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Fascism In The Province

When a Democracy by its own voluntary act gives over to one or more persons all right to govern; when by its own act it waives all right to be consulted, all right to protest, all right even to ask for or to obtain information regarding matters affecting the public welfare, then Democracy ceases to exist; Fascism takes its place; the people cease to rule. Such appears to be the case in this province.

Ordinarily, under a system of representative government, where political parties exist, the people by electing a majority and a minority in the legislature, retain the right, through those who constitute the minority, of demanding information and the right of protest against arbitrary action. Their protest becomes vocal even though the minority comprise but one member. It is to the interest of the minority to be watchful and to guard the public welfare. Where the Government's conduct, or where proposed legislation, is open to censure, it is to the political advantage of the Opposition to protest.

Under Fascism, as we have it today in Prince Edward Island, it is not to the interest of any individual legislator to protest. It is not to his interest to be independent. In fact, it is directly contrary to his interest to do anything but acquiesce. He is not free, politically, to be the independent individual he was in private life. If he consults his own interest his political future must be considered. Were he to criticize, were to become indignant, were he vehemently to protest when a wrong is being committed, he would soon be made to understand there is a political last that can be used; he would lose caste with his party. Indeed, if he were to go far enough in his protests, he would run the risk of being cut off altogether both from favour and from the party itself. The political axe is no mere figure of speech. Loss of patronage, loss of political prestige (from a party point of view), loss even of the right to be re-nominated, are but some of the penalties which the party, or the leaders of the party, can impose upon the representative who criticizes, or is not "good". A minority in the legislature, being political opponents of the majority, are under no such handicap or disability. Being denied by their opponents all patronage, all share in government, the minority, or Opposition, has nothing to lose and everything to gain by alert criticism. They may find favour in the eyes of the people by calling attention to misgovernment, to mistakes, to extravagance. Self-interest keeps them watchful. Not so, however, the members of a single or Fascist Party in the legislature. These have everything to lose by their protests. Self-interest dictates submission.

It is unfortunate and much to be regretted, therefore, that for the next five years, according to the legal term of the legislature, Prince Edward Island must submit to a Government selected from a legislature, every member of which is bound by self-interest and by political advantage (to say nothing of political prejudice) to support and approve the acts and conduct of a small coterie of persons who constitute or who control what is called the Cabinet.

Fascism in Italy, Nazi-ism in Germany, took their rise from just such situations. What the next five years has in store for the people of this Province is, therefore, a matter of grave concern. The beginning as shown in the legislature last week is not auspicious.

"Business Like" Campbell

Here is a compliment of which no doubt the Attorney-General may feel justly proud. A man who took the oath in Jewish fashion, in a case at Birmingham County Court, recently, suing for the return of £12 deposit on a car which was subsequently sold to a third person, said that he lived in Birmingham under the name of "CAMPBELL" for business reasons.

JUDGE DYER—"Why do you assume another name in this city?"

THE PLAINTIFF—"My name is GARBER, and when working for my firm I get more orders when working in Scotland as 'CAMPBELL'."

"So I suppose if you go to Wales your name would be LLOYD or LEWELYN?"

"No, still CAMPBELL."

"Or if you went to Ireland would you be MR. MURPHY?"

"No, just MR. CAMPBELL."

"What do you call yourself in England?"

"My own name usually, but sometimes I am CAMPBELL, when I want to be very business-like."

Lord Tweedsmuir

LORD BESSBOROUGH laid down his wand of office Saturday and sailed for the Old Land. His successor, LORD TWEEDSMUIR is now scheduled to arrive here on October 24. It is reported that he has made tremendous financial sacrifice in accepting the position, one of the highest offices in the Empire, for he has given up all his directorships of book publishing and other companies, and his services as literary adviser to at least one important publishing house are for the next five years suspended. One of the honorary offices which LORD TWEEDSMUIR holds is that of elderhood of St. Columba's Church of Scotland, London. This famous Scottish church has more distinguished public men among its eldership than any other congregation probably in the whole world. They include the DUKE OF ATHOLL, SIR GORDON NAIRNE, late Chief Comptroller of the Bank of England; the EARL OF STAIR, the MARQUESS OF ABERDEEN; LORD AMULREE, BRIGADIER-GENERAL SIR WILLIAM ALEXANDER, M.P.; LT.-COLONEL SIR HUGH TURNBULL, Commissioner of the City of London Police; MR. D. M. MASON, M.P.; MR. W. S. MORRISON, M.P.; SIR JAMES

MACLEOD, an ex-Indian administrator; and MR. WILSON RAMSAY, M.P., who is Session-Clerk. The late EARL HAIG also was an elder of this church.

