis, Minister of Agriculture, "Starlight Laget" arrived yesterday and will go through to O'Leary where he will stand for the season. The larger portion of the revenue derived from the services of this horse will be turned over for the use of the Provincial Sanatorium.

The Department has purchased the pure-bred Clydesdale stallion "Scottish Chief' which will serve the horse breeding interests of King's County and will stand for the season at or near Souris.

The Minister also states that when in Ottawa he was successful in obtaining a promise from the Central Experimental Farm that the pure-bred Clydesdale stallion "Perfect" would be sent to this Province to assist in improving the standard of horses here. This horse has not yet arrived but is expected about the middle of next month. He will serve the interests of Charlottetown and immediate vicinity.

The Minister expressed his pleasure at having obtained the services of three such outstanding animals as those mentioned but deplored the fact that there are some sections of the Province which are not so well served with improved stallions as he would like, and he hopes that it may be possible to secure some parties with privately owned animals of a high standard of quality, who will undertake to serve the localities that have not received the attention that the Department would like to have given them.

The Minister declares that the Department is anxious to meet any such parties, and advise or co-operate with them in every way possible.

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TEACHERS

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and Supervisor Brewer Auld. A resolution was also passed affirming allegiance to His Majesty King Edward VIII.

In addition to the three following resolutions that are given in full, resolutions were passed expressing the thanks of the convention to Hon. M. A. McGuigan and Dr. S. N. Robertson for the use of the College hall; and appreciation and thanks to all the speakers, those who gave papers, to the pupils, teachers, retiring president, Miss Bessie MacLeod, and all others who assisted in the program, and to the press.

The following resolutions were also passed:

Teacher Tenure

Whereas the present unstable state of tenure works against the best interests of the pupils and teachers,

Be it resolved that the incoming executive be urged to press the matter of teacher tenure to a more satisfactory conclusion.

"Teachers Aid"

Whereas the "Teachers Aid" service under the capable chairmanship of Mr. C. F. Hine, vice-principal of West Kent School, has proved a source of great benefit to the teachers.

Be it resolved that this service be continued and that Mr. Hine be urged to continue the important work,

And be it further resolved that the incoming executive be asked to consider the question of remuneration to Mr. Hine for this work.

Ambulance Council Advocated

Whereas Prince Edward Island is the only province in the Dominion without a council of the St. John Ambulance Association and whereas a more thorough knowledge of first aid is desirable, and whereas the St. John Ambulance Association offers awards to pupils from ages 12 to 16,

Be it resolved that this convention go on record as favoring the formation of a St. John Ambulance council in this Province.

A resolution was passed commending the sing song conducted by Major Irlam and suggesting that at future conventions a similar feature be provided at each session.

PROF. BLANCHARD'S ADDRESS

The following is a synopsis of the address delivered by Prof. Blanchard to the P. E. I. Teachers' Federation:

Following the passing of the Isle St. Jean into the hands of the British in 1758, the fall of Quebec the following year ended the period of French rule in Canada. This event was formally recognized by the Treaty of Paris on February 10, 1763, and by royal proclamation dated October 7th that same year the Island was placed under the Government of Nova Scotia.

On October 5, 1764, Captain Holland, who was commissioned as Surveyor-General by the British Government to make a complete survey of His Majesty's territories in North America lying north of the Potomac River, found that the Island of St. John was to be surveyed first, as it was considered most important with respect to the fisheries.

The survey, which was completed in 1766, divided the Island into sixty-seven townships of about 20,000 acres each, and sites for Charlottetown, Georgetown and Princetown were selected and surveyed.

On July 23, 1767, these townships were allotted to a group of proprietors, on condition that the grantee of each should cause to be settled on the land so received at least one person for every 10 acres, and an annual quit rent ranging from 2 shillings to 6 shillings per 100 acres was to be paid to the Government on one-half of each grant at the end of five years, and on the whole grant at the end of ten years, it being further stiplated that if one-third of the land allotted was not settled within four years of the date of the grant, the whole should be forfeited to the Crown.

This manner of disposing of the land by the Crown, and the establishing of a complete system of proprietory ownership, explains much of the economic, social and political history of the province.

But when the settlers arrived as tenants, the problem of land ownership was ever uppermost in their minds, and it was not finally settled until the Land Purchase Act was passed in 1875.

