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Farm Prices And Markets

Following are excerpts from the weekly report on farm markets and prices by Mr. W. R. Shaw, Deputy Minister of Agriculture: 'The potato market has been quiet during the past week. The United States had the usual Thanksgiving doldrums. Demand, however, should pick up slightly before the Christmas season comes along. As a general principle, however, we can expect that the market will be more or less unsettled from now until after the Christmas holidays. This is more or less of an annual condition and must be accepted.

The Montreal market is around \$1.40-\$1.45 wholesale to the trade with Toronto at about \$1.50. Some potatoes are now going West and the market to Central Canada and to the West should strengthen as soon as conditions get levelled away after awhile. It is a surprise that the quota on seed to the United States filled so rapidly. About 2 million bushels of seed entered the U. S. at Dec. 1st. The large quantity of potatoes, however, going by boats and by rail and other conveyances, will very quickly fill up our quota allocation.

The quantity of potatoes going out by car this year in comparison with the same date last year is approximately the same. The quantity going out by water, however, is very distinctly in excess of last year. 1,511 carloads have gone to date as compared with 1,430 carloads for the complete 1948-49 season.

There is no change to be noticed in the market situation in Maine and growers are not inclined to sell. What little shipping there is, is almost entirely in consumer packages and there is an inclination to wait until after the first of the year as the Support Price goes up 20c in December and another 20c in January.

The natural question asked by many farmers is what effect the filling of the quota is going to have on immediate prices here. These things are very hard to answer. There may be some temporary dislocation but we would feel that there should be at least no recession in the price to the producer and the increase of 37½c per hundred will be absorbed by the buyers. The addition of the 40c per hundred under Support will obviously more than cancel out the increase in duty and the general position at the first of the year should be slightly improved if anything.

Shipping Costs

We have had some inquiries regarding the cost of shipping potatoes for instance to Montreal. The following information is at least approximately correct. Freight charges per bushel 24c. This is an average of the rate from the inside and outside zones. Cost of bag 19c; brokerage 2c; reefer car exclusive of heat 1.2c; inspection 5c; making a total of about 47c per bushel. If potatoes were selling at \$1.40 per bag in Montreal this would be from wholesale to retail or \$1.12 per bushel. If the dealer here pays, say 55c per bushel that brings the total value of potatoes up to \$1.02. When the dealer's charges are added on to the wholesale charges at the margin for the dealer at present market prices is not too great; and in fairness to those who are in the potato business increases in price to the producer would have to come from an increase in market levels. The reefer car situation, as far as supplies are concerned, is satisfactory.

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A Feature For Every Friday

Among The Farmers

Federation Of Agriculture News

Action Needed

Canada and especially Prince Edward Island is in a very vulnerable position right now. Our whole economy hinges on the prosperity of Agriculture. The loss of British markets for our farm products will set off a rapid process of income reduction that can only end in a widespread depression.

The time is getting short. So far we have heard from Representatives in Ottawa nothing but vague and contradictory statements. The farmers of Canada went some assurance that every aspect of maintaining our trade with Britain is being explored.

It may mean a revision of tariff and possibly even of currency policies that will open a wide market here for British exports. But, only in this way can Britain find means to buy farm produce in Canada and so keep our economies on an even keel.

The Federation is deeply concerned, not only over the statement that Britain will buy no more Canadian eggs, but also over the indications that British contracts with Canada are to be drastically cut.

The Dominion Provincial Conference is being held in Ottawa next week. A preliminary meeting of the Federation and Government Representatives from the Maritimes and Newfoundland is being held at Sackville today.

There are a lot of problems but, this one of International Trade perhaps, means more to farm people now than any other.

The situation is serious and apparently the only way we can get action is through our farm organizations with the overall support of the farm people behind them.

We can't blame the Government or members of Parliament solely for the "do nothing" policy of the present. The majority of our farmers too, are just sitting back criticizing and waiting for someone else to straighten things out. The time has come in this highly organized economy, when we farmers can't expect our own interests to be protected and our battles fought unless we all pitch in and do our share. The opportunity is here to lend your support. The first step is to get your neighbors together, organize a discussion group, get information, talk those matters over and then back up your Co-operative Organization and your County Federation, so that all our efforts will be united and our energy harnessed.

