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—ENTERTAINED GUILD—Mrs. Wilson entertained the ladies of the Baptist Guild at the Princess on Tuesday evening. There was a most enjoyable evening spent.

—ST. PAUL'S BRIDGE—The winners at the regular weekly Paul's Bridge were Mrs. W. G. Gillan and Mrs. Louis Gallant.

—QUALITY, strong driving harness, 1 1/2" heavy traces, heavy heavy solid brass or nickel mounted. Price right at Braces'.

—HOCKEY Bedouin Rink Friday, February 24th, Tip Top game, final between Lower town and Bedouin Maple Leafs. Admission 16, Fred Myose referee. Skate after.

—CONGRATULATIONS—Mr. James MacArthur of Summerside are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a little son on February 23rd at the Prince of Wales Hospital.

—LEFT FOR MONCTON—Mr. R. Ferguson, service manager, left Monday morning for Moncton, N. B. to take a course in the Ford school there.

—STUDY CLUB MEET—The club of the W.M.S. of Trinity United Church met at the home of the president, Mr. Hammond Johnson on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Arthur Allen led the session and the ladies with the hostess at the conclusion of the meeting and a social enjoyed.

—SUMMERSIDE BOWLING—A league is now in full swing at the Capitol Bowling Alleys and these scores have been registered:
A league game between the Capitals and the Capitals, Wilfrid G. Gallant, high score with a total score of 803. The scores were as follows: Capitals, 278; Sinclairs, 312.

—A.Y.P.A. DANCE—A very enjoyable dance was held in St. Elmore hall on Tuesday evening under the auspices of the A.Y.P.A. of St. John's Church. Ted A.Y.P.A. orchestra furnished the music. The dance was not as large as is usually the case with affairs of this kind at St. Elmore, due no doubt to so many folks being home with colds.

—SUCCESSFUL CARD PARTY—Mrs. Percy Crosby entertained on Monday evening at her spacious home in St. Elmore for a very successful card party of bridge and auction forty-ones. Seven tables were in play. The prizes for bridge were Mr. Lorne Johnson and Mr. Percy Crosby. The prizes for auction were Mrs. Fred Barrett and Mrs. Lyle. After cards a delectable supper was served. The party was a hit of the hall fund.

—SHERBROOKE INSTITUTE—The Sherbrooke Women's Institute met on Tuesday for their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. A. J. Boswell. Mrs. Johnson assisted and Mrs. Boswell in entertaining members. The president, Mrs. M. Dalton occupied the chair. The questionaire this month was "Child Welfare." A resolution was passed to send a letter of condolence to Mr. J. W. Albeck and family expressing sympathy in the death of Mrs. Albeck, a very highly esteemed member of the Institute. The members handed in their squares of the quilts which are to be sent to the Tuberculosis League. Some hand clapping was also included in the program. The distribution among needy families. At the conclusion of business a sumptuous supper was served and a social hour enjoyed.

—ENJOYABLE CONCERT—An annual entertainment in aid of the Finnish branch of the P. E. and libraries was held in the P. E. hall on Tuesday evening. An all star cast of twelve highly talented artists presented the act comedy drama entitled "The Folk Next Door." Those taking part were: Miss Marcella Leonard, Mr. Gus Gallant, Miss Mrs. Gavin, Mr. Ronald McKinnon, Miss Stella Brennan, Mr. Bobby Kinch, Miss Jean Hemphill, Mr. Elphège Bernard, Miss Bertha Perry, Mr. Arthur Perry, Miss Mrs. DeRoche and Mr. Ernest Hemphill. The soloists of the evening were Mr. John E. Cameron, (soprano), Mr. Arthur Perry (violin) and the piano numbers were artistically rendered. The Old Time Fiddlers orchestra under the direction of Mr. Balgownie provided excellent music throughout the evening. Miss Frances Morrissey was the accompanist of the evening. Mr. J. A. Mackay acted in the capacity of chairman and with a few appropriate remarks and performed other duties in a most efficient manner. Mr. Chaudhury presented the program and commenting on the excellence of their performance, gave a most interesting talk on library work. Mrs. G. W. Wright, who was present also spoke a few words of appreciation. The lucky prize was won by Mr. Lloyd Mackay. The host with a few appropriate remarks and performed other duties in a most efficient manner. Mr. Chaudhury for his kindly interest in the success of their drama to her management of stage lights etc.

hitting" speakers were called to fill in.

