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LOWER TAXES

"We felt the necessity of reducing taxation," said W. L. MacKenzie King Jan. 21st, 1935.

Taxes were reduced by the Liberal Government of Mr. King: Tariffs were reduced, Sales Taxes were reduced from six per cent to one per cent; taxes on lower incomes were reduced; postage was reduced from three cents to two cents; taxes on cheques and receipts were reduced; nuisance taxes were abolished.

Taxes were raised by the Conservative Government of Mr. Bennett: Tariffs were raised sky-high; sales taxes were raised from one per cent to six per cent; taxes on lower incomes were raised; postage was raised from two cents to three cents; taxes on cheques were raised; special excise taxes were imposed; nuisance taxes of many kinds were levied; a tax of two cents per pound was levied on sugar.

In the seven years from 1924 to 1930 Liberal Budgets showed total surpluses of \$228,000,000. In the five years from 1930 to 1935 Conservative Budgets showed total deficits of \$669,000,000. Think it over.

WAR CRISIS AT HAND

Dispatches from Geneva indicate that a showdown on the question of war in Ethiopia is expected this week. The League, it is said, will lay several plans before Premier Mussolini. The pessimists say he will reject them all, and that the League Council will then begin to talk about what the various nations will do if Italy begins hostilities.

Events are not likely to flow so swiftly, however. Even agreeing that Mussolini will reject "with scorn" any and all proposals made to him, negotiations need not be closed. The hope of a peaceful arrangement need not be abandoned until Italian troops cross the border into Ethiopia and shots are fired. And there seems no particular reason for hurrying that action.

It is greatly to be doubted if Il Duce wants war for the sake of war. There is no good reason to believe that if negotiations can give him enough of a success to enable him to boast of Italy's power, he will still demand bloodshed that can so easily lead to a European convulsion. But there is also no good reason to believe that he will snap at the first offer. As long as no guns are fired, he has time at his disposal. He can string diplomacy along for weeks, if he so desires; and if he thinks that by so doing he can get his price, such deliberation may be worth while.

If Mussolini hoped for nothing from the League, it is hard to explain why he sent Baron Aloisi to Geneva to present Italy's case before the Council, or why Aloisi has been allowed to continue attending meetings of the Assembly. He could have announced Italy's resignation from the League, and thus have attempted to divide its counsels, several weeks ago. He has waited, and has seen the members of the League, without a dissenting expression, line up against him—and still he does not withdraw.

What can that mean, except that he hopes for a settlement arranged under League auspices? Mussolini is not the statesman to make a capital error, but it would appear that he has made one by letting all the greater and most of the lesser League members declare their support of the Covenant, instead of defying them before they could pluck up courage and determination to unite against his adventure in Africa—unless he hopes and expects that an offer will be made him which he can accept.

Taking the view that Mussolini still knows what he is about, we are unable to believe that even if he rejects the first proposals which the League will make, Il Duce will be in a hurry to invade Ethiopia. The rains continue; it may be weeks before the hillsides are dry. Troops are still moving from Italy, and supplies, and it will be well to keep the Suez Canal

open as long as possible. There may be a decision before Christmas, but we certainly do not look for the doors of the Temple of Janus to be thrown open by next week-end.

NEW ZEALAND UP FROM DEPTHS

Of all the Dominions, New Zealand follows most closely in its policies the example of the Motherland. And now it is able to announce that it is treading closely on the heels of the Old Country in its recovery from depression. The Finance Minister presented in the House of Representatives yesterday a budget that affords conclusive proof of returning prosperity. The salary cuts are restored; pensions are increased; taxes are cut down; a comprehensive housing scheme is to be put into operation, and more than \$100,000,000 spent on new public works.

