

### Junior Farmers and Junior Club News

The Morell Junior Poultry Club held their bi-monthly meeting May 3rd. Stephen Larkin acted as president in the absence of Robert Webster who is writing final exams at P.W.C. Mr. Lorne Ramsay, Poultryman, Experimental Farm, was present and assisted the Club in their meeting and also lectured on Range Management and Feeding. It was again decided to caponize club chickens as a club project, and some 2000 birds will come under this project. Next meeting will be held May 31st.

The Seaside Poultry Club of Kingsboro-Red Point held their regular Study Meeting May 3rd, with Miss Kay Stewart, president, and Miss Arlene Robertson, secretary. H. MacLean, Department of Agriculture, outlined hatchery work and chick grades; also briefly outlined the R.O.P. work with poultry on Prince Edward Island. All members were present. Next meeting May 22nd.

The twenty-fifth Calf Club for Prince Edward Island in 1951 has been organized at Tryon. Twelve members indicated their desire to join. Miss Elaine Smith was elected president; Janet Howatt, vice-president, and Mrs. Vernon Lord, secretary-treasurer. Adult directors appointed were: Mr. Austin Smith and Mr. Max Thompson. Meetings are planned for the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. It was announced at the meeting that two prominent farmers of the district were each donating five dollars to the Club. Each five is to be split into three prizes of \$2.50, \$1.50 and \$1.00. These prizes will be awarded to the three members showing the best calves in each breed.

The regular meeting of the Maple Leaf Calf Club was held at Norboro School on Wednesday, May 9th, with the president, Lloyd Lawless occupying the chair. This club was recently strengthened by the addition of six members from Kelvin Grove. The members now have twelve calves with prospects of more. The second test on Lessons III and IV was conducted by the fieldman, Morris Deacon. Due to the increased membership and large number of good calves, this club promises to be one of the best on the Island this year.

About 40 people were present at a meeting on Thursday evening, May 10th in the Malpeque Hall. This meeting was called for the purpose of considering the organization of a Junior Calf Club in the Malpeque area. Chairman Edward MacGougan called on Mr. S. C. Wright, Fieldman, Department of Agriculture, who gave an outline of club work in Canada and in Prince Edward Island and described in detail the objectives and policies regarding Junior Calf Clubs. He also answered many questions from the audience. After considerable discussion it was decided to call a meeting for

### Canadian Garden Service 1951

By Gordon Lindsay Smith

**BE PREPARED**—A very necessary piece of equipment for most gardeners is a small sprayer or duster and the materials to load it. Nothing is more discouraging than to get flowers, vegetables or shrubbery flourishing and then to discover some fine morning that bugs or disease have started to attack them. If one counter-attacks promptly, however, there is little difficulty about control.

For every pest, fortunately, there is some chemical or other treatment to keep it in check. Usually a spray or dust is used. For insects that eat holes in foliage the usual remedy is a poison of some kind, such as arsenate of lead, DDT, copper sulphate, nicotine, etc. For the pests that suck out the juices a burning spray or dust incorporating sulphur is recommended, or sometimes special soap and water or some of the tobacco solutions. Use sprays when the foliage is dry. With the dust best results are obtained on a day without wind and just after a rain or before a dew. With all chemicals one is well advised to study and follow directions carefully and make sure that the proper material is used for the particular pest concerned.

**SOAK BEFORE PLANTING**—In certain cases it is advisable to treat roots, bulbs or seeds before one plants to control diseases or pests that may develop later. Particularly is this true with cabbage, gladiolus, potatoes. There are certain powerful chemicals which are used

for these. Usually the chemical in dust form is dissolved in water and the roots, bulbs or tubers are soaked in this for a certain length of time before planting.

**CUTTING GARDENS**—Home grown flowers in season are certainly not luxuries when one can grow literally armfuls of blooms at a cost of only a few cents. And there is no reason why the average person should not grow them by the armful and use them liberally as in Britain to decorate living rooms, verandahs, etc. Where large quantities are wanted for such purposes many people make it a practice to grow them in rows with the

vegetables. It is much simpler to grow them this way and there is no disfigurement to the decorative flower beds when bouquets are required. This particularly applies to such flowers as sweet peas, gladiolus, marigolds, zinnias and other things that lend themselves to row either trailing or straight growing cultivation.

