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SESSION ENDS

The Canadian House of Commons has ended its session. It was not a particularly brilliant session, in fact to friends of the government it must have been a disappointing one. Its close is a reminder that another year has slipped away and that as yet the great majority of Premier Bennett's pre-election promises are unfulfilled.

One thing which the last few months brought forth, however, was the relinquishing by the premier of one of his many posts, that of minister of finance. Possibly the premier at last came to realize that this vitally important portfolio was a fulltime job for any man, no matter how great his ability and capacity. Hon. Mr. Rhodes' start in his new role has not been at all reassuring. His new budget has saddled the laboring and small salaried classes with an additional burden of taxation, and has tied the hands of business with vexatious and troublesome levies which cannot fail to have a detrimental effect.

He refused to face the situation fairly and slash the expenditures to the bone, as has been done by some governments, national, provincial and municipal. Instead he attempted to balance his budget by increasing revenues with additional taxation. Early returns indicate that the new taxes are failing to have the desired effect, and that instead of the country's revenue increasing it is falling off. The country seems headed for another huge deficit this year. Canadians should know by now that deficits are to be expected from Conservative governments, but the way that this government is rolling the national debt is alarming.

Apart from its financial aspect, the session was featureless. Legislation enacted was not of an outstanding or particularly constructive calibre. The government failed to provide any reassuring measures on the question of unemployment, indeed from the Hansard reports citizens would be led to believe that its members have few if any ideas which will prove of any great help.

With the closing of the session Canadians will look forward to the coming economic conference at Ottawa with the hope that the representatives of Canada will meet the problems here presented in a broader and more constructive manner than the government displayed in dealing with the Dominion's own problems in parliament.

INVESTIGATIONS

The postmaster-general recently made an interesting statement in the House of Commons. He admitted that dismissals of postmasters since the present government took office had totalled almost 700, but he said, in every instance the case had been investigated before dismissal was made. What kind of investigations were made the postmaster-general neglected to say. If they were all of the same nature as the "investigation" into the circumstances regarding the dismissal of S. G. Barter at Lakeville, they must have indeed been valuable affairs.

ANDOVER

Mr. and D. A. McAlary, two children, Murray and Miriam and Mr. MacDavid of Edmundston were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McAlary at Andover.

The Misses Anna and Norma Howlett entertained in honor of their mother recently, it being the occasion of the birthday of Mrs. Howlett.

Spring flowers decorated the tea table, which was centred with a large birthday cake. The guest of honor received many nice gifts. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Duncan, and three children, Carl, Jack and Jerry from Presque Isle, Maine, Miss Anna Howlett, Mr. Jack Howlett from Caribou, Maine, and Hollie and Mr. James W. Howlett.

A well patronized dance was held at the local theatre, Andover, under the auspices of the Victoria County Tennis Association. Ogliv's orchestra furnished the music. Mrs. Newton A. Rogers and Mrs. H. F. Tompkins were in charge of the refreshment booth.

Rev. H. F. Rigby and Mr. and Mrs. J. Rigby of Caribou, Maine, were recent guests of Rev. and Mrs. Joseph McAllden, Andover. Mrs. Charles Long of Centerville was the guest of her niece, Mrs. James W. Howlett at Pine Tree Farm near Andover over the weekend.

Miss E. A. Miller of Andover was a recent guest of Miss Elizabeth Miller and Miss Marion McPhail at Woodstock. Mr. H. E. Blakslee has returned home after a recent visit at Hartland. Rev. Steadman Smith of Hartland was a recent visitor with Mr. and Mrs. George Wright, Andover.

Mrs. Bessie Dixon of Grand Falls was visiting for a few days with Mrs. Edward Waugh, Andover. Miss Magdalene Scott spent a few days recently with her parents at Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Niles of Andover were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Niles at Centerville.

At a recent Sunday service at St. James' United Church, Andover, Mrs. J. Lawson of Charlottetown, P. E. I., sang the solo "O Rest in the Lord", very beautifully.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Osborne, Fort Fairfield, Maine, Mr. and Mrs. James McAskill, and Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Ross were visitors recently with Mrs. Stephen Waite and family at Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Boyd of Fort Fairfield were recent guests of Mrs. James W. Howlett. Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey Flemington of Houlton, Maine, were guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. B. Beveridge.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lawson and daughter, Mary of Fredericton motored to Andover, recently.

Mrs. Lawson and daughter will visit during the summer months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Beveridge, Andover.

HARTLAND W. I.

Hartland, N. B. May 21—The regular meeting of the Women's Institute was held in the town hall on Friday evening with the president, Mrs. George Edwards in the chair.

