

EARLY HIGH TIDES WERE EXPERIENCED IN SAINT JOHN HARBOUR THIS MORNING

Ottawa to Aid the Young Unemployed Depression Victims

Definite Programme For Helping Young Men Between 18 and 25 Expected Soon

Youth Problems Studied

Plans Are Now Being Worked Out at the Federal Capital

OTTAWA, Oct. 1.—Youthful victims of the depression—young men now between 18 and 25 who have come to young manhood without finding any opportunity of earning a living—are to be given special assistance under the supervision of the National Employment Commission.

Plans are being worked out now, and in a short time some definite programme will be announced, it is expected.

A Youth Employment Committee of five members, under the chairmanship of Alan Chambers, of B.C., has been working on the problem for some time. The committee is part of the Advisory Council of the National Employment Commission. The members serve without salary, being paid their expenses only. In addition to the 27-year-old chairman, the Youth Committee includes Robt. F. Thompson, of Toronto, Andre Montpetit, of Montreal, Joseph McCully, headmaster of Pickering College, and W. C. Nickerson, of Halifax.

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ALBERTA'S JOBLESS ARE INCREASING

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EDMONTON, Alta., Oct. 1.—While most of Canada is showing a marked reduction in unemployment, Alberta's jobless total has been steadily increasing in the face of the definite promise of the Social Credit Government that unemployment would be a thing of the past shortly after it assumed power.

Early in the year, Hon. W. A. Fallow, Minister of Public Works, gleefully announced: "By May 1, there won't be a single able-bodied man who wants to work unemployed in Alberta."

According to official Government figures, the registered unemployed in the middle of September totalled 8,960, an increase of 1,857 over the same date last year.

SPANISH MINISTER SAYS REBEL PLANES RESEMBLE THOSE OF GERMANY AND ITALY

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MADRID, Oct. 1.—The insurgents are tightening out their net around Madrid. They have captured a rail way centre on the mainland between Madrid and the east coast. The Government forces claim victory in a counter attack three miles from Toledo. Government successes are reported in the north and east parts and in the southern portion of the country the insurgents are in control of straits, which enable them to bring troops from Spanish Morocco. The Spanish Foreign Minister told the League of Nations Assembly today that the rebels are able to secure outside help the same being denied to Government forces. He sent a note to Italy and Germany stating that planes were used by the insurgents which were not the property of the Spanish army and were very much like the planes of Germany and Italy.

A Commendable Proposal

A few days ago The Daily Mail referred to the fact that a movement was on foot to provide for a free Public Library as well as a Museum. We already have, outside of Saint John, the best museum in the Province of New Brunswick. It is in charge of the York and Sunbury Historical Society and is located upstairs in the Post Office building. Whilst the Federal Government has been kind enough to place two rooms at the disposal of the Society for the storing of this museum, the time has come when the exhibits, which amount to more than 2,000, have outgrown the space which they occupy. These exhibits contain historic documents, newspapers and hundreds of valuable objects, which have been gathered in by the Society from this section of New Brunswick and elsewhere, and which are being preserved. If this had not been done it is easy to see that in the course of time these would have been lost.

The museum is of untold educational value to university, Normal School students and others who gather here from all over New Brunswick, as well as to our own citizens. The time has come when, if these are to be preserved, and other articles of value are to be gathered in, that it is absolutely necessary to have a suitable building in which they are to be stored.

FREDERICTON HAS LONG FELT THE WANT OF A PUBLIC LIBRARY. Notwithstanding the fact that it is the capital of the Province, it is the only city of any size, anywhere, which has no Public Library. In today's paper The Daily Mail publishes an article from "Observer" which states just what we were going to say: Here is the article:

"The proposal put forward by the York-Sunbury Historical Society for a combined museum and library is a commendable one. The lack of a public library in Fredericton has been felt for a long time, and is only another indication that this city lags behind in a great many community projects that have been taken up in other centres.

"It is a good suggestion that the proposed museum and library be housed in one building. Since the need for more space for a museum is urgent, and a public library is also required, it is quite in keeping that the two projects be handled together, since there is a natural affinity between them. That is, in the sense that the combined institution will serve the cultural needs of the community.

