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AID FOR 15,000 FISHERMEN

DURING THE FISCAL YEAR which ended this spring more than 6,600 loans were made to Maritime Province fishermen and over 8,900 grants to fishermen in Quebec from funds created jointly by the Dominion Department of Fisheries and the respective provincial governments. The loans and grants amounted in all to \$400,015 and of this sum half came from a special federal government appropriation and half from the provincial treasuries.

At its last session, Parliament voted \$300,000 for use in aiding in the re-establishment of needy fishermen in co-operation with the provinces concerned. Relief, of course, is primarily a provincial responsibility but emergent conditions which had developed in some fishing communities necessitated emergent action. Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick and Quebec, four of the provinces where administration of the fisheries is in federal hands in whole or in part, entered into agreements with the Dominion under which re-establishment plans were carried out. British Columbia, the fifth province in which the federal authorities deal with fisheries administration, decided not to participate.

In the three Maritime provinces the plan adopted under the agreements was to make short-term loans to fishermen and associations of fishermen, with the rate of interest to be charged on borrowings subject to the approval of the federal Minister of Fisheries. The agreement with Nova Scotia provided for a maximum fund of \$200,000, half to come from the department, half from the province. The same maximum was set under the agreement with New Brunswick, with the same 50-50 basis of contribution. In the case of Prince Edward Island it was \$50,000. In none of the provinces, however, was the full amount required.

In Nova Scotia the loans totalled \$144,259 and they were made to 3,622 fishermen and 14 associations of fishermen.

No fishermen's associations were among the borrowers in New Brunswick but 1,888 fishermen obtained loans amounting in the aggregate to \$79,007.

Loans in Prince Edward Island numbered 1,147, eight of them to associations. The loans to fishermen totalled \$42,432 while the eight associations obtained \$6,700.

A condition of the agreement with each of the three provinces was that all sums repaid by borrowers should be used by the provincial government for the purpose of making loans to fishermen.

The agreement made with Quebec provided for a maximum fund of \$150,000, half from the provincial treasury, but grants to fishermen, not loans, were made. These grants received by 8,930 fishermen, totalled \$127,616.

JAPAN OUTRAGES HUMANITY

ABOUT ALL THE JAPANESE imperial government appears to be winning in China at the moment is the deserved contempt of all persons possessing even a shred of common decency. The aerial bombings and burnings of the helpless non-combatant civilians of Nanking and Canton—thousands of them—is a frightful act which cries out to God for vengeance.

Picture the narrow streets of crowded Nanking and Canton piled five and six high with the burned and mangled bodies of men, women and children. Picture the hundreds blown to bits by Japanese airmen. Why?

Simply for conquest—another name for plunder.

The world is not deceived by the bland, suave, smiling, polite lies of the Japanese imperial government. The world's heart is heavy with sorrow for the people of Japan whose imperialistic leaders, drunk with power and conceit—and stupidity—have led them thus into the worst campaign of frightfulness the world has ever beheld.

Uncounted corpses litter the streets of Nanking and Canton. Eye witnesses stand appalled by the extent of the slaughter. Bewildered and deranged men, women and children wade through the shambles, searching for loved ones.

Japan may conquer China, but she has lost the respect of the world. At the very moment the Japanese imperial government was assuring the world in an officially prepared statement that the lives of non-combatants would not be imperilled, she was launching her air fleets on history's most foul voyage. Civilization reels.

DIPLOMATIC LIARS GET JOLT

WHATEVER ELSE MAY be said about Russia, she is introducing a welcome note into diplomatic discussions.

In traditional diplomatic discussions, every diplomat knows that the other diplomat is lying. In fact, usually they are all liars but for some strange reason the belief has been accepted that it is all "politic."

Foreign Commissar Litvinoff of Soviet Russia shocked the world of diplomacy when he bluntly said that Italy was operating the pirate submarines in the Mediterranean. Mussolini's newspapers fussed and fumed and thumped their editorial chests but Litvinoff stood pat. The incident passed.

