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 - Men's Aywon Set—Shaving Stick, Shaving Lotion, Tooth Paste—65c
 - Men's Aywon Set—Shaving Lotion, Shaving Stick, Tooth Paste, Toilet Soap—75c
 - Men's Aywon Set—Hair Lustre, Hair Tonic, Talc—59c
 - Men's Aywon Toothpaste, Shaving Lotion, Shaving Stick, Hair Tonic and Talc—99c
 - Old English—Shaving Lotion, and Shaving Soap—65c
 - Old English—Shaving Lotion, Shaving Soap and Talc—89c.

HOLMANS 5 and 10

Double Train Service Dec. 16

MONCTON, N. B., Dec. 10.—The double train service, daily except Sunday, to and from Prince Edward Island will be resumed for the period December 16th to January 2nd inclusive, according to an announcement by regional head-

quarters of the Canadian National Railways here. The morning service from the mainland to Prince Edward Island will remain as at present, leave Moncton 11:20 a.m. arrive Charlottetown 4:30 p.m., Summerside 6:10 p.m. The afternoon connection will be by the Scotian train No. 60, leaving Moncton at 4:30 p.m. and connecting at Sackville with train No. 42 leaving there at 5:45 p.m. and arriving Charlottetown 10:40 p.m. Connection for Summerside will be by train No. 205 which will

operate for the same period, leaving Summerside at 9:25 p.m. and arriving Moncton at 10:15 p.m. Service from Prince Edward Island to the mainland will be by train No. 39 leaving Charlottetown at 6:45 a.m. as at present and arriving Moncton at 1:30 p.m. where connection is made with trains west and eastbound. The additional service will be by train leaving Charlottetown at 10:30 a.m., arriving Sackville 4:70 p.m. where connections can be made with the Maritime Express train No. 1 for

Moncton and points west and with the Scotian train No. 60 for Halifax and points east.

KEEP CALM

The well, and well-poised, person has all emotions under control, is calm and not easily disturbed. So says the Department of National Health and Welfare, chronic nervousness and irritability is a sure sign of poor health, and the person who persistently "flies off the handle" should see the family doctor. While admitting that everyone has "off-days", the health authorities declare that no one should be grouchy all the time.

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NOTICE

The Mt. Stewart Branch of Canadian Legion will hold their monthly meeting in the LEGION ROOM ON THURSDAY DECEMBER 12th AT 8 P.M. All members requested to attend.

Bristol and Vicinity

Miss Elmor McDonald, who went to Montreal for a trip a short time ago, has accepted a position and will remain.

Friends in this vicinity of Miss Helen Doucette, city, will be pleased to learn she has been discharged from the Sanatorium much improved in health.

Mrs. Earl Dazke informs this agent that she has just received a picture of her daughter, Vera, who holds a good position in Montreal, showing her as the winner in a beauty contest in that big city. Friends here, and there are many, will be pleased to learn that Vera has been selected. All the lovely girls not in Hollywood after all, a nice honor for Bristol.

A large truck from the city was stalled in the snow on the back farm road on Sunday afternoon and after several tries had to back out to the highway and return to the city.

Mr. Patrick Curran has closed up her house for the winter months and gone to live with her good friend, Mrs. Joseph Walsh for the winter. Mr. Curran has been a patient in the hospital for quite some time where his condition is unchanged.

Mr. Pius McDonald has returned from Nova Scotia and taken a position with M.P. Schurman & Co. in the city.

Mr. John LaPiere has torn down most of his blacksmith shop and built a new one. Despite the fact he is getting along in life, he will make a large number of grappling irons this winter for the fishermen.

Mr. W.A. O'Brien, City, was in this vicinity last week on business and took some pictures of the new Co-operative store. This growing business, starting out a few years ago as a little home for the community, is doing a mighty business and after starting with a staff of one man, today employs around twelve.

Charlie Keefe, the oldest and last knight of the road in these parts, passed through here last week, eastbound. Charlie has passed east and west since boyhood days, and is now over ninety. He is wearing a long overcoat and using a walking stick for the first time in all those years.