"In respect to a museum, a start has already been made, and a good start as far as exhibits go. But as for a public library, there is nothing. I have heard it argued that there is no need for a public library in a center where there are already a university library, the legislative library, and numerous lending libraries. A university library is not available to the general public, and the legislative library, while more available to the public, is by no means a Fredericton library. As for lending libraries, they only carry fiction, and are fairly expensive propositions for the constant reader.

"A well-equipped library would cater to the reading tastes of every section of the public, for it would carry a representative assortment of books, reference works and periodicals to suit everyone. If it is efficiently run it will also serve as a guide to the prospective reader. A competent librarian can give a customer expert advice and suggestions as to just what he should read on a given topic.

"The cultural value of such an institution should be great. It gives one the chance to form the reading habit, if one does not already possess it; and it gives those who have the taste an opportunity to indulge in it. Even if one does not start out with the definite intention of visiting a library, but finding a little spare time to kill, drops into the reading room, they are on the way to a time well-spent. As it is, that leisure time would probably be spent in a movie. There is no harm in that, but time spent in the movies will not, in the long run, pay the dividends that a good course of reading would.

"Presumably, if this project is carried through, a Carnegie grant should be sought to aid in financing the proposition. These grants pay in a fixed proportion to the amount paid by the municipality. The municipality in this case would no doubt be the City of Fredericton. Whether aid could be obtained from other sources, such as the Provincial Government, or the County Council, would no doubt be investigated. In the sense that an institution of this kind, while located in Fredericton, would still serve a much wider area through the loan of books, it would seem as though aid from other public bodies might be anticipated. In any case, support that does not come from a Carnegie grant, or something similar, must of course be met from public funds. Some opposition on the grounds of economy is, I suppose, to be expected. But every effort should be made on the part of those interested to point out the great advantages that would ensue from money spent in this fashion.

"With the interest there now is in Adult Education, this proposal of a public library comes at a very opportune time. No better medium for the dissemination of knowledge over a wide area can be found. Today most libraries of this type are organized into departments devoted to special subjects, and books are sent out to local distributing centers. Some such project as this might in time be worked out as a means of furthering Adult Education. But the first thing is to get the library.

"Here, then, is a proposition which every good citizen of this community should get out and boost. It benefits everyone. Parents who are interested in their children's education, who would like them to have certain kinds of reading matter that they may not be able to buy for them, should back this idea. A public library may not take the place of a private library, but it will supplement it. It will supplement our school libraries, which are mostly pretty meagre at present. It would make available to everybody the best of the world's literature, both past and present.

"Get out and put your shoulder to the wheel."

POOR STREET LIGHTS BLAMED FOR FATALITIES

An Annual Death Toll of Thousands Last Year

(Special To The Daily Mail)

TORONTO, Oct. 1.—Obsolete and inadequate street and highway lighting took an annual death toll of thousands in the United States, the Street Lighting Committee reported yesterday afternoon to the first technical session of the Public Works Congress, meeting in the Royal York Hotel.

It would be reasonable to expect, the report read, that approximately 3,500 lives would be saved each year if out-of-date lighting units were discarded or modernized.

Paul H. Goodell, Chairman of the committee, told the Congress that more than 7,000 lives would be saved through adequate illumination of major traffic arteries between principal cities. "So serious has the night accident situation become," said he, "that in many localities statistics reveal that two-thirds of all fatal and serious accidents occur during the hours of dusk and darkness, when only one-fifth of all vehicular traffic (Continued on Page Four)

HIGH TIDES AT SAINT JOHN ARE RECORD BREAKING

(Special To The Daily Mail)

SAINT JOHN, Oct. 1.—Nature has started to play its fall pranks, at the waterfront of the harbor, here today. The tide came to its surprising height of covering almost half of the north wharf, at the foot of King St. Although dirty weather prevailed, pedestrians took time out this morning to view the spectacular height. It was said, however, if the tide continues to rise, considerable damage was expected.

