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Great Improvement Is Being Shown in Canada's Finances

Believed Now That the Deficit on the Year's Operations Will Not Exceed \$25,000,000 — The C. N. R. Deficit and Expenditure on Relief Will Not Be Included.

OTTAWA, March 6—A deficit on general expenditures not exceeding sum of \$25,000,000—a very great improvement over last year—and tariff changes, with a downward tendency, but little variation for the present, in the structure of taxation were Monday's preliminary forecasts of the annual budget speech to be made about a month hence. The date of introducing the budget in Parliament has not yet been fixed but, as it takes a month to consider and prepare it and little progress has yet been made in that direction, it is probable that it will not be ready till immediately after Easter.

Revenue is Climbing

In calculating any shortage in the year's operations, the deficit on the Canadian National Railways and the expenditures for unemployment and farm relief would be set aside.

Within the next week, revenue receipts will provide a pretty accurate outline of what may be expected during this month—the last one of the fiscal year. They are coming in with a volume which inspires much optimism.

N. B. LAWYERS CAME OUT AT THE SHORT END

Out of \$295,646 Paid Out by the Federal Govt. Last Year for Legal Expenses, They Received \$2,101.

The Federal government during the fiscal year ending March 31, 1933, dispensed the sum of \$295,646.64 for legal expenses and disbursements. As usual the largest beneficiary was Hon. N. W. Rowell of Toronto, who was paid the sum of \$16,263.75. A Montreal concern was paid \$8,057.51 and a Halifax lawyer \$6,812.35 and a law firm in the same city \$4,175.88. New Brunswick lawyers do not appear to have fared very well in the general distribution, their combined totals having been \$2,101.95, practically one half of which went to one man. The Department of National Revenue was as usual the largest contributor to the fund, with \$161,515.94, which goes to show that it still costs money to enforce the revenue laws of the country. The list of payments to New Brunswick lawyers follows: G. A. Hutchison, Richibucto, \$1055.85; J. A. Creaghan, Newcastle \$290; G. F. Nicholson St. Stephen \$257; A. P. N. McLaughlin Campbellton, \$44; J. L. Ryan, Bathurst, \$40; Wm. Ryan, Saint John, \$52.75; C. L. Dougherty, Fredericton, \$38.50; W. H. Davidson, Newcastle \$65; H. W. Jonah, Sussex, \$5.10; H. M. Lambert, Moncton, \$132; Trites & Richard, Sackville, \$52.75.

THE MAN HUNT

Chicago, March 8—The search for John Dillinger, the modern Jesse James now centres in this city. The police yesterday recovered the car in which the desperado escaped from the jail at Crown Point, Indiana. Dillinger is familiar with the underworld hangouts here and is believed to be lying low.

FOREIGN NEWS AT A GLANCE

PARIS—After a strike that lasted a month, the capital's 15,000 taxis dashed out upon the boulevards this morning at 8 o'clock.

TOKIO—Ichiro Hatoyama, minister of Education, resigned today, and Premier Sato temporarily assumed the education portfolio.

VIENNA—The Austrian government steps to strengthen the Austro-Czechoslovakian border against possible outbreaks of guerilla warfare.

ROME—Premier Mussolini, it was announced, will be host March 14, 15 and 16 to Chancellor Dollfuss of Austria and Premier Goemboos of Hungary.

HAVANA—Guns blazed. Fists flew. Labor troubles were breaking into open disorders again in Cuba.

MADRID—Premier-Designate Alejandro Lerroux today formed a new government of Spain succeeding his own government which resigned three days ago.

LONDON—Sir James Jeans, astronomer, was appointed president of the British Association for the advancement of science today succeeding the late Sir William Hardy.

TOOK PART IN DEBATE

The Mount Allison debating team, which met the Harvard team in debate at Sackville on March 3rd, was composed of Babbitt Parlee, Moncton, and Rex Carson, Saint John. Mr. Parlee, who is a third-year student at Mount A., is a son of Mr. W. K. C. Parlee, of Moncton, and a nephew of Mrs. H. G. Hoben, of this city.

Makes An Assignment

C. Aubrey Clark, of this city, has made an assignment before Ernest A. MacKay, official receiver. Assets are set at \$850 and liabilities in the vic-

FRUIT GROWERS' ASSOC. TO MEET HERE FRIDAY

Discussion on Growing, Packing and Shipping For Export Markets on Agenda.

