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LIVE STOCK SITUATION IN MARITIME PROVINCES

Messrs Reek and McMillan of the Live Stock Branch Investigating Conditions Here and Give Their Views on the Cattle, Lambs and Hogs Situation

Mr. W. R. Reek, formerly Director of Agricultural Education in this province and now Assistant Live Stock Commissioner at Ottawa, and Mr. A. A. McMillan, Chief of the Sheep and Swine Commission of the Live Stock Branch, Ottawa, are in the city.

Their present visit to the Maritime Province is to ascertain at first hand all possible information with regard to the supply of feed, condition of live stock, amount and quality of live stock to be marketed. In an interview with them the Guardian is informed that it is anticipated that there will be a large number of cattle of poor quality in Eastern Canada dumped on the Montreal market for which it will be difficult to find an outlet. Beef cattle, well finished, from 800 to 1300 pounds live weight will likely be taken care of at remunerative prices, provided they are marketed during the next six to eight months, rather than during two or three months this fall.

These gentlemen, who have made a thorough study of the live stock situation, believe that there has not been a time for many years when quality in animals will be as greatly recognized in the market as at present. The returns from the sale of the progeny from scrub sires, after freight and expenses have been paid, will be exceedingly small and in some cases will be wiped out entirely. Farmers, they declare, will be well advised to breed only to pure bred sires of the best quality. Well bred and well finished stock is always in demand and the premium in market price is always greater in years such as this.

Asked as to the lamb situation they state that, owing to the outlet to the United States being greatly restricted by the recent Emergency Tariff, there is a possibility of considerable variation in the market during the coming fall, lambs under 70 pounds, poorly finished, may be hard to sell at satisfactory prices, but ways and means are under consideration to make the best possible use of every available outlet. Information and assistance on this subject may be secured from Mr. A. W. Peterson, Dominion Department of Agriculture. It must be remembered that Prince Edward Island lamb is known and admitted to be of very excellent quality and if possible this reputation will be capitalized to the fullest extent. Those districts on the Island where good rams have been used and where dipping, docking and castrating have been practised, should have no difficulty in disposing of their lambs.

The hog situation was also discussed. Hogs are scarce throughout Canada and the demand for Canadian bacon is very strong. The present market prices are high and owing to the keen competition among buyers they should remain very satisfactory. The raising of hogs has always been profitable when considered over a period of years and the only way to make it successful is to keep a regular number of brood sows all the time. The outlet for bacon is Great Britain but they demand a quality which can only be secured by producing the bacon hog and finishing them to weights ranging from 180 to 220 pounds.

Co-operative shipments of live stock have been and will be carried on but the Department is of the opinion that whenever prices are reasonably on a par, expenses considered, local industries should receive first consideration. All the large live stock markets will be taxed to the uttermost to take care of the live stock offering for sale.

Messrs. Reek and McMillan are conferring with the Provincial Department of Agriculture regarding the supply of pure bred rams and the formation of boys and girls, Pig and Calf Clubs. The Live Stock Branch is co-operating with all the provinces in this work, believing club work may be made one of the greatest agents for the improvements of live stock.

Messrs. Reek and McMillan expect to leave this morning for Truro and will visit other points in the Maritime provinces.

CONDENSED SPECIALS

STUDENT BOARLERS accommodated, 101 Fitzroy St.

2 GOOD COOKING STOVES for sale, apply 89 Rochford St.

WANTED TO BUY, second hand anvil in good condition. Apply N., Guardian Office.

HOUSE TO LET—8-roomed cottage, modern convenience. Large yard and outbuildings, also garage. Apply Phone 154-J.

LOST BETWEEN VERNON OR IN Charlottetown, Ladies 18 carat, Gold Ring, with 2 diamonds and 2 Ruby stones. Reward. Mrs. (Rev) Brodie, Vernon.

NEW GRAFONOLA UNUSED FOR sale. Model D No. 2 A bargain. Apply Harry Craig, 135 Elm Avenue.

WANTED TO RENT, furnished house or flat, modern conveniences, Rev. W. A. Thompson, 267 Richmond St., Phone 123.

*FOR SALE.—TRUCK WAGGON cheap. Apply to H. Frizzell, Frizzell's store, Covehead.

