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—ALBERTON, Wednesday, Sept. 16th. Splendid Day and Horse Race. Field racing. 9-11-31.

—PANTRY SALE—MacKenzie's Store, Saturday, September 12th. Irishtown W. I. 9-11-31.

—ACCEPTS NEW POSITION—Mr. Leo Wood has accepted a position as assistant with Mr. P. L. Bowness in the latter's undertaking business. His many friends will welcome him back to town and wish him every success in resuming his former occupation and congratulate Mr. Bowness on securing the services of an assistant with Mr. Wood's experience.—S.

—FUNERAL OF MR. RICHARD—The funeral of the late Gaspy Richard took place from his late residence on Ottawa Street on Thursday morning at nine o'clock to St. Paul's Church (thence to the Roman Catholic cemetery). Rev. Joseph McDonald chanted the requiem Mass and performed the last rites at the grave. The pall bearers were Mayor W. J. Lidsstone, Robert Walker, Samuel Simmonds, William Gallant, Joseph Landry and Henry DesRoches.—S.

—HORNE-HUNTER NUPTIALS—The marriage took place quietly at the Trinity United Church Parsonage, Summerside, at ten thirty a. m. Wednesday, Sept. 9, of Miss Ethyl Isabel Hunter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henry Hunter, Rosebank, to Mr. David Willard Horne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Horne, Bloomfield. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. J. Jarvie. The bride was attired in a brown and beige ensemble with matching accessories. The attendants were Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Palmer, O'Leary.

—LITTLE Miss Theresa McArdle and brother Harold of Moncton, have returned home after visiting their cousin, Miss Edna MacDonald, Summerside.—S.

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TO-DAY

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themselves will be delighted to know that she is progressing favourably at her home in Alberton, after her unfortunate accident some time ago when she suffered a broken leg. It is expected that she will be out around again in a couple of weeks.—S.

Sailor Buried With Full Naval Honors At Borden

Funeral services were held at Borden yesterday for AB. John Daniel Ferguson, 20, who died in Camp Hill Hospital at Halifax earlier this week. The funeral was from the residence of his mother, Mrs. Margaret Ferguson to the Roman Catholic Church at Seven Mile Bay. Services were conducted by the parish priest, Rev. W. V. MacDonald. Burial was in the church cemetery.

AB. Ferguson was buried with full naval honors. A detachment from the Queen's Own Rifles of Charlottetown attended and acted as pall bearers and guard of honor.

Mr. Patrick Martin, president of the Summerside branch of the Canadian Legion represented the veterans at the services.

AB. Ferguson was educated at Borden. After the war broke out he served for some time with the merchant marine before joining the Canadian Navy. He served for about a year.—S.

REQUEST "FLOOR"

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year they got \$2.00. Mr. Trainor told the meeting that the Federation of Agriculture met recently with the National War Service Board asking that favorable consideration be given farm workers when they were called for men for the army. He said that the Board explained that many of those called were too late in asking for a postponement. They should go to wherever they receive their notice he declared.

Resolutions included, besides the one asking for a floor on potatoes, one by the Livestock Board declaring themselves to be the foodstuffs necessary to banish Hitlerism from the face of the earth; another expressing appreciation and thanks to the N.W.S.B. for "services rendered" in connection with livestock shipments; one requesting the Federation of Agriculture to also hold a noon or evening session during Farmer's Week to the discussion of marketing problems; a final one providing for the purchase of \$500 in the next issue of Victory Bonds, the money to be taken from the accumulated fund of the organization. On suggestion of Mr. J. Trainor it was decided that the amount would not be necessarily limited to \$500.

MANAGER'S REPORT

Following is a partial text of Secretary-Manager J. A. Gillet's report:

During the twelve months ending May 31st your Board and I sold 21,922 hogs at a sales value of \$314,889.92, as against 21,966 hogs at a sales value of \$385,682.18 the previous year. That is a substantial reduction in volume of 437 hogs, but at an increased value of nearly 130 thousand dollars. (Report covers only 51 weeks as compared with 52 a year ago). The number of lambs handled during the year was 936 head, and calves 334 as compared with 1,346 lambs and 279 calves the previous year. The financial turnover for the year was \$25,109.34 as compared with \$385,682.18 a year ago and is the largest in the history of your organization. The financial statement shows a revenue of \$8,822.38 and expenditures of \$8,042.74 with a total revenue over expenditure or surplus of \$789.62.

