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SCHEME MAY BE
INTRODUCED****A Reduction in Taxation
May be Forecasted in
Speech From Throne.**

Ottawa, Jan. 3.—While a few members from as distant parts as British Columbia have already arrived on the scene a large proportion of the legislators in the fifteenth parliament will commence their invasion of the capital tomorrow. The session's business will not commence until Thursday, but a Conservative conference and consultations between members of the other parties will be held before opening day. In the speech from the throne it is understood, consideration of further means to stimulate the movement of goods through Canadian ports will be promised.

Consideration of the Speech from the Throne, it is understood, occupied the attention of the cabinet at its meeting Saturday afternoon, while the Legislative program will be given its finishing touches at further meeting this week. The throne speech which will be read by His Excellency the Governor-General on Friday, will, it is believed, be similar in length and scope to that of last year.

Rural Credits' Plan.

After referring to the expansion in Canada's export trade, it is expected that the speech will disclose the government's intention to introduce a comprehensive rural credits' scheme. It will remind parliament of the West Indies trade pact signed last summer, but still awaiting the approval of the House and Senate, and it will, it is expected, reiterate the suggestion made last week by Hon. Charles Murphy, as acting secretary of state, for a conference between the federal and provincial governments to revise the companies and other business legislation. On the tariff question there will be reference to the appointment of an advisory tariff board, as proposed by the government last year, and there will, it is expected, be an intimation that its personnel will be announced at a very early date so that it may commence to function without delay.

Canadian Port Trade.

In general terms there is likely to be forecast a reduction in taxation made possible by the cutting of expenditures. Careful consideration of further means to stimulate the movement of Canadian goods through Canadian ports will be promised. Steady improvement in the position of the Canadian National Railways and the promise of further economies through the operation of the permanent joint committee of the traffic and operating officials of the two main railways will be given some attention. Reference will also be made to the program prepared by the Dominion Railway Board for dealing with the question of freight rate equalization.

**SPECIAL ATTRACTION
AT GAIETY THEATRE**

"The Best People" is the photo play at the Gaiety for Monday and Tuesday featuring a star cast. There is a socially ambitious mother in "The Best People," whose plans for her children go awry and it is somewhat refreshing to find a motion picture showing that the will younger generation sometimes displays better judgment than its parents. The rich woman's daughter insists on marrying an heroic chauffeur and her son prefers a chorus girl. Even a foppish and snobbish brother of hers capitulates to the brazen wiles of a chorine.

Besides Miss Ralston, Edwards Davis, Warner Baxter and Joseph Striker are other skilled members in the cast and Margaret Livingston gives a farcical performance that suggests caricature.

**SPUD MARKET
GOING STRONG**

Fort Fairfield, Me., Jan. 1.—The Aroostook potato market opened firm today with buyers paying \$7 a barrel, cash, bulk barrel measure, at loading stations for Green Mountains No. 1 some sales being reported at \$6.75 or \$4.25 to \$4.35 per hundredweight.

The weather is milder and conditions fairly good for moving stock. Movements are comparatively light with no signs of holders of bulk stocks being anxious to unload. Carload shipments out of the county seem to be slightly increasing.

**WALES MAY WED
THE NIECE OF
SWEDISH KING****Princess Astrid, one of
the Few Eligibles of
Royal Blood Eligible.**

London, Jan. 3.—The matrimonial intentions of Edward, Prince of Wales which for the last decade have interested the subjects of his father, King George, are declared by persons close to the court to be centered on his cousin, the Swedish princess, Astrid, niece the King of Sweden and one of the few daughters of royal blood eligible by religion to become the consort of Britain's heir to the throne.

The source of this information would appear to take the edge off recent general denials that there was a possible heart affair between the Prince of Wales and Princess Astrid and that she contemplated an early visit to England.

To Visit London in Spring.

The Princess is already known and loved by the British reigning family, and it is again asserted that she will pay an official visit to London next spring, which will really allow an opportunity for her kinsfolk to know her better and may bring a royal announcement that his Royal Highness has at last found a Princess of Wales to be. If and when this announcement is made Britain, and in fact the entire world, will be agog to know truly that the 20-year-old Princess of the House of Bernadotte has won this enviable position, in which most of the maidens of royal blood and countless others have been placed in fancy.