It was also learned that this occurrence is the first time to happen so early in the season.

Heavy rains continue to fall, and it is expected that this will aid the tide to rise.

The United Church of Canada Discusses Social Problems Including Birth Control

DEVALUATION IS SEEN AS A SOUND MOVE

QUEBEC, Oct. 1.—France's devaluation of the franc appears to be a sound move which, if other nations still on the gold standard followed, would lead to lower tariffs and improved trade between European countries. L. S. Amery, British member of Parliament and former Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs, said before sailing for home on the liner Empress of Britain.

"If the industrial west and the agricultural north and east of Europe become mutually dependent, with free access allowed to each other's goods, Europe would become prosperous and many of its present troubles would be eliminated," said Mr. Amery.

The ship Nascopie has arrived in Montreal on return journey from Eskimoland today. The captain says the Eskimos are reported to have good health and morals. Mounted Police, physicians and others returned aboard the ship. These men have been marooned in the north lands during the last one to three years.

Price Fixing Plan Of Textile Industry Being Investigated

Hosiery Section is Discussed at the Turgeon Inquiry

Official Makes a Denial

Major McRuer, Commission's Counsel, Makes Charges of Irregularity

GAME IS POSTPONED

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NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—The second game of the 1936 World Series between the Giants and the Yankees has been postponed on account of rain. While the rain stopped shortly after the announcement that today's game was cancelled, the field was soggy from the heavy rain. The series will resume at the Polo Grounds tomorrow. It was the first postponement of a world series game in several years.

NEWFOUNDLAND BUYING SHEEP FROM CANADA

(Special To The Daily Mail)

OTTAWA, Oct. 1.—The Newfoundland Department of Natural Resources has ordered two carloads of graded Shropshire and Oxford rams from the Dominion Department of Agriculture, it was announced tonight. Accordingly, purchase of yearlings, two-year-old and three-year-old rams were made at Paris, Ont., Sherbrooke, Que., and Ottawa. Last year the Newfoundland Department ordered several carloads of breeding ewes and a carload of purebred rams.

FRENCH SENATE AND GOVERNMENT COMPROMISE

(Special To The Daily Mail)

PARIS, Oct. 1.—The French Government and the French Senate compromise today in their fight over price control. A dangerous situation was thus averted. The Government had wished full control of price control but today agreed to the Senate having a voice in the matter.

Goes On Record on Birth Control--Drinking and Pictures and Co-operative Movement Discussed

The United Church of Canada has placed itself on record as favouring birth control and sterilization. It favours voluntary parenthood, and voluntary sterilization of the mentally unfit. The "voluntary parenthood" and sterilization report was returned by the sessional committee on evangelism and social service after slight amendments had been made to the recommendations of the special committee established at the 1934 General Council on birth control and sterilization.

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NEW HARBOR BOARD TAKES OFFICE

(Special To The Daily Mail)

OTTAWA, Oct. 1.—The new National Harbor Board which was recently appointed by the Federal Government takes office today. The purpose of the new Board is to complete centralization of harbor control. The ports concerned include Halifax, Saint John, Montreal, Quebec, Chicoutimi, Vancouver and Sorrel.

DUPLESSIS RAPS STAND OF THE REDS

(Special To The Daily Mail)

MONTREAL, Oct. 1.—The Province of Quebec is for law and order, and organizations such as Communists, Socialists or Bolsheviks will not be tolerated by the Union Nationale Government, Premier Maurice Duplessis said at Montreal Government offices today.

The Premier said he had received a delegation which secured an interview under the guise of speaking for people out of work. Some of the members of this delegation, he said, stated they represented the "Front Populaire," while others denied they represented the alleged "Left" movement.

"I told these gentry the new Government will not tolerate for one second such organizations as Communists, Socialists or Bolsheviks, no matter what names they may assume," Mr. Duplessis said.

"We don't care what their manoeuvres may be; we will know them," he told them, and I believe I did so with emphasis, that the Province of Quebec was for law and order, and that we would see to it that law and order were respected. I told these people the new Government would use all its energy to stop every movement directed against law and order."