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## CONSUMER CAN HELP

IN SUPPLYING the home market, the consumer must join his voice with that of the producer if we are to have a demand in the Province, which will stimulate production.

Speaking along this line in regard to fruit and vegetables at the recent Maritime Board of Trade Convention, W. W. Hubbard, President of the New Brunswick Fruit Grower's Association, said:

"Last year this province imported some 650 carloads of fruit and vegetables of which at least 300 carloads were of potatoes that could have been grown at home. Time and your patience will not permit reference to grains, flour, meats, dairy and poultry products importations of which take millions of dollars out of the province, which with the possible exception of grain and flour could all be advantageously produced here, but will content myself with a few words regarding the possibilities of apple growing and some of the difficulties we are encountering in the marketing of that crop.

"A careful survey has shown that of nine million acres in the southern half of the province approximately 500,000 acres are suitable for orchard sites. Throughout this area, here and there, we are now producing commercially in a small way certain varieties that are not excelled on the American continent in the qualities of desirable flavour and colour. Also in the northern part of the province there are many isolated small orchards of promise and throughout that area, with the newly devised methods of grafting hardy stocks on hardy roots to build a thoroughly hardy tree frame work, on which can be grafted desirable varieties, we believe it is there possible to have profitable commercial orchards. In addition to this composite grafting work the Experimental Stations at Fredericton and Ottawa are cross breeding varieties in an effort to get a highly coloured apple with desirable quality that will keep through the winter and they are meeting with encouraging success. We are now testing in orchards throughout the province several of these new cross breeds that give excellent promise.

"The extension of orchards will however only come with a demonstration of profitably marketing our apples and the removal of some of the hindrances now existent.

"The first of these hindrances is the comparative absence of consumer demand and a trade habit following along the line of least resistance. We are therefore asking our New Brunswick consumers to acquaint themselves with the names of the varieties we grow and the season when they can be best utilized and to ask their dealers for them.

"Our next hindrance has been the high cost of distribution in this province, high compared to similar costs in other provinces.

"The cost of wholesaling fruit under the system now prevailing also seems to be considerably more than in other provinces. Thus while we are receiving prices very close to and sometimes below cost of production, our consumers are paying more than consumers elsewhere. We ask the co-operation of Boards of Trade and all interested to help us in this matter of distribution."

## THE FOOL AT THE WHEEL

DEATHS IN CAR "ACCIDENTS" in New Brunswick now total 41 for the first nine months of 1937. Add to that the number of injured—some pitifully maimed—and you get an idea of what is going on. With so many high-powered cars on the roads a certain number of accidents are inevitable, but there is not the least doubt that some of these fatalities are due to simply folly. THERE SHOULD BE NO MERCY WHATSOEVER FOR A MAN INVOLVED IN AN ACCIDENT AS THE RESULT OF DRIVING ON THE WRONG SIDE OF THE ROAD. Men have been encountered driving at high speed on the wrong side of the road IN FOG. Such persons have no right to a driver's license, and should be taken care of BEFORE THE ACCIDENT. The same applies to the drunken driver. His license should be revoked on the first offense.—(Newcastle Advocate).

## TIME ON THE SIDE OF CHINA

EVERY DAY that the undeclared war in the Far East continues is another battle won for China. The victory may not appear on the war maps, but it shows plainly on the economic charts of Tokio.

Even now Japan has suffered a terrible loss of face, more terrible, perhaps, than the Occidental mind can comprehend. For years the Japanese people have been heavily taxed to support a war machine. The war machine went into action against a country torn by disunion and the conflicting ambitions of various Chinese leaders, some of them bandits.

Even before the Chinese war-lords joined hands, Japan was stopped in her tracks by the armies of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek. Considering her highly trained staff and soldiery and her modern equipment, Japan bogged down miserably in the China campaign.

It should be understood that Japanese militarists went into this adventure against the expressed will of the Japanese people who, at every recent opportunity, have voted against the military clique. Quick victory was essential to Japan's war leaders.

