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Synopsis of Canadian North-West

HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS
 ANY even numbered section of Dominion Land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, excepting 8 and 26, not reserved may be homesteaded by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section 160 acres, more or less.
 Applications for entry must be made in person by the applicant at a Dominion Land Agency or Subagency for the district in which the land is situated. Entry by proxy may however be made at an Agency on certain conditions by the father or mother, son, daughter brother or sister of any intending homesteader.
 The homesteader is required to perform the homestead duties under one of the following plans:
 (1) At least six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.
 (2) A homesteader may, if so desired perform the required residence duties by living on farming land owned solely by him, not less than eighty (80) acres in extent, in the vicinity of his homestead, joint ownership in land will not meet this requirement.
 (3) If the father or mother, if the father is deceased of homesteader has permanent residence on farming land owned solely by him not less than eighty (80) acres in extent in the vicinity of the homestead, or upon a home dead entered for by him in the vicinity and homesteader may perform his own residence duties by living with the father or mother.
 (4) The term "vicinity" in the two preceding paragraphs is defined as meaning not more than nine miles in a direct line, exclusive of the width of road allowance crossed in the measurement.
 (5) A homesteader intending to perform his residence duties in accordance with the above while living with parents and on farming land owned by himself must notify the Agent for the district of such intention.
 Six months' notice in writing should be given to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa, of intention to apply for patent.
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The Co-Operative Dairying Problem

The Whole Matter Considered by One Who Takes Interest in a Question That Is Important To This Province

The following letter on a very important subject to the people of this Province was addressed by Mr. McNeill to the editor of the *Summer-side Pioneer*, and is published in the *Guardian* by request. It will be found interesting enough to entitle it to the attention of readers of this paper.
 Mr. Editor,—
 "Your question re the decline of the co-operative dairying industry; and also what can be done to arrest that decline seems, with the single exception of Mr. Walter Lea's short letter, to be left to yourself to answer, and I think you have shown very well what the consequence will be if the same routine is carried on as at present. Now it seems to me that there is a whole agricultural and moral sermon in the last two paragraphs of Mr. Lea's letter. He says, "All will admit that if the factories are forced to close down it will be a disastrous thing for the province. And it is a selfish motive that will let any man excuse himself

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for doing SOMETHING which he trusts his neighbor WILL NOT also do." I have emphasized some of his words. That's the whole story in a nut shell. The men who don't give any milk to our factory are the men who would hate to see us shut down.
 David Harum's philosophy runs something like this—"Whatever you expect a man is going to do to you, do so unto him. But do it first."
 Now the problem for those who believe that a great wrong is being done to the best interests of this Island is to do something (and it will have to be soon) to counteract the aims of the purely selfish individuals who are at the throat of the dairying industry—and do it fast.
 I intended to write some time ago on this great question, but as you know a person can't judge the rest of the country by his own environments without seeing other sections of the province and I had hoped perhaps the thing had not gone so far as it seemed to us here. But I'm afraid that "The trial of the serpent is over it all."

I was in Crapaud lately. When I got through what used to be called Tryon woods and got a square block at Crapaud in the rays of the setting sun it looked as though it was all plowed. Red fields along side of red fields as far as I could see. I don't think there's a piece of land on the Island of the same acreage that has grown the quantities of oats that it has, but it seems to me that it can't go much longer. I stayed with farmers who used to have their barns full of hay and this year would have more than would winter one horse through. When land refuses to grow good hay it can't be long till oats too will be a thing of the past.
 I may not index the causes that have helped to bring this state of the dairying industry upon us the same as you have. I put it something like this.
 1st, Individualism. The individualist is one who thinks of no thing, believes in nothing, works for nothing that won't bring credit to his own mill; a "critter" without a particle of public spirit. He will get up before daylight after a snow storm and go to the woods for fear the overseer will call him out to break roads, hasn't public spirit enough to be a trustee of his school district and always bawls about the taxes; never goes to an agricultural meeting as nobody can teach him anything; he won't even go to a funeral, if the roads are bad, for fear of wearing out his sleigh. He wouldn't pay anything to the minister's salary only as a sort of fire insurance. Rather than take a ten dollar share in a factory he will buy a cream separator for his already over-worked wife, because all who are connected with the factory are thieves and they ain't going to get a dip into his milk.
 2, There's the don't-care-a-cuss fellow. Don't have much milk any way but gives a little; don't want the factory to stop or go down, but generally the year he gives isn't as good as the last year and somebody is stuffing him with the lot of butter they are making. So he stops sending about the middle of August and goes in for butter after his pigs and calves can rustle for themselves. And he will roar and paw dirt if we find him and we will not get any more milk from him.

3, Fifty cents oats and \$16 hay has had as much to do with the shortage of milk at the factories as any one thing I have mentioned. Selfishness again. Doing what he hopes his neighbor won't do.
 4, A great lack of public spirit. No young men attend our annual meetings and the older men are getting tired of it. Everything they do isn't right and what they don't do is worse. About nine-tenths of the people don't seem to know yet what co-operation means. They don't seem to realize that they are under any obligation to all the other men who went in with them nor yet to their officers whom they till now it is hard to get people appoint to do business for them, to consent to serve as directors.
 5th, The government made a mistake in drawing arbitrary lines in blocking out the institute districts, ignoring dairy centres. Our factory and district is about between the two and neither of the institutes has seemed to take any interest in co-operative dairying. I don't know as either of them has discussed the question at their meetings. If they have they must have come to the conclusion that co-operative dairying was not beneficial, as we get very little milk from either centre. In fact they hurt our district. The Springfield Club bought two bulls and they put the Shorthorn in the end nearest our factory and the Ayrshire they put away out at the shore where we never get any milk and to make things worse there were bull calves from the Shorthorn kept by nearly everybody and we have Shorthorn heifers as well as short milk to contend with.
 Lastly there are other perhaps minor things that hurt, viz: envy, jealousy and pure spite of these is able to command an audience at the forge or the Sunday lounging places.
 hauler—no milk; if somebody's friend don't get the hauling—no milk; if the hauler don't take back as much money as he got milk, there's a tempest in a milk pail right off. I think if some of the tom foolery was cut of the country schools curriculum and co-operation taught that probably in the future we might hope to grow up farmers that would co-operate. As it is the thing looks doubtful at the present time.
 I wish, as you intimate, that the farmers would say something; that is those who do believe in co-operation, and those who don't. We must do something—and do it soon. Next letter I will try and show what we might do if this letter is printed and no one else says anything. I can't see why the working institutes don't take up the matter.
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