

The Unlatched Door

CHAPTER NINETEEN Continued

"Did you believe this—tale?" Inspector Kenway gave vent to an exasperated grunt. He sat for a moment frowning at Martin while the fingers of one hand beat an irritable tattoo on his knee.

"I was inclined to when I came here," he said finally. "It all seemed to hang together then but, since you deny having received that packet—" He paused with an expectant look as if hoping that Martin might even now retract his denial, but Martin shook his head.

"Good afternoon, Miss Calendar." That was all. Then he turned his back on her and walked towards the door with Martin escorting him. Barbara watched incredulously, unable to believe he was really going without having torn her secret from her. But there was no doubt about it, Martin was opening the door. He paused with his hand on the knob to say, in a voice which Barbara never remembered to have heard him use before:

"What about the other part of this yellow Milver's story, Inspector—that about being knocked down by a man he can't identify? Have you any confirmation of that?"

Stresses Value Of Grass Silage

At each Field Day, last week, Mr. R. C. Parent, Superintendent, Experimental Station, Charlottetown, discussed the question of grass silage. In opening his remarks, Mr. Parent stated that the economy of the province has always been closely tied up with livestock farming and with the dairy cow in particular and he could see no reason why this should not continue in the future as the dairy cow is by far the most efficient of the farm animals in production of food for human consumption.

In order to compete with other products and substitutes for dairy products, it would be necessary for the farmer to pay more attention to breeding and weeding, labor-saving devices in barn arrangement and feeding.

In feeding, grass silage is a very important factor and the use of this product is becoming more popular each year. Perhaps its most important value is that it enables the farmer to cut a portion of his best hay and clover for silage and in this way, he obtains not only a high quality feed, rich in protein and vitamins, but the early cutting of the hay permits a very good aftermath to grow which later gives excellent pasture when the normal pastures are dry.

Most Important Clover

In discussing the question of grass silage and hay in general, Mr. Parent pointed out that Alfalfa was possibly the greatest and most important clover for Prince Edward Island. Alfalfa is gradually becoming firmly established on many farms in Prince Edward Island and there is no real reason why it should not become more commonly grown.

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Canadian Officer Would Streamline Regimental System

OTTAWA, Aug. 19.—(CP)—A defence headquarters officer has found serious fault with one of the army's sacred cows—the regimental system as it now stands and has stood for years.

In effect Capt. J. L. Hunter says the army has too many regiments for its own good and that the time has come for complete examination and reorganization of this regimental system which is the foundation of the whole army structure.

His views, described as his own and "not necessarily those of army headquarters," are published in the latest issue of the official Canadian army journal. Officials said today there is no move on foot to do what he proposes.

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C. C. F. Manifesto Announced In New Brunswick

FREDERICTON, Aug. 19.—(CP)—In a 12-point manifesto announced here for the New Brunswick general election Sept. 22, the New Brunswick section of the C. C. F. Party pledged the following program:

- 1. Introduction of the federal type of election ballot and division of counties into single member ridings.
2. Gradual elimination of the provincial sales tax and immediate modification of it through further exemptions of necessities.
3. Building and maintenance of highways by the Provincial Department of Public Works rather than by private contractors.
4. Increased support and encouragement to agricultural co-operatives and other farmers' organizations.
5. Speedy certification of trade unions with a 51 per cent or more membership; strengthening of present fair employment regulations; wider coverage of the minimum wage act; inclusion of casual provincial government employees in unemployment insurance legislation, and increasing workmen's compensation to 75 per cent of wages.
6. A provincial plan for hospital care within the means of all residents.
7. A compulsory low cost automobile insurance plan operated by the government.
8. More effective reforestation and forest conservation.
9. Increased provincial government responsibility in the educational field, to assist municipalities, and efforts to obtain additional federal assistance.
10. Development of industry and natural resources through crown, co-operative and private companies.
11. A bill of rights patterned on the United Nations declaration of human rights.
12. A democratic socialist government holding freedom as its first principle.

STANHOPE W. I.

Mrs. Alvin MacLaughlin was hostess to the members of the Stanhope W. I. on the 5th of August. The president opened the meeting by having the collect repeated in unison. Twelve members answered the roll call with a "cheerful thought". There was one visitor present. The minutes of the last meeting were read, approved and signed.

The sick committee gave their report and new committees were appointed as follows: Sick, Mrs. Roy Carr and Mrs. MacAulay; lunch, Mrs. Roy Carr and Mrs. Bruce Ellis; school, Mrs. Pat Morgan.

Correspondence was read and discussed. A number of "thank you's" were received for cards sent to sick and bereaved families, also a thank-you card for school prize. Mrs. Howard Ling invited members to her home for next meeting, when roll call is to be answered with a proverb. Mrs. Howard Ling gave a report from orphanage annual meeting, while Mrs. Melvin MacLeod and Mrs. Foster Sellar reported for the annual convention.

