

## SECRETARY HULL CALLS ATTENTION TO EXTENSION OF JAP TERRITORY IN ASIA

### Do Not Want C.I.O. In New Brunswick Says W. B. Evans

He Has Never Refused To Deal Collectively With  
His Men Who Are 100 Per Cent. Loyal

#### REPLIES TO UNION

Picketing Programme Is Noisy and Profane Says  
Mr. Evans

In a statement to The Daily Mail this morning W. Benton Evans, ex-M.L.A., operator of the Rothwell mines at Minto made a statement in answer to certain statements made yesterday by Mathias Wühr, President of the Miners Union and of Wm. Walker, a Board member. In this statement to The Daily Mail Mr. Evans points out that the workers in his mine are subject to many indignities on the part of the union picketers. The picketing program starts at five o'clock in the morning with loud explosions and is followed by profane and indecent language used in front of the labor men's home by men who are on the picket. He states that most of these men are foreigners, while the Rothwell men are one hundred per cent British subjects. Mr. Evans states that the fight at Minto is one to prevent the entrance into New Brunswick of the C. I. O. under the direction of John L. Lewis and his henchmen. Mr. Evans states that he has never refused to deal with his men collectively when they wished him to do so. Mr. Evans' statement is as follows:

"The Telegraph Journal of yesterday's date contains the statement of Mathias Wühr, President of the local Union and William Walker, Board member. People not familiar with the affairs here cannot understand the situation from the statement of these gentlemen. They speak of having twelve hundred organized mine workers and in the opinion of many in a position to know this figure is very much exaggerated. As to the loyalty of these men a great many foreigners here are not British subjects and they are the most active in the so called picketing. Loyalty is (Continued on Page Four)

### SMALL TRAILER HOUSES EIGHT OF A FAMILY

Drought Area Family  
Gets to Winnipeg  
Drawn By Horse

WINNIPEG, Nov. 6—A family of eight, crowded into a horse-drawn trailer, reached Winnipeg yesterday after a twenty-four-day journey from Watrous, Sask., where they left their drought-area farm. They hope to establish themselves on a small farm outside Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stewart and their six children, Francis 9, Jim 7, Rita 6, Amos and Andy, 4-year-old twins, and Anita 2, manage to live in their trailer built on an old automobile chassis.

Mrs. Stewart said she wouldn't consider changing it or the farm, sixty-five miles southwest of Saskatchewan, where they didn't get a crop in eight of their nine years on the land.

"I'd much sooner travel, anyway," said Mrs. Stewart. "It's something I've always wanted to do." Stewart hopes to trade his two horses for an old car to make the rest of the trip to Montreal.

### LATE LEAVES ABOLISHED, CO-EDS GIVEN OWN KEYS

TORONTO, Nov. 6—"Love laughs at locksmiths," but the girls at Victoria College aren't even tittering—at least, not in public. Instead all the co-eds at Annesley Hall are waiting breathlessly until the smiths are ready with a brand-new set of shining well-turned keys.

Annesley Hall has a new set of regulations for the "Vic" girls, and the new regulations mean new keys, to the envy of all the other young ladies in residence at the university. No longer will the "Vic" girls have to climb up fire escapes and crawl through windows because they've overstayed their late leave.

Under the new rules keys are being granted to any residence girls who plan to be out late—always providing that they are used with discretion. Too many failures plus too many late nights will mean a cancellation of the privilege. University and Trinity College residences are keeping the old curfew of 10.30 every night, but Saturday, with a set number of 11.30, 12.30 and 2.30 leaves during the term.

Victoria College is establishing a precedent in their new ruling. The Universities of Saskatchewan and Manitoba set eleven o'clock as lock-up time, and even at St. Hilda's College the latest leave obtainable is a one-thirty.

"Our rules have always worked



CORDELL HULL  
United States Secretary into  
policy

out well," said one fourth-year U. C. Whitney Hall girl, "but if the experiment works out at Victoria perhaps we'll have all the residences doing it. I hope so."

### Postal Discrimination

THE ARTICLE in last evening's Daily Mail regarding the discrimination made against the Fredericton business men by the Post Office authorities whereby afternoon mail for the Minto-Chipman section stays in the local Post Office over night caused considerable commotion when it appeared. The Editor of The Daily Mail previous to publishing the article communicated with the Chairman of the Transportation Committee, R. L. Phillips. Mr. Phillips, who has been one of the leading members of the Board of Trade for years, and who was largely instrumental in having improved railway service between Chipman and North Devon introduced, was greatly surprised when he heard that the mail service inaugurated for the benefit of our local business men was blocked by the postal authorities through orders from Saint John. The local Board of Trade at the suggestion of Mr. Phillips, immediately upon the article appearing in The Daily Mail, sent the following communications to the Post Master General at Ottawa and to the Postal Inspector at Saint John:

FREDERICTON BOARD OF TRADE  
November 5, 1937.