A Separate Province

In the year 1768 a large majority of the proprietors presented a petition to the King praying that the Island should be erected into a separate Government apart from that of Nova Scotia, offering to pay annually half of the quit rents on and after the 1st of May, 1768, instead of 1772 as specified in the grants, and asking at the same time that the payment of the remaining half should be deferred for a period of twenty years. These quit rents were to form a fund from which the expenditures of the Government and the salaries of the officials should be paid.

The proposal was readily agreed to by the British authorities, and Walter Patterson, one of the proprietors, was appointed Governor-in-Chief and Captain-General over the Island. Governor Patterson, accompanied by several other officals, arrived in Charlottetown on August 30, 1770. Three years later the home Government, at the request of the proprietors, granted to the Island what they called a complete constitution; and Governor Patterson, who was instructed to make the arrangements as early as possible, effected the change on February 17, 1773.

In a despatch of that date, the Governor states that the new House of Assembly was to be chosen by taking the voice of the whole people collectively, and the number of representatives was to be limited to 18, this being the number of inhabitants who could make a tolerable appearance in the House.

The First Assembly

This first Assembly met in July, 1773, with Robert Stewart as Speaker. On July 12th this Assembly was dissolved, and a new election took place. From this date until the year 1839 the Governor's Executive Council also acted as a Legislative Council with the Upper House or Legislature. Both the appointed Executive Council and Legislative Council were absolutely irresponsible to the elected House of Assembly, and the members of the Assembly had no control whatever over the moneys they voted, and the Governor could, upon the slightest pretext, dissolve the Legislature and call a new election.

For a time this installment of self-government satisfied the people, but the early pioneer settlers found their task a difficult one, but the Legislative Assembly continued to be the Forum for the popular cause and as the population and wealth of the country increased the demands became more insistent. The main fight was for a fair adjustment in the matter of land-holding and land settlement, but in this they were generally opposed by the Governor and the Legislative and Executive Councils, who were consistently the spokesmen of the proprietory interests.

Assembly And Governor Clash

Clashes between the Legislative Assembly and the Governor and his Council, which were frequent, began as early as 1758 but the usual results were that the Governor dissolved the Assembly and attempted to secure a new one more responsive to his wishes.

A new Assembly in 1801 during the time of Governor Fanning adopted the following resolution relating to the control of the expenditures: "That in the opinion of this House it is necessary to the support of the public credit and to the rendering a more willing inclination in the people of this Island to the paying of taxes that the Assembly should have the exclusive disposal of all public monies raised by them, and therefore pray that instructions be sent by His Majesty to the Governor of this Island for placing the money of the public in the same channel as is customary throughout His Majesty's Colonies."

In September 1812, another Assembly under Governor DesBarres adopted a resolution stating that the giving to the Assembly its share in the appropriation of the monies voted would, in the opinion of this House, conduce in a greater degree to the prosperity of the Island and most certainly would produce in the House a spirit of liberality to meet the future exigencies of the Government. The experience under succeeding Governors, however, saw little success towards the achievement of the desired results, though a petition to the king resulted in the recalling of Governor Lt.-Col. John Ready to succeed him. This announcement was made in the P. E. Island Register of July 24, 1824.

Popular Governor

Sir Aretas W. Young succeeded Governor Ready and the struggle for the control of finances by the Assembly continued. Under Governor Young who proved very popular with all classes of the people, it was arranged that the revenue bill should be separated from the appropriation bill, and the Assembly was given full control of the revenue on the condition that they would vote the supply bill as it came to them from the Council. This was looked upon as a decided step in the right direction, and it was felt that eventually the Assembly would control not only the revenue but the expenditure as well.

During the session of 1839 the Colonial Office ordered the Governor to form his Executive Council separate from the Legislative Council, and after this the government machinery consisted of three well defined branches, the Governor and his Executive Council, the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly.

Serious efforts toward furthering the cause of responsible government proved unavailing, but finally in 1845 Sir Henry Vere Huntley who had been Governor since 1841, had a serious disagreement with his Executive Council, and the opportunity was immediately seized by the Assembly and a resolution was sent to Queen Victoria asking that the Governor be instructed to so model his Executive Council that it might enjoy the confidence of the representatives of the people and even went so far as to petition for the recall of Governor Huntley.

