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Economy Must Be Balanced

IF WE ARE TO MAINTAIN faith in the democratic process and avoid the undermining of democracy by the communists, there must be no mass unemployment which will produce social and moral disgrace in any of the Western Nations.

Government works will be a palliative and help a great deal to encourage private investment if started early enough, but these will not solve the problem.

The solution of economic affairs in all our countries lies in greater production and the distribution of these goods and services internally and externally. To achieve the greater flow of trade means purchasing power in the hands of consumers everywhere.

But the Western Nations, instead of enriching themselves by increasing the flow of trade, put fences up in the form of tariffs and non-inter-changeable currency so they restrict their trading, and at the same time put their hands across the fences and pretend they are united.

The humbug of talking about unity in war and fighting each other in trade and currency must be ended if the Western Nations are to outclass the growing economic strength of the Soviet Union.

There are two main acts necessary for a solution of the pending economic crisis. First, the creation of a huge free trade area among all the Nations who are associated in maintaining democracy and peace.

This policy would necessitate the establishment of a huge compensating fund to reimburse and re-establish such industries and people as were injured.

Second, there must be one world currency interchangeable among all the associated nations.

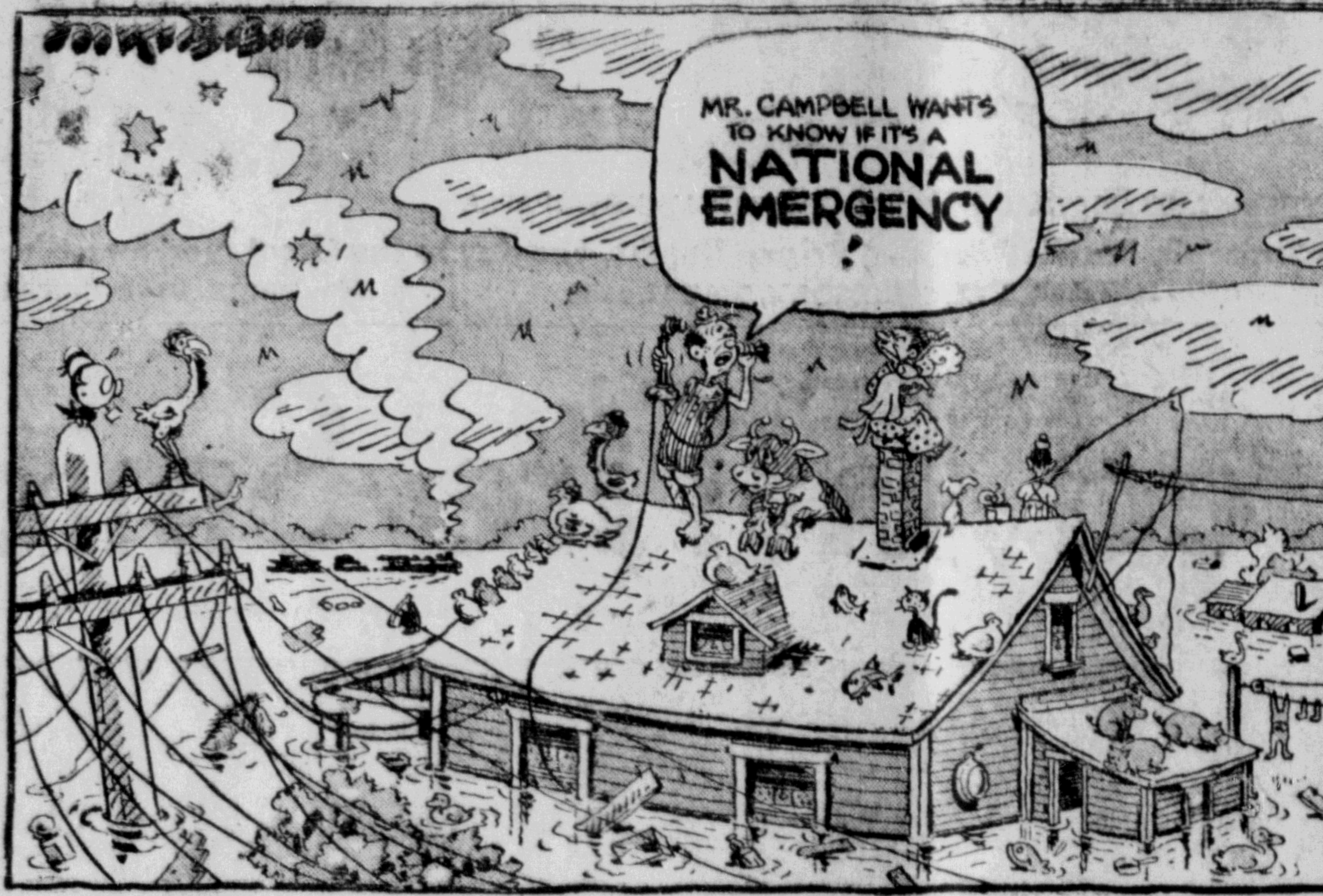
Experience teaches us that there is little hope of the various parliaments, congress and senates taking up such a problem and acting thereupon. Until they are forced by inexorable fate and circumstances that will arise if there is no war. It is likely no nation will do anything about it. So we can anticipate a slackening of trade, an increase of unemployment and of public debt and taxation by forced public works—and a crisis.

