

Seed Growers of Dominion To Meet in Maritimes

Second Time Organization Meets in Maritime Provinces

Convention to Open in Fredericton

Purpose to Study Problems That Beset Seed Growers in Canada

The programme for an annual meeting of more than usual interest to the Maritimes has just been published by the Canadian Seed Growers' Association. It tells that this Dominion-wide organization is coming to the Maritimes in July, 1936, for the second time in history. In 1930 the association held its annual meeting at Wolfville, N. S. This year the programme of events will be carried through, partly in New Brunswick and partly in Nova Scotia.

On July 9 and 10, delegates will foregather from all parts of Canada at the Dominion Experimental Station, Fredericton, N. B., and on the latter date will leave for Deep Brook, N. S., by way of Saint John and Digby. On July 11 a meeting will be held with the swede turnip seed growers in the Deep Brook area. Following this meeting, the Nova Scotia Department of Agriculture has kindly arranged a choice of three attractive trips through Nova Scotia for the purpose of enabling seed growers from other parts of Canada to get acquainted with the Province.

The complete programme, which, by the way, is published in both English and French, besides setting out the items of business of the association contains an entire day devoted to a symposium on C.S.G.A. work. This includes instructive addresses by men prominent in pure seed production in Canada and time is allowed for organized discussion on these addresses. The date set for this interesting programme is July 10 at Fredericton, N. B. At Deep Brook, N. S., the subject of the addresses will deal, in the main with root seed production. Time is being allowed also on this programme for organized discussion.

The Canadian Seed Growers' Association is, perhaps, less known at the present time in the Maritimes than in any other part of Canada. Its work, however, is expanding and growing steadily and some of the benefits of its educational activities have been enjoyed by Maritimes people.

For over three decades the Canadian Seed Growers' Association has been "making haste slowly" in its work of supervising the production of pure-to-variety crops in Canada. From a very small but enthusiastic beginning in 1900, a boys' and girls' seed competition called the Macdonald-Robertson Seed Competition started off with \$100 prize money, and, within four years, developed into the Canadian Seed Growers' Association. The "Macdonald" was Sir William C. Macdonald and the "Robertson" was Dr. Jas. W. Robertson, LL.D., C.M.G., who, as president, was the active head of the association for 18 years, and was honorary president at the time of his death in 1930.

The main object of the association has always been to encourage seed growers and farmer members to maintain a high standard of excellence.

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R.C.M.P. HEADQUARTERS WILL REMAIN AT FREDERICTON

A report has been published in the Moncton paper to the effect that the headquarters of "J" Division, R.C.M.P., were to be removed from Fredericton and established in Moncton. Speaking to The Daily Mail today Major E. C. P. Salt, superintendent of the division, stated that he knew nothing whatever regarding this rumor and that he was not in a position to give any further statement or opinion in the matter. He stated, however, that the whole matter would rest with the recommendation of the provincial authorities.

Hon. J. B. McNair, K.C., attorney-general, when spoken to this morning stated that he also believed that this

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PARLIAMENT EXPECTED TO PROROGUE TODAY

OTTAWA, June 22—The expectation is that parliament will prorogue here today.

The Senate and the House of Commons had the legislative mill in high gear over the week-end and with a breather today have every expectation of ending the session tomorrow. It will be the end of the first session since the King government returned to office last October.

When members of the House locked their desks Saturday night after a 12-hour day they had cleared the order paper of all legislation, leaving only money appropriations to pass tomorrow.

PERMANENT APPOINTMENT

Friends here will learn with pleasure of the permanent appointment of Lee McCutcheon of this city as Indian agent here. Mr. McCutcheon succeeded to B. J. Griffiths some time ago in a temporary capacity and his good work has merited his permanent appointment by the Department of Indian Affairs at Ottawa.

DOESN'T "REACT," HE THINKS, SAYS GOV.-GENERAL

QUEBEC, June 20—Preservation of the English and French languages as "two of the greatest heritages given the human race" was urged today by Lord Tweedsmuir.