Quick victory daily becomes more necessary because of the rapid dwindling of Japan's meagre financial resources. Now, if her foreign trade, already crippled by undeclared war, is further hurt by boycotts such as the one sweeping England, Japan will be in a worse corner.

Should victory be achieved by the Japanese forces in China, years of expensive military occupation face Japan's treasury. Meanwhile the whole tone of the Japanese government may change, for better or worse.

## Snapshots

Praise to the present Department of Agriculture coming from a former deputy minister of agriculture under a Conservative government, and a former Conservative organizer, should be well deserved. It also shows that the gentlemen giving the praise is big enough to recognize the fact that the department and the minister are doing their best in the public interest. At the same time the department appreciates the assistance received at different times from the President of the N. B. Fruit Growers' Association, Mr. Hubbard. This is the spirit which should prevail.

Does the general public recognize the fact that many thousands of young men in Canada between the ages of 18 and 25 have never earned a dollar in their lives and are untrained to do any work? This is a condition arising out of the depression. New Brunswick has its share of these young men. Our government in common with others is now trying to remedy this condition. Unless this condition is remedied there is a great field here for Communists.

The boys who watch the corner of York and Queen Streets say that there are some good looking Normal students this year. There is one tall girl whom two or three of the boys are fighting over.

Kenneth says that the Normalites at his house are the best looking of the bunch.

The subway is still closed to the public. These streets have been closed to the public for three months. The roads and streets department is to blame for allowing this delay. Dear knows the city got fooled enough about the subway without adding insult to injury. Why all this pussy-footing by the chairman of the roads and streets department about "the road being open in a few days." He has said this time after time. Are the members of the roads and streets department afraid of the Richardsons or what?

German Reich is to guarantee the integrity of little Belgium. Which may call from the Belgians whatever is their equivalent for "Oh, yeah!"

Overproduction and increased prices of newsprint at the same time do not seem to jibe.

A fellow with a great memory is he who can recall away back when there were only two or three wars going on in the world at one time.

Fundamentals don't change. Methods of killing improve, but still a war is won by the longest purse.

## Sunbury Electors Express Confidence In Dysart Government

MINTO, Sunbury Co., N. B., Oct. 16.—A very enthusiastic meeting of the Sunbury County Liberal Association was held in the Court House at Burton, N. B. on the afternoon of Oct. 14th when delegates from all the Parishes were in attendance.

A vote of confidence in the policies of the Dysart Government, represented in this County by Gabriel A. Smith, M.L.A., Blissville, and Walter C. Lawson, M.L.A., Minto was unanimously passed.

A vote of thanks was extended to the Secretary-Treasurer, P. K. Barker, Sheffield, for his untiring efforts in the interests of the Association.

The following officers were elected: Dr. Gordon R. Lawson, Minto, President; Harold G. Kimball, Oromocto, Vice-President; and P. K. Barker, Sheffield, Secretary-Treasurer.

## EDEN SAYS

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"A clear distinction must be made between non-intervention in what is purely a Spanish affair and non-intervention where British interests are at stake."

Indirectly he condemned Fascist declaration that a Bolshevik Spain could not be tolerated.

Mr. Eden said that all history showed decisions in civil strife brought about as the outcome of foreign intervention "are not enduring."

Each country, he added, "must and will settle its own affairs and attempts to defect that process by foreign intervention will not be finally successful."

## VOTE IN

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Atlantis City conference is that two new national or international unions are expected to be given charters.

Plan to attend the Penny Sale next Wednesday at St. Dunstan's Hall.

It may be a coincidence, but the dictators are all free of feminine influence and look how wild they are.

Your chance to get valuable article for one penny at the Penny Sale.

The righteous can forgive the sinner's sin, but they can't forgive him for holding his head up and being happy.