All Mentioned.

When he became heir to the throne, Britons began leisurely to look for a bride for him and at one time or another all the princesses of Europe—the German and Austrian prominently in the days before the war—have been mentioned. With the effect of the marriage of the Duke of York and Princess Mary with commoners, the names of many daughters of the peerage have been coupled with his.

Girls of North and South America were also picked by marriage prophets and rumors suggested Megan Lloyd George.

The Prince of Wales is now 31 years of age. Not for hundreds of years has the heir to the British throne reached this age without a wife. Most of the British girls, believed at some time to be on the verge of marriage with the Prince, found mates elsewhere and this, with the collapse of enthusiasm which surrounded the visits of Princesses of Spain, Belgium, Italy and Rumania to England, made many people believe the story that the Prince had decided he would never marry.

It is authoritatively learned that the Prince several years ago informed his family that he did not wish to marry until he had completed tours over the Empire and that he would not take a bride unless he loved her.

Santiago, Chili, Jan. 4.—Indian girls in Ecuador are forsaking the bobbins, hand spindles and crude looms of their Indian ancestors and are leaving their crude mountain homes to work behind modern spinning and weaving machines in the textile mills being constructed in their country. Indeed, the influx of Indian boys and girls at the mills is creating a shortage of domestic help. However, it marks a new economic opportunity for these young people. In the mills they can earn an equivalent of 30 cents a day, American, as against practically no wages when employed as domestics. The youthful workers are said to be industrious and to have a certain aptitude for the work. Still their efficiency is only about one fourth that of textile workers in American and English mills. For this reason only the coarser fabrics are produced. It is not expected that the textile mills in Ecuador will ever weave such fine fabrics as are manufactured in the United States or England.

ARCTIC RINK**HOCKEY****TUESDAY, JAN. 5th****CAMPBELLTON**

vs.

FREDERICTON

Northern Hockey League

Decisive Game

Starts at 8 p. m. Sharp

SKATING AFTER THE GAME

**FOSTER WAS
REELECTED TO
THE MAYORALTY**

Toronto, Jan. 1.—Responding to the advice of the Municipal Research Bureau to "vote as you like, but vote," the electors of Toronto today polled the largest mayoralty vote the city has ever known as re-elected Thomas Foster as chief magistrate by a majority of 8,810 over the combined vote of his two opponents, Former Councillor Robert H. Cameron and Samuel Fieldhouse. The vote was: Foster, 47,771; Cameron, 38,045, and Fieldhouse, 916. Mayor Foster's plurality over Cameron was 9,726. The total mayoralty vote was 86,732 as compared with the previous high record of 82,531, two years ago.

The citizens selected Joseph Gibbons, Samuel McBride, Albert B. Hacker and Donald C. MacGregor in the order named as the board of control for 1926, which, with one exception is the same as that of 1925. McBride takes the place of William D. Robbins, who was dropped by the electors.

**A LIFE SAVING
INCIDENT IS
RECALLED**

Mr. Joseph Thorburn a veteran and esteemed resident of Stanley on learning yesterday of the death of Mr. Nathaniel C. Sutherland, promptly made the trip to Fredericton to attend the funeral. Mr. Thorburn and Mr. Sutherland were boys together and had been life long friends. An incident which occurred here sixty-three years ago no doubt had a tendency to strengthen their friendship. They, with a number of other boys, were skating on the river near the site of the present highway bridge, when Sutherland had the misfortune to glide into an air-hole. Thorburn went promptly to his assistance and after a hard struggle at the risk of his own life succeeded in rescuing him in an exhausted condition. Several months elapsed before Sutherland recovered from the effects of the shock and exposure.

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Sweaters, Mackinaw Shirts and Mackinaw Coats		
Handkerchiefs	-	10c to 75c
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Corsets	-	.98 to \$3.00
Ladies' Fancy Umbrellas		\$2.50 to \$4.75

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