Now comes Litvinoff with some more straight talk. This time, addressing the League of Nations assembly at Geneva, he says that when fascist states want to grab off territory they say they are doing it to save the invaded country from communism.

"They're doing it for tin and zinc and mercury and other materials," Litvinoff told the league.

Which, if you'd ask us, is straight talk, not that we are being deceived a bit by Litvinoff. His gang would do the same, to save countries from fascism, except that Russia has all the territory it needs. But every true communist, and that includes the seemingly frank Mr. Litvinoff, will not let the political ants in his pants rest until the whole world is sovietized.

Candor, at the moment, suits Russia's purpose, but her insincerity is plain to any one who studies her new "democratic" constitution which is merely an instrument to strengthen Moscow's power against democracy whether in Russia or elsewhere. However, we do approve the current candor of Russia in this particular crisis. Let us hope we have more of it.

Snapshots

The children will be sorry to learn that they are to have still another week holidays.

Instead of running the streets, getting into danger and bothering people, the children should stay at home and do some work or study.

It is better that the schools should remain closed for months than one child should be permanently crippled with infantile paralysis.

A correspondent in today's Daily Mail does not think much of the enforcement of our traffic laws. Who does?

Always there is something to live for, if nothing more than to see how the trouble ends.

Christian lands are the peaceful ones where the wicked warmakers borrow the money to make war.

Yacht racing: Spending a million dollars to prove that a fast boat can sail faster than a slow one.

FRUITS

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liance with Russia and enter the bloc.

3. They have established an ideological alliance in which both Fascism and Nazism agree to support the other's political philosophies and oppose democracy.

4. Both leaders agreed to fight Communism.

5. They were in apparent agreement on not withdrawing support from the Spanish insurgents although they did not agree to increase that support.

6. Both will keep a watchful eye on Austria. But no definite change in their attitude toward Austria was indicated.

ADDRESSED STUDENTS AT U.N.B.

Miss Catherine Hockin, who succeeds Rev. John Copp as secretary of the Student Christian Movement in the Maritimes, addressed the members of the University of New Brunswick S.C.M., last evening. Neil Garter, Woodstock, president of the society, was in the chair. Miss Hockin will not be able to return to her home in North China this winter because of the Sino-Japanese hostilities now raging.

SALE OF CROWN LANDS TODAY

Two small timber blocks were sold today by authority of F. W. Pirie, Minister of Lands and Mines, to the River Valley Lumber Co. of Oromotto at a price of \$10 per square mile. The blocks together consisted of two square miles.

Do You Ever Wonder

Whether the "Pain" Remedy You Use is SAFE?

Ask Your Doctor and Find Out

Don't Entrust Your Own or Your Family's Well-Being to Unknown Preparations

THE person to ask whether the preparation you or your family are taking for the relief of headaches is SAFE to use regularly is your family doctor. Ask him particularly about "ASPIRIN."

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summing up the situation during the past two and a half weeks, outside of the City of Saint John, there have been twenty cases reported from fifteen different localities where no previous cases were known. This indicates very clearly that there are many and widespread sources of infection throughout the Province, probably in most cases 'carriers' who are not themselves showing any sign of illness, yet capable of transmitting infection to those who are susceptible.

"That the actual number of cases in many places is limited to but one or two would indicate that a great majority of persons are not susceptible to this disease or that the particular 'carrier' has not had the opportunity to spread the infection at all extensively.

"Restricting human contacts to the greatest degree possible is the most important factor in limiting the spread of infection. While the percentage of cases which have shown actual paralysis of the muscles is relatively small, yet such cases have occasionally been found during the past fortnight and there has been one fatal case during that period.

"The onset of continued cold weather which had been looked forward to as an important factor in greatly curtailing the outbreak seems to have been at least postponed but during the next ten days or two weeks we may confidently look forward to a more decided change for the better in this respect.