Gladstone Refused Request

Hon. W. E. Gladstone who was then Colonial Secretary, curtly refused the request and even threatened the withdrawal of the Imperial grant to the Provincial government unless the Assembly agreed to submit to the Clerk of the Executive Council.

But this was one of Gladstone's last official acts, as the Liberal party under the leadership of Lord John Russell came back to power, replacing the Conservative regime of Sir Robert Peel, and at the same time the Liberal party in this province under the leadership of Hon. George Coles and the eloquent Edward Whelan was returned to power.

Immediately upon the opening of the Legislature on March 26, 1847, a resolution requesting the establishment of Responsible Government was introduced and carried 18-3. The Conservative leaders had finally been defeated in the Assembly but three of their most influential members set out for England in order to communicate with their friends the proprietors and the Colonial Office. Sir Donald Campbell was appointed as the new Governor, and in his opening speech to the Legislature on Feb. 1, 1848, he completely avoided the subject which had become so dear to the hearts of the people of the Island.

But the voice of freedom was abroad in the land, for on the same day news came that Responsible Government had been conceded to Nova Scotia. Two weeks later New Brunswick secured the same result, while in Canada, Baldwin and Lafontaine had organized a new responsible ministry.

Responsible Government

The people of the Island now understood that the Home Government intended to give them responsible government, and they requested Governor Campbell to bring down the despatches which he had received on the question from the Colonial Office. This he refused to do, but in 1849 Earl Grey, the then Colonial Secretary, informed Campbell that from March 31, 1849, the Island would have to provide the amount for the payment of Island officials from its own treasury. (The Imperial Government had previously voted 3,000 pounds annually for this purpose). And this was regarded as the foundation stone of Responsible Government.

But it was not till the advent of Governor Sir Alexander Bannerman in 1851 that the efforts finally were wholly successful, for his orders were that "it is not desirable any longer to carry on government in a British Colony in opposition to the opinion of the inhabitants."

The announcement was made when the Legislature met in April 1851, and on April 25th of that year Hon. Mr. Coles announced that the old government consisting of Hon. Robert Hodgson, Edward Palmer, Ambrose Lane, T. H. Haviland, George G. Goodman, Chas. Hensley, J. M. Holl, Edward Thornton and D. Brennan had resigned and that the new Responsible Government consisted of Hon. George Coles, Edward Whalen, Charles Young, William Swabey, James Warburton, W. W. Lord, John Jardine and Joseph Pope.

The struggle for responsible government was now at an end, said Prof. Blanchard. The first act of the new government was to introduce a system of free schools.

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CENTRAL PARISH SERVICE— Easter Sunday praise and prayer service in Canoe Cove Church at 3 o'clock afternoon, led by the elders. A full attendance is requested. J. W. S. Lowry, minister.
L-3672

FINED $10.00—A man from Mt. Stewart charged with being in possession of a Canada goose contrary to the provisions of the Migratory Birds Convention Act appeared before Magistrate Tweedy Thursday and was fined $10.00 and costs.

Y'S MEN'S CLUB— Electricity was the subject of an interesting talk by Mr. Ernest Bell, engineer at the Maritime Electric Plant, at the regular weekly meeting of the Y's Men's Club Thursday night. Mr. Fred Small was the chairman.

HORSE KILLED BY TRAIN — A valuable horse owned by Mr. Kenneth Jay, Pisquid, was struck and killed by the Georgetown train at Clark's Mill crossing near Mr. Stewart Thursday morning. Two horses which had been left standing while the driver was in the mill, took fright and bolted in front of the train, one being killed. The other escaped uninjured.

BURIED AT ST. JOHN — The remains of the late Mrs. Thomas P. White were forwarded by train yesterday to St. John, N. B. where interment will take place today. A short private funeral service at her late residence was held Thursday evening, conducted by Rev. Hugh Miller. Mr. White and his two daughters, Margaret and Jean, accompanied the remains to St. John.