Better still, the Minister declares that the nation has solved its fundamental economic problems and has emerged from the depression without any accumulated debt. He also says the recent arrangement with Great Britain over the meat export ensures good prospects for the coming season, taken in conjunction with rising prices for wood and dairy produce. He has cheered the public by announcing a reduction in the national debt of no less than \$110,000,000, a 10 to 15 per cent increase in factory production, 17 per cent more in sales taxes, 6 per cent in railway revenue, and 27 per cent in land transfers.

He is able to finance the \$100,000,000 public works programme without raising a loan. He considers he is justified in budgeting, in the circumstances, for a small deficit. Evidently, New Zealand is on the upgrade definitely, feels herself secure again, and intends to go ahead with her development at the point where her advanced social legislation was arrested by depression. It is a pretty good record with which to face the electors.

SNAPSHOTS

The provincial government and the local members for York deserve credit from the upriver residents and the people generally for having that very dangerous "bad mile curve" at French Village straightened out. It has been a menace for years. Good work, boys. Many people will breathe easier now that the way is being made straight.

The rubble brigade has gathered together again for the fall operations. There are some new recruits and they paraded up past the Court House this morning at eleven o'clock.

Abyssinia—I'll be seeing you."

The married man—we suppose there are more than one—but the one from out of town, should not blow that horn quite so loudly when he calls for the other fellow's wife. He might wake hubbie up and then there would be trouble.

Eight o'clock is rather early to make these kind of calls.

Conservative advertising still displays in large type the admonition: "Vote for Bennett." But what about the poor electors who have been advised by billboard publicity to "Vote Conservative?"

Of one thing Premier Aberhart of Alberta may be sure: He will have plenty of "explaining" to do, now and later on, before and after taking Social Credit medicine, as it were.

The Meaford Mirror puts it this way: "How long does a promise last? In 1930 Mr. Bennett said he would stop unemployment. In 1935 Mr. Bennett says he will stop unemployment. If it takes five years to do nothing, how long will it take to do something?"

The lady who thought that the Editor of this paper was a preacher has another think coming. Ours is the written word.

A well known local man tells us that there is another House of Iniquity at the lower end of the city. He does not state that he ever called there.

HERE FOR FISHING

A. H. Seaver, general passenger traffic manager of the New York-New Haven and Hartford Railway, accompanied by Mrs. Seaver, arrived here last night by auto and will go to the mouth of Cain's river for a few days' fishing. Messrs. Wade and Allen will guide the railway official and his wife. Mr. Seaver is an annual visitor but it is Mrs. Seaver's first visit to this province.

LIGHTNING SHARP HERE LAST NIGHT

A belated thunder and lightning storm, almost summer-like in its intensity passed over the capital city during the late hours of last evening. The lightning was vivid and the thunder heavy but no damage was reported from this locality. The storm passed along the Nashwaak valley, where it spent most of its fury. It was the first thunder and lightning storm in over a month and was accompanied by a heavy shower of rain.

Central New Brunswick was plunged into a general rainstorm during most of today. This afternoon rain fell abundantly in this city. A total of about one inch fell during last night and today in this part of the province. Telegraph, telephone and electric lines were untouched save in the outlying county districts.

Conservatives Hold Meeting at Brockway

(Continued from Page One) was the chairman of the meeting and spoke briefly in introducing the speakers.

Dr. Dougan expressed his belief that never had the people of York-Sunbury a better representative in the Federal house, for Mr. Hanson has succeeded in bringing to this constituency one of the most important portfolios in the Dominion Cabinet, a recognition which has never before been secured to this constituency. He indicated that Mr. Hanson's period of service at Ottawa has been most beneficial and asked the electors to accept him again as their representative.

Mr. Hubbard spoke on Conservative policies, dealing particularly with the matter of tariffs in relation to agriculture. He claimed that trade markets for Canadian agricultural produce was lost between the years 1921 and 1930 when the Liberal party was in power. During this period, he said, agricultural trade with the United States shrank from one hundred and nineteen million dollars to three million dollars. He claimed also that the Conservative administration had replaced this lost market through the Empire Trade Agreements through which our agricultural exports to Great Britain had been increased to 50 per cent. He concluded that the future of agriculture in this country depended on Conservative policies.