St. Peter's Harbour, where ships of all sizes came and went in years not so far gone, is no more, as the sands drifting steadily into the lovely harbor has filled it up, and when this scribe visited there a short time ago, what was once a deep channel is nothing but a sand bank. True, a new harbor has been opened miles further east into the bay but to the old fishermen, St. Peter's old harbor holds a haunting memory of days long passed, memories of such men as the late Clifford Arnold, and George Barry, who lost their lives there long years ago. The rocking bell buoy and the old lighthouse stand as a last memory.

A number of smelt bag, nets have been purchased here this winter for the ice to get strong enough to start the battle. Reports from other places state smelts are scarce.

A monster chicken supper was put on in the church hall at St. Andrews last week for the new church building fund. Hundreds sat down to the best supper ever served there. A lovely, hand-donated by Timmins Meat Store, Mount Stewart, was lettered off at a large sum, all for the worthy fund.

Friends of Rev. A.L. Sinnott, parish priest, are glad to hear he is much improved in health following a period of illness.

Friends regret the very serious illness of Mrs. Robert Ballanger, her home in Morell. Her sister, Mrs. Lester McVarish, arrived from the city on Saturday night to spend a few days with her as Mrs. Ballanger's baby is only a few weeks old.—B.

LITTLE SCHOOLING

George Bernard Shaw had only five years of formal schooling.

Alberton Man Has Largest Turkey Farm In Maritime Provinces

The following article by Walter J. Cross is from the current issue of "O-I-L Oval" a magazine published by Canadian Industries Limited, Montreal.

To hear Herbert Matthews tell it, raising turkeys is about the easiest thing in the world. Any business man can make a small fortune, he claims, if he has a little patience, a good-size back yard, and tolerant neighbours. Mr. Matthews ought to know. He spends most of his waking hours doing nothing else but preparing the main dish for Christmas Dinner. And although his farm spreads over 75 acres of rich red loam at Alberton, Prince Edward Island, his entire turkey plant, the largest in the Maritimes, occupies less than four acres of the area.

But just in case someone is looking for a soft touch and suddenly decides to throw his life's savings into a modern turkey plant, Herbert Matthews would have to add that "Of course, it hasn't always been so easy. It took many years of patient experimentation to bring us to the point where the turkeys practically raise themselves. But now, by following certain rules, we have the business down to a system that pays off."

And the "system" he speaks of is that which the Department of Agriculture says is the one most likely to succeed in the industry of turkey raising. Although not as large as some turkey ranches in Canada, the Alberton plant is an example of the greatest efficiency in modern turkey production. Poultry diseases are virtually nonexistent, production output reaches the highest levels, mortality rates are low, about 10 per cent, the birds are almost entirely to poulters less than six weeks old.

Good Management

In short "system" is just another word for "good management" and at the Matthews plant, once the poulters are hatched, management consists of three carefully-observed principles—complete confinement, and the cool use of DDT. Complete confinement, to poultry breeders, means that the flocks are confined entirely to elevated huts and wire cages. But to Herbert Matthews it means more than that. His turkeys never once touch the ground from the time they hatch until they reach the market. They spend their whole lives walking on wooden slats or wire mesh. Furthermore, the birds are completely isolated from all other forms of livestock; the only animals permitted to live on the farm are two cats and a dog. The cats keep the mice from the feed bins, and the dog scares away foxes, skunks, and other such nuisances of tender young turkey. Other types of poultry may carry disease, he says, so Mrs. Matthews buys all her eggs for kitchen use from the neighbouring farms.

Special Problems

The high acidity of the soil offers several problems for the P. E. I. turkey farmer. However, Matthews believes in letting other people worry about these problems, namely, the manufacturers of commercial feed. Nothing produced on the farm is fed to the turkeys. To be sure, the commercial feed costs more, but experience has taught him that production is greater and sickness minimized by adhering to a scientific program of dietetics. Finally, he has an answer for the farmers who claim that turkeys are delicate, that they are susceptible to every farmyard disease, and that they require more attention than they are worth. "Before we decided to so-called scientific," Herbert Matthews says, "our turkeys died of disease which they contracted from other poultry, or picked up by drinking stale water lying in pools around the barnyard. Now by keeping them off the ground," he says "the only way disease can reach them is through the air by insects. But by spraying the cages regularly with a 50 per cent aqueous suspension of DDT, even that problem has ceased to exist."

