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## EDITORIAL

### Over the Line Fence Again

Evidence is not lacking that the restrictions on trade and travel with our good neighbor the United States are soon to be eased. It is gratifying to know also that, while they have been bothersome, their maintenance means that we enter the present period and the post war period in an improved condition that would not have been possible without them. Like an individual who has had a serious operation or prolonged treatment for ill health, when the enjoyment of better health comes again the discomfort of the treatment is soon forgotten in the joy of well being.

Recently we talked to officials at the Rainbow Bridge—they weren't rushed at any time in the two days we were there—and found that almost any definite form of identification, such as a birth certificate, would permit entry to the United States of Canadians. Not just as simple as in pre-war days but certainly a lot easier than the last three years.

Changes already announced by Mr. Ilsley for relaxing FECC regulations on pleasure travel to the United States may involve between \$20 and \$25 millions a year. Before wartime curtailment of travel, this tourist business accounted for three times this amount. The new rules permit banks to sell up to \$150 U. S. funds for a person making one trip in a year or \$75 U. S. funds for a person each six months. Transportation costs are not included in the allowance since these can be obtained in advance in Canadian funds.

It is hinted that Mr. Ilsley will discuss in his budget speech the removal of the present ten per cent. War Exchange Tax now operative between the two countries. It is just possible, too, that Canadians will find when travel is made easier to the United States how fortunate Canadians were that they were put on here in time and enforced. Buying in the United States won't be advantageous even if money values are on the same level.

### Where Silence Isn't Golden

When a reduction or change is made in the distribution of liquor it is, to say the least, noticeable the concern of the Liquor Control Board to assure imbibers that it wasn't their fault, and to be particular to blame the Dominion regulations.

This month we had a cut in the butter ration too and very little explanation about it either. We don't care about how many ounces of spirits are permitted per month, but we are concerned about butter because we have over the years formed an appetite for butter and the same goes for every member of the family. While only a small percentage of people will use over 26 ounces of spirits every month a lot of people will miss that half pound of butter. While spirits haven't any food value, the butter has and it's very necessary to maintenance of good health in wartime.

Butter doesn't act like spirits in making those who use it unfit to carry on their regular work or leave them prostrated in the gutter if they take a little too much. Butter unlike spirits helps the war effort and does not hinder it.

The fact is that too many of us butter-eaters take our rationing without a fuss and don't holler like the whiskey-guzzlers. The silence is just taken for granted. But since butter-eaters are in the majority there should be more consideration given and we should be informed that since the Dominion government controls the export and import of butter and the grass is liable to be shorter in July than it is now that we will have to have less butter. We never thought much of the group who a few years ago came out with the slogan "No beer, no bonds," but the group who staged a demonstration regarding butter shortage had some merit. There is nothing

quite so unpalatable as a workman's lunch without butter on the bread.

We don't want to add to the trials of rationing and the maintenance of price ceilings, and we realize full well their importance to our financial structure but we're thoroughly fed up on the suffering of those who think they have a hardship when the liquor supply is restricted in an effort to have Canadians contribute to a greater war effort. We consider a provincial government that undertakes to lead the Province of Ontario in a time of emergency should be willing to assume at least its own share of responsibility without excuse.

### Out into the Light

The war has intensified the problem of juvenile delinquency. The public is becoming increasingly aware of the extent and alarming implications of lawbreaking among adolescents across the Dominion.

Publicity is bringing the problem into the light, and while it may over-emphasize its relative importance to some degree, at the same time the awakening of public consciousness will serve to demand intelligent and adequate action to combat the evils undermining the lives of a section of the future citizens of Canada.

The problem has its economic aspects. Greed for easily earned money and unwise spending in a period of wartime employment have been added to overcrowded living conditions. Some of the responsibility lies in inadequate and indifferent parental supervision of children.

The efforts of social and public health agencies and of service organizations to alleviate the problem are making important contributions to its ultimate solution. The more people who take part in work of this kind, the more general will be the understanding of the matter. The sum of their experience will reveal both the advantages and pitfalls of methods now being employed in attempted solutions.

Ultimately the most effective weapon against juvenile delinquency is education of both the juvenile and the adult. The development of self reliance, pride in work and respect for law in the individual is necessary for the development of responsible citizenry. Canadian educationists and social workers are striving unceasingly toward this end, and are prepared to show others how to help effectively.

To be aware of the problem is not enough. The co-operative and sympathetic effort of every citizen is required to support and supplement the valuable work now being done.

### Reconsidered Before Too Late

The provincial government is to be commended on the announcement made on the "Hours of Work and Vacations with Pay" Act. The act was rushed through in the dying hours of the Legislature to become effective on July 1st. The general public had little opportunity to study it and become aware of its scope. Then the phraseology of certain clauses left many doubts as to its meaning. Attention was called to these in this column last week.