The Governor-General, addressing members of the Canadian Club agreed changes to a language were necessary, but the changes must be confined to fixed limits. He did not hold that writing should be formal and pedantic, "but once we forget structure, what the French call ordonnance, the virtue goes out of our speech."

Three dangers beset the language today, he said: jargon, semi-scientific phrases and the "jazz" style, which forgets that all good writing and speaking must have structure and shape and must obey certain rules.

One of the common habits was the use of semi-scientific phrases, "especially the terms of psycho-analysis." It meant an end to the expression of clear meaning, he said.

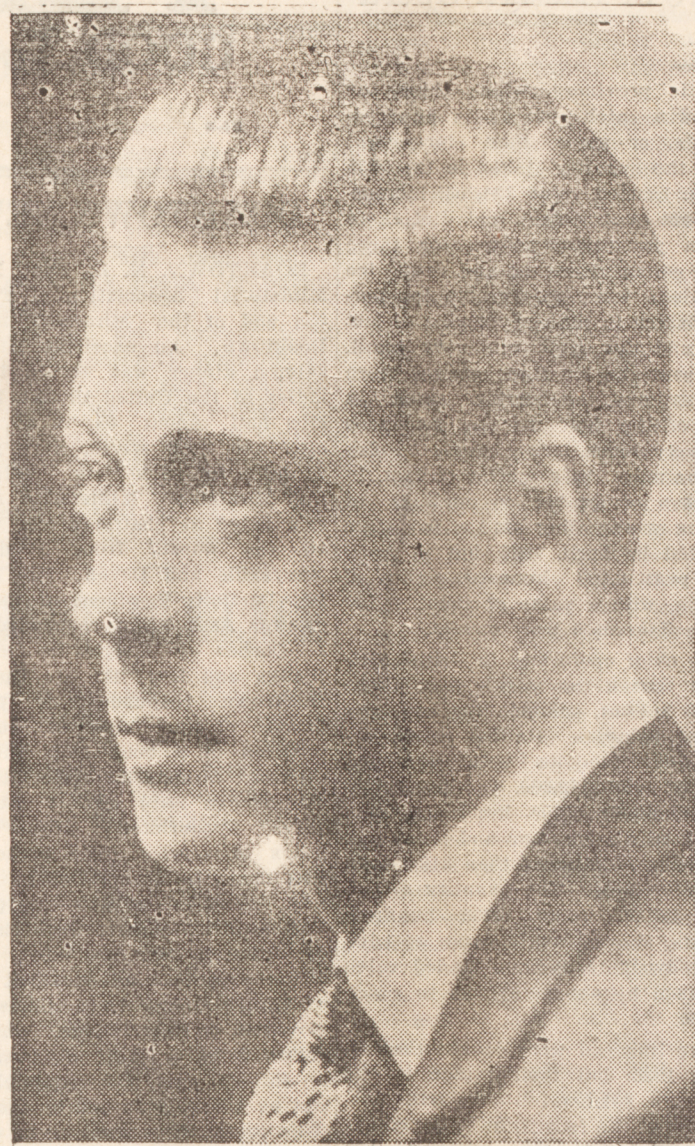
"The worst of these abstract phrases is that they are ineffective and obscure, for they are incapable of precise definition, and their use by writers and speakers is merely a cloak for confusion of thought and intellectual laziness."

Buy New Car

The Police Commission have purchased a new car for the use of the police force, the purchase being made through the Valley Motor Co. Ltd. Under the system that prevails with the Police Commission the public is not informed of the price.

Dr. and Mrs. Kurt Passoth of New York, and two children, Margaret and Ann arrived today to spend a few weeks with Mrs. Passoth's parents, Rev. and Mrs. D. R. Chown, University Avenue.

Runaway Sale by the Catholic Women's League at St. Dunstan's Hall, Regent street on Saturday, June 27. Don't forget it!



HIS MAJESTY KING EDWARD VIII.