With your permission I will digress for a moment to point out that the value per hog this past year is approximately \$23.50 as against \$17.50 a year ago. With feed prices substantially the same, hog producers should look forward to increasing their production with a considerable degree of optimism.

You will notice that we did not report the usual \$500.00 grant from the Provincial Department of Agriculture. We did not ask for a grant this year as we felt our own revenues would give us sufficient income with which to carry on. Should the time ever come when earnings are not enough to cover necessary expenditures we may again solicit departmental support.

Last year we referred to the formation of a livestock shipping association that would act as a feeder agency to the Marketing Board. This association has continued to function in an advisory capacity, in so far as the assembling of livestock is concerned during the past year and without remuneration. Not one dollar of Marketing Board money has passed through their hands, nor have they profited in any tangible respect, excepting in common with the rest of us. We are continually profiting from the functioning of the Marketing Board and its influence upon prevailing prices.

In Retrospect

It may not be amiss at this point to pause in our consideration of the past year's work and look briefly in retrospect upon what has been accomplished in the marketing field since organized marketing of hogs and lambs was initiated in the Province, some twenty years or so ago. At that time, and for many years previous thereto farmers were not receiving their rightful share of the consumer or even packer value of their hogs or lambs. Direct sales to packing plants, that exercised an assumed right to set an arbitrary price, or to drovers who represented them in the assembling field, were the custom.

The Friday afternoon set aside for Study Group Meeting that an afternoon of the following week, the particular afternoon being decided by the president of the group. Meeting then adjourned.

each of whom exacted his pound of flesh for doing so, was the only means of sale extended to the producer. That the system was altogether unfair and the producer was being regularly and continuously exploited, has been eloquently brought to light through subsequent producer controlled marketing. When we consider that the spread between Montreal, Toronto and other Upper Canadian hog prices, and that paid to producers in the Province, almost invariably ran from 4-4 1/2 dollars per cwt., in these pre-operative marketing days, or to simplify that the price paid for dressed pork here was only equal to the price paid for live hogs in the outside markets quoted, and sometimes less, and place against that a comparison of the price at which our hogs are sold today, it must be apparent to every unbiased mind that a tremendous revolution has taken place in the hog marketing field and there is only one reason for this accomplishment—"Organized Marketing."

During the period intervening between that day and this, we have witnessed that spread referred to, narrowing down, gradually getting smaller and smaller, until within the past few months, it has, on many occasions, completely disappeared. Yes, and your Marketing Board, it has record as having made sales during the past few months at 10, 15, 25 and an extreme of 35 cents per cwt., above prices in Montreal the same day. That is what your co-operative Marketing Board has accomplished for the hog producer of this Province since its inception. It wrested marketing control out of the hands of a system that operated solely in its own interest and placed it where it belongs.

Needs Co-operation

Someone may say that, after all, it is the net price to the farmer that counts, not altogether the price for which they are sold. That is very true, and that is where your Marketing Board needs the co-operation of every farmer. Your co-operation is under no conditions with the actual marketing of hogs, but much more so when it comes to making returns. A larger volume of stock each week is a mighty important factor in the hands of a salesman, when bargaining for price, but it is of equal importance and perhaps of far greater value to a farmer for a momentary reduction in freight and other overhead expense per hog to a minimum, and thus permit getting back to the shipper what is actually his due, and that is under no conditions marketing practices. In no other line of Agricultural marketing would producers pay so little attention to the matter of loading cars to capacity if they do not connect with the shipment of hogs and lambs. There can be anywhere from 10 to 20 cents per cwt., lost on freight charges under the present method of loading of livestock and the producer is the loser in every instance no matter how he markets. If the returns are low, your Marketing Board is lower than it would be under more favorable loading conditions, then the price thus established is what the independent buyer uses as his guide when buying stock. The farmer is the only one to correct this situation or at least, he is the one person who can prevent its being corrected.