*WANTED AT ONCE— TWO EXperienced waitresses. Apply Russ Hotel.

WANTED— Immediately, second class teacher, Albion Cross School. Supplement $100.00. Apply to A. D. Matheson, St. Peters, R. R. 2, Box 1.

*WANTED AT ONCE TO rent by Sept .15th, desirable residence, single cottage, preferred. Apply "K" care of Guardian.

FOUND — SMALL PURSE CONtaining small sum of money and other articles. Owner may have same by paying for ad and applying 82 Gerald St.

THERE IS ON MY premises seven young animals, two oxen and five heifers (dry). Unless sooner claimed they will be sold Aug. 22. Dan R. Bruce (Reeve) Lyndale.

RESIDENCE FOR SALE—Property of late Captain A. Cameron at 140 Pownal Street. Large house and grounds, centrally located, garage, three barns, good repair. Apply to Gaudet & Haszard, solicitors, or to S. Cameron, Bank of Montreal, Amherst, N. S.

U. S. To Cork Up Canadian Beer

DETROIT, MICH., Aug. 15—The most important development today in connection with the export of Canadian beer to United States points was the announcement that 75 members of Michigan State Constabulary have arrived here from the state capitol at Lansing to assist Federal authorities in the work of checking operations of beer-laden vessels from the Canadian side of the river.

The Constabulary will be used along the whole frontier from Lake St. Clair to the lower reaches of the Detroit River. Charles P. Campeau, local representative of the Michigan Public Safety Commission, stated tonight that it is his intention to effectively cork up all shipments from the Canadian side. He says he will have the assistance of Federal prohibition officers. There are, however, but eleven of these in the entire state, so that should they be concentrated here it would leave the outer fringes of the state wholly unguarded.

No beer was being shipped from Sandwich this forenoon, and but very little late in the afternoon. These were landed about dusk. Considerable shipments left Queen's Dock, Sandwich, Thursday afternoon for down-river towns, the estimate being between 1,000 and 2,000 cartons; of a dozen bottles each, and a large number of kegs.

Yesterday afternoon seven motor truck loads were delivered to boats at Sandwich, each truck about 100 to 150 cartons. In an hour thirty kegs of beer also were loaded. The Sandwich police were not present. There was a considerable crowd of spectators Gordon Pillon, Chief of Police said that Mr. Gundy's decision had entirely settled the matter for him.

There was rather more than the usual activity this afternoon in the down-river towns on this side of the river, particularly at Ecorse, where trucks and passenger cars were loading cartons of beer without interference.

As far as observed, there was not an unusual amount of whiskey coming in, the hard liquor business having not yet been affected by the Windsor court's ruling. This was attributed to the fact that Hiram Walker and Sons, Limited, the nearest distillery, had announced that it would refuse to sell to persons in the United States unless permits to obtain whiskey could be shown.

Official Visit of Governor General To His Office

(Special to The Guardian)

OTTAWA Aug. 15—His Excellency the Governor General, accompained by Catp. O. H. C. Bal four, secretary, and Arthur F. Sladden, private secretary, paid his first official visit to his office in the east block of the Parliament buildings this morning. The prime minister called upon him at noon.

Entertainment Programme For Naval Squadron

The following programme has been arranged for the entertainment of Officers and men of the Canadian Squadron during their visit in Charlottetown:

Tuesday—Entertainment, Prince Edward Theatre, Concert Party from Squadron at 8.30 p.m. Band Concert, Queen Square Gardens.

Wednesday— Entertainment of Men at Navy League Building, Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. McKinnon "At Home", Country Club to Officers of Squadron; Band Concert at Queen Square Gardens.

Thursday—Squadron Sports at C.A.A.A. Grounds, at 2.15 p.m. Tea at Belvedere Golf Links, Navy League Dance at Beech Grove Inn.

Although no definite word was received last night regarding the arrival of the Canadian Naval Squadron, it is expected that the warships will be in Charlottetown before noon today. Owing to the death at Halifax of an officer of the destroyer Patriot, it is possible that only the Aurora and Patrician will visit here.

Captain Henry G. H. Adams, C.B.E., commander of the cruiser Aurora, is the only Royal Navy man among the officers of the new Canadian Squadron. The Patriot is commanded by Lieut. Commander Charles T. Beard, an Ontario man, and the Patrician is in charge of Lieut. Commander George C. Jones of Halifax.

