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Red Line

A LTHOUGH the effect is unintentional; Communist propaganda is being helped by some members of parliament who in an effort to make political capital out of the unemployment situation are describing it in overly lurid terms. In the House of Commons recently, Wilfrid Dufresne (PC, Quebec West) said: "Some of the people in my region are in dire need. At this very moment many families cannot obtain unemployment insurance benefits, and have to beg from their neighbors to feed their wives and children."

In another speech, C. E. Johnston (SC, Bow River, Alberta) announced: "We have millions of people going hungry in this country." He went on to the kind of eyes that really see say: "We have more registered unemployment in this country now than we had during the hungry thirties.'

All of these statements are outlandish exaggerations, as the speakers must know. It would be difficult, of course, to contradict Mr. Dufresne's account of his constituents being forced to beg without making a personal investigation, but in view of the Infany public and private welfare agencies operating today, the story does not stand up. While admittedly Type hear from time to time of terrible cases of nerglect and poverty, particularly in large cities, these almost invariably can be traced to failure in notify- Alberta wild rose girl from what result was an unanimous vote of France's 21st post-liberation gov- Reg. \$16.95. wing responsible authorities. If a family is reduced to begging, official help is certain to come as soon as its plight is known. Mr. Dufresne's misleading simplication is that such help simply is not there.

Superficially Mr. Johnston may be on firmer ground in comparing present unemployment with that of the hungry thirties, but what he fails to add is that since then Canada's population has increased by several millions. If his line of reasoning is fol-—fowed, the unemployment situation in the U.S. is ten times as desperate as Canada's.

To criticize the government over the increasing number of jobless is fair game. The problem is serious and an alert opposition is needed if it is to be 'squarely met. But the line should be drawn at furnishing fodder for the Communists. To depict Canada as a land of unemployment and starvation not only is inaccurate but invites agitation by those whose dearest wish is to make the situation so bad that a dictatorship can move in.

and REMINISCES

unusual he'd ever witnessed! "He and I just want you to know." fought the good fight and lost.";

land where he pioneered it years for weeks and weeks. ago. George still likes to play

be seen of heard of. It will need a heavy snow costing homes, storm to prove that the age of !

things in life which, a few weeks thinking on prophegy and entry is not dead.

Princess Margaret, it is declar- Refler, would have agenous dulte cape the links fundament of the impossible mighty God, "Be not deceived."

"Pecovered from meningitis.

Tombstone censorship is not that I have returned I intend to altogether unknown in Great meet him. He wrote me and Britain. Sometimes it's found said: I am writing to you because the only thing that ever gets I also had meningitis. My mopeople near a change. Once, Rev. ther and lather prayed for me E. Rochdale witnessed the most and I know what prayer means.

LASTING QUALITIES

G. C. Walker expects to return. Prince Rupert is an expansive WHAT thrills me about Marie's Manning may well take his firs to his California home after a sort of town. It can be a soft poem, is not just that it has lesson in Christian ethics. Yet few more months in the north-blue as well as a wet one lasting won its well deserved prize; nor here is a man bravely entrenched

around down below 49 but for. The lowest priced new home awarded her a scholarship of man endeavor under the power that matter is far from disliking being built today in Edmonton \$1,000. Esitish Columbia. California sells for about \$10,000, with the Here is a girl who lives in a Mr. Manning's theology or lack Inay be allright but what dy'e majority going for a few thous- beautiful but lonely place. She of theology, leads directly to conknow about rattlers. Not one to and higher range. Majority of writes a poem, because she feels fused thinking and moral chaos the buys are made by samilies the beauty in her own heart. By You can't take our blessed lord'

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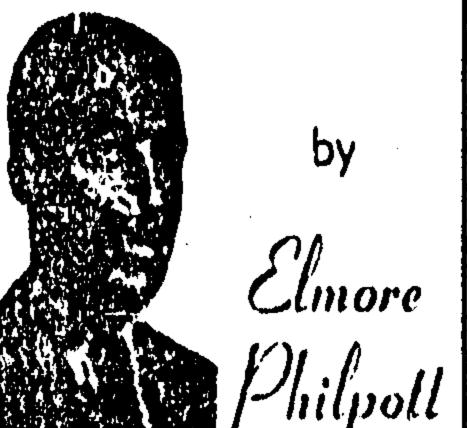
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so far from a regular school that line party MPs didn't exactly like she has to take her Grade 7 les- the tactics. But they tolerated sons by correspondence. But, them. all around Marie is the greatest of all teachers-Mother Nature PCs show evidence of a different herself. And this young girl has mood. Their patience with the that beauty. She has also the wane. There is less willingness: gift of expression—the ability to to allow them to dominate disput into words some of the cussion! beauty which she feels.

