

Among The Farmers

Federation of Agriculture Newsletter

FARMERS MEET THE CABINET

On Thursday, March 3rd, the members of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture accompanied by fifty representatives of the Dairy Farmers of Canada met the Federal Cabinet to consider the various problems affecting agriculture in a national way. This was possibly the largest Federation group to meet the Cabinet in many years and practically all Cabinet members were in attendance for the occasion.

The Federal government was warned that the farming industry, and in particular the dairy industry, was heading for serious trouble because of the present cost-price squeeze and the changing of some of the government policies in agriculture.

The Federation brief bore heavily upon the problems of the dairy industry, and the delegation to the cabinet included official representatives of the Dairy Farmers of Canada, and the presidents of the four dairy groups within the organization.

In general, the delegation urged the government to maintain and improve measures designed to stabilize farm prices and to provide at least the minimum of security for the farm industry.

In this connection, the brief said that the Federation was not asking the government to insulate agriculture from all effects of changing conditions and variation in crop production. But, it said, the farmer finds himself again in the all too familiar position of suffering because he has produced a greater abundance of food than people are prepared to pay for at prices even well below parity with returns in the economy as a whole.

"We do suggest very strongly," stated the brief, "that measures be taken to provide Canadian producers with a minimum of security should be taken by the federal government without hesitation, in fairness to the farmer and in the interests of the general public."

Expressing great anxiety over the future of the dairy industry, which, the brief stated, is suffering economic loss because of a succession of events, including the admission of vegetable oils, the importation of butter two years ago and of cheese the past year, the brief made the following specific recommendations:

That there should be tariff protection for the dairy industry comparable to that granted in other industries. In this connection, the brief said:

"We are strongly of the opinion that since there is in Canada a protective tariff policy, the dairy industry is in all justice entitled to the application of this policy when and where necessary on a comparable basis with that granted to other industries." There is no effective customs tariff rate on dairy products at present.

That no further importation of cheese be allowed into Canada so long as there are cheese surpluses creating marketing difficulties.

That the present butter support price of 58 cents wholesale be continued for another two years.

That, in addition to the sales of butter to institutions which policy is commended, the government dispose of 22 million lbs. of butter on the export market.

That adequate protection be provided the industry against the importation of cheap imported vegetable oils.

That the federal government support and encourage provincial programs for free milk to schools.

Want Feed Grain Restored? Demand that the recent reduction in rates paid by the government under the feed freight assistance program be restored was another point stressed by the delegation. Recently the government payments were reduced for feed shipments to Ontario, Quebec and B. C. The Federation brief pointed out that this program had been in effect for nearly 15 years and had thus become interwoven into the whole agricultural program of the country. Reductions in government assistance now in the face of increasing costs meant further difficulty for livestock and dairy farmers in the provinces concerned.

Price Support Programs The delegation urged acceptance by the government of the Federation's new proposals in price support programs. It commended the present programs as having given a large measure of stability to farm prices and to some extent to prices to consumers.

But the recommendation was that the program specify more definitely than it has yet done what basis shall be used for establishing support prices, by the adoption of a formula, and urgent consideration was asked for the formula developed by the federation.

Specific recommendations were for a continuance of the present support prices for butter, eggs and hogs. With respect to the egg support program, the government was urged to find a way to assure producers of receiving returns commensurate with the wholesale support price. A support price program for poultry meats and for forage crop seeds was also requested.

Grain Marketing The Federation urged continuance of the Canadian Wheat Board plan of marketing, on a permanent basis, saying that the board's marketing system had the overwhelming support of Canadian farmers. It requested that flax and rye be added to the coarse grains now handled by the board, and that the use of the speculative market by the wheat board in the marketing of oats and barley be discontinued.

The brief proposed that the price of wheat charged to domestic consumers should be not less than the existing maximum price under the international wheat agreement.

The brief quoted the resolution passed at the federation annual meeting denouncing the opinion expressed by Mr. Justice Sloan of B. C. that the railways should be subsidized for what he claimed were losses on wheat shipments under the Crow's Nest rate agreement, and urged the government to ignore any suggestion that there were such losses.

Other Recommendations The brief urged greater payments to the various technical assistance programs of the United

Nations, and the development of an international marketing agency to handle food surpluses at the international level.