The Aurora was launched in 1914. Her dimensions are; length, 436 feet, beam 39 feet, tonnage 3,500. She has a horse power of forty thousand, on which she is able to make twenty-nine knots. Her armament consists of two six-inch guns and six four inch guns.

The two destroyers launched in 1916, have similar dimensions:—length 271 feet, beam 27½ feet. They develop twenty-seven thousand five hundred horse power on which they make a speed of thirty-five knots. They are armed with three four-inch guns.

The Aurora's compliment is 318, and the destroyers carry 80 officers and men each.

Canadian Colors For Westminster

OTTAWA, Aug. 15—At the request of the Dean of Westminster, who expressed a desire to so commemorate the ties formed by Canadian and imperial troops overseas, a set of colors is to be placed upon Wolfe's monument in Westminster. Twenty-six Toronto ladies, wives or mothers of ex-service men, have been engaged in making them for the past three months, and they are now nearing completion.

The design is by an imperial veteran of Mons and the first battle of the Marne and a Canadian ex-service man who spent two years in a German prison. Without the labor, which, of course, has been voluntary, the colors have already cost over $400 and additional expenditure will be required.

The arrival of the colors in London is to be made the occasion of an impressive ceremony, to include a guard of honor and a parade to Westminster.

It has been decided to consecrate them on Warriors' Day at the Exhibition. Canon Scott, the padre of the first division, has been invited to take charge, and it is expected that he will accept. The ceremony will take place on the band stand immediately after Lord Byng opens the Big Fair.

140,000 Railwaymen Experience Wage Cut

(Special to The Guardian)

MONTREAL, Aug. 15—More than ten weeks after the preliminary intimation of a decrease in wages, 140,000 Canadian railway employees today experienced the first practical effect of the reduction checks distributed today all over the system which carried the first application of the cuts in pay given out today for the July 16 to Aug. 1st period. While detailed figures are lacking it is variously estimated that the reduction amounts in actual figures to from $1,000,000 to $1,125,000.

U. S. Company Buys Canadian Elevators

MINNEAPOLIS, MIN., Aug. 12—Thirty-six interior country elevators in Alberta and Saskatchewan have been purchased by the Brooks Elevator Company, Limited, of Canada, it was announced here today. The holdings were purchased from the R. B. McLean Grain Company and the Davidson and Smith Elevator Company.

Gompers at Toronto Talks Labor Ideals

TORONTO, Aug. 15.—Samuel Gompers, king of labor, stood on the platform of Massey Hall this morning, smothered into silence by the steadily rising roar of applause which greeted his appearance before the railway foremen of America in annual convention here, the demonstration lasting fully fifteen minutes. When he finally began his oration his voice was inaudible and he was visibly affected. "In Canada or in the United States," Mr. Gompers declared in opening, "we shall work out our destiny, slowly advancing, epoch by epoch, bettering the system which Karl Marax foretold and which the general public visualizes when it talks of labor. Capital has no part in the advance of American labor, according to his programme. "the world," he cried is divided into two classes and two only. They are employers and employees. There are no others, there can be no others, and that is the first truth which we must realize." Mr. Gompers went on to describe the unity in existence between Canadian and American labor.

"The Canadian government experts will show you," he said, "that in a single year American labor has sent $285,000 to help the workers of this country." After the labor leader stated that all the work which the labor federation is doing is financed by a payment of one cent per month from each member of which one-fiftieth goes to pay the salary of the president. Each member therefore, he said, is entitled to one cent's worth of abuse and recimation in mentioning my name.

Speaking of his own position Mr. Gompers ridiculed those who pictured labor as a puppet controlled by a master. "The day of the master is done," he cried. "It will never return and we do not want it. Our day, the day of labor, will come in the meantime grit your teeth and organize together."

League to Decide Silesian Question

LONDON, Aug. 15—The climax finally came to-day in the sensational deadlock in the Supreme Council between Premiers Lloyd George and Briand on the Silesian question. In order to save the face of the French, Lloyd George consented to refer the Silesian quarrel to the League of Nations. The League will be convened early in September to give effect to the British viewpoint. London hails Lloyd George's firm attitude at Paris as another diplomatic victory for the "Little Welshman," which will strengthen his prestige at home and abroad.