Teaching Communism

Speaking in Montreal, the VENERABLE ARCHDEACON GOWER-REES, Rector of St. George's Church, declared that "in this land of so much religious activity, Communist agents are actively at work, especially in the larger cities and towns. They do not confine their efforts to the congested areas of population, but are found in the thinly populated provinces too. Their methods follow the same lines everywhere. Adults are ignored, but schools are organized for the instruction and training of children, who being born in Canada are in less danger of being expelled. The movement is marvellously organized and penetrates into every section of the community. Its press service is extremely active, there being no less than 15 different publications chiefly in English but also in other languages, with a circulation of over 40,000 copies per week. The Canadian general public is indifferent to this, most insidious invasion of un-Christian ideas, which is poisoning the minds not only of children, but also of the great mass of those who constitute the strength of the nation—the working classes."

Preference On Oats

Negotiations are under way between United Kingdom and Canada to continue for another year the arrangement whereby Canada gets a preference in the United Kingdom market for oats. The agreement was reached for the 1933-34 crop and continued for the 1934-35 crop. Under it a British tariff of three shillings for 112 pounds was levied on foreign oats, and Empire oats went in free. However to protect the United Kingdom growers, Canada was placed under a quota of approximately 6,670,000 bushels. In 1933-34 the Dominion was much below the quota, but in spite of the short crop, last year prices were so good in Britain that Canada over-ran the quota. The quota also covered oat products such as rolled oats, for which quotas were fixed. United Kingdom growers take exception to Canada exceeding its quota. National Farmers' Union of Scotland protested last week that while the tariff was keeping out foreign oats, Canada was sending in so much the Scottish growers were not getting the advantage of the protection.

King's Profligate Way

The action of the Superior Court in Quebec in declaring illegal the ten-year lease for \$157,250 by the Canadian National Railways of a house for the late SIR HENRY THORNTON calls attention once more to the corrupt methods of the MACKENZIE KING administration and the waste of public money which went on for nine years under that Government. In presenting this judgment, the Court condemned the "crooked, roundabout, underhand method by which the deal was consummated through the introduction of stool pigeons. If the people wish the affairs of the country and the C.N.R. to be once more managed in the old profligate way, which flourished between 1921 and 1930, they will return MR. MACKENZIE KING to power on October 14th.

Editorial Notes

The last of the month—and of summer.

PREMIER LEA says the special session cost the Province only \$20. What has he done with the other \$2,999,980?

PREMIER LEA charged on the Souris platform with gross misrepresentation regarding the \$200,000 bonds and \$3,000,000 proposed bonds, tried to wriggle from under by stating he meant next year's road account. Like his leader MR. MACKENZIE KING the best that can be said of MR. LEA is that he is "an adroit politician."

The Liberal Candidates for Queens are denouncing MR. W. C. PITFIELD, Stock Broker, Montreal, as an unmitigated Tory and something worse. Yet they employed him to put their \$200,000 bonds on the market, and extended him unbounded credit for giving them a square deal. MR. JEKYL and MR. HYDE, is it?

MR. STEVENS' campaign propaganda printers have threatened an action against PREMIER HEPBURN for alleging at Vancouver that theirs was one of the worst sweatshops in Canada. They claim the reverse is the case and that for years they had striven to better the printing industry.

At Brandon, MR. MACKENZIE KING said that Canada must have a strong Government for the next few years. The Canadian correspondent of The London Times is on record as saying that with MR. DUNNING, MR. RALSTON and MR. MALCOLM out of the picture there is a widespread feeling that the Liberals if returned to office could not form an adequate administration.

An ancient philosopher remarked: "There be three things which are too wonderful for me, yea, four which I know not: The way of an eagle in the air; the way of a serpent upon a rock; the way of a ship in the midst of the seas; and the way of a man with a maid." If he were living today, in Canada, that philosopher would add, "the way of MACKENZIE KING candidates with the electors."

