



"PRIORITY SUITS" for SERVICE MEN

You will be pleased with the wide selection of handsome suits in tweeds and worsteds... specially provided for service men about to receive discharge. There are handsomely tailored tweed suits in Herringbone, and Donegal, featuring greys and browns. Worsteds, very smart, in greys, browns and blues, tailored by Canada's smartest producers of well styled clothing for men. You are invited to visit the "MEN'S STORE" which offers trained service in proper fitting.

THE MEN'S STORE
MOORE & McLEOD (limited)
 CHARLOTTETOWN

Culling Ewe Flock Proves Profitable

Every sheepman should aim to obtain a uniform flock of ewes of good size, strong in constitution, wide and deep in body and that are efficient producers of lambs and wool. The only way this can be attained is by carrying out a rigid culling program. Definite standards of production should be set and strictly followed in culling the flock. Animals that fall below the minimum standard should be discarded regardless of appearance or pedigree, says J.A. Bennett, Dominion Experimental Station, Swift Current, Sask.

The larger portion of the returns from raising sheep, whether under farm or range conditions, comes from the sale of lambs. Those ewes that fail to produce a lamb, or that produce small lambs because of being poor milkers, or because of spoiled or defective udders, should be disposed of. A ewe that is barren one year may, however, produce a lamb for two successive years.

Although the returns from the sale of wool are not as great as the returns from the sale of lambs, the sheepman cannot afford to overlook wool production. A small increase in average fleece weight can greatly increase the net profit from sheep raising. In small or purebred flocks a suitable method of determining the poorer wool producers is to weigh and examine each individual fleece as it is shorn. In large flocks this would be impossible but an examination, by an experienced man, of the wool on the sheep either just prior to shearing or in late fall will give sufficient information for culling purposes of the value of the fleece.

Flock owners should bear in mind that one of the best safeguards against reductions in returns because of adverse weather conditions or from declining prices is to have a flock of young rather than old ewes. Old ewes cannot secure their feed as sufficiently as young ewes and their feed costs are inevitably higher. When prices decline suddenly the man with a flock of young ewes needs only a few ewe lambs for replacements and he has more lambs and fewer ewes to market than if he had a flock of older ewes.

U. S. State Dept. Hits At MacArthur

BY JOHN M. HIGHPOWER
 WASHINGTON, Sept. 19 — (AP) — The United States State Department today revealed a sharp criticism of Gen. Douglas MacArthur's military and political conduct in the Philippines. The department's statement, which would be carried out regardless of what Gen. Douglas MacArthur says about slashing the army of occupation.

In a statement that was more pungent than diplomatic, the secretary of State, Acheson, said that the United States Government was not the occupation force under Gen. MacArthur's command. American policy toward Japan, Acheson had said, was determined by Gen. MacArthur's production of a report in 1944 in which he said that things were working out so well in the Philippines.

Mr. Acheson was understood to speak with the support of the War Department as well as the State Department. But it was a surprise that Gen. MacArthur's critics in the full backing of President Truman. At a news conference yesterday MacArthur's production of the report was a surprise and said he was glad that it could be made so small.

Food Conditions Bad in Europe

LONDON, Sept. 19 — (AP) — Dr. Edith Summerskill, parliamentary undersecretary to the ministry of food in the new Labor government, will not be able to work on all of her pet subjects while she is in the office.

Her interests range from wool for housewives to personal dress and birth controls. Currently she is pushing an anti-queue campaign. "You have your wings clipped, but when you take office, you know, she said a little wistfully, you will sit in her room in the ministry, gazing out at the trees on Portico Square. "Some of the things I've been working on I'll have to leave for a while. But queuing, which as a doctor I consider very damaging to women's health, is something which is definitely concerning me here."

To help expectant mothers escape the shopping queues she suggested that special ration books could be titled them to preferred service, saying: "It's dreadful to see these poor women with their heavy baskets standing for hours to get their rations."

Ardent feminist, brilliant gynecologist, pioneer in birth control and a litter at almost every social event, Edith Summerskill still manages to combine a happy family life with a most active career, and look extremely charming while she does it.