There is no argument against the rule of the eight-hour day under normal circumstances or for that matter of vacations with pay, although it must be borne in mind that somebody will pay for time that isn't productive. But with present labor shortages in every line of business and industry it will come as a general relief to read the announcement that "The Board therefore authorizes the continuance of existing hours in all industries operating on priority war materials in the Province of Ontario."

The Industry and Labour Board, under which body the Act will be administered, says that while plans are now being laid for the operation of the Act, it would be unsound at this time to impose arbitrary changes. The need for all-out production on essential war materials might be seriously interfered with if drastic changes in present hour schedules, which might be made necessary in conforming to the terms of this Act, were made. This is particularly true in view of the man-power shortage existing at the present time. The Board, therefore, considers that a postponement of the provisions of the Act regulating "Work hours" is necessary, and will be necessary, while the present critical requirements and acute shortage of man-power exists.

Periods of relaxation, both mental and physical, to provide recreation are essential for general health and morale, however, Mr. Daley said. "It is probably of more value in this time of mental stress and physical pressure than at any other time. The provisions of the Act, therefore, applying to at least one week's vacation with pay shall apply to all persons qualifying under the term of employment. This does not necessarily mean that vacation must begin on July 1st, but that vacations with pay shall be provided for all employees effective July 1st, 1944, under the individual employer's plan of allotting vacation time," Mr. Daley said.

Other details will be found in an announcement in this issue. It is commendable that action was taken before a serious disturbance was made in the war effort in Ontario. It is well too that further study be given the new act in its application in Ontario with relation to the rest of the Dominion.

### EDITORIAL NOTES

The day and days for which years of preparation have been made came on Tuesday. The prayers of all these days will be for those engaged in the deadly struggle and, like Rome, that soon others will be liberated.

### DEBT TO HOME TOWN

We all owe a debt to our home town, and the opportunities it gives us. The people who built up the community handed down to us many lasting advantages. As the years have gone, people have done more and more things to make life pleasant and profitable here. We owe a debt to all who have labored in its organized activities, and to those who still carry them on.

One excellent way to pay that debt is to make it our practice to buy our home and personal supplies in the home town. In that way we help to build up the business of the town, so that it becomes better able to support present institutions generously, and make progress in development.

### BISHOP DECLARES UNBELIEF GENERAL

LONDON (CP)—The Bishop of Chelmsford, Dr. Henry Wilson, told the Christian Evidence Society's annual meeting that despite a growing conviction among the masses to the contrary, he believes that religious unbelief is rampant among Britain's men in the forces.

### ONTARIO WANTS FILM OF CANADIAN ENTRY

ONTARIO, Italy (CP)—When the Canadians took over Ontario from the Germans, army film unit men took motion pictures of the liberation. The pictures were made into a news reel and now the people of Ontario, through their mayor, have asked that a copy of this news reel be obtained for the town archives.

The news reel pictures were taken by Sgt. J. A. Stollery of St. Thomas, Ont., Sgt. E. C. Anderson of Vancouver and Lieut. G. A. Cooper of Ottawa who was a sergeant at the time; Capt. J. A. Fraser of Montreal who was a Lieutenant then and Lieut. C. C. McDougall of Ottawa.

### GIFT OF FRENCH BOY SCOUTS

Boy Scouts of the Toronto District Association are to purchase ten thousand books on Scouting to be used by the Boy Scouts of France as soon as that country is liberated. The books are being printed in Canada, and will be handled by the Free French Committee in London. The books will bear the inscription "A gift to the Boy Scouts of France from the Boy Scouts of Toronto, Canada."



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Cashmere Saponated Oils SOAP 2 cakes 11c	<b>SOUP</b> 1/2 lb. 10c
Claret Palmolive SOAP 3 cakes 23c	<b>Baby Food</b> 1/2 lb. 7c
Haver's Lemon Oil POLISH 1/2 lb. 15c 25c	
2 in 1 Liquid White Shoe POLISH 1/2 lb. 14c	
Kamel KIBBLE 3 tin 25c	
Kitty Dog Meal or CUBES 2-lb. carton 19c	
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Saturday only	2:29 p.m.
Daily, except Sunday	7:48 p.m.
Monday, only	12:08 a.m.
Daily, except Sunday	1:14 a.m.
Flyer, at Georgetown, daily except Sat. and Sun.	6:35 p.m.
Flyer, at Guelph, daily except Sat. and Sun.	7:12 p.m.

Going East

Daily, except Sunday	6:49 a.m.
Daily, except Sunday	9:36 a.m.
Daily, except Sunday	6:50 p.m.
Sunday, only	8:19 p.m.
Flyer, daily, Georgetown	9:25 p.m.
Flyer, daily, at Guelph	8:59 p.m.

**GRAY COACH LINES**  
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**Eastbound**  
6:46 a.m.; 9:16 a.m.; 2:06 p.m.; 6:26 p.m.; 9:16 p.m.; 9:51 p.m.

**Westbound**  
10:53 a.m.; 2:38 p.m.; 5:08 p.m.; 7:33 p.m.; 8:38 p.m.; 11:28 p.m.

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