NEED CURFEW LAW

Grave Problem, Says Halifax Newspaper

OBLIGATION OF PARENTS

Said to Be Impossible to Cope With Conditions Under Existing Legislation - Movement in Favor of a Girls' Home

(Halifax Echo) It seems to be generally conceded in all cities now that something must be all cities now that something must be done to keep children off the streets at night, and in Halifax the need of movement in that direction is just as plain as in other cities of similar population. There is a movement in favon of a girl's home, an institution that is needed, but such a home cannot altogether meet the whole situation so far as young girls in the street at night are concerned.

concerned.

In the large cities the explanation of children in the streets is crowded tenements, but that cannot apply very large-sly to Halifax, though it is stated as a fact by persons in a position to know that there are a limited number of cases of "herding" in tenements, the conditions being deplorable and surprissing. A social worker informed the Echo of one case where a widow, her daughter, and son-in-law and two or three young children all lived in one room, rating as well as sleeping there. But such extreme conditions are not companients" cannot explain away the cause of children in the street at nights here.

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the guardianship of young girls who run about the streets at night, could not be brought before the courts for negligence.

A Grave Problem

So it would appear that in the interest of the children, of society, and of all concerned, the law must come to the rescue, either in curfew provisions or legislation that will bring to careless parents or guardians realization of their responsibilities. Otherwise the problem must become an exceedingly grave one in the not very distant future.

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way when they are not looked after. In my opinion every child should be in bed at eight o'clock. You'll find lots of fine children among the poorer families. And if one poor woman can bring up a family to be decent, respectable citizens, there is no reason why they all can't do it."

"The whole trouble,' continued Chief Compeau, "lies in the fact that the children are allowed to run the streets at night. There are little boys and young girls all over the city, whose parents do not seem to object to their being out after midnight."

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Asked if he would favor a curfew law by which the police could force children to go home early in the evening, the Montreal chief said: "he thought it would be a splendid idea if the council would pass some sort of a, bye-law for bidding children to be on the street after a certain hour. It would be enforced and he thought it would be some some sort of a, bye-law for bidding children to be on the street after a certain hour. It would be enforced and he thought it would do a great deal to prevent children from going wrong.

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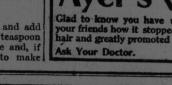
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