THE KING

Tomorrow the British Empire will celebrate the birthday of our King, Edward VIII. From no part of the Empire will the congratulations and best wishes be more sincere than from Canada.

The British Empire in the last hundred years has been blessed in her sovereigns. The fact that our Crown and Empire has stood, whilst all other monarchies have toppled and fallen with the changing years, is in a large measure due to the exalted character of monarchs who have occupied the throne. Sovereigns such as Queen Victoria, Edward VII, George V and Edward VIII have endeared themselves to their people. This fact was amply demonstrated last January on the death of our beloved King George.

The present King may well be depended upon to carry out the traditions of his worthy ancestors. That he will long be spared to carry out the duties of his high office as head of the British Empire will be the sincere wish of his subjects.

LONG MAY HE REIGN

JUDGMENT HITS MANY INDUSTRIES

OTTAWA, June 20—Some of Ontario's largest industries will be adversely affected by the decision of the Supreme Court of Canada today that Section 14 of the Dominion Trade and Industry Board Act is invalid.

This is the opinion of Government authorities, who point out that the rubber, drug and plumbing industries among others, were relying upon that section of the act which permits them to enter into agreements for the elimination of wasteful and demoralizing competition.

The act provides that when such agreements were approved by the Dominion Trade and Industry Commission no prosecution could be launched against the industries concerned under the Combines Investigation Act of Section 498 of the Criminal Code, without the consent of the Trade and Industry Commission.

Several of the largest industries in Toronto already had filed applications with the Dominion Trade and Industry Board indicating that they proposed to take advantage of the legislation which permitted combines to prevent "wasteful and demoralizing competition."

J. J. Burns, local fur dealer, left Saturday night for Montreal, to attend the Montreal fur sales. He has raw furs on sale there. Mrs. Slipp, of Woodstock, also has furs in the Montreal sales.

ENJOY VISIT IN THE ROCKIES

(Special To The Daily Mail)

BANFF, June 22—Growing trade relations between Canada and Japan tend inevitably to strengthen the bonds of peace and friendship between the two countries in the opinion of Baron K. Okura, who with the Baroness Okura and their party are guests at Banff Springs hotel in the Canadian Rockies on their way to London and the Continent. "Japan is following the natural course of trade in her dealings with Canada," said the Baron, "in extensive buying of your raw materials to be used in our rapidly expanding manufacturing industries and thence exported further west and south. My people are clever with their hands and are gifted in reproducing for extensive markets elsewhere goods that find ready sale. We also are getting up a system resembling barter with Canada whereby we are naturally strengthening the friendly relations between the two countries."

Baron Okura is the owner of the Imperial Hotel at Tokyo and stands sponsor for many other modern hostels throughout Japan all of them of the most modern type. "Hotels are my hobby, just as other men build country houses," he said.

This interesting man of prosperity from the Orient has with him Mr. Yabe a consulting architect whose immediate interest is a comparative study of modern hotel systems. Both are keenly interested in the Canadian

HARRY W. WOODS DIES AT WELSFORD

Was Former Superintendent Postal Services in New Brunswick

Many Fredericton friends received with a shock yesterday the news that Harry W. Woods had passed away at his home at Welsford, after an illness of only two days. On Friday last the word came that Mr. Woods had suffered a paralytic stroke but even then his friends here did not imagine that his condition was so serious. Mr. Woods has not been in the best of health for three or four years but was able to move around and last fall in company with Hon. R. B. Hanson, K.C., went to Florida where he spent the winter months. He had intended to take a trip to the Tobique this week to enjoy his annual fishing cruise on those waters. During his residence in this city Mr. Woods took an active interest in community affairs in addition to his fraternal affiliations. He was connected with the A. & B. Club, the City Club, and various other organizations. Today the flag at the A. & B. Club is flying at half mast in honor of the late Mr. Woods who was an immediate past president of that organization.