Mrs. Eddy's Will

(Special to The Guardian.)

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 15—It is understood that Mrs. E. B. Eddy, who died at Hull last week left an estate valued about $6,000,000. A sum of $300,000, it is believed, has been left by her to Dalhousie University bringing the total benefices of Mrs Eddy to this institution up to $500,000. Mrs. Eddy's remains were buried at Chatham, N. B., her birthplace, on Saturday.

Missing Millionaire Said to be Found

DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 14—Frank Hartey, who recently was ousted from his position as assistant chief of police here, is reported to have a man under guard, who, it is said, is Ambrose Small, missing Toronto theatre man. Harty refuses to give any information concerning the man he has under surveillance. He says he is "after the reward" and is waiting to hear from Toronto authorities. Small has been missing for more than two years. It is said that the man Harty is alleged to have under surveillance, is suffering from the loss of both legs from gunshot wounds. He is supposed to have been brought to Des Moines some time ago and placed in a private home. Chief of Police Saunders and others said they knew nothing about it and were inclined to disbelieve the report that Small has been under guard here "for two months." They say this could hardly take place without their knowledge.

Toronto Not Informd.

TORONTO, Aug. 14—Local police authorities said tonight they had received no word from Des Moines that Ambrose Small was under surveillance there.

5,000-Year Candle In Caruso's House

NEW YORK, Aug. 15—A candle that could burn every All Souls' Day for the next 5,000 years is being made by the firm of Antonio Ajello and Brothers, of 357 East 124th Street, as a memorial for Enrico Caruso. It is to be placed in the Church of the Madonna of Pompeii, Naples, Italy. Mr. Ajello has been commissioned to fashion the monster wax candle, which will be five feet in circumference at the base and eighteen feet in height, by the orphans of a home to which the singer gave $10,000 each year for many years.

50,000 Extra Points On Every $20 Club

Eleven more working days of the competition remain. This is one of the most important weeks of the entire campaign. Up to next Saturday night, candidates will receive 50,000 EXTRA points on every $20.00 club of subscriptions. This is positively the last club offer of the campaign and it will positively close next Saturday night. No more EXTRA Points will be given in any way shape or form after next Saturday night. Only the regular schedule will be in effect during the last week of the competition. Now is the time to help your favorite candidate, your subscription if paid before Saturday night means more points than it will ever mean again. There is also a reduction of 10 per cent in the Point value of subscriptions at the close of this week. Candidates will therefore see the importance of making this the big week of the competition. A $125.00 Phonola will also be awarded for the best work done last week and this week. Here are three offers all closing next Saturday night. Namely, $125. Special Prize Phonola—10 per cent. less points on all subscriptions—50,000 EXTRA Points on every $20.00 club. All these features of the campaign will be ended on Saturday night, and during the last week of the competition points can be secured only according to the regular last period schedule.

Mr. Subscriber, if you have promised to help a favorite candidate in the competition, do so now. Make good all your promises before next Saturday night, and help your favorite candidate win one of the big Prizes. It will do you good and it will also be greatly appreciated by your favorite. The motto of the candidates should be, HUSTLE, HUSTLE, HUSTLE.

D.R.A. Shoot Will be Attended By Baron Byng

(Special to The Guardian.)

OTTAWA, Ont., 15—With about 475 competitors in attendance, the annual shoot of the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association opened at the New Connaught Rifle Ranges this morning. The entry list is greater by about 200 than last year and the whole meet has taken on a pre-war appearance. Four matches are to be shot today, the tyro for competitors who have never won a prize, at a D. R. A. meet. The bankers match at McDougall and Borden, provide 25 large targets as compared with 65 at the Rockliffe ranges. Elaborate signal and telephone systems between firing pitts and targets have been installed.

Baron Byng of Vimy is to attend the luncheon which marks the end of the meet on Friday, this being his first official act since his arrival. After the luncheon Baron Byng will present the Cups and Medals. He will also witness the final stages in the last stage of the Governor General's match.

Bermuda's Trade

(Special to The Guardian.)