This is what our evening contemporary has to say about PREMIER HEPBURN: "He proved himself to be an able, clear and logical reasoner, a gentleman of most attractive personality, possessing a thorough grasp of the political issues of the day, which he presented with telling effect. 'Mich' spoke nearly an hour all about himself and his doings—not a word that would help the election of the Liberal candidates here. The puzzle is why he was sent here and why PREMIER ANGLADE was sent to Toronto?"

Notes By The Way

Why will not Mussolini state frankly his precise desires as regards Ethiopia? It is chiefly this semi-secrecy as to ultimate aims that gives rise to suspicion. It is generally felt that Italy has both claims that should be met, and cause for complaints that should be removed once and for all. But there is an uncomfortable feeling that Italy wants to take Ethiopia as a possession and positively wants some fighting first in order to wipe out the Adowa disaster.—Ex.

A whispering campaign questioning Premier Bennett's sanity is in progress in London and occasionally gets into print. "The New Statesman and Nation," says that an Ethiopian war is now almost certain, "telling a political miracle such as the collapse of the lira, the death of Signor Mussolini or official recognition of what is already common gossip in political circles in Rome—namely, that Mr. Duce's notorious paranoia is nearing the pitch of certifiable insanity."

The laws of Great Britain are being gradually reduced to reasonable proportions. Ever since the middle of the last century it has been one of the duties of the law officers of the state to prune the statute book by the removal of acts of parliament that have ceased to operate by measures passed respectively in 1908 and 1927 the disappearance of some thousands of inoperative enactments has been legalized. A new batch of selections is now ready for elimination, and notice has been given of a government bill for this purpose to be introduced early next year. It is hoped eventually to make it possible for some twenty or thirty volumes to contain the whole statute law.

The United States government to keep its pledge must transfer 60,000 men daily from the dole to relief work before November 1. It is the greatest relief program ever undertaken by any country in history, and its operation and effects will be watched with sympathetic interest by other countries; and especially by economists. Will the process do what is hoped—prime the pump of private industry.—Ex.

The Washington correspondent of The Post and Herald, summarizing what he hears from state department officials regarding the course Mussolini is pursuing, puts it in this pithy sentence: "The expert consensus is that the Italian dictator decided on a foreign war to counteract domestic discontent; that he didn't expect outside opposition; that he tried to bluff when outside opposition did develop; that he has bluffed so long now that he dare not stop it, lest it precipitate a revolution in Italy."

The more hygiene and the more doctor, the more people die. That is a saying more or less frequently expressed in one form or another. Does it rest on a foundation of truth? We respond with a categorical no. We can affirm on the contrary that the development of hygiene and medicine results in a prolongation of the average length of life. In the sixteenth century the expectation of life was of twenty years only. According to the latest American statistics the average expectation of life is now fifty-six years. The same statistics demonstrate that the countries where they have succeeded in prolonging life most are the countries where they are most particularly preoccupied with hygiene and the fight against tuberculosis and infantile mortality.—Exchange

Goering, Hitler's lieutenant, says the swastika is now not only Germany's national flag but the emblem of anti-Jewry. Unless that dictum is withdrawn, the Nazis have no right to ask any other country to protect a symbol of hatred and persecution which is designed deliberately to insult all people of Jewish blood throughout the world.

The trade of Canada these past five years, declined less than the trade of any other country in the world, with one exception—Japan. The trade of England, of the United States, of France, Italy and Germany diminished more greatly than that of Canada's. During the past two years of recovery has been increasing faster than that of any other country. Canada had a bigger proportion of the world trade last year than she had in the boom year of 1929.—Ottawa Journal.

There is nothing in the world that stirs up the military spirit and the determination to fight like a picture of a soldier saying goodbye to the girl. The words of Britain's most famous marching song, "The Girl I Left Behind Me," can safely be backed to bring fighting tears to the eyes of anyone who hasn't even heard them before; every picture of troops going to the front in the last disturbances in France was rendered pathetic by flocks of girls, women and babies clinging around the train doors, waving their hands and even the railway officials. There is no reason why this preoccupation with the girl I left behind me should be started yet. We haven't gone to war and don't expect to. We still have the girl with us and there is no cause for fighting sentiment.