Very tall and slim, with short dark hair carefully waved and a well-cut beige suit decorated with an old-fashioned clip, she looks what she is renowned to be—the most attractive woman member of parliament.

Dr. Summerskill is 44 years old. She is the only woman in the last parliament who gave her age in "Who's Who." The new undersecretary for food, brings to the ministry her knowledge to her work use of when she was a member of Lord Woolton's advisory committee early in the war.

South Africans Watch Canada's Flag Debate

SOUTH AFRICAN BEEF, CHEESE GO TO BRITAIN
 CAPE TOWN, Sept. 19 — (CP) — Agriculture secretary C.H. Neveling of South Africa announced 1,000,000 pounds of beef and 500,000 pounds of cheese will be made available immediately for purchase and shipment to Britain and the Union government would give every assistance in obtaining the necessary shipping space.

Shipping companies would be asked to waive charges on the proposed food gift to Britain. Cabinet ministers in the Union have agreed to provide a substantial portion of their output and farmers have offered gifts of cattle, the minister said.

Plans for setting up a joint British-South African-Australian-New Zealand organization to take charge of the disposal of accumulated wool stocks and new clips, have been accepted by the agriculture ministry, subject to parliamentary approval. Agriculture Minister Strauss said in an official statement. The plans were originally drawn up at a London conference last spring.

A comprehensive range of courses at various agricultural colleges in South Africa has been planned for 1946 to meet the requirements of ex-volunteers to the armed forces. No civilian applications for admission to the courses will be considered before all ex-volunteer applicants have been enrolled.

Cattle losses in the districts of East London, Komga, Peddie and King Williamstown during August were the highest yet recorded during the present drought in the Union. Fourteen thousand head of cattle were lost in the month against 10,000 in July and 12,000 in June. Losses in the four districts since March total more than 46,000 head of cattle.

In an address at Johannesburg, Prime Minister Jan C. Smuts said "lend lease saved us during the war."

Commenting on the termination of United States lend lease, Mr. Smuts said "if I understand my America right, if I remember what Americans did when they started lend lease, they will never go back."

"Lend lease is not ending; it is a great partnership which has been built up between the American republic and the British Commonwealth. This new development need not cause us any sleepless nights."

OTTAWA, Sept. 18 — (CP) — The Prices Board let it be known today that when it holds down an issue between haggis and meat rationing, then meat rationing is going to unbend.

Which is to say officially that when mutton Tuesday, Nov. 20, St. Andrew's Day—rolls around there will be nothing to mar the Scots' traditional observance. On that day haggis may be served.

Nylon will be back in a rush and why not? Nylon is a cold war and air product plus textile. Money so there is no reason that 1946 should not see all the carping tongues silent as legs are clad again in this fabric which has waded down thousands of airmen to safety. Women should think of that as they see nylon return to the hasty counters. This nation as well as individual families have that great reason to be grateful to that fabric forever.

To the extent of 50c selling top quality lambs at \$12 and an odd few \$12.25. Calgary paid \$10.50 to \$11. Edmonton up to \$11.25, Prince Albert \$10.25, Moose Jaw \$10.25, Saskatoon up to \$10.75, Regina \$11, and Vancouver up to \$12.



Weekly Market Report

gain. Toronto, however, was an exception, with dull trading at a reduction of 50c in price. Calves moved up 25c to 50c at Montreal and Winnipeg, hogs were mostly unchanged, and lambs gained 50c at Winnipeg and were steady elsewhere.

A new high was reached in cattle marketings, with 53,300 delivered to yards and plants during the week, compared with 35,600 in the corresponding week last year.

This year's marketings of cattle to date are 1,168,130, compared with 923,700 in the same time last year. Calf marketings were also heavy and the total for the year to date is 614,300, as against 513,900 last year; and sheep and lambs sold since the 1st of the year totalled 492,600 as against 447,700 in the same period last year. Hog gradings were again low at 87,800 for the week ended September 8th, making the total since January 1st 4,140,533. In the same period last year gradings totalled 6,289,181.