Beautiful Prince Edward Island

I know a place where the sun is like gold And flowers are blooming so gay, Where God's loving hand His beauties unfold And spreads them in gorgeous array.

Where the rippling grain resembles the waves Of the Strait of Northumberland, When from the Abegweit's deck I anxiously gaze And rejoice at the sight of its radiant strand.

NEW GLASGOW W. I.

The regular monthly meeting of New Glasgow Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Harland Hill on Friday evening, August 17. The president opened the meeting by reading a poem, followed by the Ode and Creed.

ENFIELD, Middlesex, England.—(CP)—At a public cooking demonstration 80 women watched a year-old Ian Emslie feather-ice a Victoria sponge he had baked. Ian wants to be a chef.

New Price Index Uses More Items In Broader List

OTTAWA, Aug. 19.—(CP)—A rising Canadian standard of living, now the second-highest in the world, is giving Federal statisticians plenty of work. The new consumer price index is an example. When it's finally completed and brought into use this fall, it will contain 65 more items than the old cost-of-living index which is to disappear completely early next year. The new index will cover 235 items.

Bureau of Statistics men who have been working on the new retail price barometer say the expansion in the number of items covered is both a general reflection of Canada's higher living standards and the Bureau's drive for a more comprehensive price gauge.

Fuel Oil Added

Fuel oil for heating is just one of the many new items to be included in the batch of goods for monthly survey on price changes. Liquor is another. Home ownership is a third, for Canadians are more and more buying their own homes instead of paying rent.

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to the Village Service Act, 1950, I will on the 17th day of September 1952, A.D., at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon make application to the Stipendiary Magistrate for the County of Queen's, at his Court Room in the Law Courts Building in Charlottetown, for judgment against each and all the lands above described for the respective amounts above mentioned, and then unpaid, and also for judgment against the respective parties above named for the amounts above mentioned as due by them respectively in respect to Poll Taxes or tax on real or personal property or other tax or any or all of such taxes, and then unpaid, and proceed upon such judgment as by law directed, and unless cause to the contrary be shown on the making of such application at the time and place aforesaid.

are not much changed from pre-war days. Higher living standards mean greater consumption of food, better home furnishings and less drudgery, but housewives, at the same time are shopping at the same stores and investing heavily in the usual standard items.

Changes in the way the family dollar was spent went into calculating how the new index would be constructed. As a result, the new index will show that the average family is spending 32 cents of its dollar for food, up from 31 cents in the current cost-of-living index.

VALUABLE EXPORT About 95 per cent of Canada's asbestos production is exported, with the biggest amount going to the United States.

Winner BROWN'S BISCUITS Moncton, N.B. are pleased to announce that MRS. NELSON PAYNTER, Kensington, P.E.I. was the winner of the 4-lb. Carton of Fancy Assorted Biscuits, in our weekly drawing, August 16th. Mrs. Paynter will also be eligible in our Monthly drawing for the choice of Prizes.

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FORM 22

List of Defaulting Ratepayers Village of Parkdale

Table with 5 columns: Name of Assessed, Residence as far as known, Street on which Property is situated, Amount of Taxes due on Real Estate. Lists names like Arbing, Gordon; Beer, George F.; Bell, Clyde; etc.

Anticipate Historic Event August 20

CAIRO, Aug. 19.—(AP)—What will happen Aug. 20, 1953? Will that day mark the beginning of the third World War? An earthquake which will ravage half the world? The death of Stalin? The re-appearance of Hitler?

Regional Regiments

Capt. Hunter's proposal is to create from four to seven regional regiments for the whole army, reserve and active together—the Royal East Canada Regiment and the Royal West Canada Regiment.

Clear Maj. D'Artois In Shooting Case

OTTAWA, Aug. 19.—(CP)—Army headquarters said Monday it has concurred in a court of inquiry decision clearing Maj. Guy D'Artois of all blame in the July 1 shooting of one of his men in Korea.

Take The Word of a Man That Owns One...

Coventry Diesel Marine Engine Gives Outstanding Performance in Alberton Fishing Boat

For the first time in over fifteen years an Alberton fishing boat is being equipped to drag scallops on a recently discovered scallop bed about half way between Miramichi and Shipogon, N.B.

This DIESEL MARINE ENGINE purchased by Mr. Philip Kinch is SOLD AND SERVICED by A. Pickard Machinery Ltd. Malpeque Road

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Mr. Philip Kinch sailed his new boat, which is equipped with a Coventry Diesel Engine, for the first time on Monday, August 18th, on a scallop fishing trip to the Miramichi and Shipogon area.

It had been thought previously at headquarters that it might be necessary to place a formal charge of manslaughter against Maj. D'Artois simply to clear the air and to clear his records. It has been decided this is unnecessary, a spokesman said today.

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