



THEME FOR 1961:

"FACING THE ISSUES"

ANNUAL DINNER MEETING

NEWFOUNDLAND BOARD OF TRADE

JANUARY THIRTY-FIRST

THE NEWFOUNDLAND HOTEL

SPEAKER: JAMES E. COYNE

GOVERNOR OF THE BANK OF CANADA

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MR. COYNE, the son of Mr. Justice J. B. Coyne and Edna Coyne, was born in Winnipeg in 1910. He graduated from the University of Manitoba in 1931. Awarded the Rhodes Scholarship, he graduated from Oxford University with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Jurisprudence in 1933 and with a Bachelor of Civil Law Degree in 1934.

MR. COYNE returned to Winnipeg to practice Law from 1934 to 1938 when he joined the Research Department of the Bank of Canada.

IN June 1939, Mr. Coyne became Deputy Secretary of the Central Mortgage Bank. In September of the same year, he became Secretary of the Federal Exchange Control Board, a position he held until March 1941.

FROM March until November 1941, he was the Financial Attache at the Canadian Embassy in Washington. He was then appointed Assistant to the Chairman of the Maritime Prices and Trades Board, becoming Deputy Chairman in 1942.

FROM 1942 until 1944 Mr. Coyne served with the Royal Canadian Air Force, returning to civilian life as Executive Assistant to the Governors of the Bank of Canada. In addition, he held the post of Securities Adviser from 1946 to 1949 and from 1950 to 1954 he was Deputy Governor, becoming Governor on June 1st, 1955. Mr. Coyne is Chairman of the Board of Governors of Carleton College, Ottawa.

PROGRAMME

Grace
Dinner
Toast to Her Majesty, the Queen
Welcome and Introduction by the President
Greetings from Presidents of the affiliated Chambers of Commerce
Guest Speaker: James E. Coyne
Governor of the Bank of Canada
Valedictory Address: President F. W. Russell
Swearing-In of President-Elect Norman H. Smith
God Save the Queen

MENU

Chilled Grapefruit Hearts
Cream of Tomato Soup
Poached Codfish with Parsley and Egg Sauce
Larded Roast Beef Tenderloin
Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli with Hollandaise
Sauce and Sliced Carrots
Strawberry Coupe
Rolls Butter
Tea Coffee Milk

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THE Newfoundland Board of Trade in all likelihood has its origin in the time of the merchant adventurers who made their first of many landfalls on the North American Continent in Newfoundland over four hundred years ago. Records show that the Society of Merchants in Newfoundland was active from 1775 until the founding about 1820 of the St. John's Chamber of Commerce, the immediate predecessor of the Newfoundland Board of Trade. Incorporated by Law in 1909 the Newfoundland Board of Trade has continued each year to work in the best interests of all Newfoundland.

APART from detail dealt with in the year just passed, the Board has gained assurances at the Federal level of Government that its suggestion for additional ferry service will be recognized; has met with cooperation at the Provincial level of Government to safeguard and enhance Newfoundland business and freedom of enterprise; and has made its voice heard and influence felt in affairs ranging in interest from local to Commonwealth.

THE Newfoundland Board of Trade, steeped in tradition, draws upon the experience and insight of its members facing the issues of the day.

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