Harry Wellington Woods, former legislator, councillor and director of postal services in New Brunswick, prominent in fraternal circles and beloved resident of Welsford and Fredericton, was born in December, 1864, the son of Hon. Frank Woods, widely known in the public life of this province a generation ago, and Jane Eliza Armstrong. From October 1895 to 1908 he served as a councillor of Queens county being warden from 1904 to 1907. He was elected to the provincial Legislature as the representative of Queens county and served from 1908 to 1916.

In 1917 he succeeded Dr. N. R. Coulter as postal inspector for New Brunswick. He became acting district superintendent in 1921 and was appointed district superintendent in 1923. It was while he was engaged in this service that he lived for a few years in Fredericton. He retired in 1929.

He later came to Fredericton in the provincial government service and remained here until he was requested to resign his position last fall owing to a change of government. He then took a trip to Florida last fall in company with Hon. R. B. Hanson, K.C., and remained there until a month or two ago when he returned to his former home in Welsford.

Fraternal activities claimed a large share of his life. He was prominent in the Masonic Order, Knights of Pythias, and was at one time High Chief Ranger of the Independent Order of Foresters for New Brunswick. He held membership in the Union Club, Saint John, and was also active in the Automobile and Boating Club. Of the Anglican faith, he took a large share in the work of Christchurch Cathedral. During late years he has devoted himself to his merchandise and lumbering business interests.

In 1899 Mr. Woods married Miss Hannah Zaida Gorham, and she survives him. Besides his widow he leaves two sons, F. C. Woods, Montreal, and H. D. Woods, Toronto; two daughters, Mrs. E. S. Fellows, Ottawa, and Miss Doris, Montreal. He is also survived by one brother, W. F. Woods, of Welsford, and a grandson, Frederick Douglas, Vancouver.

The funeral will be held Tuesday at 3 p.m., A.S.T., from St. Luke's Church, Welsford, where the service will be conducted by Rev. R. E. J. Britton. Interment will be made in Welsford cemetery.

Pacific masterpiece of Mount Rundle Stone. "Grand is the only word that applies here in this superb setting of mountain magnificence," was his comment. Other resorts may be aptly described as beautiful, but the word is quite inadequate in this place.

Baron Okura's family in their native costumes of rich and lovely silks of exquisite design lent color and character to their surroundings as they strolled through the hotel on their arrival last night. They leave by motor for Chateau Lake Louise and Emerald Lake today and will return to follow some of the mountain trails and visit the fishing haunts near Banff before leaving on June 22nd, for Montreal and the seaboard. They sail on the Empress of Britain from Quebec June 27th. In London they will be guests of Baron De Rothschild, a Cambridge classmate of Baron Okura in 1904-06 and because of old associations are preferring the all-British itinerary for their eastward journey.

Campaign Against Estate Succession Duty Evasion

Estates Reopened, Millions Returned to Ontario Treasury

Undervaluation and Omission of Assets

Nuisances and Unfair Reckonings Alleged by Estate Holders

MEXICAN FAMILY CHARGED WITH SAYING PRAYERS

MEXICO CITY, June 22—Information has been received from Vera Cruz regarding the illegal and shocking procedure of local officials in that city. A group of city police raided the domicile of the Lizandro Rocherol family. Senor Rocherol, his wife and daughter and several persons found with them are under arrest charged with praying.

The police, having searched the home, without judicial order, found a crucifix, statues of saints and some prayer books which are to be used as evidence against those arrested.

There is no law, municipal, state or federal that prohibits family prayer within the home.

The excesses of the Federal office at Hacienda in Puebla in nationalizing alleged clerical property has called forth criticism in the press of the capital. In Puebla the fact that any family has a priest as lodger is considered sufficient ground for the seizure of the property. The interpretation that this office has given to the Law for the Nationalization of Property invites false and vindictive denunciation which has thrown the community into a state of alarm.

CANADIAN LEGION CELEBRATES 10TH ANNIVERSARY

Over 100 legionnaires from several points in the province were present yesterday at Welsford for the celebration of the 10th anniversary of the Canadian Legion. W. C. Lawson, of Minto, provincial president, was in charge of the proceedings.