**LESS SEEDS AND FASTER**—On the market now are certain hormone sprays, which will make things like tomatoes, cucumbers, melons, etc., fruit faster and earlier, and also very substantially reduce the number of seeds. So often in our climate the first blooms fail to set fruit or do so only in a limited way. That's where these special sprays come in handy but they must be used exactly and according to directions. They are fine for some plants but deadly to others.

### Spring Seeding In Prairie Provinces

WINNIPEG, May 15 — Spring seeding is general at a number of points in southeastern, southern and central Manitoba, but in northern Manitoba seeding has been delayed by excessive moisture but will be underway within the next few days. In Southern Saskatchewan seeding has commenced at a few points and should become general around the middle of the month. While some farmers in Central Saskatchewan have made considerable headway with seeding the majority of areas report seeding has just commenced. Cultivation and harrowing has commenced in Northern Saskatchewan but seeding has only started on

the higher lands and will not be general until May 15. In Central and Eastern Alberta, seeding will not be general for another week to ten days and this also applies to the Peace River territory. Harvesting of unthreshed grains is getting underway in the northern sections of all three Provinces, according to the weekly crop report of the Department of Agriculture of the Canadian National Railways. In the Okanagan Valley tree fruit comparisons with last year indicate that pears will be about 65 percent, apricots 175 percent, peaches 525 percent, Bartlett pears 93 percent, Flemish pears 123 percent, prunes 157 percent. A reasonable crop of apples is expected but this will not be as heavy as last year. The 1950 fruit production, however, was considerably below normal. Cherries and Bartlett pears have suffered considerably through late frosts.

## Attention Farmers

Now In Stock

### John Deere Lime Sowers

Both Tractor & Horse Drawn

## A. Pickard Farm Tractors Ltd.

Malpeque Highway

### Farm Income

OTTAWA, May 15 — (CP) — Net income of Canadian farmers slipped again in 1950.

The Bureau of Statistics reported today it declined to \$1,461,735,000 from \$1,615,834,000 in 1949 and \$1,650,699,000 in 1948, the peak year. The totals did not include estimates for Newfoundland.

The Bureau attributed the decrease to a substantial decline in cash income, a smaller value of income in kind and a continued rise in farm operating expenses and depreciation charges.

Here are the 1950 provincial totals, with 1949 figures in brackets:

Prince Edward Island	\$13,100,000	(\$12,800,000)
Nova Scotia	\$23,300,000	(\$21,100,000)
New Brunswick	\$30,700,000	(\$32,100,000)
Quebec	\$254,000,000	(\$250,900,000)
Ontario	\$453,200,000	(\$441,200,000)
Manitoba	\$125,600,000	(\$146,500,000)
Saskatchewan	\$273,600,000	(\$378,500,000)
Alberta	\$244,800,000	(\$278,500,000)
British Columbia	\$43,400,000	(\$54,200,000)

Cash income from sale of farm products totalled \$2,223,522,000 in 1950, against \$2,494,751,000 in 1949, while income in kind was \$337,311,000 against \$349,483,000. Farm operating expenses and depreciation charges totalled \$1,243,692,000 against \$1,174,408,000.

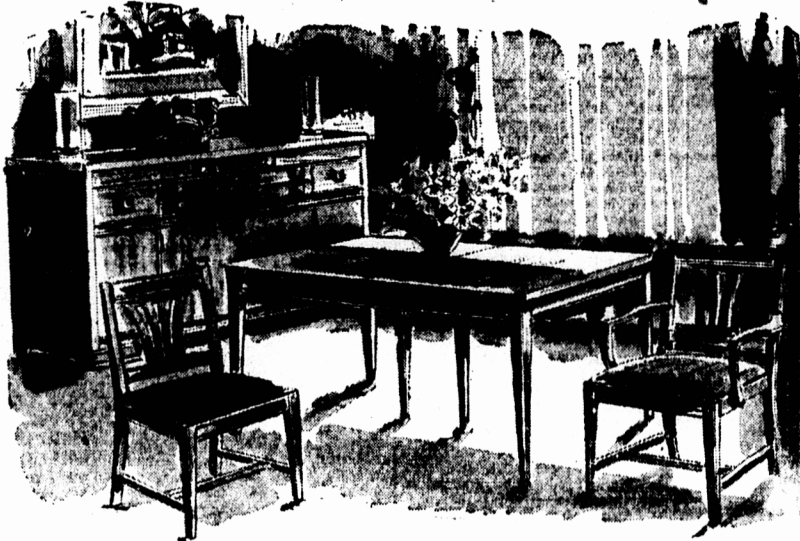
Thursday, May 17th and invite everyone who might be interested in the club to come. One problem in this district is the matter of selecting a breed for the club, as several breeds of cattle are common here. Films of the National Film Board were also shown and enjoyed by those present.

