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Excerpt from Mr. King's speech at Niagara Falls, Oct. 9/35.

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Threats by Employers

Mr. King claimed that attempts are being made by certain manufacturers to frighten their employees into voting for the Bennett government by pretending that election of Liberal government will deprive them of their jobs. "I promise you," said Mr. King, "that if returned to power such concerns will be investigated for all of the five years under the Bennett government. If we find any instances of employes being terrorized by such threats, I promise you there will be a rigorous investigation into the higher profits and lower wages paid during the past five years. I warn such firms using slanderous methods to frighten their employees into voting against the Liberal government will be investigated to the very limit and we will find out how it has been possible at a time when wages have been lowered that profits have increased.

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