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EDITORIAL

Social Security Planning . . .

Sir William Beveridge's social planning commission has presented to the British government the most elaborate plan for social legislation that has ever been put forward in any country, dispatches from London say. It is not indicated what the government may favor doing about it or how soon it may be implemented if at all. Social security, it is becoming increasingly admitted, is one thing that must be made certain if the morale of a contented people is to be maintained. It is pretty safe to concede that people as a whole will not be satisfied to go back to the old way where it was a constant struggle to merely exist, where the great majority of the people faced the spectre of charity or starvation in their old age and where it was always a case of survival of the fittest and the devil take the hindmost.

It is interesting to see what Britain will do about social legislation since Canada in a measure at least may be expected, in the normal course of things, to follow suit in such a way as may be adaptable to her particular needs.

Federal By-elections . . .

Monday's federal by-elections, in which a minimum of interest was taken this far away in view of the more important world news, had results of little significance in the general political picture in Canada. No issues of importance were involved unless it might have been in Montreal-Outremont where the new minister of national war services, Major General LaFleche, sought and won a seat against an opponent who professed to represent the French-Canadian draftees. The principle of conscription, in which Canadians some time ago expressed themselves clearly enough, may have entered into this contest but the new minister, a conscription supporter personally if not actively, was safely elected. Of course, he had a great advantage even in anti-conscription Quebec.

In Charlevoix-Saguenay, another Quebec riding, it was a mix up between candidates professing various conditions of independence. Mrs. Pierre Casgrain, who had made certain statements in regard to the war to which exception was generally taken, was defeated.

No change was expected in the Winnipeg North Centre seat and none took place, another Socialist clergyman succeeding the late J. S. Woodsworth.

Today is the Day . . .

There are two days in every week about which we should not worry . . . two days which should be kept free from fear and apprehension.

One of these days is yesterday with its mistakes and cares, its faults and blunders. All the money in the world cannot bring back yesterday.

The other day we should not worry about is tomorrow with its possible adversities, its burdens, its large promise and poor performance. Tomorrow also is beyond our immediate control. Tomorrow's sun will rise either in splendor or behind a mask of clouds—but it will rise. Until it does, we have no stake in tomorrow, for it is as yet unborn.

That leaves only one day . . . today. Any man can fight the battles of just one day. It is only when you and I add the burdens of those two awful eternities . . . yesterday and tomorrow . . . that we break down.

It is not the experience of today that drives man mad . . . it is remorse or bitterness for something which happened yesterday and the dread of what tomorrow may bring. Let us, therefore, journey but one day at a time, doing today's work well, profiting by experience and building for the future.

Don't Get Left Behind . . .

Without current publicity, the best known people and the best known business names fade quickly from the public mind. The business that hopes to use its good name after the war must keep it alive with current publicity . . . with advertising. Many businesses died during the last war and during the depression because they failed to recognize the need for advertising in an over-sold market. Today, with new methods, new materials, new names and products ready to pop up the minute the war is over, an established, living name will be about the surest asset that any business can carry over into the post-war period.

While you neglect to advertise, your competitor may capitalize on the opportunity to start intensive cultivation of customers you thought were yours. If he doesn't, it is the opportunity to capitalize upon his negligence.

In wartime and all the time it pays to advertise.

ACTIVITIES OF Y.M.C.A. AND Y.W.C.A.

By DOROTHY GARBUZZ,
Hostess

I said yesterday that I would quote from a letter Martin Van Cooten wrote to his mother, Mrs. Brass, from England where he is stationed with an artillery unit. Mrs. Brass's second son, Bill Brass, is also overseas while her youngest boy, Peter Brass, leaves for the south this month to join his unit in the R. C. A. F. Martin says:

"Dear Mother and Dad:
"We have finally moved into

billets and glad of it. We are only six miles away from our previous camp but right in the centre of a small village. The name of our house is 'The Old Priory' and I believe 'the brains' must have searched all over England to find such ancient quarters as these.

"It is a small place. The walls are about three feet thick and are made of stone and the original stone floors have been covered over with a wooden floor but are very uneven. The quaintest part of the place in the doorways. The highest are five foot nine and a really low one just about four foot six which leads into our bedroom. Smithy, our equipment repairer, can go in and out without ducking except into our bedroom and he is 5 ft. two. Baldwin, our technical storeman, is six foot two and has banged his

head as he always forgets to duck. There is a fireplace in every room so we should keep warm this winter, that is if we are allowed enough coke or wood. The place was built about 1200 and has beams and uprights four foot square. They must have all been carved by hand and are very solid. There has been a little lean-to added which houses all the plumbing.

