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menting on the situation, the Montreal Daily Mail says:— "First, Mr. Crothers speaking at Hali-fax, said, according to reports, that 'We want cheap living, let's have a few years of hard times.' Then Mr. Foster, speak-ding at Smith's Falls, 'deplored' the high cost of living and referred rather face-tiously to the idea of appointing a com-mission to investigate the matter. He pointed out that a commission takes a lot of time, and its report is seldom acted upon. In conclusion, he criticized the habits of Canadians in spending money. They did not understand what frugality meant, he said. The remarks of the two ministers will, we believe, find but little favor with the majority of our wage-carners and consumers. Leaving Mr. Crothers's remarks to car-Leaving Mr. Crothers's remarks to car-@ @ @ @

Leaving Mr. Crothers's remarks to carry their own rebuttal, we would like to ask Mr. Foster what the frugality of the people has to do with the rise in price of foodstuffs? If Mr. Foster opposes a commission on the ground that it would reveal serious weaknesses in our fiscal system, we think he is needlessly alarming himself. His attitude would indicate that. He belongs to the tariff school which scents danger in facing facts bearing remotely on pet theories. We hope the government will disregard his advice and his policy of do-nothing." The following comment is from the Montreal Star: Montreal Star: for children in New Brunswick does no

Montreal Star: "It is as clear as noonday that the present government must do something more than talk about the exceeding sin-fulness of our 'extravagance' or the curative power of 'hard times' when this pressing question of the high cost of living comes up if they are to keep the confidence of a people all too conscious of the unaccustomed pinch of poverty." It will thus be seen that it is not the Liberal party alone which pro-

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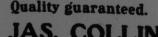
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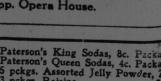
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