In the income tax field the federation urged that payments made by any taxpayer into a recognized savings plan should be deductible, a privilege permitted to pension plans of groups, but not to individuals. It also recommended that all medical, dental, optical, hospital and funeral expenses be a deductible expense.

The dairy recommendations in the federation presentation were supported by a strong delegation of more than 50 members of the Dairy Farmers of Canada from Ontario and Quebec, and are interviewing government officials on the situation.

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CENTENNIAL ICE FOLLIES—Forum, March 11th.

ARRIVING DAILY new Spring Dresses, Kennedy's Ladies' Wear.

FUN FOR ALL at Ice Follies, Forum, March 11th, 8 p. m.

IN THE BATTLE of the budget Milk is the winner.

"YOUR DOLLAR BUYS MORE—AT THE HUGHES DRUG STORE."

"WE TREAT THE SICK WELL"—Giggey's Pharmacy, open evenings 'till 8 o'clock.

HOME COOKING SALE—Number Three Group Willing Circle, the 'King's Daughters, today 2:30, S. A. MacDonald's.

GET YOUR TICKETS for Ice Follies at the following places: Charlottetown Forum, Lambrose Bros., Bike Shop, Sport Lodge, or Scantlebury's Sign Shop.

COVEHEAD PASTORAL CHARGE.—United Church of Canada. Services Sunday, March 13th. Union Road 11 a. m. Sunday School 10 a. m. West Covehead 3 p. m. Stanhope 7 p. m. Rev. Norman Green.

MARSHFIELD PASTORAL CHARGE.—The Presbyterian Church in Canada. Sunday, March 13th. 11 a. m. Harrington. 3 p. m. Mount Stewart. 7:30 p. m. Marshfield. Everyone welcome. Rev. Lee M. MacNaughton, B. A., Minister.

CRAPAUD AND SPRINGFIELD PARISHES.—Services for Sunday, March 13th, 1955. Third Sunday in Lent. St. Elizabeth's Church, Springfield, 11:00 a. m. Holy Communion. St. John's Church, Crapaud, 7:30 p. m. Evening Prayer. Rev. George R. F. Ebsary, Rector.

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC every Saturday morning 9 to 12 at the Health Centre, 188 Prince Street. Children not vaccinated against Smallpox, and who will commence school next Fall, should be vaccinated now.

CORNWALL UNITED CHURCH. Rev. A. S. Weir, D. D., Minister. Services March 13th, are expected to be as follows: New Dominion 11:00 a. m. Note this hour—Kings-ton 3:00 p. m. Cornwall 7:30 p. m. Cornwall Sunday School 11:00 a. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH in Canada. Central Parish. Services next Lord's day are as follows: Canoe Cove 11 a. m. Sunday School 10 a. m. Nine Mile Creek 3 p. m. Clyde River 7:30 p. m. Rev. Donald Nicholson, Minister.

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GUITAR LESSONS—Cecil McEachern, Dial 7833.

ELECTROLUX IS BETTER.—Better Buy Electrolux.

ICE CREAM—order it with your groceries.

HEAR Friday, March 11th—7:00—7:05 p. m.—The Teacher—The Trustee and the Truth. Short talk—Charles Scranton, Chairman of Southport Trustees.

MEETING Provincial Liberal Women's Club, 99 North River Road, Saturday, March 12th, at 3 p. m. All members are urged to attend.

CAVENDISH UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA.—Services Sunday, March 13th. Cavendish 11 a. m. New Glasgow 3 p. m. Rev. F. W. Sawdon, Minister.

BROOKFIELD CHARGE.—The hours of Services for Sunday, March 13th, are as follows: Harrisville 11 a. m. Hunter River 3 p. m. Glasgow Road 7:30 p. m. All are welcome. Rev. Lawrence Blake, Minister.

ORWELL—VERNON UNITED CHURCH.—Rev. John M. Sheen, Minister. Cherry Valley 11 a. m. Vernon River 2:30 p. m. Eldon 7:30 p. m. Dedication of the lights in Eldon United Church.