Mr. J. Walter Jones, M.L.A. Bumbury, called on by the chairman, said sales of live stock from his farm dropped to \$2000 from as high as \$15,000 annually eight years ago. He was primarily interested in the production of live cattle for sale. The drop in the business he attributed to the depression.

Mr. Jones saw possibilities for the sale of large numbers of young bred heifers to the old country. The cattle required were those with black markings, not necessarily purebred. He saw possibilities for selling 2000 from this province annually, at from \$100 to \$125 each.

Offered Prize
Mr. J. O. Hyndman, Charlottetown, was the next speaker called on. He advocated stimulating cow testing, and offered \$50.00 towards cow testing, if the Association thought it possible. The suggestion was met with applause by the meeting.

Mr. J. H. Myers, Hampton, referred to a question by the chairman "What would happen if the production of butter fat was doubled?" Markets were the necessity now believed, and went on to say that the English market takes a million pounds of butter purchased by Great Britain last year Canada supplied only one half of one per cent. "We were marketing at fault or wrong steer" so far as quality was concerned?

Mr. Hyndman said the answer was the Canadian market was better than the English market, and shippers would not move butter at a loss.

Mr. Myers asked if it was not a fact Canadian butter took an inferior place in English markets while at the same time cheese from here was considered high quality there. He asked Mr. Hyndman if there was something wrong with the marketing of butter and cheese should have more attention at our meeting here today.

Mr. Hyndman referred to the optimism of U.S. financiers that "we are on the verge of a great boom."

Mr. Hyndman declared everyone should know, if they were acquainted with the facts, that Canada could not hope to compete with butter from New Zealand which the cattle were out on the grass the year around. That fact made for a higher average quality.

Mr. Myers asked "why couldn't we make just as good butter during the winter as we do in the summer?" He said business men were not doing their part. Farmers were doing their best.

Mr. Hyndman declared if the factories would only take first quality cream, an improvement in butter quality would follow.

Mr. W. W. Kestel advocated more frequent collection of cream. Cream gathered once a week was not satisfactory.

Mr. Myers said at the creamery cream was delivered three times a week. He said that if it were delivered once a week it should make arrangements to deliver cream daily.

Mr. Fred Leard asked if first grade butter could be made from the wild white clover. Mr. Hyndman in reply said it could, up to a certain percentage. However, butter made from anything but first grade cream should not be put in storage as it would not stand up.

Dr. J. A. Clark, superintendent of the Charlottetown Experimental Farm, saw pasture improvement as a most important factor in the dairy industry.

A pasture couldn't be established in one or two years, he pointed out. The best pasture plant was the wild white clover. Kentucky blue grass was not satisfactory here, as the winters were too severe. But the native bent grasses, combined with the wild white clover, were most valuable. There should be some orchard grass mixed in. Pastures should be kept not more than four inches high. If necessary pastures should be clipped high by a mow.

"During the year your directors have been the closest attention possible to their work and co-operated with the government in every way possible.

"In closing, I wish to thank the directors for their splendid co-operation with me and loyalty to the work that they were expected to do; to the government, for its co-operation and help in all phases of the work; to the superintendent for his unflinching zeal and devotion in the interests of the dairy business in the province; to the press, for their interest in and opening a column in their paper for discussion of this industry; and to all who in any way helped to carry forward this cause in which we are all so especially interested and which last year has been the best dairy meetings ever held in the province I am,

Yours sincerely,
J. O. Hyndman

The Souris Association has fallen on except for two members and these farmers are sending their milk samples to me here for testing.