The meeting opened with O'Canada followed by the Club Women's Creed. Roll call was answered by naming a New Brunswick product with the name of the place where it is made. The secretary, Mrs. J. W. Montgomery, read two letters from Miss Weldon referring to the cancellation of the usual Women Institute exhibits at the exhibitions. A letter was received from the Provincial convener of Legislation regarding the proceedings of the local annual meetings. Various local charities were discussed and \$10 voted towards aid for a needy family, and the secretary instructed to purchase milk for an invalid member of another family.

ORANGE PEKOE BLEND "SALADA" TEA

"Fresh from the Gardens"

valid member of another family. Mrs. Havelock Hoyt and Mrs. A. Y. Dickson reported a visit to Grades I and III of the school and the secretary read a financial report of the play showing a total of \$48 clear of expenses. Mrs. George Britton and Mrs. R. Harris were appointed a committee to visit the sick for the next three months. The programme included a contest on facts relating to

"Canadian legislation" and a discussion on "Easy Meals For Hot Weather". Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. George Orser, Mrs. Oscar Shaw and Mrs. R. Harris.

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Strong Position Shown By Bank of Montreal

Ready ability to meet rapidly changing conditions and at the same time maintain its uniformly strong position is shown by the Bank of Montreal in its statement of the affairs of the bank as at April 30th. The statement, which is the semi-annual one, appears elsewhere in this issue and is presented in an easily understandable form. It shows total assets at \$748,612,481, compared with \$786,897,706 a year ago. Of this amount quickly available assets are \$385,383,225, equal to 51.4 per cent of all liabilities to the public.

Included among these liquid assets is cash in vaults and in Central Gold Reserves amounting to \$48,491,119, equal to 11.67 per cent of public liabilities.

Every section of the statement reflects a policy of maintaining a strong liquid position through a period of unusual trade conditions and also indicates the readiness with which the Bank will be able to meet any demands that may develop from its customers.

Liquid Position Strong
The most important change in liquid assets is represented by an increase in government and other bonds and debentures to a total of \$228,901,146. These are recognized as gilt-edged securities, the greater portion of which mature at early dates. Included among them are Dominion and Provincial government securities of a value of \$174,730,246, up from

\$149,229,626 a year ago. Call loans outside of Canada are \$20,262,324 and are secured by bonds, stocks, and other negotiable securities of greater value than the loans and represent monies quickly available without any disturbing effect on conditions in Canada.

Call loans in Canada secured by bonds and stocks of greater value at current quotations than the loans stand at \$5,645,610, as compared with \$11,347,497 at the same date last year. The total of current loans made to manufacturers, farmers, merchants and others, is reported at \$336,572,388. Deposits have held up remarkably well under prevailing conditions. Total deposits are reported at \$626,701,061.

Total assets of \$748,612,481 are available to meet payment of liabilities to the public of \$672,310,382, which leaves an excess of assets over these liabilities of \$76,301,599.

Profit and Loss Account

The profits for the six months amounted to \$2,589,292.70 as compared with \$2,771,753.71 for the corresponding period last year. The profits were distributed as follows: dividends, \$2,160,000.00; provision for taxes Dominion Government, \$228,316.28, and reservation for bank premises, \$100,000.00, leaving a balance of \$100,976.42. This when added to the balance carried forward at the end of the fiscal year brought the total at the credit of profit and loss to \$1,204,403.37.



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Dresses

Very Special for Saturday, selling a very smart Summer Dress in Pique Silk, it is the snappiest style created in various shades, all sizes, priced \$3.95. Also featuring a very smart number in a Silk Summer Dress, sleeveless, very snappy in style priced \$2.95

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TOMATOES No. 2 1-2 Tin		
3 TINS 25c		

Marmalade Orange 40 oz. Jar 25c	Bulk Sodas 2 lbs 25c
Brunswick Sardines tin 5c	Rolled Oats 6 lbs 25c
Stelna Corned Beef 2 No. 1 tins 25c	Blue Rose Rice 3 lbs 25c
Evaporated Apples lb 10c	Lifebuoy Soap cake 8c
Prunes 40-50 Size 2 lbs 25c	P. & G. Soap 10 bars 40c
Strawberry Jam 40 oz. Jar 35c	Classic Cleanser tin 8c
Sliced Bacon lb 16c	Table Salt 3 1-2 lb bag 9c

Red Clover 21c	Squat Tin 21c	Tall Tin 39c
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FREE One Safedge Glass with Each Large
Bottle of Ginger Ale
Buy a Case While They Last

Firm Ripe Bananas 3 lb. 25c	Cooked Ham 33c lb
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