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Striving to Guard Safety of Investor

Ontario Securities Commissioner Outlines Plans to Circumvent Crooked Sale of Stocks in Ontario.

Investigate before you invest is the sound advice of J. M. Godfrey, K.C., Securities Commissioner of Ontario. "I intend to confine the brokerage business to honest people," stated Mr. Godfrey in a recent interview with a representative of The Advance. "High pressure salesmen and vendors of dishonest securities will do well to give Ontario a wide berth in the future," continued Mr. Godfrey. "We have laws with plenty of sharp teeth in them and I intend to enforce them. Ontario investors will have every protection that my department can give them. To date we have put into force several measures that have made themselves felt, and we intend to persevere until every broker with shady business deals, decides to either turn honest or get out of business."

Mr. Godfrey is a big man physically, with quiet unobtrusive manner, but with a forceful, dominant personality. Before his present appointment he was a prominent legal counsel, famous for his knowledge of criminal and business law. Since his appointment by the Hepburn Government, Mr. Godfrey has laboured to put his department on a really efficient footing and from what

it has accomplished to date it would appear that it has more than made its presence felt.

"Do you employ investigators?" Mr. Godfrey was asked. "We do," he replied, "and are kept very busy. I can assure you, but they are handicapped at times by lack of the very thing we need most, viz. information. The need of active co-operation on the part of the general public in supplying information is vital to the success of the department, and thank heaven I have at last obtained the necessary means to get it. We now have the earnest co-operation of the Attorney-General's department, and if the average citizen will only exercise this new privilege, we can drive every dishonest promoter and stock salesman out of the province and assure the average investor at least a run for his money."

The Hon. Arthur Roebuck, Attorney-General of Ontario, has placed yet another weapon in the hands of the Security Commission that should prove effective. In the future investors who feel that fraudulent means have been used to obtain their money, or who are suspicious or aware of the fraudulence of the proposition submitted to them, have only to get in touch with the crown attorney of their town or city and the matter will have his preferred attention and in turn will be promptly reported to the commissioner in Toronto, and an investigation made.

"We earnestly trust that the investing public in Ontario will take full advantage of this new order," said Mr. Godfrey. "We try hard to keep posted on the activities of the stock and pro-

mation crooks, but they are a mighty slippery crowd." If you feel you have had a raw deal or that one is about to be, or has been submitted to you get in touch with your crown attorney, and he will give you prompt and efficient action. "It is not possible for us to recover money invested in the past," concluded Mr. Godfrey, "that has mostly gone beyond recall, but now and in the future we will get the crook before he gets the money, that is providing we get the necessary information."

Letters have been forwarded to every crown attorney in Ontario, by the Attorney-General advising them to co-operate with the commissioner and instructing them to receive and take necessary action in complaints. In addition an advertising campaign is being conducted through 200 Ontario dailies and weeklies, to acquaint the general public with the new order.

Annual Statement the Dominion Bank

Bank in Particularly Strong Liquid Position. Earnings Increase. Circulation Expands.

The shareholders of The Dominion Bank were presented with a very satisfactory statement of the bank's affairs at the 64th annual meeting held in Toronto on January 30th.

The statement naturally gave a reflection of the increasing business activity in Canada and the improvement evident during the latter half of 1934.

The most notable features of the statement were the particularly strong liquid position, the increase in deposits and the expansion in circulation.

The net earnings for the year amounted to \$1,151,561 compared with \$1,139,202 a year ago. After providing \$700,000 for dividends, making a contribution of \$50,000 to Officers' Pension Fund, providing \$245,762 for Dominion and Provincial Government taxes and writing \$50,000 off bank premises account, \$106,000 was added to the profit and loss account which now stands at \$541,143.

The particularly strong liquid position of the bank is shown in both cash assets and immediately available assets. Cash assets stand at \$21,764,316, over \$5,000,000 greater than a year ago, when they were 15.66 p. c. of public liabilities. This year they are 19.97 p. c. of liabilities to the public. Immediately available assets are \$66,496,474 as against \$58,557,698 in the previous annual statement. They are now 31.02 p. c. of the bank's liabilities to the public.

Total deposits have shown a marked growth during the year. They reached a total of \$98,269,160 compared with \$95,571,630 last year. This improvement was almost entirely in deposits bearing interest.

Current loans in Canada total \$50,220,000. While they are \$3,800,000 less than shown in last year's statement the reduction is largely because of seasonal liquidation.