The "Baby" Association
The last Association on our list is Oshington and here we find an organization that is the result of a Study Club. This Club made a study of dairying and early last spring a Herd Improvement Association was organized with 12 members.

"In summing up the work it is quite apparent that in the Association where the members are taking an interest in their work we find that the production has increased.

"To achieve this increase in production the successful members have used the information obtained from their Association as a guide in carrying out the old motto of "feed, breed and feed" which still must be the basis of improvement in our dairy herds.

Respectfully submitted,
J. O. Hyndman, Field Promoter.
Commenting on the report were Fred Leard, Tryon; John P. Profit, both men spoke in favor of cow testing at this point the business on the afternoon agenda was completed and a number of "pinch

Text of Resolutions
Below is the full text of resolutions (except where otherwise stated) passed at last night's meeting of the dairymen. Chairman of the resolutions committee was Mr. J. H. Myers, Hampton. Other members of the committee were R. A. Profit, Freetown, and Vernon Craig, Middleton.

First resolution passed, after some considerable discussion, was one authorizing the chairman of the organization to seek to have the act of incorporation amended to clarify certain confusing sections. The resolution was moved by Mr. R. A. Profit and seconded by Fred Leard.

Whereas the Dairymen's Association of Prince Edward Island in December 1938, sent Mr. W. L. Brenton, Dairy Superintendent and Mr. W. R. Shaw to Nova Scotia to investigate the marketing of Prince Edward Island butter.
Whereas their findings show that our products are insufficiently advertised and that they do not carry a distinctive Prince Edward Island name.
Be it therefore resolved that it would be in the interest of the marketing of our creamery butter to have our government adopt a comprehensive advertising program and also that our Association adopt a uniform wrapper for Prince Edward Island creamery butter.

The resolution was moved by Mr. Profit and seconded by Mr. Elmer Gamble.

Whereas there is a surplus of butter being produced in Canada, and
Whereas Canadian cheese commands a very high position on the markets of the world,
Be it therefore resolved that we, the Dairymen's Association of Prince Edward Island through the Provincial Department of Agriculture petition the Dominion Government to adopt some scheme by which to stimulate greater production of cheese.

Mr. J. Walter Jones, M.L.A., moved the resolution while Mr. Leo Praught was the seconder.

Resolution of Sympathy
A resolution, moved by Mr. J. H. Myers and seconded by Mr. R. A. Profit conveyed the sympathy of the meeting to Hon. W. H. Dennis, Minister of Agriculture, in connection with the pleasure at learning that he was making a satisfactory recovery.

Illness Regretted
We, the members of the Prince Edward Island Dairymen's Association here assembled in annual conference, regret the absence, through illness, of our president, Mr. W. N. Jenkins, and our past president Mr. J. A. Dewar. For many years these men took an active part in our organization and were most faithful on the board of directors, later becoming two of the most outstanding presidents this Association ever had.

Be it therefore resolved that we extend to these gentlemen the sympathy of this meeting and the sincere hope of all here assembled that they may soon be restored to their former health.

It is also resolved that a copy of this resolution be sent by the secretary to Mr. Jenkins and Mr. Dewar.

The resolution was moved by Vernon Craig and seconded by J. A. MacLeod.

Support Bridge Project
The members of the Prince Edward Island Dairymen's Association have noticed the campaign for Brighton Bridge and better transportation facilities for that section of country reaching through the West River district. This bridge and paved road through to Borden will afford a better opportunity for the farmers of the above districts to reach our large shipping points, Charlottetown and Summerside.

For years these people have been asking for this and have quietly sat back and waited while the other parts of the country shared in the modern roads and systems of transportation. We wish to sympathize with them in their just claims and urge the government to speed up the building of the Brighton Bridge and a paved road leading through these great farming districts.