# GET A LOVELY 66 PIECE SET ENGLISH DINNERWARE FREE....!

## Thursday - Friday - Saturday

# With The Purchase Of Any Dining Room Or Dinette Suite On Our Floor At--

# 230.00 or over



Just once each year do you get the opportunity of buying the new Dining Room Suite or Dinette Furniture you've always wanted AND are given the present of a FREE Set of Fine Quality English Dinnerware. . . This definitely is the time to Buy! There are some very beautiful Suites from which to choose, finished in gleaming walnut or mahogany, sturdy maple and the modern bleached woods. The Dining Room Suites consist of 9 pieces, the Dinette Suites of 6 pieces. Special orders on bigger, more expensive Suites will be taken and the Free 66 piece Dinnerware offer applies on them also. . . This Special Dining Room Furniture Promotion is for 3 days ONLY—Thursday, Friday and Saturday. . . So Shop for Dining Furniture NOW!

## BUY NOW AND SAVE "It's Smart To Be Thrifty"

### Here's What You Get ABSOLUTELY FREE

The pattern of English Semi-porcelain that has been chosen for this Very Special Offer on the purchase of a Dining Room or Dinette Suite, priced at 230.00 or over is the colorful and charming "Connaught" design (illustrated). The Set consisting of 66 pieces is made up of: 8 each cups and saucers, bread and butter plates, dinner plates, tea plates, oatmeal, fruits, 1 each ten inch platter, fourteen inch platter, gravy boat and stand, scallop dish, baker, cream pitcher and covered sugar bowl. 2 covered vegetable dishes. The total value of this beautiful set of "Connaught" Dinnerware is 54.95. . . If you prefer another pattern, you may choose from the different sets of equal value. The Special Dinnerware Gift Offer is for Thursday, Friday and Saturday ONLY!

## See It Before You Buy It!

# ONLY \$10. DOWN

## Reserves Any Dining Room Suite And Your FREE Dinnerware Set

### ON THE CONVENIENT

## HOLMAN LAY-A-WAY PLAN

Pay Weekly or Monthly until the Down Payment required by Government Regulations has been reached. . . Then take delivery of your new Dining Furniture and your Free Set of English Dinnerware—worth 54.95. The Balance may be spread over 52 weekly or 12 monthly installments.

## Buy That Long - Wanted Dining Suite NOW Get A 54.95 Dinnerware Set FREE . . !

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

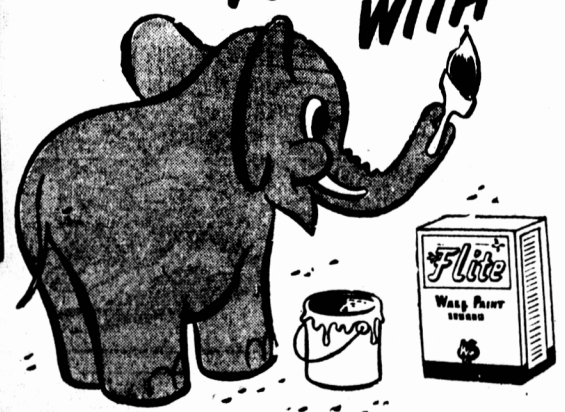
AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

AT HOLMAN'S BOTH STORES

## SO-O-O EASY TO PAINT WITH



## Flite WALL PAINT

Just mix with water and apply with brush or roller. Simplicity itself! Dries odourless in 1 hour to a soft cleanable finish. You can do over an average room for two or three dollars!

Ask your paint dealer for your colour card.

### THE EASY WAY TO PAINT IS THE Flite WAY!

WESCO WATERPAINTS CANADA, LIMITED

**R. T. HOLMAN LTD.**  
Summerside Charlottetown

**FENNELL and CHANDLER LTD.**  
155 Queen St. Charlottetown Phone 87

# HOLMAN'S

2 BIG STORES

## SUMMERSIDE & CHARLOTTETOWN