An inspiring sermon was preached by the provincial chaplain, Rev. R. E. J. Britton, in which he outlined the aims of the legion and told of its activities. He expressed the desire that all returned soldiers, not already affiliated with the legion, would enroll themselves in its ranks as soon as possible. He paid tribute to the group of men who had been instrumental in founding the Legion.

Jellicoe's Message
Mr. Britton read a message from the late Lord Jellicoe, as follows: "In all ranks of the Legion there exists unwavering loyalty to King and Country, a fine spirit of comradeship and earnest intentions to do all that lies in their power to right the wrongs and alleviate the distress, which the aftermath of war has brought in its train."

ARRIVES HERE

W. G. Clark, M.P., arrived here from Ottawa yesterday, having completed his first session as a member of the dominion parliament.

ARREST PROBABLE IN TWELVE DROWNINGS

Injured Hand

A. G. Flewelling, of Saint John, injured his hand in escaping from a burning truck one day last week. He was bringing the truck from Tay Creek when it caught fire and he had to break the door glass to escape.

IS BETTER TODAY

Louis Gullison, of Stanley, who was injured in an auto accident which occurred a short distance from Stanley on Friday night, was reported to be resting fairly comfortably at the Victoria Hospital today, after a comfortable night.

TORONTO, June 22—Ontario's treasury has been "defrauded" of 30 to 50 millions of dollars of succession duties in recent years as a result of under-valuation of estates.

This is one of the startling recent statements of Premier Mitchell F. Hepburn in connection with the treasury drive now under way to collect estate duties, a campaign that has uncovered fabulous revenues for the province and disclosed a series of illegal attempts to evade estate taxes.

As an illustration it is understood that from six of the estates that have been re-opened by the treasury for investigation nearly four million dollars in additional succession duties were collected.

Or the proof can be found in other figures. Already the government is well on the way to ten million dollars in collections from estates that slipped through the treasury in previous years. In only eleven months of its last fiscal year the province collected more in succession duties than in any previous full year. For April and May 1936, collections were three times as high as in the same two months of 1935.

Two Lines of Pursuit

Two lines of pursuit are being followed by the treasury in its campaign. First redemptions of the few remaining duty-free bonds, second, continuation of investigations into estates that have gone through the department in the past.

The re-opening of one estate alone brought the province additional duties of over 1½ million dollars. In this case, government officials found under-valuation or omission of assets at the time of the original settlement. Additional duty of close to one million dollars was claimed. Addition of 100 per cent penalty for non-disclosure brought the total over 1½ million dollars.

When confronted with this claim, it is understood that executors as much as told the province to whistle for it. The government retorted that it could and would put the executors in jail. They paid.

This was the case in which it was necessary to carry the bonds sent up as collateral surety for a later cash payment to the Ontario legislative buildings in an armored car. When the securities were stacked on treasury desks they were piled like cordwood.

"Crime Doesn't Pay"

In the case of another estate that was re-opened recently, the treasury showed that \$400,000 of assets had been concealed at the time of probate. Had the duty been paid on the concealed assets at the proper time, the additional tax would have been only about \$30,000.

When the concealment was discovered, the province claimed penalties as well as the unpaid duty on the \$400,000. The total claim which was paid to the government, was over \$400,000, or more than the entire amount that had been concealed.

Alleged Nuisances

Remarkably little complaint has (Continued on Page Five)

EAST MACHIAS, Me., June 22—Washington County authorities yesterday exonerated Calvin London, 56-year old Lubec cripple, of any criminal negligence in connection with the drowning of 12 young picnickers when his frail boat capsized yesterday in Gardner Lake.

MACHIAS, Me., June 20—Authorities contemplated criminal action yesterday against the owner of a small boat that capsized in Gardner's Lake Friday, drowning 12 children.

O. F. Larson, county medical examiner, said the boat, a 15-foot outboard motor craft, was so "shamefully" overloaded with 16 children that it shipped enough water to sink (Continued on Page Five)