

ATTENTION HOG PRODUCERS

FOR HIGHEST RETURNS AND PROMPT, EFFICIENT SERVICE, SHIP YOUR HOGS AND OTHER LIVESTOCK THROUGH OUR TRUCKERS EVERY WEEK. YOU ARE INVITED TO VISIT THE LOCAL PLANT AND SEE YOUR HOGS BEING KILLED, WEIGHED AND GRADED.

TRUCKER/AGENT LOADING DAY

Table listing truckers and their loading days for various locations like Kinkora, Lower Bedeque, Fernwood & Chelton, etc.

We will pay any farmer truckage on his own hogs delivered to our pens on Grafton Street provided there is no advertised trucker in that area.

WHY NOT PATRONIZE THE CHARLOTTETOWN PLANT? AN INDUSTRY ON PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND, GIVING EMPLOYMENT TO ISLAND PEOPLE, AND OPERATED IN THE BEST INTERESTS OF OUR LIVESTOCK PRODUCERS.

CANADA PACKERS LIMITED CHARLOTTETOWN P. E. I.

BIG SUPPLY POWER POTENTIAL Extensive deposits of rock salt near Cracow in Poland have been worked continuously since the 13th century.

A Feature for Every Friday Among The Farmers Federation Of Agriculture News

The Homemade Tractor

One machine that seems to have almost completely disappeared is the tractor that was made by converting an old car or truck into a power unit for farm work.

Queen's County Meeting

In spite of muddy roads, rural Queen's County was well represented at the annual meeting of the Federation. The meeting did not show the same unanimity as the Montague one on the question of organizing the Federation into groups of districts.

There was also a feeling that some unit would also be desirable and necessary in the school districts, if the grouping of districts was to be successful. The discussion on Electoral Reform was a lively one and proved that those present were in favor of the Election Act being revised and brought up to date in an attempt to promote fair and more democratic elections.

While a vote was taken on the question of property voting it did appear that this practice was in the opinion of the meeting, the prime cause of much dissatisfaction and hard feeling on Election Day.

Horse Meat We never ate a horse and we hope we never do; the meat may be fine but from the standpoint of those who look upon the horse as one of man's best friends it would appear to be the initial step in eventually consuming the dog, the cat, and finally one another.

Immigration The large number of European people that have moved into

Canada either as displaced persons or immigrants cannot fail to have a marked effect on both the economy and culture of the country.

While there are those who look upon the immigrant as a competitor rather than as a potential producer and customer, we feel that most citizens believe our new Canadians are necessary and are making a valuable contribution.

Immigrants willing to accept employment on farms have a high priority and in quite a number of cases have represented themselves as having farm experience in order to gain admission to the country.

The farmer has been the largest employer of immigrant labor and has, therefore, had to undertake a major share of the responsibility in teaching our language and acquainting his employees with our customs and methods of work.

Satisfactory and harmonious relations between employer and immigrant depend to a large extent on the patience and understanding of the farmer who should recognize the fact that the new citizen for the first few weeks or

months, goes through a very trying emotional adjustment.

Egg Prices

Poultrymen with pullets just coming into heavy production will not be inclined to view with complacency the fifteen cent drop taking place in the last few days.

Provided that the present reduction carries through to the consumer, consumption should be stimulated and eventually result in a strengthening of the price to the advantage of those who store eggs at today's prices.

The National Poultry Committee of the Federation of Agriculture which met in Ottawa in August to consider the establishment of a National Poultry Marketing Board, agreed that one of the most important powers for such a Board was authority to control the marketing of surplus egg production.

School Fairs

A number of Farm Forums have recently asked the question "What happened the School Fairs?" When School Fairs were a feature of our educational and rural life they certainly made a worthwhile contribution.

For many boys and girls, school fair day was the big day of the year, providing as it did an opportunity to share in healthy

competition, make the acquaintance of pupils from other districts, and obtain training in the actual organization of such an event.

Whether or not School Fairs are completely a thing of the past, or might be revived and carried on successfully providing some of the pitfalls were avoided, is a question which might be worth some study by rural people and educationalists.

The present hog grading regulations have been in effect for some years and suggestions for changes have been made by official circles for consideration by producers in the province who will be given an opportunity of studying suggested changes and passing their opinion on them.

We are inclined to wonder at times why a farmer must sell under so many grades while the consumer does not buy by grade at all. Any system of grading farm produce which does not carry through to the consumer gives rise to speculation on its real purpose and real value.

Suggestion It has been suggested that in this column an attempt might be made to outline the history, pur-

pose and set-up of the various organizations connected with agriculture in this province.

Possibly after the New Year this column.

an attempt will be made to gather the information and present it to our readers through this column.

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE



Large advertisement for Swift Canadian Co. Limited featuring the headline 'AN INVITATION' and 'LIVESTOCK PRODUCERS, DEALERS & TRUCKERS'. It includes details about a new livestock buying station on Belmont Street, a daily cash market for various livestock, and contact information for the company in Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island.