QUEBEC, Aug. 15.—General Sir James Willcocs, governor of Bermuda, who has the distinction of having more war decorations than any other man in the Imperial army, is at present visiting Quebec. Referring to Bermuda in an interview General Willcocs said it was pulling itself together well after depression due to post war conditions. The chief asset of Bermuda was her tourist trade and that trade he said at the present time is with the United States.

But General Willcocs looks forward to the time when a great part of "it" be shared by Canada Bermuda now buys grain, hay and flour chiefly from Canada, but almost everything else is bought from United States.

Charlottetown Gets Championships

AMHERST, Aug. 14— The Maritime Golf Championship will be held in Charlottetown for the year 1922. The invitation extended by the Charlottetown Country Club, was accepted at a meeting of the executive of the Maritime Golf Association held on Saturday afternoon, P. C. Black, G. W. O'Brien, and H. M. Canfield being the members of the executive committee in attendance. As customary when such an invitation is issued the names of the officers to control the destinies of Maritime Golf were submitted and approved. They are: John H. Malcolm, Charlottetown, President; W. K. Rogers, Charlottetown, Vice-President; D. B. Stewart, Charlottetown, Secretary Treasurer.

The executive vommittee,—Percy C. Black, Amherst; W. H. Semple, Truro; Stewart McCawley, Lingan; H. N. Stetson, St. John; C. A. Evans, Brightwood. With the acceptance of the invitation of the Charlottetown Club, the executive also added another event to the programme of Maritime Golf, the newspaper championships fathered by Stewart McCawley, of Lingan. The new event will be commenced in 1922. All newspapermen, publicity agents and photographers, directly attached to a newspaper are eligible. The event will be held on the final day of the meet, eighteen holes medal play. Mr. McCawley has offered a shield for continual competition.

MARRIAGE LOTTERIES TESTED IN ITALY

PARIS, Aug. 14.—The world-old adage that marriage is a lottery is being given a practical test by Italians today. They have organized what is termed matrimonial lotteries with such success that the French people are becoming interested, suggesting the experiment might well be copied in France, where as in other countries in Europe, there is a huge surplus to the marriageable women owing to the depletion of the male population by the war.

The method adopted is expeedingly simple. First a beauty contest is organized. The winners thereof are then put up for lottery, each ticket costing the small sum of ten lire. The proceeds are used to constitute a dot for the lucky young woman. The male winners of the pretty prizes are given the choice of marrying the girl they have won or of dividing the money with her. Presumably the latter also has a voice in the matter.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS ARRIVED LAST EVENING

Entertainment, Refreshments and Registration Last Night at K. of P. Hall as a Preliminary Canter for Today's Proceedings.

The Pythian delegates to the number of between three and four hundred arrived last night by the two trains from Borden and the steamer Constance from Pictou.

Those coming by the Borden trains were met by Messrs. P.W Turner, B. Roy Holman and G.D. Wright, those by the Constance by Messrs W. A. Smith and S. A. McDonald.

The different parties were met at the depot and wharf by a large number of the local brethren and escorted to the K. of P. Hall where refreshments were served and a pleasant social evening was spent.

The re-union was a most enjoyable one, both visitors and visited entering with spirit and enthusiasm into what was intended merely as a preliminary canter preparatory to the more strenuous work of today. The visiting brethren are a jovial, sociable and entertainable lot and the jolly hours spent with them last evening presage still happier hours for today, tonight and tomorrow.

The visitors by both routes expressed themselves as highly delighted with their journey so far and anticipate a visit that will be pleasurable to the members and profitable to the order.

Schooner Struck a Submerged Wreck

HALIFAX, Aug. 15—The Gloucester fishing schooner Monarch narrowly escaped being sunk on last Thursday night off Canso. Shortly after dark, with all her lowers set, the schooner was travelling along at a nine-knot clip when suddenly she struck a submerged object. The schooner ran upon the object and then dropped off to starboard, while those on board thought she had struck a mine. The schooner made Canso safely, where it was found that her stem was badly damaged, and she was towed here yesterday by the steamer Margaret to go on the slip for examination and repairs, which will probably take a week. It is believed that the submerged object was the derrick scow which went adrift recently when the tug Musquash was sunk.