The bank's investments are shown in a total of \$34,317,000. This is a slight increase during the year. These investments consist chiefly of Dominion and Provincial Government bonds.

The growth in the bank's circulation is an evidence of the increasing activity in business. Circulation is at \$6,683,000—an expansion during the year of over \$400,000. Bank premises account has been reduced \$5,900,000.

The statement in all respects is a very favourable one. The Bank's capital remains at 7 million dollars and its reserves at 7 million dollars.



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Have more of these happy days. You and all your family. Guard health while you have it. Keep on the sunny side of life.

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Thoughts on the Art Giving-up Smoking

Chewing Gum, Sweets, Will Power and Other Substitutes Fail to Work These Modern Days.

(Condensed from Punch)
Of course it is perfectly easy to give up smoking. One would not like to think that one has become such a slave to tobacco that one cannot do without it—a drug which weakens the heart, damages the nerves, give you cancer and catarrh and so on. Personally I have given up smoking repeatedly. I have just gone out without cigarettes and when people have offered them to me I have just said quietly and firmly, "No thank you," and lit my pipe.

The difficulty to my mind is not so much giving up smoking as going on giving it up. The prospect of a negative policy like that for the rest of one's life is appalling. In consequence I have tried from time to time the various remedies which people say are helpful.

1. Chewing-gum. The snag about this one is simply the chewing-gum. After all, the only thing that matters about smoking is that it shortens one's life. And if the alternative is eternally masticating a sort of sticky brown rubber the sooner one's life is shortened the better.

2. Eating sweets. This is a pleasant method, but not very effective. Unfortunately sweets leave a sweet taste in the mouth, and directly I finish one, I find myself lighting a cigarette to take the taste away.

3. Gradually cutting down one's ration. This seems to be an admirable method as far as it goes. You simply put ten cigarettes in your case and resolves to make them last the day. Nothing could be easier than that. In my own case it worked admirably. I found that my expenditure on cigarettes had dropped 50 percent, almost at once. But my friends complained so bitterly that I was forced to abandon the scheme.

4. Sheer will-power. Fatal. It cuts both ways. If I am stopping smoking by sheer will-power this is the sort of thing that happens: I take out my cigarette case. Then I remember that I am exerting will-power. "No," I say to myself, "surely you, a rational being, are not going to admit yourself a slave to this—this drug? Remember what that article in the paper said, 'Smoking takes five years off your life.'" So far so good. But then the trouble begins. Because clearly a rational being wouldn't let himself be scared by an article in a newspaper. And anyhow it will be a good test of real will-power to see if one can smoke this cigarette and then stop—just like that. After which, naturally, events take their usual course.

5. Having definite smoking times. This method has worked admirably for me many times. I simply resolve to restrict myself to a cigarette after each meal.

Snag: The thing deteriorates into two cigarettes after each meal and one before it. And after that, one really feels that the whole thing is such a waste that one might as well return frankly to the status quo.

6. My present method. Operating at the moment and definitely with success. Amounts to a solemn promise to myself that I will touch neither cigarettes nor a pipe for a week at least. At the end of that time the craving has departed and one is happier, healthier, has a clearer eye, a keener brain, more breath and fewer headaches.

Sole snag: The price of cigars.

Mail and Empire:—It is said that there is more money spent on beer than on bread in Toronto, which confirms the general opinion that beer is far too expensive.

Barrie Examiner:—Last week burglars broke into the office of the Pickering News and got nothing. It must have been an inexperienced thief who expected to find money in a newspaper office.

Wm. Ansara Loses his Case on Appeal

Five-year Term Confirmed by Majority Judgment at Ontario Court of Appeal at Toronto.

A despatch from Toronto on Tuesday of this week says:

William Ansara's complaint of the cross-examination to which he was subjected at his trial, before Judge J. B. T. Caron and a jury in Cochrane on a charge of armed robbery of Isador Miller, of Timmins, failed to induce the Ontario Court of Appeal to interfere with the sentence registered. On that conviction, Ansara was sentenced by Judge Caron to five years imprisonment.

After hearing argument of Ansara's counsel James Cowan, K.C., Chief Justice Latchford and Mr. Justice Riddell, the majority of the court ruled that Ansara's appeal against his conviction should be dismissed. From this view Mr. Justice Macdonnell dissented.