The Postmaster General, Ottawa, Ont.  
The Postal Inspector, Saint John, N. B.  
Dear Sirs:—

After some years of continuous agitation this Board was able this fall to get an express railway service between Chipman and North Devon, train arriving in the morning about 9:20 at North Devon and leaving North Devon on the return trip about 7:20 p. m. arriving at Minto and Chipman that night.

The Chairman of this Committee was simply thunderstruck today when the editor of one of our daily papers called up and said that mail deposited in the Fredericton Post Office for the area after 12 o'clock noonday was not forwarded on the 7:20 p. m. express, but was held in the Fredericton Office until 12 noon the next day, and forwarded to that area on a slow-moving freight train arriving in the area toward evening almost 24 hours later than it should have.

This arrangement is so perfectly ridiculous and out of step with any progressive community or department that it was hardly credited, and the chairman called the Post Office and was informed that the despatch was as represented above, and that this bone-headed and utterly ridiculous order originated from the postal department in Saint John.

Fredericton business and professional people enjoy a large business from the Minto-Chipman area, as this service means that the replies to their out-going mail is unnecessarily delayed a full business day, it is a serious handicap.

The Fredericton press have a large circulation in eastern Queens and Sunbury counties, and if the mail was forwarded in the normal and perfectly reasonable way all subscribers would get their news service the evening of issue or the first thing the next morning, instead of as at present, the evening after issue or the second morning after issue.

This Committee trust that this matter will be immediately and effectively investigated, and correction ordered at once.

Yours very truly,

R. L. PHILLIPS,  
Chairman Transportation Committee.

RLP:C

A telephone message from Minto this morning states that mail which was placed in the local Post Office here at four o'clock on Thursday afternoon reached Minto at 7:30 last evening. That mail should have gone out at seven o'clock on Thursday evening and should have reached Minto at nine o'clock the same evening. Instead of that as has been before explained, it did not leave here (Continued on Page Four)

### DUKE OF WINDSOR CANCELS TRIP TO THE UNITED STATES

Last Minute Decision Arrived at Result  
of Misunderstanding

### BEDAUX ASKS TO BE RELIEVED

Attacked By American Labor Organizations  
Notably Baltimore

PARIS, Nov. 6—In view of recent grave misconceptions concerning the object of his proposed trip to the United States on a mission of study of housing and industrial conditions, the Duke of Windsor postponed his trip last night a few hours before sailing time. Accompanying the Duke were to be the Duchess of Windsor and a staff of seven.

The decision to postpone the trip on the eve of its proposed beginning,

it stated, was reached "with great reluctance" because of "grave misconceptions which have arisen and misstatements which have appeared" about the motives and purpose of the tour.

No new date for the journey was set and there was no indication what the Duke intended to do next.

The decision to abandon the trip for the present came after a three- (Continued on Page Four)

### Is Country Ready To Defend Itself From Japanese?

Number Specific Points Discussed By Sec. Hull  
With Prime Minister MacKenzie King

#### WHAT WOULD CANADA DO?

Belief Hull's Chief Mission Is To Find Policy  
of Canada

### MINISTER SAYS HOUSING ACT LOANS HIGHER

140 During Oct. For To-  
tal of \$741,498, Dun-  
ning Reveals

OTTAWA, Nov. 6—Loans under the Dominion Housing Act during October amounted to 140 for a total of \$741,498, providing accommodation for 154 families. Finance Minister Dunning said today in a statement. This was an increase of 250 per cent, the statement said, over the amount loaned in October, 1936. Average loan per family unit was \$3,822.

Initiated more than two years ago, the act provides for co-operation between the Dominion and authorized loan companies to facilitate borrowing at a maximum interest rate of 5 per cent for erection of dwellings.

Observers of international affairs are of the firm belief that the prime mission of Secretary of State Cordell S. Hull of the United States' recent visit to Ottawa was for the purpose of sounding out the policy of Canada in the event of difficulties arising between the United States and Japan.

If war broke out between the United States and Japan would Canada remain neutral?

If Japan sought to use British Columbia as a base of military, naval or air attack upon the United States would Canada resist the effort?

Is the country adequately prepared for defense against Japanese aggression?

Would British support for Canadian defense be sought and obtained, if necessary to protect the Pacific coast?

Mr. Hull is understood to have called the attention of authorities in Ottawa to the fact that Japan today occupies on the continent of Asia or is on the verge of occupying territory as extensive as the entire United States east of the Mississippi and comprising a population of 100 million people.