## Caught a Cold?

To help end it sooner, rub throat and chest with VICKS VAPORUB

## OTTAWA KEEPS

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which Prime Minister Mackenzie King has admitted in recent months in collective security to maintain or achieve world peace. He is convinced that the League of Nations can no longer be depended upon as an effective instrument for world peace, but should be retained simply as a valuable medium of international intercourse, mediation and conciliation.

### Effect on Trade

What would be the effect of a Canadian boycott against Japanese goods? The following are the principal Japanese imports for the year ending March 31 last.

Toys and dolls .....	256,000
China ware .....	419,000
Oranges .....	250,000
Rice .....	249,000
Tea .....	292,000
Canned fish .....	190,000
Canned Vegetables .....	104,000
Cotton products .....	200,000
Silk and artificial silk products .....	664,000

The following figures of Canadian exports of foodstuffs and raw materials to Japan, with the 1936 figures in brackets show the increased consumption since Japan's recent militaristic policy was adopted, indicate the pressure which might be applied by way of embargo.

Wheat .....	\$4,344,000	\$2,903,000
Flour .....	1,101,000	664,000
Logs .....	783,000	290,000
Planks and boards .....	235,000	121,000
Other lumber .....	434,000	191,000
Paper .....	2,415,000	2,496,000
Wood pulp .....	1,282,000	1,098,000
Scrap iron .....	673,000	324,000
Aluminum .....	1,947,000	1,967,000
Lead .....	3,976,000	2,149,000
Nickel .....	2,006,000	631,000
Zinc .....	1,055,000	713,000
Asbestos .....	884,000	704,000

### Importer Would Suffer

Canadian importers, not Japanese producers, would be the chief losers from an unofficial boycott against goods made in Japan. Leading merchandisers inform The Financial Post that orders for such goods are necessarily booked months ahead, that supplies for the important Christmas season are already in the Canadian stores.

The bulk of these goods are handled largely by the variety chain stores. Department stores do handle a small amount and also sell some Japanese silk and cotton goods, but relatively the trade to them is of very minor importance. Trade in teas, canned fish and vegetables, of Japanese origin, is likewise of little importance to Canadian grocery stores.

Officials of the variety chains most interested claim that no indications of any boycott are yet apparent, except perhaps for some insignificant developments in British Columbia. Barring fresh and large scale bombing episodes in the current war in China, Canadian merchants expect no effective hostile opposition here.

## King Neptune Awaits Cruise Passengers



King Neptune and his jolly crew of buccaners will have their first opportunity of subjecting West Indies Cruise passengers to the traditional rites of the "Fishy Court" when the Empress of Australia, in the course of one of the Canadian Pacific's eight West Indies cruises this winter, crosses the equator on her way to Rio de Janeiro.

For the first time in West Indies cruising the glamorous Brazilian city, with the "most beautiful harbor in the world" and unrivalled mountain scenery almost within its city limits, has been included in a Caribbean itinerary and the Empress will cross the equator and be boarded by King Neptune en route there. St. George's, Grenada, one of the lovely Windward Islands, and

also a new port of call, will be another attraction of the 32 day cruise starting from New York on January 15. Five days will be spent at Rio, time enough for a thorough exploration of the glamorous Latin city and its surrounding beauties and one evening will be devoted to a special round of the exotic night-life of the metropolis. At Grenada lovely St. George's guarded by ancient Fort St. George, has peculiar charm among Caribbean towns. During the day spent there a special excursion will go to Grand Etang, a volcanic lake set high in the mountains overlooking the town.

The Empress of Britain, world cruising flagship of the Canadian Pacific, will lead off the West Indies season with a 12 day Christmas and New Year trip to

Jamaica, the Panama Canal Zone and Cuba. The Empress of Australia follows with seven voyages, leaving New York: January 4, March 11 and March 22, for nine days each voyage, to the Bahamas, Cuba and Bermuda; January 15, for 32 days, to Barbados, Rio de Janeiro, Grenada, Venezuela and Jamaica; February 19, for 19 days, to Martinique, Barbados, Trinidad, Curacao, the Panama Canal Zone, Jamaica and Cuba; April 12, for 12 days, to Jamaica, Cuba and the Bahamas; and finally, April 14, an Easter Holiday Cruise, for ten days, to Jamaica and Cuba.