CAPTURE 28 BEAVER Eight Indians Engaged In Hunt At Cypress Hills Park

REGINA, Saskatchewan, Sept. 20—Twenty-eight beaver have been captured in Cypress Hills park and shipped to Moose Jaw in connection with the new Indian beaver industry. Eight Indians, under Dominion government instructions, are at the park at present trapping beaver in the lakes there, for this purpose. The forest ranger helps arrange for the Indians' provisions. After breaking their journey at Moose Jaw, the beaver will be sent on to such places as is desired by the Indian department.

FOR BICYCLE THEFT

Vaughan McLeod, aged 18, pleaded guilty to the charge of theft of a bicycle from Moncton when he appeared before the local magistrate this week. He was remanded until Monday for sentence. Young McLeod cycled into the city yesterday and was forthwith arrested. The local police received a report from Moncton at 12.30 noon that the bicycle was stolen and twenty minutes later McLeod was under arrest.

WINNER OF MATTRESS

Miss M. M. McGee of 104 Charlotte street, is the winner of the fine Marshall mattress given away by Colwell & Jennings Ltd., at the Fredericton Exhibition this year.

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THINK NATIONALLY NOT PROVINCIALY SAYS SEN. FALLIS

TORONTO, Ont., Sept. 20 — "We would avoid many pitfalls by thinking nationally rather than provincially", Senator Ivy Campbell Fallis told the opening tea of the season of the Canadian Women's Press Club, Toronto branch.

It was to be regretted no woman had followed Agnes MacPhail through "the door she has opened". The reason was the majority of Canadian women were not sufficiently interested, she said.

In addressing the Toronto local council of women, Senator Fallis told them: "In the interests of women themselves lie the achievement of the ideals of Canadian women".

Senator Fallis urged women themselves to accept responsibility for the lack of their numbers in public life.

A step toward the time, when Toronto women would select their own slate for civic elections was taken by the council in endorsing the principle of the council's "selecting and sponsoring candidates", for civic election.

HUEY LONG'S REGIME WEAKENS

NEW ORLEANS, La., September 20 — A political coup executed early yesterday by Lieutenant-Governor James A. Noe and Wade O. Martin, chairman of the Louisiana Public Service Commission, apparently let down the bars in the old Long machine and now it is everybody for himself.

While the Long lieutenants were squabbling over candidates for the ticket for the January election, Noe and Martin took the bull by the horns and formally announced for Governor and United States senator, respectively.

The announcement broke like a thunderclap over the Long camp and sent the captain, Governor O. K. Allen, into a spin. At first he would not believe it as he had thought he had the machine under control and that a slate of candidates would be chosen in orderly fashion at a caucus.

But shortly after the announcements were made both Noe and Martin walked into the Governor's office and told him the facts. They both left smiling and pleased and Governor Allen left by a rear door.

The Governor plainly was shocked by the rebellion within his ranks and other lieutenants expressed anger.

A few hours later candidates for the lesser state offices almost fell over each other making their announcements.

LEAVING CITY

Mrs. M. H. Winchester who has been conducting a private hotel and tea room at Lynnwood Lodge, expects to leave with her family next week for Digby, where she will in future reside.

CONSERVATIVE MEETINGS

all at 8 o'clock p.m.  
Friday, 20th Sept.  
W. I. Hall — Millville  
Speakers—Hon. R. B. Hanson, K.C.  
Mr. E. C. Atkinson  
Orange Hall — Hawkshaw  
Saturday, 21st Sept.  
Agricultural Hall, Fredericton Jct.  
Speakers—Hon. R. B. Hanson, K.C.  
Mr. E. C. Atkinson

Monday 23rd Sept.  
Orange Hall — McAdam  
Hon. R. B. Hanson and Others  
Schoolhouse — Springfield