Mr. Cowan explained that Ansara was arrested with two other men on the charge of having robbed Miller of \$56 and was taken before Police Magistrate Atkinson.

After four witnesses for the Crown had testified, Ansara was called to the witness box. The man was not told, Mr. Cowan said, that he need not testify nor that he was allowed to call witnesses in his defence, and he was not represented by counsel. He was convicted and appealed against the magistrate's decision. The Ontario Court of Appeal allowed the man a new trial, on the grounds that he should have been given a separate trial and should not have been tried with the other two men.

At the second trial before Judge Caron, Mr. Cowan said, the judge ruled that a statement made by Ansara before Magistrate Atkinson amounted to a confession, and was not admissible as evidence against the man. Nevertheless Judge Caron allowed the Crown to cross-examine Ansara upon that statement in question.

Mr. Cowan contended that the judge erred in allowing this cross-examination.

"Show us the law," said Mr. Justice Riddell.

"Surely your Lordship does not approve of such a proceeding," said Mr. Cowan.

"I don't approve or disapprove," replied Mr. Justice Riddell. "It is my duty to interpret the law."

"Would your Lordship rule that was fair play?"

"We have nothing to do with fair play," replied Mr. Justice Riddell.

"I must dissociate myself with the statement that we have nothing to do with fair play," asserted Mr. Justice Macdonnell.

"Well, the Court of Appeal has so decided," said Mr. Justice Riddell.

"He made a certain statement before Magistrate Atkinson," said Chief Justice Latchford. "He was badly involved and tried to shift the blame to the other men. When he got before Judge Caron he made a totally different statement. He was asked if he had not made a different statement before Magistrate Atkinson. First he said 'no' and then he said he didn't remember."

"If a man's statement to the police is ruled out can that statement be used in cross-examination of the man?" asked Mr. Cowan.

"Yes it could," asserted Mr. Justice Riddell.

Matt. Boivin May be Nipissing Member

Former Timmins Man Among the Probable Candidates for Election on March 4. Hon. Chas. McCrea Also Named.

Official announcement has been made at Toronto that the by-election in Nipissing riding to fill the vacancy created in the Ontario legislature through the recent sudden death of Theo Legault, Liberal member-elect, will take place on March 4th. Nominations will close on February 25th.

There are many candidates named as likely to run in this by-election. Seven Liberals are mentioned as after the Liberal nomination. Three Conservatives are prominently mentioned as possible candidates for that party. Among those thus mentioned are: Matt. Boivin, of Rutger, formerly of Timmins; Hon. Chas. McCrea, former Minister of Mines, and member for many years for Sudbury; and A. A. Aubin, of Sturgeon Falls.

Liberals mentioned are Philip Lamothe, of Mattawa; L. P. Levesque, of Sturgeon Falls and Dan Barker, J. H. Marceau, J. H. McDonald, K.C., Mayor W. G. Bullbrook and Cyril P. Smith, all of North Bay.

The U.F.O. and C.C.F. are combining to put a candidate in the field. They are holding a convention to-day to name their candidate.

Hon. Chas. McCrea is quoted as saying that he had not considered the matter and had not been so far approached in any official way. Mr. Boivin is well known in Timmins and through this part of the North, though residing for several years past in Nipissing riding. He is a clever political fighter and knows the North like a book. He would make an excellent candidate and an equally good member. If he is the candidate the others in the field may prepare for a genuine battle.

"I'll be good for a penny, mother," coaxed little Willie hopefully.

"Oh, Willie," reproved his mother, "why can't you be like your father? He isn't good for a penny. He's good for nothing!"

—Exchange

LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE Dance in the Moose Hall

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Despondent Rouyn Man Takes Own Life

Geo. Chicoine Dies from the Effect of Strychnine. Out of Work Since Last October.

George Chicoine, of Rouyn, formerly a machine man at the Noranda Mines, but unemployed since last October, took his own life last week while in a fit of despondency. At the inquest into his death his wife said that she had seen him last the day before his death and that she noticed then that he had been drinking. He had never suggested to her that he had any thoughts of taking his own life, she told the enquiry.

She believed that his act was the result of his drinking. She said they had been married thirteen years and he had always been a good provider. Until a few weeks ago she had never had to go out to work. She said she had no idea where he procured the strychnine. His wife was at work when Chicoine took the poison. Other people in the house discovered he was ill and he told them that he had taken strychnine. A priest and a doctor were summoned but the man died shortly after the arrival of the doctor. The coroner's jury returned a verdict to the effect that Chicoine had committed suicide while in a fit of despondency. Chicoine was about thirty-eight years old and his widow seems to be the only surviving relative that he has.