When a crisis comes, it may well be the Nations will only then see that a United free trade area and a single currency would bring to the associated nations the richest era in the history of the world and thereby create disdain for ruthless communism and faith in democracy.

SAVE THE TOTEM POLES

WHILE NO SYSTEMATIC examination has been made, there nevertheless remains the possibility of Prince Ruperts' fine collection of totem poles becoming attacked by what is known as the borer beetle. This, in many instances, can cause a pole to fall into decay, although if repair work is done in time, there can be restoration. The local poles all appear to be in good shape, but to know definitely, needs inspection. The totems are not affected by the teredos, which destroy undersea timbers only. The poles on display here remain objects of deep interest chiefly to tourists, many of whom see them for the first time.

Patting Through the S.O.S. Call



JOHNNY'S Jottings

At the Capitol Theatre last night, final showing of the Cecil B. DeMille picture "Samson and Delilah" was held. That Samson must have been a strong guy. According to the picture taken from the biblical story that enormous hunk of man extended two arms, pushed aside two pillars and killed a bunch of people. Heck of a way to act. Guess he didn't like people.

From what I've read and have been told, strong boys were at a premium in the good old days. Reminds me of the time a meek little character went visiting his girl friend. The poor lad lisped slightly. He was an agent for Watkins and the conversation gradually turned to ailments.

"Darn," he thaid (I mean said) "I got of the threecar and tripped. I'm thor."

"Ha!" said the girl friend. "What about the Samsons of today? It's like looking for the silver lining in a golden sunset. A man in New York is paying for ads in magazines. He wants to tell everybody he is strong. Funny thing—the man doesn't seem to be growing any older as the years slip by according to his picture. He says he pulled a train with his teeth. By this time he hasn't got any."

But if all you men, who are foolish enough to read this, take the advice I am about to mention, you will develop muscles so large, that I can go into the rubber shirt business. Following are prescriptions for Sure Strength:

If you feel anemic, go to the bank, draw out a few tens and see your doctor. The doctor will take your blood count. (In these modern days, M. D.'s use adding machines—much quicker.) After he has counted enough blood, he will tell you that you are sick. You tell him he is sick after he shows you the bill. After knocking him through his

stethoscope, you feel better. This is a sure sign of strength. Stand for hours in a theatre. You choose a rainy day because that is when all the best pictures come to your local theatre. It will be nice, you say to yourself, to get into the theatre and dry your body. The doorman tells you to come back again as there is no more room in the theatre. You tell him that you do not care to sit if there is no room but that you only want to see the movie. The doorman is unkind and does not consider that the picture will not be shown again. You walk away and kick a cat from behind. This is a sure sign of strength.