Tuesday 24th Sept.  
Agricultural Hall — Hoyt  
Hon. R. B. Hanson and A. D. Taylor  
Hanson's Hall — Barker's Point  
Orange Hall — Rusagornish

Wednesday 25th Sept.  
Memorial Hall — Harvey Station  
Hon. R. B. Hanson and Others  
Agricultural Hall — Mouth of Keswick  
Orange Hall — Nasonworth

Thursday 26th Sept.  
Schoolhouse — Hanwell  
Public Hall — Meductic

Friday 27th Sept.  
The Hall — Lakeville Corner  
Hon. R. B. Hanson and Others  
McGinley Hall — Kingsclear  
Nortondale

Saturday 28th Sept.  
Orange Hall — Cross Creek  
The Hall — Napadogan  
Hon. R. B. Hanson and E. C. Atkinson  
Orange Hall — Canterbury Station

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HERE THURS. - FRI. - SAT.  
Just What the Doctor Ordered!  
**Laurel Hardy**  
**Bonnie Scotland**  
60 minutes of joy! Presented by Hal Roach. 8 reels of hilarious laughs! A million laughs in all languages—as MacLaurel and MacHardy do their stuff—and nonsense! Hoot mon! DON'T MISS IT!  
Also opening chapter of new SERIAL  
**Ken Maynard**  
and his Wonder Horse Tarzan  
—in—  
**'MYSTERY MOUNTAIN'**  
HERE MONDAY!  
JOAN BLONDELL  
GLENDA FARRELL  
—in—  
**"WE'RE IN THE MONEY"**

**LIBERAL MEETINGS**  
The public are cordially invited to hear the issues of the Federal Election discussed. Chair taken at 8 p.m.  
Friday, Sept. 20th  
New Maryland (Victoria Hall) York Mills  
Saturday, Sept. 21st  
Durham Bridge (Orange Hall) Brewer's Mills (Schoolhouse)  
Monday, Sept. 23rd  
Nashwaak Bridge (I.O.O.F. Hall) Estey Bridge (Schoolhouse)  
Special Meeting  
SATURDAY, SEPT. 28th, HON. MITCHELL F. HEPBURN, PREMIER OF ONTARIO, IN FREDERICTON O P E R A HOUSE at 2.30 p.m.  
ABNER B. BELYEA, Secretary York-Sunbury Liberal Association.

**Diphtheria Prevention**  
The DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH will hold TOXOID CLINICS for the IMMUNIZATION of children AGAINST DIPHTHERIA beginning the week of SEPTEMBER 22nd, in the schools of the COUNTY of SUNBURY, Parishes of Blissville, Gladstone, Burton and Lincoln and in the Schools in the COUNTY of YORK, Parishes of New Maryland, Kingsclear, Prince William (part) and Manners Sutton (part).  
ALL CHILDREN SIX MONTHS OF AGE OR OVER SHOULD BE INNOCULATED.  
See your local teacher for time and place of Clinic.  
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ALSO PLAYING  
PATSY KELLY — THELMA TODD  
—in—  
**"TWIN TRIPLETS"**  
HERE MONDAY AND TUESDAY NEXT WEEK  
HELEN HAYES  
ROBERT MONTGOMERY  
—in—  
**"VANESSA"**  
**Reconstruction Party Meeting**  
ST. MARY'S PARISH HALL, DEVON  
**Friday, Sept. 20th**  
at 8 p.m.  
Speakers:  
E. O. MacDONALD and others.  
G. L. D. BLISS,  
County Secretary.  
BRIDGE SMOKER ENJOYED  
An enjoyable bridge-smoker was put on by the Liberal Association of this city for party workers last night in the Liberal committee rooms, many attending. Twenty one tables of bridge were in play. The prize winners were as follows: First, Waldo Jones; second, Stanley Hamilton; third, G. R. Thompson; consolation, E. Trail; chair prize, Roland Staples.  
It pays to advertise in The Daily Mail.