"There are still other favorable indications which lead the Health authorities to hope that the peak of the outbreak has been reached and that the decline in new cases may soon be more evident. In order that we may not sacrifice the gains which have been made through postponement of the opening of the schools it seems that we are not warranted in opening the schools during the coming week. But it is hoped that as far as the greater part of the Province, at least is concerned, that no further postponement may be necessary after October 12. While it is greatly to be regretted that conditions seem to necessitate this further postponement, yet it is felt that this action is essential in the best interests of all concerned.

"It is a source of gratification to the Department of Health, Department of Education and to the Government that the public generally has co-operated so wholeheartedly in all efforts at curtailment of the outbreak which co-operation we believe has been of untold benefit in saving the Province from a much more serious situation.

"Parents are earnestly requested to continue their co-operation in keeping their children away from public gatherings."

The evening vocational classes in this city which was advertised to open, on Monday evening has been postponed until Tuesday evening, October 12 the evening following Oct. 11, which is Thanksgiving Day. This is in line with the order given out today by the Department of Education. The Provincial Normal School will also come under this regulation.

CANNOT SPEAK

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to take out of the country more than a specified amount. Among other things he noted strict rules on the trains which forbade a traveller putting his feet up on the seats.

Different in England

But in England, Mr. Tippet continued, the average citizen could declare, paraphrasing the motto of French Kings, "The State, it is me." There was, Mr. Tippet sensed, a theme of citizenship that England expects every man to do his duty. It lives now as it did in the message of Nelson, he believed.

"And so," he observed, "there was that feeling in England toward the abdication. One had a feeling of being let down." Innate in the spirit of freedom of the people, he concluded, was the sense of service—service, the price of individual freedom.

DIED

ANDERSON—Passed away at Nashwaaksis, N. B., Wednesday, Sept. 29, 1937, Mrs. Charlotte Anderson. Funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon, Oct. 1, from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Bailey, Nashwaaksis. Service at the home at 2 o'clock, Rev. W. A. Burge will officiate. Interment will be made at the Pickard Cemetery.

NOTICE OF SALE

There will be sold a public auction on Saturday, October 9th, at 10 a. m., at Bertelson's Garage, Grand Falls, N. B., one Ford V8 Coach, 1936 Model, Serial number C18-V-18597, on account of same having been registered under a fictitious name, and under authority given the Minister in Sub-sections (2) (b) and (10) of Section 71 of the Motor Vehicle Act. Terms of Sale—Cash. Auctioneer, H. W. Wilson, of Grand Falls, N. B.

(Sgd.) A. A. DYSART,
Minister of Public Works.
Sept. 23, 30.

OUR MAIL BAG

POLICE AND TRAFFIC

Editor Daily Mail,
City.

Dear Sir:
I have been an interested reader of the letters re the subway and agree that it is a blot of the worst kind on a beautiful scene. Also a menace to the safety of the public. But your roads commission is not the only one that is inefficient. I understand your Police Department has the enforcement of motor rules and regulations. If this is so they fail, and now Monday I walked along your sand pile from the subway to Charlotte Street and was proceeding along that when I passed at a cross street to let a car pass. A young girl in a tan coupe had slowed her car, looked up and down Charlotte Street, and proceeded to cross. I did likewise when a flash, a screech of brakes, and a crash brought me to a standstill. The tan coupe was hurled in the air and was turned completely over and thrown in the opposite direction.

The bystanders told that Charlotte Street is so far out of town that no policeman ever gets that far and speeding cars are the order of the day.

An officer finally arrived, and if any policeman in my home town (Brooklyn) was so officious and inefficient he would fly quickly.

I understand you have speed laws, parking laws and brake testing laws. Well this young lady when she paused could not see far up the street for a huge truck was parked right at the corner. The boy in the other car likewise could not see her until she was over half way across the street, but though he put on his brakes four or five yards before he struck her, he was going so fast the impact of his car was such that he might well have been charged with manslaughter if Providence had not taken a hand. Still no arrest or even reprimand for speeding, no ticket given to parked truck or fine for poor brakes. Of what use safety campaign weeks. Thanking you.

J. H. DONNELLY

Fredericton, N. B.

Sept. 29, 1937.

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