Play a piano at a house party. You are enjoying yourself. Some joker comes along and runs his fingers over the piano keys very aimlessly. You are polite and show your teeth. "C'mon," he burps, "play this". It sounds to you like the revolution in China but nevertheless you are polite. His elbows are in the act now too. "Wassa matter", he mumbles, "Can't you play that?" They kick you out as they look for his head in the piano wires.

Other aids to strength are to tear a Knoxville telephone directory in half (Knoxville: population 37); take a swat at Joe Louis in trunks (first take the string out of his trunks) and chop down a 40 inch spruce in a few minutes (diameter 2 inches).

Once again we remind readers that letters to the editor must be signed. If the writer does not want his name used he may use a pseudonym, but the communication to the editor must be signed by his right name. Yesterday we were unable to publish a letter because the writer had not signed his own name.

you saw it in the News! It's business wise to advertise.

Advertisement for Arthritis Rheumatism relief using Dolcin tablets. Text: 'Here's Prompt Relief Beyond Belief From The Pains Of ARTHRITIS RHEUMATISM. Try prompt-acting, easy-to-take DOLCIN Tablets...'

Advertisement for Harwood's Canadian Whisky. Text: 'Haven't YOU Been Missing Something? Harwood's Canadian Whisky. Canada's Finest Whisky H50-6.'

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Advertisement for Smith and Elkins Plumbing & Heating. Text: 'SMITH and ELKINS Plumbing & Heating. Prompt and Efficient Service.'

Advertisement for Homes. Text: 'HOMES. Build your new home thru the National Housing Scheme. Easy payments—Long terms. For Expert Advice Call Your Local Builders. GREER & BRIDDEN. 215 1st Ave. West Prince Rupert, B. C. Phones: Office—Black 367 Night—Red 561'

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BABY'S GAS PAINS NEED QUICK HELP—

Don't take chances—don't let baby be miserable and lose needed rest from gas pains in stomach or bowels when Baby's Own Tablets—gentle and reliable—quickly help sweeten sour little stomachs and clear away overload of waste and gas. Easy to take—quickly crushed to a powder, if desired. See how soon baby is happy and comfortable again. No "sleepy" stuff—no dulling effect. Used with confidence for over 50 years by thousands of mothers. Try Baby's Own Tablets, too, for teething fevers, simple fever, constipation and other minor ills, 25¢.

Advertisement for Barrett Brick-Type Sidings. Text: 'Give your house a Face-Lifting. Dress it up with Barrett Brick-Type Sidings. You can give your home a smart, brick-like appearance with Barrett Sidings. They're good-looking, sturdy and weatherproof. They provide insulation and fire-resistance. Yes, they'll give your home a stylish new outlook on life—at far less cost than actual brick. In some cases, you'll pay not much more than you would for a good paint job! TAKE YOUR CHOICE OF STYLES. INSULATED BRICK-TYPE SIDING—Mounted on 1/2-inch insulation board. Surfacing bricks, in a strikingly natural blend of buff, red and burned brick called "Varitone", are firmly embedded in asphalt. Here's a real brick and mortar effect plus high insulation value. SHINGLE BRICK-TYPE SIDING—Medium-priced strip sidings in "Varitone". Apply like shingles. Attractive and realistic. ROLL BRICK-TYPE SIDING—Brick sidings in low-cost, but effective, roll form. Buff or Brick Red. Give your home a new lease on life. Instead of painting, perk up its appearance with BARRETT Brick-Type Sidings.'

Advertisement for Barrett's Protection Plus roofing materials. Text: 'Your Barrett dealer sells Protection Plus. He stocks a complete line of roofing, insulation and weatherproofing materials. He's got what it takes to stop almost any weather. Whether your problem is leakage, seepage, rust or rot—see your Barrett dealer first! THE BARRETT COMPANY, LIMITED Montreal • Toronto • Winnipeg • Vancouver Reg'd. Trad. Mark'

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