FUNERAL OF LATE MR. FRASER The funeral of the late Mr. Reginald G. Fraser was held yesterday from his late residence to the Peoples Cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. Hugh Miller assisted by Rev. J. W. Bailey and Rev. G. C. Webster. Major Stevens sang "The Old Rugged Cross." Pall bearers were: Messrs. Ed Acorn, William Storey, Harry Richardson, Edward McNevin, and Murdock Ross. Services at the graveside were conducted by Rev. Hugh Miller.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH — The Easter Sunday services tomorrow will consist of a Sunrise Prayer meeting at 7 o'clock in the morning and regular services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. also Sunday School at 2.30 p. m. Mr. A. S. MacKay of Summerside will occupy the pulpit speaking at the morning and evening services. Special Easter music will be given by the choir.

CLEVER ATHLETE—Miss Nora James, seventeen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred E. Jamieson, of Halifax, was the outstanding performer in the girls' swimming championships held at the Y. M. C. A. pool on Saturday, March 28th. Miss Jamieson captained the Halifax Academy team, winning the plunge for distance and being the only competitor to go the full length of the "Y" tank. She won the backstroke, finishing second in the 75 yard free style and helped her side win the relay. She is also a prominent young swimmer with the Waegwoltic Club. Miss Jamieson is a grand-daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hodgson, formerly of Charlottetown, and a niece of Mr. J. G. Jamieson of this city.

EASTER SUNDAY MORNING'S service at St. Paul's Church will be broadcast over C. F. C. Y. The Easter Anthem "Christ Our Passover" will be sung to a setting by Humphreys, and the Offertory Anthem will be Sir George Martin's "Rejoice in the Lord." Special Easter music including the festival hymns will feature the service. In the afternoon at 3.00 the Sunday School service will be held in the Church. At the evening service Mr. Percy Williams will sing "Comfort Ye My People" from Handel's Messiah, and the Anthem will be "We Praise Thee O God by Sir Villiers Stanford. The Holy Communion will be observed at 8.00, 11.00 and following the evening service.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

The morning service at St. Paul's Church yesterday featured Good Friday hymns which included "Throned Upon the Awful Tree" and "See the Destined Day Arise."

The scripture lesson included the Old Testament story of Abraham's offering of his son and the story of the first Good Friday as told by St. John in his 18th capter.

At the service a special offering was taken for missions to the Jews. At the evening service the church was filled to capacity when a choir of 40 voices under the direction of Mr. H. R. Shephard rendered Sir John Stainer's "Crucifixion." The solo parts were taken by Messrs. Percy Williams, Alfred Burrill, Peter Crichton and Mr. Albert Dennis.

The new organ was heard to splendid advantage by the large congregation

Opening Dance

B. I. S. HALL

Tonight, 9 p.m.,

Society's five piece orchestra.

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Personals

Mrs. H. H. Cox, Morell, has gone on a visit to Boston.

Miss Marjory Chandler arrived home from Acadia University for the Easter Holidays.

Mrs. Rutherford Cotton, New London, is spending a few days with friends in Charlottetown.

Mr. Brenton Smith, Euston St., leaves this morning for Montreal where he will enter hospital for treatment.

Master Irwin Jenkins, Charlottetown, is spending his Easter holidays with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cooke, Kensington.

Master Blair Much of Borden, son of George A. Burch, Third Officer on the S. S. Charlottetown, left Thursday morning for Halifax to spend a few days visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Embree.

"The Life Of Jesus" Portrayed At S.A. Citadel

A magnificent portrayal of "The Life of Jesus Christ" was presented to a capacity house at the Salvation Army Citadel last night.