AWAY out on the far side of the publication called "Shankar's Weekly" which decided to run sicial gesture of unity to hea! children could write the best

derness of Canada.

ON THE dark night before he won the battle of the Plains of Abraham, young General Wolfe is said to have recited Gray's "Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard" and remarked, as MANNNING ELECTED APOSTLE the legend says, "I would rather | have written that poem than take Quebec."

But whether he said those words or not. Wolfe was a great certain church meeting at which admirer of that poem which in- Premier Manning was chalrman cludes the lines

caves of ocean bear

written by this youngster in Al-the horses mouths." "My breth-

Consider these beaufiful lines Mr. Manning uses every oppor-Fuiry Queen:"

And oe'r the moonlit hill Aft the quiet close of day

When all the world was still. Into the silver night.

patient can appreciate the feel-salling for home. Ancient as But the real point is that all God is not mocked." Not every ings of George Drew MP, recently well as modernized jeeps have over the world there are legions one that holdeth up his hand been found in Jamaica-also of unknown people with similar and saith, "Lord, Lord, shall en-

> fellow humans. auraisers

egnition, No wild Alberta rose is ever really wasted.

ent to close observers.

Story the committees have been accus- manent solution. which I have heard for a tomed to afford the Socialist Parliament Hill circles recog- group hadn't known what to do patrol bomber crashed last long time has given me MPs their chief sounding board nize another factor in the cur-about it when the German re-Thursday night. such a nice warm feeling mitation on either the length around the heart as that or the number of speeches pro-Marie Jackober, of vided by committee rules, the CCFers would hold the floor and dominate discussions regardless Marie is 13 years old, and lives of their minority strength, Old-

This session the Liberal's and

the CCF split over the re-armaworld, in New Delhi, India, is ment of Western Germany was too deep a wound for any supercontest to see which school It is true that when Leader Coldwell found himself in a minority of four in his parliamentary No less than 24,000 entries were group on the issue, he placed submitted—and the one which himself and his leadership in the won first prize was by this young hands of his party caucus. The most people would call the wil- confidence which regularized his ernment.

THE

The Editor. The Daily News:

We note in Edmonton Journal of January 28, a report from and at which he was elected Full many a gem of purest ray "apostle." Mr. Manning seems to serene, the dark unfathomed have boundless self-esteem and

limitless personal ambition. I Full many a rose is born to we go "back to the Bible" we blush unseen, and waste its read,—"Let po man think of sweetness on the desert air. himself more highly than he Here in this beautiful poem, cught to think." "We put bits in berta, we see once again the ren be not many masters seeing proof of what the poet Gray we shall receive the greater condemnation."

In Marie Jacober's poem "The tunity to rave against the Revised Standard Version of our Each twillt eve she made her Holy Scripture, which translation has been gladly accepted and honored by the Christian Church throughout the whole English speaking world, and against this Along the dewy path she strode he will strive in vain for truth;

must pervail. The flowers slept beside the The Christian character of these revisors is beyond reproach i The moon was golden bright—and their scholarship universally recognized, at whose feet Mr that the government of Alberta behind a microphone, with unhas also, so commendably, bridled tongue declaring all hu

of the anti-Christ. halling from lower and lower a chain of circumstances it be-|Sermon on the Mount and cast | comes world famous—and the it into some infure Millennia young girl gets the chance to do Age to bolster up some wishful

ter into the Kingdom of heaven."

"I think that one of the most wheezy bands to hearken to. It's Almighty God-or Mother Na- He that scattereth ill-will and deeply moving letter that I re- becoming tiresome and that ture, for those who prefer that falleth in the spirit of Christian eclived was from a boy of 11 probably goes for the Princess' term—has liberally scattered the brotherhood is not in the way of sparks of genius among all races Eternal Life. Recently we heard and in all places, even though a minister pray-"Lord bless all | many of the human beings who those who labor to heal the are so blessed never get the broken unity of Thy Holy chance to be recognized by their Church." We never hear a prayer like that from the "Back to the The blessing is in The Divine Bible" hour. Intelligent Bible gift, and not in the human rec- study on the adult level is not to be expected from that source.

REV. H. O. SMITH, Edmonton.