Lord Kitchener's home near Canterbury, England is to be converted into a country club. He remodelled the front of the house to his own design, and even during the early months of the World War could be distracted from his work by the mention of a fine piece of Jacobean furniture, in which he was particularly interested. He even designed four groups of statuary and a great fountain for the park, and was engaged on the day

That Baby of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

YOU BEAN MILK FOR CHILDREN You are reading much about the soy bean; that the development of this vegetable has had much to do with the unpleasantness between China and Japan. Although some nations, in fact the majority of mankind, have been using rice as their main article of diet, it would appear that the soy bean may replace rice as the staple food of many nations.

Children's specialists have been using the soy bean in place of milk in many cases of eczema. Eczema is a difficult skin ailment to cure in children; only the natural "aging" of the child seems to clear the skin of this distressing ailment. Drs. F. Rittinger, L. H. Dembo, and Gilbert G. Torrey, Cleveland, in the Journal of Pediatrics, give the result of soy bean milk feeding over a period of three and a half years in 205 infants who were fed this "milk" over variable periods of time.

Growth and development, gains in weight and the general progress of these infants point to the beneficial effects of this milk, particularly in keeping the youngsters free of infections. The preparations of soy bean milk now obtainable have been shown to contain sufficient amounts of vitamins needed by the body, and its growing producing effects have been well established. Soy bean milk in combination with various percentages of skimmed milk protein affords a highly nutritious food.

Studies of the blood during the feeding with the soy bean milk have shown that it supplies the blood with the proper amount of calcium and phosphorus—two very necessary substances for body building. The wastes from the large bowel shows that the action of soy bean milk in the body closely resembles that in breast-fed infants.

Though the soy bean milk has been shown to be nutritious it doesn't mean that it should take the place of breast milk or cow's milk. Breast milk still stands first in infant feeding and cow's milk either in its natural state or "prepared" will still be the food usually prescribed by children's specialists.

However these research physicians state: "Soy bean milk is of practical value in the dietetic treatment of infantile eczema, and in the treatment of constipation in infants because of its 'roughage'."



ON BEING PRESENTED WITH A PAINTING

I never sat beneath those trees Of cool sufficient shade, But could I overtake their mood I'd know if they were made To awe the sun, who baffled woods— A fortitude in gold— Beyond the green and leafy rim That circumscribes his hold. I think I never will be sure If in your subtlety, Ironical equivalent, Was traced for you and me.

—Florence Dickinson Stearns in "Voices."

Speaking Of Cows

(Montreal Gazette) A new legal status has been given to that passive and productive animal, the cow. It is no longer necessary for this domestic quadruped to watch her step like the common herd. A magistrate at Truro, Nova Scotia, has delivered a judgment regarding the circumstances immediately antecedent to the untimely decease of a wandering bovine, upon which judgment the late Mr. Solomon could scarcely have improved. The cow was in the road. It was contacted (nice new expression invented by hustling salesmen). The magistrate expressed himself as follows: "A man who does not stop his car when a herd of cattle is on the road is a menace and a fool." He said also that no driver can deliberately drive a cow in going to do and that the onus is therefore upon the driver. Nothing could be more true than the facts set forth in His Worship's final sentence. Nobody knows what a cow is going to do; not even the cow. The motorist finds himself upon the horns of a dilemma. He wishes to pass the cow but he has no means of knowing where the cow will be when he arrives. He has little stomach for it, whereas the cow has four.

The driver has no preconceived antipathy toward the cow; indeed the milk of kindness may be in him. His ordinary sentiment in the matter of cows is one of good will and esteem. He has no desire to injure either her or hide of the ruminant ruminating in the highway; but the cow, preoccupied with gustatory problems peculiar to its field of activity, has a tendency to gyrate. The cow, in moments of abstraction common to all deliberative mammals, college professors, etc., is subject to unpremeditated and therefore unforeseeable vagaries of locomotion. These are distinctly embarrassing to the automobile driver, whose only safe course, particularly in view of this recent judgment, is to go back a few miles and detour. It is difficult, in the light of personal experience, to completely stifle all sense of sympathy for the Truro offender who is thus left to

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Raising A War Scare

(By Analyst)

The Rt. Hon. Mackenzie King doesn't like war. Neither do any of us for that matter. But there's a difference. The true patriot doesn't like war, but when it comes he stands behind his country to defend it. The other fellow wants to be in the bush or as far away from the call of the bugle as legs or rail can carry him.