LOWER FREETOWN SCHOOL

- Honor roll for the month of November:
- Grade K-1. Charlotte Cairns; 2. Donald Profit; 3. Joan McCarville;
 - Grade IX-1. Joan McCarville; 2. Georgina Cairns; 3. Elmer Hammill.
 - Grade VII-1. Louise Cairns; 2. Edwin Hammill.
 - Grade VI-1. Morris Cairns; 2. Lloyd Reeves; 3. Amy Cairns.
 - Grade V-1. Jean Reeves; 2. Donna Bernard; 3. Betty Hammill.
 - Grade III-1. Dallas Reeves; 2. Lettie Hammill.
 - Grade II-1. Thayne Bernard.
 - Grade I (a)-1. Arlene Reeves.
 - Grade I (b)-1. David Profit; 2. Douglas Profit.
 - Grade I (c)-1. Gerald Hill.
 - Highest average in the senior grades, Louise Cairns, 82 percent.
 - Highest average in the junior grades, Dallas Reeves, 82 percent.
 - Perfect attendance: Charlotte Cairns, Morris Cairns, Lloyd Reeves, Donna Bernard, Thayne Bernard, David Profit and Douglas Profit.
 - Teacher, Joy V. MacLeod.

specific phases—hatching, feed changes, brooder selection, and killing. Early in the spring, at the Matthews plant, 800 young poulters reach their way into the light of day after a four-week incubation period in the electrically-controlled incubators. From then on they can look forward to three changes of diet before most of them will be sent to market, 24 to 26 weeks later.

The newly hatched poulters are carried in trays to the brooder house where they live for eight weeks on a specially prepared turkey starter. And because during this period they are most susceptible to death from suffocation or temperature changes, Matthews and two hired men maintain a vigilant watch over them, day and night in three eight-hour shifts.

Next Stage
The next stage in the development is a move to the growing pens. These are nothing more than huge wire cages built on stilts about three feet off the ground. Drummings fall through the slats on the floor of the cages to be cleared away once a week and used for fertilizer.

In the growing pens the young birds gorge themselves with a special growing mixture consisting, among other things, of carbohydrates, proteins, minerals, including iodized salt as well as a full range of vitamin supplements. About four weeks before killing time a special watch over them is kept, as the extra pounds that mean extra dollars for the producer. Just before killing time, a careful inspection of each turkey marks one of the most important aspects of the raising. Each year approximately 800 of the plant's purchased Broad-breasted Bronze specimens are carefully selected and shipped to turkey breeders throughout Canada and to some parts of the United States. Another 200 of the most select birds are culled for breeding purposes on the plant itself.

Turkeys are judged for conformation, fertility and market qualities. The birds, mated at a ratio of 12 hens to every tom, are removed to breeding pens and thereafter during the winter they are expected to produce the starting point for next season's harvest.

Killed Scientifically

The less fortunate members of the flock are killed scientifically, dry plucked, washed and packed. And from Alberton, the Matthews turkeys are shipped by express to all the provinces of Canada, some even as far west as Vancouver. In 1945 Canada produced roughly 35,520,000 pounds of turkey—the most popular breeds being the White Holland and the Broad-breasted Bronze. Alberta and Saskatchewan produce the largest flocks, but Ontario is not far behind with some complete confinement plants rearing more than 10,000 turkeys a season. Even at that, this country is not able to produce enough turkey meat for home consumption; and Canada exports no turkeys even though she has the natural potentialities for making this country one of the foremost producers in the world.

Herbert Matthews, one Canadian farmer, has turned Christmas dinner into a profitable business. By applying his practical methods to other sections of agricultural Canada, turkey production could quite easily become one of our leading rural industries.



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