

(Save the Pennies)

An amendment of the Special War Revenue Act which has far reaching effect and is a decided convenience provides that the stamp tax on any cheque, receipt for money paid by a bank, money order, traveler's cheque, post office money order and postal note shall not be payable in respect of any of the said instruments if it is for an amount not exceeding five dollars.

(Quebec Harbor Board Loan)

In connection with the lively discussion over a bill to advance money by way of a loan to the Quebec Harbor Board, Hon. Ernest Lapointe, former Minister of Marine and Fisheries, demonstrated that to deal fairly with the National Transcontinental section of the Canadian National railway system ^{it} was essential that the fullest terminal facilities be afforded at Quebec to meet its steadily expanding seaborne traffic. Assent to the bill was given by both Commons and Senate. *(Mr. Meighen fails to vote)*

It was interesting to note that in spite of strong opposition put up by some of his followers in the House to this measure, Mr. Meighen leader of the Conservatives, was absent himself when the vote on the bill was recorded.

(Civil Servants more time to decide)
An Act to amend the Civil Service Superannuation Act of 1924 extended the time one year for employees of the civil service to elect whether or not they would come under the provisions of the ^{act} ~~act~~

Looking after Post office employees

Amendments to the Civil Service Act of 1918 introduced by Hon. Charles Murphy, Postmaster General look after the rights of employees of a post office which does not come under the civil service when said post office is raised to status ^{where} ~~where~~ it comes under civil service regulations.

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