Intention of the New Brunswick Fruit Growers' Association to launch a special apple advertising campaign for the season of 1934 is indicated in a bulletin announcing the twenty-ninth annual meeting of the association issued today by A. G. Turney, Secretary Treasurer. The meeting is slated to take place in the Court House here on March 9th.

The agenda further calls for special discussion on growing, packing, and shipping of apples for export markets. W. W. Hubbard of Burton, is named leader in these discussions. Another item likely to occupy a major part of the meeting will be the improvement of spraying service and practice.

A speaker likely to be heard with keen interest is A. Kelsall, Officer-in-Charge, Insecticide Investigations, piled up by an ice jam in the Dundas Entomological Laboratory, Annapolis Royal, N. S. In addition to his duties in the Laboratory, Mr. Kelsall is president of the Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' Association. At the morning session he will outline some observations made at his Laboratory concerning the Eye Spotted Bud Moth, control of the apple maggot, and spray calendars generally. In the afternoon he will discuss some recent developments in the Nova Scotia fruit industry.

J. K. King, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, and George W. Dingee, Gagetown, president of the Association, will also address the meeting. Other speakers and topics listed are as follows:

Nutritional and Varietal Studies of Apples—L. C. Young, Horticulturist, Dominion Experimental Station, Fredericton.

The Results of Researches on the Control of Soil-Borne Diseases—D. J. MacLeod, Officer-in-Charge, Dominion Plant Pathological Laboratory, Fredericton.

Fruits and Vegetables Imported into New Brunswick—W. R. Butland, District Fruit and Vegetable Inspector, Dominion Fruit Branch, St. John.

BURIED YESTERDAY

The funeral of the late John Finnamore of Marysville took place Monday afternoon, services being conducted by Rev. Mr. Smith. Pall bearers were: S. Hallet, P. Long H. Gailey J. Stafford, F. Collins and B. Fullerton. The mourners were W. Finnamore, J. Finnamore, G. Glesier, D. Glasier, E. Finnamore, M. Finnamore, C. Finnamore, R. Finnamore, R. Endall, W. Allen, J. Long C. Foster, G. Gilmore, E. Allen H. Allen N. Cochrane C. Cochrane, D. Cochrane, Douglas Cochrane, Herbert Estabrooks, Frank Robinson, Hilton Robinson, Clive Foster Sr., Clive Foster Jr., B. Futterton, B. Brown, William McCain Donald Cain, Gerald Cain, Donald Fullerton W. Robinson, C. Estabrooks, Percy Booth, C. Hanson, George Smith and Robert McLean.

IMPORTANT POST

Washington, D. C., March 6—W. R. W. Burnchild has been selected as the President's personal representative in Europe. He was formerly American Ambassador to Rome and enjoys a high reputation as a diplomat.

DAMAGE FROM FLOOD WATERS LOOKED FOR

Situation in Some Parts of Ontario Looks Serious

DYNAMITE USED

Huge Ice Jam is Reported in the Niagara River

Toronto, Ontario, March 6—Flood waters accumulated throughout Ontario over the week-end as the weather remained warm and desultory showers threatened to increase the danger by causing a premature breaking up of the ice in most of the rivers.

Some streams were reported flowing two feet deep over a 30-inch coating of ice. Anxious sentinels watched at the danger points where it was feared ice dams would be piled up.

At Dundas two truck loads of dynamite were rushed to gangs of workmen who were trying to break the ice jam at the lower end of the city which threatened to flood the city and demolish the Thorpe street bridge. All day Sunday residents of the town listened uneasily to the crassing of the ice and crowds lined the hills overlooking the jam while the flooded area widened by slow degrees, spreading across streets and roadways.

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Residents along the banks of the lower Niagara River saw the water level rise slightly as an ice jam that reached from the mouth of the river to Queenston remained intact. Fears of serious flood and heavy damage when the ice begins to move were entertained.

Assist Farmers

To Purchase Their Limestone Cheap

Agricultural limestone will be available to farmers in New Brunswick in 1934 at \$3.00 per ton in bulk and \$4.00 per ton in bags, delivered to any station within the province in carloads of 30 tons or over, according to announcement made today by Hon. Lewis Smith, Minister of Agriculture.

In making this announcement Hon. Mr. Smith said an agreement had been reached between the New Brunswick limestone plants and the Department of Agriculture. The Minister of Agriculture further stated that the low price of limestone to the farmers was made possible in view of the freight assistance policy inaugurated by the Department of Agriculture.

The department pays the freight over and above 50 cents per ton in bulk and 75 cts. per ton in bags. The 1934 price is a reduction of \$2.00 per ton on the cost of this material to farmers since 1924. Prices have been reduced gradually since that time to the present level.