"We have our other troop in a big mansion across the street. This place is also very old and is called 'St. Mary's Rest House.' It is quite historical too and has old hand-carved staircases and all the doors are covered with leather and studded with brass. One of the rooms in this place has a sliding panel and, of course, is supposed to be 'haunted' by some old friar. But so far

none of the boys have been 'done in.'

The remainder of the letter is devoted to family matters. What tales the boys will have to tell when they return and what a better understanding this should make! Perhaps our boys overseas may have a kinder feeling towards the "limneys" than they had before they went over and were so certain of their ready-made likes and dislikes. Like Judy O'Grady and the Colonel's Lady, we are all sisters and brothers—under the skin.

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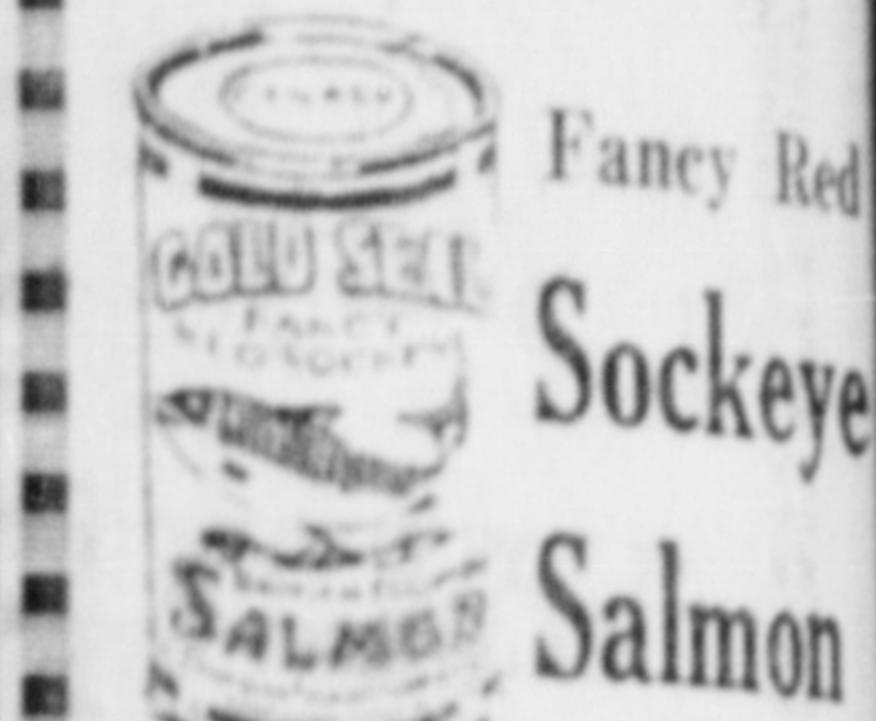
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ANNUAL STATEMENT

31st October, 1942

RESOURCES

Cash in its Vaults and Money on Deposit with
Bank of Canada \$112,710,235.61

Notes and Cheques on Other Banks 45,053,234.05

Payable on cash on presentation.

Money on Deposit with Other Banks 38,814,805.11

Available on demand or at short notice.

Government and Other Bonds and Debentures 683,835,390.58

Not exceeding market value. The greater portion consists of
Dominion Government and high-grade Provincial and Municipal
securities which mature at early dates.

Stocks 311,309.43

Industrial and other stocks. Not exceeding market value.

Call Loans 16,210,253.81

In Canada \$1,920,538.28

Elsewhere 14,289,715.53

Payable on demand and secured by bonds, stocks and other
negotiable collateral of greater value than the loans.

TOTAL OF QUICKLY AVAILABLE RESOURCES \$896,935,228.59

(equal to 81.6% of all Liabilities to the Public)

Loans to Provincial and Municipal Governments
including School Districts 23,569,694.65

Commercial and Other Loans 221,354,236.76

In Canada \$205,232,367.17

Elsewhere 16,121,869.59

To manufacturers, farmers, merchants and others, on conditions
consistent with sound banking.

Bank Premises 13,900,000.00

Two properties only are carried in the names of holding com-
panies; the stock and bonds of these companies are entirely
owned by the Bank and appear on its books at \$1.00 in each case.

All other of the Bank's premises, the value of which largely
exceeds \$15,900,000.00 are included under this heading.

Real Estate, and Mortgages on Real Estate Sold by
the Bank 808,330.38

Acquired in the course of the Bank's business and in process
of being realized upon.

Customers' Liability under Acceptances and
Letters of Credit 16,184,995.02

Represent Liabilities of customers on account of Letters of Credit
issued and Drafts accepted by the Bank for their accounts.

Other Assets not included in the foregoing (but includ-
ing refundable portion of Dominion Government
taxes) 2,566,745.60

Making Total Resources of \$1,175,319,231.00