Prince County Farmers Moving

Over bad roads, through disagreeable weather and on short notice, farmers rallied from all corners of Prince County in a tremendous display of unity and support to the organizational meeting of their County Federation last week.

The directors are having a follow-up meeting next Tuesday in Summerside where plans will be made for establishing contacts in each district and arranging to have membership agreements signed by the farmers.

Our Provincial directors are meeting tonight to decide what action should be taken with regard to organizing a County Unity in Kings and Queens.

Committees At Work

Your veterinary committee met with officials of the Department of Agriculture and Veterinary Branch on Monday and outlined suggestions for the checking and control of Bangs disease on the Island with a view, if possible, of making it a free-listed area.

Also the question of a Provincial Veterinary Policy was discussed and the Minister of Agriculture promised that those matters would be given serious consideration immediately. He also requested that the committee be retained, to help work out a policy for the prevention and testing for Bangs disease and of drawing up legislation and policies covering the complete veterinary program.

The program committee have arranged for the annual Farmers meetings to be held in the new Vocational School at Prince of Wales College. There is quite a large parking lot at the back of the school, a large bright assembly room and convenient arrangements for committee meetings as well.

There has been no definite confirmation of special speakers for either of these meetings yet but, there should be some definite word within the next few days.

Dairymen Meet

The directors of the Dairymen's Association met Wednesday afternoon and reviewed a report of the special butter marketing committee. The report revealed that 16,280 boxes of First-Grade butter was sold to the Dairy Products Board from the Island during the summer. The wholesale value of this was well over one half million dollars.

A breakage of one quarter cent per pound was deducted to cover printing expenses and the remainder is being rebated to the factories. Recommendations from both the cheese and butter groups were prepared for the annual meeting. Centralized marketing and better packaging arrangements were the main questions. However, the meeting felt that there was also need for legislation to require the selling of both butter and cheese on a graded basis on the Island and in Nova Scotia and Newfoundland so that our high quality products would be protected from competing with low Grade imports.

Farmers Store Opening Soon

The new super-market of the Central Farmers Co-operatives will be opening for business in a couple of weeks. The policy will be to sell practically all farm produce, fruits etc. on a graded basis so that the consumers will be assured of quality.

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FUNERAL ON WEDNESDAY

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GOVERNMENT DEPOSITS

OTTAWA, Dec. 1—(CP)—Dominion Government deposits decreased \$17,119,000 to \$27,212,000 during the week ended Nov. 30, the Bank of Canada reported today in its weekly financial statement. Chartered bank deposits increased \$310,000 to \$544,736,000, while notes in circulation decreased \$4,393,000 to \$1,283,027,000.

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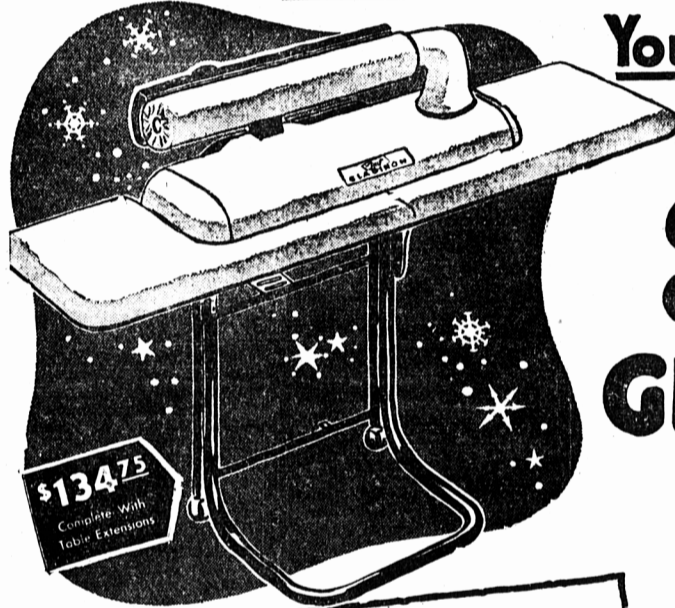
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