Defense Programme  
What Canadian officials may have replied to Mr. Hull is not known. But it is to be assumed that the Prime Minister told Mr. Hull that (Continued on Page Four)



HON. C. A. DUNNING  
Finance Minister who announces  
increased house loans.

### RAILWAY IS HELD A LIVING THING BY EDUCATIONIST

Dr. Cody Stresses Value  
of Men Behind the  
Engines

TORONTO, Nov. 6—That a railway is a living organism, the same as any other organism which is essential to human welfare, and is dependent upon co-operation for its success in the same ratio as is medicine and science, Dr. H. J. Cody, President of the University of Toronto, stated in an address delivered yesterday before the monthly luncheon of the Canadian National Railways Veterans' Association, in the Oak Room of the Union Station.

"Too many people envisage a railway as a matter of steel and steam," Dr. Cody said, "and they forget the man-power and perfect co-operation which must exist to operate its tremendous mileage."

A. J. Hills, Chief of Personnel of the Canadian National System, brought the veterans greetings from the headquarters in Montreal.

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### HITLER DID NOT TAKE STEPS AS MEDIATOR

(Special to The Daily Mail)

BERLIN, Nov. 6—Germany officially denied taking any move in regard to mediation between China and Japan. This announcement was also confirmed by the latter two countries.

Japan has been invited to send a delegate to Brussels to meet the Subcommittee. The note requested an immediate reply. China states that Japan has broken the pact and for this reason has been asked to meet the committee.

### New Brunswick Approves Youth Training Plan On Fifty-fifty Basis

Dominion and Province  
Will Collaborate in Giving  
Young Men, Women  
Opportunity To  
Get Training in Vocational  
Work and Other  
Lines.

OTTAWA, Nov. 6—With the aim of providing a livelihood and the ability to provide the same to every citizen of Canada, New Brunswick has fallen in line with the rest of the nine provinces and agreed to co-operate with the Dominion government.

The Minister of Labor, Hon. W. Rogers has given out the following facts concerning the new agreement.

As in the other agreements, the two governments share the cost equally, with the province assuming cost of administration. Young people 18 to 30 years of age in necessary circumstances will be selected by the province.

Included in the agreement are training in technical schools, farm apprenticeship courses, short agricultural courses and household and handicraft classes for women.

Forestry camps surveying and prospecting parties will be sponsored by the New Brunswick department of lands and mines. Valuable work has been done in general forestry training and geological surveys already, the minister's statement said. Vocational guidance will be provided and technical training for specific job with living allowance during the training period where necessary. A number will be assisted in attending

### NEWSREEL AUDIENCES CHEER WHEN KING APPEARS; LAUGH AT IL DUCE

Theatre Managers Get Sound of Public Pulse as  
World's Great Flash Across the Screen

TORONTO, Nov. 6—The average Toronto theatregoer is a fairly loyal British subject. He also thinks that the President of the United States is a pretty good fellow.

These facts, along with a few other interesting sidelights on what Toronto thinks of world affairs, were revealed yesterday in a canvass of several downtown theatres.

Each week the world's "big shots" parade across the silver screens of these movie houses and by standing at the back of the aisles and observing the applause or lack of applause they receive, managers are in a good position to tell you with a fair degree of accuracy how goes the tide of public sentiment.

agricultural and technical schools and other institutions.

Fifty young men will be apprenticed to the best farmers in the province with supervision and follow-up by district agricultural representatives. Farmers will be paid for the training and the apprentices will be given a living allowance. Between 600 and 700 young people will be offered short courses in agricultural subjects during the winter.

No details were available last night regarding the total cost of the scheme covered by the agreement.

King George and Queen Elizabeth are easily far at the front in popularity. A single flashing view of them on the screen during the showing of some ceremony in England invariably excites a good deal of applause.

Roosevelt Gets Applause  
Next in line come the Duke and Duchess of Windsor. For a long time, after the abdication, they were given a rather cool reception by theatre audiences.

Franklin D. Roosevelt is applauded more in the summer than in the winter. This seemingly strange fact is not because movie fans are in a different mood in the summer than they are in the winter, but simply because there are more United States tourists in the house during the summer months.

President Roosevelt is an easy third in popularity, just the same, regardless of the time of the year.

The average fan doesn't boo Benito Mussolini. He laughs at him! Well, he may not laugh right out loud, but he chuckles quite clearly and distinctly enough to be heard all over the theatre.

Il Duce gets the biggest rise out of the theatre audiences when he sticks out his chin and glowers.

"It simply slays 'em," observed an usher.