Funeral Sunday of Late Albino Marcuz

Twenty Friends Carried the Coffin from the Undertaking Parlours to the Church. Many Floral Offerings.

The funeral of Albino Marcuz, Italian miner who was killed in a fall of loose at the Hollinger last week, was held on Sunday from the Church of the Nativity. Father Gabriel officiated at the short service that was attended by a large number of the people of Timmins. A group of about 20 of his friends carried the casket from Walker's funeral parlours to the church. Burial was at the Roman Catholic cemetery here.

Floral tributes were many, and among them were the following:—Mr. Barata, A. Caron, B. Rizzi, Dr. and Mrs. Hudson, Mr. Morello, Mr. and Mrs. Paiero, Antonio Marcuz, F. Santia, F. Pupulin, Mr. Mascharin, Mrs. and Mrs. Victor Mascharin, Sonego brothers, Primo DelBel, and Mr. and Mrs. Giacomo Marcuz. Records of others were lost.

Albino had returned from Italy about seven months ago after a year's visit. While there he had built his family a home and had intended returning there in a few years. His wife and three children as well as an aged father still live in Italy. Giacomo, his brother, lives here and two brothers and a sister live in the United States.

Members of the Cabinet of Government of Canada

A gentleman called on the phone the other day to enquire as to what position was held in the Dominion cabinet by certain ministers and also the names of the ministers holding certain posts. Before he was through his questioning he required nearly a full list of the members of the cabinet. A couple of days ago another enquiry came in for a "full list of the present government." Here are the present members of the Bennett cabinet:—

- Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, K.C., Prime Minister, President of the Privy Council, Secretary of State for External Affairs.
- Rt. Hon. Sir George Perley G.C.M.G., Minister without Portfolio.
- Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, K.C., Minister without Portfolio and Government Leader of the Senate.
- Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Minister of Justice and Attorney-General.
- Hon. E. N. Rhodes, K. C., Minister of Finance.
- Hon. R. J. Manion, M.C., M.D., Minister of Railways and Canals.
- Hon. J. A. Macdonald, Minister without Portfolio.
- Hon. Arthur Sauve, Postmaster-General.
- Hon. H. A. Stewart, K.C., Minister of Public Works.
- Hon. C. H. Cahan, K.C., Secretary of State.
- Hon. D. M. Sutherland, M.B., D.S.O., Minister of Pensions and National Health.
- Hon. Alfred Duranleau, K.C., Minister of Marine and Acting Minister of Fisheries.
- Hon. Thomas G. Murphy, Minister of Interior and Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs.
- Hon. Maurice Dupre, K.C., Solicitor-General.
- Hon. W. A. Gordon, K.C., Minister of Labor, Mines, and Acting Minister of Immigration and Colonization.
- Hon. Robert Weir, Minister of Agriculture.
- Hon. R. C. Matthew, Minister of National Revenue.
- Hon. Richard Burpee Hanson, K.C., Minister of Trade and Commerce.
- Hon. Grote Stirling, Minister of National Defence.

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(Based on the Diary of Catherine the Great)

Mon., Tues., & Wednes., Feb. 4-5-6
W. C. Fields in
"The Old Fashioned Way"
(Comedy)

Thurs., Fri., & Satur., Feb. 7-8-9
Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers in
"The Gay Divorcee"
(Musical Comedy)

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- "WE LIVE AGAIN"
- "BLUE DANUBE NIGHTS"
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- "THINE IS MY HEART"
- "CLEOPATRA"
- "SORRELL AND SON"

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New Empire

Wednes. & Thursday, January 30-31
Ray Walker and Jacqueline Wells in
"Loud Speaker"
(Comedy-Drama)

Friday and Saturday, February 1-2
Charles Ruggles and Una Merkel in
"Murder in the Private Car"
(Melodramatic-Comedy)

Monday and Tuesday, February 4-5
Tim McCoy in
"The Prescott Kid"
(Action-Drama)

Wednes. and Thurs., February 6-7
Myrna Loy and George Brent in
"Stamboul Quest"
(Drama)

Friday and Saturday, February 8-9
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"She Was a Lady"
(Drama)

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