Therefore it is resolved that the meetings of farmers' week go on record as being strongly in favor of the undertaking.

Moved by James G. MacLeod, seconded by Watson Larrier, both of Summerside.

Other Business
Just before the meeting adjourned it was decided to leave consideration of certain items in the consideration of the board of directors. Earlier in the session it had been intended to consider the motion but the lateness of the hour proved a deciding factor in deciding to leave it to the directors.

A motion by Mr. Earl Inga, Mt. Herbert, that the Association support the National Dairy Council in its campaign against vegetable oils was seconded by Mr. Inga. After short discussion it was adopted by the meeting.

MR. BRENTON'S REPORT
Following is the Dairy Superintendent's report in part:
"As we review the Dairy work in our province for 1938 we should have in mind in the Dairy Industry as the main source of a dependable revenue. Mr. W. L. Brenton, Dairy Superintendent, declared in his annual report, "Butter-fat prices were very good during the winter, spring and early summer months, the decline in price during the latter part of the year was due to the fact that the pastures continued good away into the fall months and supplementary feeds were not used to any great extent compared with the season of 1937."

"A serious problem is our storage butter and this problem should be

To place our products on the Maritime market at a seasonable price is ever becoming a more difficult task.

"A well-planned advertising campaign should be organized. The slogan "Island Creamery Butter" may be adopted instead of so many private creamery names. Our butter is recognized as being of a high standard and is mutually advantageous should each creamery receive the same price for their butter of the same grade and quality.

The smaller companies find it impossible to continue a regular supply throughout the year and are forced to sell at a lower price. Such works havoc with all prices paid. May I suggest the dairy appointed representatives of the creamery companies for salesmanship meet together at the earliest possible date to discuss fully what course to follow. The Dairy Division, Department of Agriculture are continuing a reasonable free telephone service that contacts may be made and assistance given in making sales and arranging shipment.

Pasteurizing Plants
"Five Pasteurizing Plants catered to the City of Charlottetown and to the town of Summerside. The total amount of milk pasteurized was 2,704,814 and 184,094 pounds of cream with a gross value of \$67,646.70.

Ice Cream
"172,728 quarts of Ice-cream were made by the four local manufacturers; Central Creameries, Limited, Garden City Dairy, Olympia Ice Cream Company and Dunlop's Creamery. Total value \$68,548.50.

"The year's total value for butter cheese, pasteurized milk cream and ice-cream was \$2,372,639, not taking into consideration the value of the skim milk and whey fed on the farm.

Special Prizes
"The DeLaval Dairy Supply Company, Montreal, through their local representative Mr. J. D. Frier of Amherst, N. S., donated forty dollars (\$40.00) to be distributed to the creamery men taking part in the Educational Butter Scoring allotments to be made by the Dairy Superintendent after due consideration has been taken as to the creamery workmanship, etc. On behalf of the makers, I wish to thank Mr. Frier and the Company who represents for this liberal donation.

"Mr. W. G. Wilson, Montreal representative of "Wyanodette" Products, donated an Everparty refrigerator as a prize to the cream-maker making the best all around showing for the season. Mr. H. J. MacCormack, Dundas is the winner.

Cheese
"The Cheese Factories in operation this year were at Abram's Village, Dundas, East River, Grand River, Hillsboro, Ekinora and Highgate. Total pounds of milk delivered at factories 4,762,627 pounds with an average butter-fat test of 3.59 per cent. Pounds of cheese made 189,413 with an average selling price of 13.96 cents per pound and average net price per hundred pounds milk 1.02. Five hundred and forty-eight patrons supplied milk for cheese making.

"At our last annual meeting, I suggested that the management of these factories be together and investigate the trade requirements. Such course was not followed and all factories began the marketing of their milk in their own way. The local market became over-supplied and the market dull.

"We asked the wholesale dealers to endeavor to find an export market for whole or large cheese on the English market.