Mr. King is drawing his long bow. He is nobly in the fight before the fight is on, and we hope long before it comes, if it does come. War is a game of strategy, as well as of fight. The Liberal leader is in on the political war strategy stunts, and divested of home ammunition has started this war in distant Ethiopia.

He was once sojourner for his own life, and found safe refuge in New York. Now his anxiety is for his very dear friend Mr. Bennett, who he doesn't want to see fall in battle between the contending Italy and its possible foe. He first was going to insist on invoking Parliament before bucking on the armour. When Premier Bennett enlightened his dark understanding by revealing the fact that the law required consent of Parliament, he switched to a new breeze.

Mr. King, in his political creed doesn't want to go to New York just now. He likes Canada better. To stay in Canada in peace and safety the further the noise of battle (except political noise) is away the more he will like it. Like Mark Twain he is willing enough to sacrifice all his (prospective) wife's relations for his country, but less he be mistaken for one of these relations he wants the recruiting officer to be shadowless.

And so his strategy has developed. Mr. King is allowed to risk his precious life as feed for the cannon of Europe and Africa. AND THAT VOTE MUST BE BY A PLEBISCITE. A SECRET VOTE WHERE THE COWARD MAY HIDE HIS TIMIDITY BEHIND AN UNKNOWN BALLOT.

There is another cogent reason. He has no policy, and no convictions on the subject. None at least that he could trust to the verdict of the people. UNLIKE SIR ROBERT BORDEN AND THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY, YES, AND UNLIKE THE LIBERAL PARTY AS LED BY SIR WILFRED LAURIER, HE HASN'T THE COURAGE TO STATE HIS POLITICAL POSITION AS THE PEOPLE UPON ANY DEFINITE ISSUE OR POLICY OF WAR OR PEACE. IT IS A "PLEBISCITE" ONLY A STRAW VOTE THAT HE WANTS TO DECIDE THIS STUPIDOUS ISSUE.

Never in the history of Canada was such a cowardly course proposed or adopted by any party leader or statesman of stature. Sir Robert Borden staked the life of his government upon the great war issue. Rightly or wrongly Sir Wilfrid Laurier was reported, in the throes of election as declaring, had he been there he would have shouldered his musket in the Real Rebellion. Again he had the courage of his convictions when he opposed conscription. Right or wrong, these and other great leaders must be honored for their courage in standing outspoken for their political ideals.

But the Rt. Hon. Mackenzie King would fiddle with plebiscites while men of courage and judgment would be acting the patriotic part or resolutely statedly applying their wisdom to procure peace as speedily as possible and to save by diplomacy, and even by threats of action, the Canadian nation from those horrors of bloodshed and privation of which they were so bitterly scourged.

Yet THERE IS NO WAR ON AND MR. KING MIGHT SAVE HIS ENERGY. TILL THERE IS ONE, AND IF HE CAN GET AN AMMUNITION FOR HIS POLITICAL FIGHT THIS SIDE OF ETHIOPIA HE BETTER GET BUSY AND USE IT. SO FAR HE HAS SHOWN NONE. HE PLAYED THE SAME GAME IN 1930, AFTER AN IMAGINARY WAR IN INDIA.

chew upon the cud of his melancholy reflections. But there is a point of great importance involved. A way out has been found for the ordinary human biped, who has no right of way. All that he has to do now is to look like a cow.

LIFT MARRIAGE BAN LONDON—The recent lifting of the marriage ban against women teachers and women doctors under the London County Council is likely to be followed by the Council allowing women clerks to keep their jobs after marriage.

Mr. Tea Pott

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PUBLIC FORUM

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THE HON. H. H. STEVENS

Sir.—My plea to independent electors would be "cast not a vote for the forces of the Hon. Mr. Stevens." I am stating my reason for the above plea. Mr. Stevens for the past 15 years has voted and talked against the very same ideas that he now brings forward. He has also placed candidates against United Farmer, Labor and Independent members of the last House of Commons, who have voted reform in the House of Commons all these years, while Mr. Stevens has voted against such reforms. If he was sincere, he today would not be placing candidates in the field against these independent members who have been waging a fight for reform since 1921 on.