CROSS ROADS—ALEXANDRA—HAZELBROOK.—Services for Sunday, March 13th. Cross Roads 11 a. m. Alexandra 3 p. m. Hazelbrook 7:30 p. m. All are welcome to these services. Rev. C. E. Armstrong, Minister.

POWNAL UNITED PASTORAL CHARGE.—Services Sunday, March 13th. 11 a. m. at Millville, 7 p. m. at Pownal with Men's Choir. Rev. T. R. Goudge, Pastor.

YORK PASTORAL CHARGE.—The United Church of Canada. Minister: Rev. J. M. Sproule. Sunday, March 13th, 1955. 11:00 a. m. York. 2:30 p. m. Brackley. 7:30 p. m. Central.

HAMPTON PASTORAL CHARGE.—The United Church of Canada. Services Sunday, March 13th. Hampton 11 a. m. Appleton Road 3 p. m. Victoria 7:30 p. m. Rev. R. H. Baxter, Minister.

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Farm Products And Prices

The following market report has been prepared by the P. E. I. Department of Agriculture.

POTATOES There has been a fair demand in the tablestock market during the past week, and the price quoted at the car to-day for 75 pounds of potatoes, bulk, delivered, is \$1.40. I understand that earlier in the week prices were a little stronger than this, possibly five cents higher, and this could be due to the tie-up that occurred in New Brunswick during the recent storms. Seed potatoes continue to move in fair quantities, and since our last report 46,550 bushels have left the Province.

Turnips continue to be slow with 37c to 40c per bushel being quoted at the car, with a very light demand.

THE EGG MARKET The situation in regard to the egg market is unchanged from our previous report. Demand remains strong and all surplus supplies are clearing to other Atlantic Provinces. Production is steadily increasing. General quality is good. Paying prices have advanced from the last report.

Charlottetown prices: Ungraded delivered, AL 38; AM 35; AS 22; B 22; C 15. Graded pack, AL 43; AM 40; AS 28; B 23; C 20. Retailers AL 48; AM 45; AS 33; B 33; C 25.

O'Leary prices: Ungraded eggs, AL 36; AM 33; AS 22; B 22; C 15. Side prices: Ungraded eggs, AL 38; AM 35; AS 22; B 20; C 15. Morell prices: Ungraded eggs, AL 36; AM 33; AS 22; B 22; C 15. Just a reminder to operators and graders: All A Grade eggs should be packed in well constructed new dry cases and new trays. B's and C's may be packed in used cases, providing all old markings are removed and new trays used.

DAIRYING The price of creamery butter was steady and unchanged on the Halifax and St. John markets during the past week. Sales seem to be satisfactory in volume, and the out-of-storage movement is quite heavy in the Maritimes at the present time. The wholesale price in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick with local jobbing 65c delivered. The local jobbing price in this Province is 85c delivered, and the wholesale price is that of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick less freight and handling charges.

Montreal butter current receipts 61c, wholesale 61½c-61¾c. Toronto butter 61c.

For the week ending February 26th there were 39,566 pounds of butter made in this Province, compared with 46,115 pounds for the same week last year; a decrease of 6,549 pounds, or 14.2%. Our manufacture is much lower than the provincial requirements now.

LIVESTOCK In Montreal the cattle offerings were light, and the trade was quite active. Good and choice steers brought 20.00 to 21.00; mixed medium and good 19.00 to 19.50; Medium 17.00 to 18.00; Common down to 13.00. Good beef type cows 13.00 to 13.50, and good dairy type 12.00 to 13.00. Good bulls 13.00 to 13.50.

Quotations on our Maritime markets show hogs up 75c, sows up \$1.00 at both Moncton and Charlottetown.

Hogs at Moncton: Grade A 25-75; B 24.75; No. 1 sows 19.00; No. 2 sows 18.00; hot dressed weight delivered.

Hogs at Charlottetown: Grade A 24.75; B 24.75; No. 1 sows 18.00; No. 2 sows 17.00; F.O.B. country points. Cattle at Moncton: Delivered to

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Transplant Glands

AUCKLAND, N. Z. (Reuters) — A 36-year-old Auckland woman, who three weeks ago could neither write nor feed herself and was bedridden, is recovering after glands from a dead baby were grafted into her body.

Her condition followed a thyroid operation in 1947.

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