"Gignish, Grand River, Abram's Village, Ekinora and East River, factories made whole cheese leaving the local market for traps to Hillsboro and Highgate. Five hundred and forty-eight boxes were shipped through the Grand River Dairying Company under the direction of Mr. Edward Larkin, thus relieving the over-production of small cheese on local market and making it possible that a higher price be paid.

"I would strongly recommend the responsible management of these factories meet before the opening of this season and try to coordinate their production for export and for local requirements. To get best results, a thorough understanding should be arrived at.

"With such a butler surplus in Canada, the trend is to swing to the manufacture of cheese. A number for our Creameries are seriously considering turning to cheese making. For those who would be able to use the equipment they now have with very little added expenditure, it is possible, by being fully equipped as a creamery, a large expenditure would, to say the least, be a doubtful proposition.

"The making of more cheese during the months of the peak of milk production would assist greatly in lowering our storage butter stocks, thereby relieving the market of butter used in avoiding disagreements among patrons in making such changes.

Butter
"Total pounds of Creamery Butter manufactured—311,584, an increase over 1937 of 379,776 pounds. 5607 patrons supplied 7,027,281 pounds cream valued at \$648,851.87. The lowest price received for butter was 23.62 cents the highest price 25.17 cents the average price 25.17. Prices paid for butter-fat ranged from 23.77 to 25.52 with an average price of 25.17.

"Several check-ups were made on Maritime wholesale and retail markets. In several instances, the price of butter was found to be generally lower than that of the wholesaler especially so on the Halifax market. A more aggressive sales policy and advertising campaign should be undertaken by the dairy interests of this Province. This is not hearsay or guess-work. I made several trips and, in each case, found conditions as above stated. Early in December, on request of the Board of Directors of this Association, in company with the Deputy Minister, Mr. W. R. Shaw, a special check-up on the Halifax and Sydney markets was made. This trip fully substantiated my report on conditions of sales markets. Changes must be made in our marketing of butter in particular, and under present circumstances, I am almost compelled to advocate a sales policy one man was able man to sell direct to the trade. This suggestion will no doubt cause strong protest from those who are now instrumental in placing our products in this unenviable position.

YORKTON, Sask., Feb. 23—The tracas which followed a wedding celebration near Sturgis, 50 miles north of here, last October when one man was fatally injured, was described in court today by George Michilluk. Four men face murder charges as a result of the death following the celebration.

The men charged are Willard and Nick Prekaski, brothers, Ted Constantineau and Pete Budnik. They are accused as a result of the death of John Bubuk, 51, injured at John Nosok's farm where wedding presents, windows and bottles were smashed when a fight started.

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Order Schools In Inverness Closed
(By The Canadian Press)
INVERNESS, N. S., Feb. 23—Inverness health authorities ordered all schools in the town closed today because of a severe epidemic of colds and influenza. Only about 200 of the total enrolment of approximately 700 were able to attend classes yesterday, and authorities decided to suspend classes in an effort to prevent further spreading of the outbreak.

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Coch, Thoroughbred, Clydesdale and Standard breeds. Twelve Clydesdale fillies of very fine quality, many of them winners at important Ontario fairs, were brought to the province by the Department of Agriculture. Importations of this kind would be a splendid foundation for future years.

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Records produced by the secretary showed that there had been 77 registered stallions in the province during the year. They graded as follows: 11 A, 16 B, 27 C, 10 D and 14 "out".

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Of the 114 Grade stallions 8 were A, 8 were B, 25 were C and 70 were graded "out".

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To effectively promote the horse industry the intelligent operation of every breeder is needed, and earnest co-operation and support is necessary at the good work now under way is to be continued, the secretary emphasized.

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Lively Discussion
The report was followed by a lively and somewhat lengthy discussion on the selection of judges for the county fair.

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Anglo-French Solidarity
Dealing with Anglo-French solidarity in relation to British foreign policy, Lord Halifax said that Anglo-French solidarity does not and has never been intended to constitute any menace of any sort to any third party.