By Norman M. MacLeod

Although on the surface the continuance in office. But the the 1953 general election, their ANCHORAGE, Alaska the A CCF group in Parliament is car- endorsation didn't repair the ra- successes were confined to West- six-man team, balked by bad rying on as usual these days, a vages of the cleavage over an ern Canada. Their national vote weather for nearly four days, definite lessening of its effectiv- issue regarded as not only fun- recorded a substantial slump, headed by helicopter Wednesday cness is becoming clearly appar- damental but also as certain to East of Winnipeg the party re- for nearby Mount Susitna and Junday, Re

on Parliament Hill. With no li-rent spectacle of CCF waning armament issue provided a fur-

mood, Their patience with the Faces Problem

The situation seems to be that

The change is becoming in- campaigning, Rank and file Clarence Gills of Cape Breton crash which killed 11 men Feb. creasingly noticeable as the work CCFers feel that the confidence South. of the session enters the stage they voted in Mr. Coldwell fixed

where the standing committees things up for the present, but of the House are commencing they are realists enough to know the political voice of industrial feasible to remove the bodies of their meetings. In past years that it didn't represent any per- labor, this was a serious set- the victims, all navy officers and

strength. Even before the Ger- ther source of weakness. CCF man re-armament issue blew up, morale is trying gamely to stand the Socialists were worried over up to this latest blow of fate, but the decline in their yote on the the difficulty of the effort it is national political front. While making is apparent. And the they succeeded in increasing future is, at the most optimistic their Parliamentary strength in estimate, uncertain.

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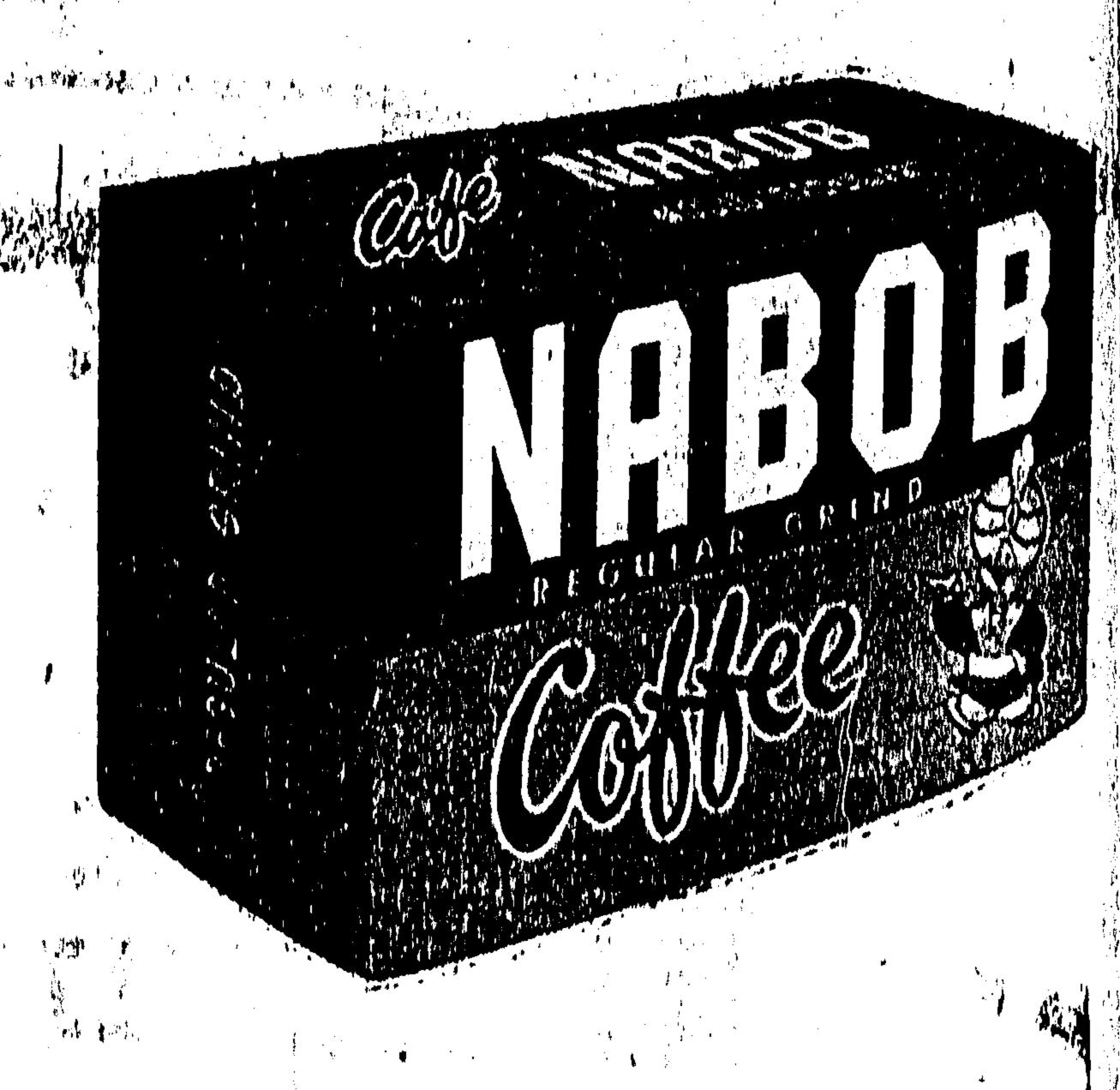
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