The Monarch left Gloucester four weeks ago, and is salt fishing. She was at Canso for bait, and en route back to the Quero Banks at the time. The collision occurred at 8.45 o'clock, between nine and ten miles south-east of Canso Light. The schooner had her four lowers hoisted and was sailing along at about nine knots an hour when suddnly she struck something dead on. The forward part of the vessel shot up in the air and then suddenly fell off to starboard. The majority of the crew were in the cabin, and they hurried on deck, fearing that their craft would sink.

After the collision the object could be seen floating, and it appeared to be a scow bottom up. On her return to Canso it was found that the stem was badly damaged. The vessel was taking in a little water forward and the stem seemed to be driven back. Had she struck the object at any other angle she probably would have sunk.

The Monarch is owned by the Gorton Pew Fisheries and is in command of Captain Albert Amiro a native of Yormouth County. She carries a total crew of 23 men, and will probably be delayed here a week.

BILL TO SAFEGUARD INDUSTRIES PASSED BY COMMONS

LONDON, Aug. 15-The Government's safeguarding of industries bill to-day was passed on third reading in the House of Commons by a vote of 176 to 4. The vote was taken after former Premier Asquith, in introducing a motion for its rejection, had described it as "a half-hearted attempt to introduce a tariff without calling one."

The bill was certified by the Speaker since the House of Lords is powerless to amend it because of its being a money bill.

The bill is the embodiment of two resolutions introduced in the commons last March by Sir Robert Horne, Chancellor of the Echequer, who said at that time they would form the basis for the Government's proposed customs legislation. One of those resolutions provides for the levying of a customs duty of 33 1-3 per cent, ad valorem on importations entering the United Kingdom of optical glass, optical instruments scientifical glassware, porcelain instruments, magnetos, tungsten and its products, synthetic and organic chemicals, except dyestuffs; colors, coloring matters and fine chemicals.

The other resolution provides for custom duties on any articles not mentioned in the first resolutions which the board of trade, under the act, will have the power to specify, on the ground that the said articles are being sold or offered in the United Kingdom at prices below their production, or owing to exchange depreciation, at prices below what they can profitably be produced for in Great Britain.

Jolly Tars Will Give a Concert

In the Prince Edward Theatre tonight at 8.30 the Concert Party of the Canadian Fleet will give a vaudeville entertainment. At Halifax last week the Bluejackets put on several entertainments and delighted large audiences. The program will be along vaudeville lines and should prove a decided novelty for local theatre goers as well as a first-class entertainment. There are two concert parties with the fleet which will combine for the concert tonight. In addition, the Fleet Orchestra will be on hand to provide music.

All who wish to enjoy a first-class entertainment should make an effort to be on hand. The concert will start at 8.30 sharp and it is to be hoped everyone will be in their seats when the curtain rises.

Refinancing Programme Of Can. Steamship Ltd.

MONTREAL, Aug. 15.—The Canada Steamship Limited announced today that it has been able to arrange its refinancing to be done in Canada instead of in London as originally arranged. A special general meeting of the shareholders accordingly will be held in Montreal, August 29th to authorize the issue of $6,000,000 of seven per cent first mortgage collateral bonds, the same to be secured by the pledge of an amount not to exceed $8,400,000, par value of the company's 5 percent debenture stock or bonds. The new issue will take the place of the $5,000,000 of 8 percent collateral bonds sanctioned by the shareholders at a special meeting last May. The directors of the company have themselves promised to take up $2,000,000 of the new issue.

THE WEATHER TEMPERATUR TIDE, MOON, ETC

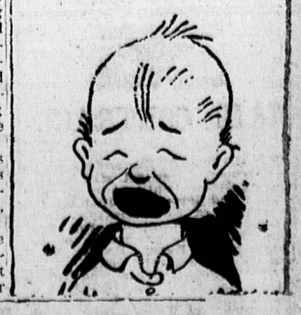
TORONTO, Aug. 15—Light moderate winds. Mostly fair and cool.

The tide will be high this evening at 7.39, and tomorrow morning at 9.29.

The sun sets this evening at 7.10 and rises tomorrow morning at 5.22.

Last quarter of the moon, (Aug. 26th) at 8.51.

Noozie the Sunshine Kid



NEW ANNAN RACES TO-MORROW