Eastern Cattle Markets
 Cattle offerings at Toronto were heavy. Trading was generally dull, with daily carryovers which were reduced to a few hundred head on Thursday. Good to choice weighty steers sold at \$11.40 to \$12.15, with a top load at \$12.35, and butcher steers ranged up to \$11 for good quality. Some 1,000 western stock-

ers were priced at \$7.50 to \$9.50 and good kinds of feeders around \$10. There were few top cattle at Montreal but trading kept a fair pace throughout, with little alteration in prices. Good steers were weighed out at \$11.25 to \$11.75, some tops \$12, and good cows as high as \$9. Receipts were fairly liberal again in the Maritimes, but of fair and plain types. Prices held unchanged, with the best kinds of steers quoted at \$10 to \$10.50, f.o.b. country points.

Western Cattle Markets
 All western points reported a good trade for cattle and Winnipeg showed an advance of a strong 25c, with good killing steers priced at \$11 to \$11.50 and a few fed grain on grass topping at \$12. There was also an improved demand for stockers to fill eastern orders, with the right kinds at \$8 to \$9. Calgary was also active and a shade stronger on cows and bulls. The best of the steers were taken at \$11 to \$11.75. Edmonton likewise was active and fully steady, although receipts were exceptionally heavy, and good steers were quoted at \$10.50 to \$11. Prince Albert, as other markets, was fully steady, with good kinds of steers averaging around \$10.30. Moose Jaw paid \$10.50 to \$10.75 and a high of \$11 on good steers. Saskatoon, where prices were 25c to 50c higher on the better grades of butcher material, moved good steers at \$10.25 to \$11 and a few

Good steers at Vancouver were \$11.25 to \$11.75.
 Exports to United States
 Dairy cattle shipments to the United States for the week amounted to 644 head, compared with 615 in the same week last year. The movement since January 1st totals 33,968 and in the same period last year was 23,230.
 Calves Again Move Forward
 After the previous week's good calf market, there were further gains this week. Toronto remained at \$13.50 to \$14 for best veals. Montreal moved up 25c to 50c, making \$13.50 to \$14.50. Winnipeg also was up 50c at a top of \$13, while Calgary paid \$9 to \$9.75, Edmonton up to \$11, Prince Albert a high of \$11, Moose Jaw \$10 to \$10.50, Saskatoon stronger up to \$11.75, Regina up to \$11.50, and Vancouver \$11 to \$11.50.

Hogs Mostly Unchanged
 There was little disturbance of hog prices, and Toronto paid \$18.10 for B1 grade, Montreal \$18.10 to \$18.35, Winnipeg \$17.60, Calgary \$17.40 at the close, Edmonton \$17.45, Prince Albert, Moose Jaw and Regina \$17.30, Saskatoon \$17.20 to \$17.30, Vancouver \$17.35 to \$18.25, and Moncton \$18.15.

The above prices do not include the Dominion Government premiums of \$3 per head on Grade A hogs and \$2 on Grade B1.

Lambs Gain at Winnipeg
 Eastern lamb markets remained steady, with Toronto clearing good lambs at \$13.50 to \$14, and Montreal up to \$13. Winnipeg, however, took on added strength

TILLIE THE TOILER—



MR. FOBB?



I'M FROM THE LIVESTOCK...



NOW YOU KNOW ENOUGH...



Titan Hanover Adds To Laurels

DELAWARE, O., Sept. 20 — (AP) — Titan Hanover, Hambletonian Stake winner and champion of three year-old trotters, added to his laurels today by establishing a new half-mile track record for trotting three year olds.

He started against the record of 2:03 which he established at the Saratoga Track a few weeks ago and trotted the mile in 2:01 1/4, 39 3/4, the half in 1:01 1/4, and the three-quarters in 1:31 3/4, a two-fifth quarter that was driven in a minute pace.

He was driven by Harry Fownell who has driven him in all of his races and set the champion is owned by E. J. Harriman of New York and Joseph E. Appew, Lt.-Col. E. T. Gerry.