Where individuals do not require full carloads it is hoped that agricultural society members or groups of farmers will club together so that they may take advantage of the reduced freight rates available on 30 ton cars.

Over 100,000 tons of ground limestone have been used by New Brunswick farmers since the New Brunswick lime policy was adopted and results from the use of this material have been outstanding and the benefits derived from the policy of assistance have been of inestimable value to New Brunswick farmers. It is hoped that with improving conditions the use of this material will be extended with resultant advantage to the New Brunswick field crop industry.

Child Will Try To Reconvene the London Parley

American Diplomat To Go To Europe On Important Mission—To Act As An Emissary To President Roosevelt—Will Test Opinion on War Debt Owning the United States.

WASHINGTON, D.C. March 6—Richard Washburn Child, former American ambassador to Rome, will go to Europe as the personal emissary of President Roosevelt to inquire into the advisability of reconvening the London Economic Conference soon, it was learned today.

Mr. Roosevelt feels that the time may be opportune for making another attempt to bring about world-wide economic disarmament, it was stated. He decided to send Child to Europe to obtain first-hand information. He feels that economic conditions in Europe have changed greatly since the adjournment of the conference last summer.

Some of Child's most important objectives will be to obtain the views of European leaders concerning present economic conditions, their views on the debts owed to the United States, many of which are in default; tariff and trade barriers and the proposals for a world-wide tariff truce.

RESTIGOUCHE COMPANY IS IN BETTER SHAPE

A Financial Statement Shows a Decided Improvement in the Net Earnings—Loans Reduced.

Montreal, March 6—Financial statement of Restigouche Company, Limited, for 1933, shows earnings sharply higher and working capital increased. The year's net earnings, after expenses, taxes and provisions against bad and doubtful debts, were \$359,507, against \$138,269 in 1932. After deduction of bank interest at \$38,885, bond interest at \$290,760, and other interest at \$20,353, there was a net profit on the year of \$9,509, against a net loss of \$382,387 in 1932. After provision for depreciation of \$115,275 and depletion at \$5,678, there was a deficit on the year of \$111,453, a reduction from the \$609,478 deficit reported for 1932.

The balance sheet shows current assets at \$623,983, and current liabilities at \$242,512, leaving working capital at \$381,471, against \$66,998 a year ago. Bank loans were reduced from \$703,000 to \$40,000.

Total assets at \$1,333,183, compared with \$1,686,986 a year ago.

President's Report

In his report to shareholders, the president, K. S. MacLachlan, said: "Results of operations for the last half-year were better than were obtained during the first half-year, but the improvement was not sufficient to overcome the loss which had already been incurred.

"While the year's transactions resulted in an improvement of the current position of \$314,473 it will be noted that interest charges on the bonds outstanding, which are being postponed under the terms of the plan

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HOUSE OPENING

Charlottetown, P.E.I., March 6—The Legislative assembly was formally opened today by Lieutenant Governor George De Blois with the usual ceremony. It was the first occasion that His Honor has officiated at a Legislative opening, also the first for the Premier, Hon. W. J. P. McMillan.

IMMIGRATION ESTIMATES UP IN PARLIAMENT

Hon. Mr. Gordon Says That Many Were Deported From Canada Last Year at Their Own Request.

Ottawa, Ontario, March 5—Three bills ratifying old agreements for joint station facilities at Saint John N. B., Quebec City, and Belleville, Ontario, received first reading in the House of Commons today. Hon. R. J. Manion, minister of railway and canals, explained that the agreements had nothing to do with railway legislation passed last year.

A redraft of the 1901 Fruit Act with amendments was given first reading in the House today. Introducing the measure, Hon. Robert Weir, minister of agriculture, said that three important changes were comprised in it. It provided that brokers should be bonded; that fruit should be graded so as to make it impossible to offer fruit for sale not fit for consumption; and that honey was added to the commodities being

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SAM INSULL MUST GET OUT OF GREECE SOON

Athens, Greece, March 5—Seventy-four year old Samuel Insull, sr., who says "I am old and sick, I will go home and die", today was ordered to get out of Greece within 48 hours.

And if the former Chicago utilities operator does not comply voluntarily with that order, John Metaxas, minister of the interior, warned "I will put him on the American-bound vessel".

Whether Insull, who has fought for months against extradition to Chicago to face charges of embezzlement and grand larceny, might seek refuge in the Near East was not indicated.

For the first time since Insull fled here in October, 1932, a police guard was placed about his house.