Picture layout shows a glimpse of beautiful Grenada, the Empress of Australia and happy scenes from the colorful ceremonies which highlight King Neptune's visit.

## GAIETY

NOW PLAYING

### THE MURDER OF "THE MAN WHO NEVER EXISTED!"

It baffled Scotland Yard... until a pair of lovers took up the challenge of the phantom killer!



## LONDON by NIGHT

GEORGE with RITA MURPHY · JOHNSON  
Virginia FIELD · Leo G. CARROLL  
George ZUCCO · Montagu LOVE

Screen Play by George Oppenheimer  
Directed by William Thiele

Produced by Sam Zimbalist

—ADDED ATTRACTION—  
WALT DISNEY'S ACADEMY AWARD REVUE

News; Shows at 2; 3:10; 7:15; 9:15

MONDAY and TUESDAY

### "THIN ICE"

WITH

Sonja Heine  
Tyrone Power

## ERECTION OF

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ed by the ice. However, in its original condition it was found to be too low for the higher bridge, so, by the addition of a special concrete top, it was made level with the others.

Work is also progressing on piers one, two and three, on the Devon side. Work on the abutments has been completed for some time.

Open Subway Next Week  
Although the concrete for the walks along the top of the subway was poured some days ago, the wooden supports still remain in place, barring automobile traffic, as it is felt that the cement has not had sufficient time to harden correctly. It is expected that the subway will be opened to traffic early next week at the latest.

This morning workmen were busy preparing for the erection of iron-pipe guide rails along the sidewalk under the subway, the drop onto the roadway being several feet at that point. Railing will also be placed along the walks on top of the subway.

## Capitol

—NOW PLAYING—

John Wayne

—In—

### "I COVER THE WAR"

ROMANCE . . . . .  
Beguiling you with the velvet touch of enamored youth!

### ADVENTURE

Holding you fast with the iron grip of besieged men defending a fort of bleached-white sand!

### DRAMA

Love under blood-red skies in the shadow of menacing dunes!

—ADDED ATTRACTION—

Buck Jones

—in—

### "SAND FLOW"

A Thrilling Romance of The Golden West

Shows at 3:00; 7:00 and 9:10  
Matinee 10 cents & 20 cents  
Evening 15 cents & 25 cents  
Plus Tax

HERE MON., TUES., and WED.

PAT O'BRIEN in

"SLIM"

## Around the World One Year For 75 Dollars

The Toll Brothers Travelogue will be presented by one of the brothers in person at the Wilnot United Church at eight o'clock p.m. on Monday, October 18th. The title of the address will be "Hitch-Hiking 'Round the World." The Toll Brothers of Toronto University worked and thumbed their way round for one year travelling thirty thousand miles and visiting twenty-seven countries. Their transportation bill for all this travel and these many visits amounted to seventy-five dollars each. Their description of this trip and its adventures will be given on the screen at the Wilnot Church on Monday night and it is well worth seeing. These screen pictures in color taken by the brothers during their journey to Europe and the Holy Land and the Orient have produced large audiences in all the leading cities of Canada and the United States. They are educational, romantic, humorous and true. Do not fail to see them.

## BELGIUM

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Members of the British Commonwealth of Nations receiving the invitations include the United Kingdom, Canada, New Zealand, Australia, the Union of South Africa and India, all counted together as a single signatory although each has affixed separate approval to the treaty. (At Ottawa recently Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced Canada would attend).

The other original signers, besides Belgium, are the United States, France, Italy, Portugal, the Netherlands, China and Japan. The five additional adherents, which have expressed allegiance to the pact without actually signing it, are Mexico, Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Bolivia.

Of the two countries directly involved in the conflict which will be the subject of the conference, China has stated her willingness to participate while Japan has unofficially indicated she may refuse.

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