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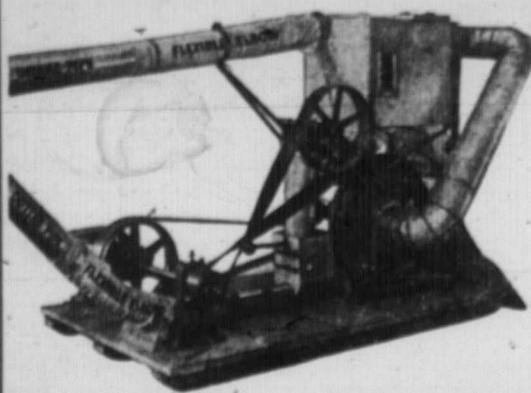
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Canada's War Machine

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Dominion lands or privately-owned lands, and in the case of privately-owned lands, the loans are secured by first mortgage against the property. No loans are made until the Board is satisfied that the applicant has had experience in farming or will make a bona-fide farmer, neither will grants be made on lands other than those of agricultural value. A maximum value of loans has been set at \$2,500. Security must be provided for loans.

The Board of Pension Commissioners, is J. K. L. Ross, chairman, and Major J. L. Todd. It administers all pensions payable to discharged soldiers.

Effort to Maintain Trade

Trade is as much a war effort as fighting. Without a continuous production of materials, and a steady ebb and flow of commodities in and out of a country the fighting would soon become non-effective. Canada's trade and production has suffered some very serious effects as a result of the war. Sources of supply were practically cut off, markets were closed. Chaos confronted the country's producers. Something had to be done to facilitate trade for the sake of the country at large as well as for the sake of Canada and the Allies who were depending on Canadian factories for war materials.

After considerable appeals, and much negotiation the Canadian War Trade Board came into existence under the chairmanship of Sir George E. Foster, Minister of Trade and Commerce. Since its formation about eight months ago, the results of its efforts have proved that its appointment was one of the best departures made by the Union Government. Its personnel consists of Frank P. Jones, Montreal, vice-chairman; John W. McConnell, Montreal; James H. Gundy, Charles M. McNaught, and Alderman Joseph Gibbons of Toronto. Labor is represented by Mr. Gibbons, the other members are very well known financial and industrial experts.

The War Trade Board is charged with the particular duty of regulating the trade of the country to conform to war conditions. After the United States entered the war it was found that with the great shortage of certain classes of raw material some system of uniform distribution among industries engaged in war production was essential. Otherwise there was a danger of a condition developing whereby certain factories would be enabled to corner great quantities of material, while others would be utterly lacking in necessary supplies. Such a situation would have been fraught with great danger to war production, and the government therefore decided to form a commission which would guarantee a uniform and steady supply of raw materials to all factories engaged in war work. The War Trade Board has been able to bring about an equitable distribution of supplies that has been of great benefit, not alone to the industries concerned, but to the country's economic condition as a whole.

Another important duty which devolves upon the War Trade Board is that of assisting to adjust the balance of trade. An unfavorable trade balance with the United States attended by an adverse rate of exchange has imposed considerable hardship upon the Dominion. By advising the government a number of non-essential articles and commodities that could be barred from the country without injury to Canadian industry, the War Trade Board has been instrumental in greatly reducing imports from the United States, contributing to that extent toward reducing the balance against the Dominion.

Estimating Our Man Power

Early in the war Britain ascertained the amount of her man power by registration. Canada might well have done this too. It would have saved much misunderstanding and expense. One of the first decisions of the Union Government was to do what the former government has overlooked, and the Canadian Registration Board was the result.

The board was appointed to find out the available labor and energy in Canada, how this was being utilized, where it was located, what it could do and was willing to do, and how all this energy could best be utilized to facilitate Canada's participation in the war. After the registration on June 22 last, the board was able to give the government a very clear and definite idea of the man and woman power in Canada.

The board now knows how much labor is being utilized in less essential industries, and it knows what proportion of it is engaged in more essential industries. In this way the whole force of the nation can be used to the best possible advantage. With registration Canada knows her strength, and knows what she is capable of.

Canada is not entirely self-supporting industrially; she must buy outside her borders. Everyone knows that Canada is very dependent on the sources of supply across the border. This war has accentuated this condition.

Soon after the beginning of the war it became apparent that numerous important matters affecting Canada's participation in it were directly and continuously concerned with conditions and the course of events in the United States.

This condition became more pronounced after the Republic decided to enter the conflict, and the Government arrived at the conclusion that it was not only desirable that provision be made for the most adequate representations of the interest of the Dominion at Washington, but that it was also essential that there should exist the most effective co-operation between the two countries in respect of many economic and financial measures vitally connected with the prosecution of the war.

The Canadian War Mission

Accordingly, at the beginning of the present year the Prime Minister announced the appointment of a Canadian War Mission to Washington, under the chairmanship of Lloyd Harris, a Canadian business man of high commercial qualifications, wide knowledge experience and energy, directly responsible to the Dominion Cabinet.

While in no way infringing upon the Imperial status of the British Embassy, and without in the slightest signifying lack of unity of the British Commonwealth in its relations with another state, the Canadian War Mission is, nevertheless, an independent body responsible solely to the authorities in Ottawa, and with full authority to deal with the Washington Government in respect to all purely Canadian affairs.

The result of this step is that the progressively growing demands in both countries for increased production, agricultural, industrial and mining; the high urgency of transportation problems on sea and land; the need of more comprehensive organization to engage the utmost force of our human power for economic as well as military purposes—all these considerations have received more prompt and direct attention than would otherwise have been possible. And the relations between the two countries have been conducted with the

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