The Secretary of your Board has been connected with the Marketing of Livestock for the past 20 years and never in his experience were farmers hogs being sold at a price so approximate to Upper Canada values as for the past 6 to 12 months. This condition can continue only so long, and to the extent that producers remain united and reiterate in their determination to retain the control they now exercise over their marketing. On the other hand, in retrospect upon what has been accomplished in the marketing field before them periodically from their co-operative ideals is a sure course to ruination, and marketing chaos, if it ever gains momentum to the extent its proponents have in mind.

During the year we have continued to do our modest share to improve the quality of the hogs produced in the province. We have two breeding sires of merit at Charlottetown that are being used liberally by the adjacent public to a considerable extent. We have also during the year continued our policy of selecting young sows and having them bred and sent to farmers in various parts of the province. These sows are all approved by a Federal Department of Agriculture Inspector before being sent out.

Island Girl Wed At Toronto

TORONTO, Sept. 10 — (CP)—Helen Dorothy Oulton of Hamilton Ont., daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William R. Oulton of Alberton, P. E. I., was married here yesterday to Harold J. Fair, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Fair of Arthur, Ont.

Rev. J. B. Paulin officiated at the service in Rosedale Presbyterian Church. Ben H. Oulton of Montreal gave his sister in marriage, and John C. Scott of Toronto acted as best man.

The bride wore a gown of picardy blue with dubuinet accessories and carried a bouquet of white gladioli. Miss Jean Oulton of Peterborough, Ont., who attended her sister, wore a spice brown gown with dark brown accessories and carried a bouquet of peach gladioli.

Mr. Fair is a member of The Canadian Press Toronto staff. He was in Charlottetown for a short time several years ago. He spent some time in Great Britain since the outbreak of war.

WORKING FOR FUN!

War Manufacturing Industries so as to encourage farmers not to curtail the production of this valuable and necessary crop. I would move that this resolution be adopted." Moved by J. George McKay, and seconded by T. J. Inman.



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Personals

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Coleman Centre Teachers Study Group

On Thursday afternoon, Sept. 3, a Teachers Study Group Meeting was held in Coleman School. The following teachers met with Mr. Callaghan to discuss the year's work: Mrs. Lawrence Dymont, Coleman; Miss Elsie MacNevin, Mt. Royal; Miss Patricia Carleton, Derby; Miss O'Brien Carleton; Mrs. Lorne MacNevin, Brae.

Mrs. Lawrence Dymont was appointed president and Mrs. Lorne MacNevin secretary of the Study Group for the present year.

The Course of Studies and Supplement to the Course of Studies were then discussed.

A sample of World Affairs, a magazine for students of current events, was given each teacher. Literature Hand-Books, Activity Books in English, pamphlets of Nature, etc. were also shown by Mr. Callaghan. Teachers were advised to request the secretaries of the various districts to buy Hand-Books on Literature and also a Handbook to the Nova Scotia Course of Studies.

A discussion of questions and problems presented by the teachers followed and some very helpful suggestions were given by Mr. Callaghan.

Mr. Callaghan then gave a short talk on the care of and proper maintenance of records in the school register.

The questions were discussed and following decisions reached:

1. That the present Study Group will be successful only if teachers co-operate by attending regularly and by presenting to the group for discussion such problems and difficulties as arise in school from day to day.
2. That the plan of sending student teachers to rural schools for practice in teaching during the month of June would be beneficial to the student and helpful to the teacher who at that time would be especially busy preparing for final examinations.
3. That teachers should so that money voted at the Annual School Meeting for the purchase of maps and other school equipment be used for the purchase of sale equipment.
4. That arithmetic should not be written off at the end of Grade IX as a pupil at this stage is just beginning to have a clear insight into the problems of arithmetic.
5. That Hand-Books on Literature, Activity Books in English and other magazines such as The School and Canadian Teacher are very helpful in the teaching of various subjects and should be in the hands of every teacher.
6. That most schools have helped the war effort by collecting scrap iron, rubber, etc.

It was noted that if the weather should prove unfavourable of

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