Eight scenes with suitable anthems enthralled the audience in silent awe. Opening with a congregational rendering of "What a Friend we Have in Jesus," led by Mrs. H. Chandler and prayer by Mr. W. H. Cudmore, the curtain rose to the first scene—"Mary's home in Nazareth"—Mrs. Major W. B. Stevens in the role of Mary and Mrs. Guy Austin as Miriam and Mrs. Minnie Down as Martha presented a beautiful work of dramatic art, elocution, and singing of the Magnificat. The full choir led by sopranos Miss Doris MacRae and Mrs. Clifford Down and Minnie Down supported by altos Mrs. S. Crockett and Miss Cally Down, bass, Mr. William McRae and Mr. James Dennis, and Major W. B. Stevens tenor rendered beautifully "Seek Ye the Lord". Scene two in which was shown the Pilgrims' return from Jerusalem displayed a wealth of dramatic expression, first and second women being ably portrayed by Mrs. Clifford Down and Mrs. R. Connolly respectively. The third scene was notable in which Miss Grace Diamond, a very juvenile artist so beautifully soloed with "Once in Royal David's City," and Mrs. W. Carr ably portrayed the part of sister. Scene four with Mr Ed Down as Bartimeus and Mr. Robert Chandler as Shemiah was a masterpiece of drama and elocution. The fifth scene "At the Well" presented by Mrs. F. MacRae in the role of Rachael and Mrs. Percy Carr as Rebecca held the audience in a silence which could almost be heard. This was followed by further renderings of anthems by the choir and scene six presented the crucifixion with its inevitable drama. The scene at the tomb so vividly portrayed by Miss Bertha White in the role of Mary Magdalene, and Miss Florence Down as an angel at the tomb, Mary and Miriam, supported by Miss Cally Down was a sensation of feeling, pregnant with drama and held the audience in breathless hush. The last scene "I am the Way, the Truth and the Life, with its tableaus and beautiful tenor solo, "O Man of Gallilee" by Major W. B. Stevens, and full cast chorus rang down the curtain on one of the most poignant presentations of Biblical dramatic art in the history of the Citadel. Much of the success was due to the coaching of the choir by Mrs. Ralph Crockett and whom it is to be regretted was unable to be present due to ill health. The O. C., soldiers and comrades of the S. A. are unanimous in thanking her and hope for her speedy recovery. The thanks of the Salvation Army were extended to all who took part or assisted with the evening's performance.

Funeral Of G. R. Ewing

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

MONTREAL, April 10.—Attended by a gathering that included many who knew him during his business life in Saint John, the funeral of George Robertson Ewing was held yesterday in Dominion Douglas United Church here, Rev. Dr. Lloyd Smith officiating.

Following the ceremony the body was taken to the crematorium in Mount Royal Cemetery for cremation. The ashes will later be laid to rest in Saint John on a date yet to be set.

Chief mourners were his widow, the former May Huggan, and three daughters, Mrs. D. J. Munro, Mrs. J. D. Humphrey, Montreal and Miss Helen Ewing, Charlottetown. Nephews attending were Ronald Ritchie, Morley Ewing and William Ewing, all of Montreal.

Mr. Ewing died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Humphrey, on Tuesday.

Scout News and Notices

10th April 1936

Brother Scouts:

Ralph McKay of 8th Charlottetown Troop (Trinity United) was awarded his Tenderfoot Badge on April 6th. A large class of this troop is taking up Morse Code, with a buzzer, under the direction of Scout Wm. McLean. Several of the Scouts have passed Semaphore tests, and another large group is making progress in First Aid.

We regret to hear that someone has broken into the headquarters of 1st Charlottetown (Basilica) troop and stolen their First Aid kit and a sum of money, practically all the troop funds. Stealing the savings of a number of young boys seems to be about the acme of meanness.

Glad to see King's Scout Bill Tidmarsh, 7th Charlottetown troop (St. Paul's), who is home for the Easter holiday.

The annual Boy Scout entertainment promises to be better this year than ever. Mr. F. A. Driscoll and his committee have the matter well in hand. A time limit has been set for each item of the programme; this is a step in the right direction.

In connection with the recent Hobbies Exhibition it is pleasing to know that a number of Scouts were successful in winning prizes.

The Kirk Troop have set Friday April 24 as the date for the presentation of their annual concert. The troop is making splendid progress under Scout Master J. A. Lawson and a "bang-up" entertainment is looked for.

Grey Wolf.

Powers Agree

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to again to appear on the scene. Sensational rumors fly around that Britain is determined to obtain a final showdown, is ready to impose more and drastic sanctions on Italy, and that if France will not act, Britain will act without her.

The rumors lack anything approaching the remotest official confirmation, yet illustrate the pre-vailing nervousness.

Better Crop Prospects In United States

(A. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)

WASHINGTON, April 10. — The United States agriculture department today reported better crop prospects than last year, but found even these not "particularly bright" because of recent freezes and storms, weather too wet in the Eastern States and too dry in the great plains.

April 1 conditions projected a winter wheat harvest of 493,166,000 bushels, the department said, compared with 433,447,000 bushels produced last year. The average production from 1928 to 1932 was 618,186,000 bushels.

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