I am, Sir, etc., HOWARD HICKS

LIVE STOCK MARKETING

Sir.—A meeting was held in Trvon Hall recently to consider the proposed Prince Edward Island Livestock Marketing Scheme. This meeting was called by the Farmers' Institute, and a considerable number of Institute members and members of the Albany Shipping Club were present. Mr. J. W. Reid, who is a member of the Provisional Board for the administration of the Scheme, was present to explain its workings.

A great number of questions were asked, and much criticism was directed at the proposed Scheme. Mr. Reid's statement that it applied only to sheep and swine was questioned by the producers present. They cited Section 2, which states that "this marketing scheme shall apply to cattle, swine and sheep—also Sec. 1, which states "Livestock shall mean and include any cattle, sheep or swine produced in the area of production." Mr. Reid could not explain these sections, saying it was his belief that cattle were not included.

The Scheme gives the Local Board power to regulate the time and place of delivery, state the agency through which the product must be marketed, determine the quantity and quality, grade or class, of the product that shall be marketed by any person, at any time. Thus, whether the producer through this board, or not at all, except for local consumption.

The Local Board also has the power to register all producers, to obtain from them full information relating to the production or marketing of the regulated products, and to inspect their books and premises at any time.

Furthermore, the Local Board has the power to employ any persons or agencies they consider necessary, and fix their remuneration, and they may impose any charges and tolls they wish upon the products marketed. (As no maximum amount is stated for these charges and tolls, the producer has no protection whatever.) Section VI of the Scheme gives the Local Board the power to fix their own salaries, or remuneration.

It has been stated by Mr. J. A. Gillies that provision has been made for a vote of the producers to be taken in July of 1936, after they have had the experience of its operation to that date. The Scheme definitely states that this poll shall be taken if the Minister of Agriculture considers it to be required. Thus it is plain the producer has no

350 Whales

(Fisheries News Bulletin) Member of a marine fauna which brings the British Columbia fishing industry a tidy sum every year but is not exploited commercially on Canada's Atlantic coast, an 82-foot whale, with its mouth measuring 30 feet in circumference, was trapped in an ice jam off Richmond county, Nova Scotia, in early May and cast up on the shore. It thrashed and struggled, flailing about with its great tail, but Nature which gave it power had given the ice pack more and the big mammal's struggles were unavailing.

On the Dominion's Pacific coast the whaling industry is of substantial importance, the catch being used in manufacturing whale oil, meal and fertilizer. Last year the British Columbia whaling steamers captured 350 of these big fellows, a total which was above the annual average for the preceding 10 years of whaling, and the two stations in the Queen Charlotte Islands where the yearly catch is processed turned out more than 813,700 gallons of oil. That quantity was 304,400 gallons greater than the 1933 output, and it is necessary to dig back to 1918 in the records of the Dominion Department of Fisheries to find a year when the '34 production figures were exceeded.

Practically a dozen different species of whales are taken off the Queen Charlotte but nowadays much the greater part of the catch is made up of Sperm. definite assurance of an opportunity to register his approval, or disapproval, it is at the discretion of the Federal Minister. Mr. Reid cased this Marketing Scheme as a co-operative plan which should receive the support of all producers. The feeling of those attending the meeting was that if co-operative methods are to be successful, the people must be educated, not legislated, into them, and that legislation of such a drastic nature as this Scheme is, should not be palmed off upon the producer, but that meetings should be held throughout the Province, and the Livestock Marketing Scheme gone into in detail, and fully explained to the producer before being put into effect, for it is a fact that comparatively few producers are aware of the scope and power of the proposed Scheme.

A committee was appointed to wait upon the Premier with a view to having action taken to have the plan held up until the Scheme should be fully explained, and better understood by the producer. It would be advisable if more of our Shipping Clubs and Institutes, would take some action in this matter. Surely the recollections of the Potato Marketing Scheme, under the same Natural Products Marketing Act as this Livestock Marketing Scheme, is to fresh in the memory of Prince Edward Island farmers for us to plunge blindly into another scheme which may be just about as effective, and much more drastic.

I am, Sir, etc., LIVESTOCK PRODUCERS

OXFORD GROUP WORK PRAISED AT GENEVA LONDON, Sept. 29.—At a luncheon given yesterday in Geneva to a core or more of the members of the Oxford Group by Dr. Eduard Benes, Foreign Minister of Czechoslovakia, and attended by many members of the League of Nations, speakers paid high tribute to the effect of the work of the group on political and personal relationships of people in the countries in which the group had made its presence felt.



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