

Co-operation Makes Lasting Impression

MONTREAL, (CP)—The Earl of Airle, lord chamberlain to the Queen Mother and prominent British business man, said Monday the friendly co-operation between Can-

ada and the United States is one of the most forceful impressions a visitor retains after touring the two countries. "It is a pleasure to note this relationship," said the Earl who has just completed an extensive business trip across Canada and the United States. "It is most import-

ant in view of the present state of world affairs." Speaking of the forthcoming British Empire Games at Vancouver, the Earl said he regards them as an "important contribution" to inter-Commonwealth relations. The Countess of Airle accompanied the Earl. They are scheduled to sail from Montreal today.

Soil Conservation And Related Problems

Excerpts from a Report by the Prince Edward Island Branch of the Agricultural Institute of Canada.

FARM WOODLOTS

The Dominion Census of 1951 shows that 346,191 acres, on occupied farms in Prince Edward Island, are classed as woodland. The addition of woodland on farms that have been abandoned or are not occupied at present would probably bring the total to 350,000 acres. While it is true that, owing to the nature of the soil, part of this land will never produce anything but scrubby growth, most of it is capable of growing valuable timber if the trees are given care and protection from fire and livestock. Though the total acreage has never been determined, there is a large amount of land which, if reforested, would add at least 50,000 acres of excellent woodland, and, in time produce a valuable crop of lumber, pulpwood and firewood. This land, at present, consists of "run-out back fields", bare hillsides unsuitable for agriculture, and abandoned farms on light, marginal soil.

Forest cover, apart from the revenue it may bring in, has a far-reaching effect the worth of which cannot be measured in dollars. It prevents erosion and gully-ing, especially on poor light land and steep slopes; it catches snow and holds it where it will melt slowly, be absorbed by the soil, help maintain the ground water level and feed the springs on which our brooks and streams depend. By keeping the snow from melting quickly during thaws in winter, it helps prevent heavy run-off and conserves water for useful purposes. It breaks the force of winter winds and provides much needed shelter for farm buildings. It gradually builds up organic matter in the soil. It has a definite scenic value and thus helps to attract tourists to our Province.

Reforestation

As a result of poor prices for some farm products, and an ever increasing demand for wood products, owners cut heavily into their woodlots during 1950 and 1951. For example, in a ten and one-half month period 85,000 cords of pulpwood, 30,000 cords of lumber, and 30,000 cords of firewood were cut. Realizing that the Island woodlots would soon be depleted unless this indiscriminate cutting was checked, the Provincial Government appointed two Graduate Foresters to head an educational campaign. Some work in reforestation has already been done.

As an additional measure the Provincial Government passed a "Forestry Act", the first of its kind in Canada dealing with privately owned woodland. Among other things, this act forbids the cutting or clearing of more than two acres of forest land, in any one year, without first obtaining a license from the Forestry Division of the Provincial Department of Natural Resources and Industry. Violation of regulations under this act are punishable by fine or imprisonment. It is hoped that this act may discourage the age-old practice of clear cutting, and thus sufficient trees will be left on a woodlot to ensure its future.

Managed Woodlots

Observing the rapid depletion of

defined compartments, rotational cutting is made possible, and each section is treated as a rotational farm crop. General administration includes the establishment of suitable roads, slash disposal and

guarding against fire, insects and disease. Defective, dead, diseased and mature trees, as well as unprofitable species, are removed by the owner. A reforestation project was be-

gin at the Alliston Illustration Station where four acres of marginal light land was planted with red pine, some of which have reached a height of six feet in the short period of six years.

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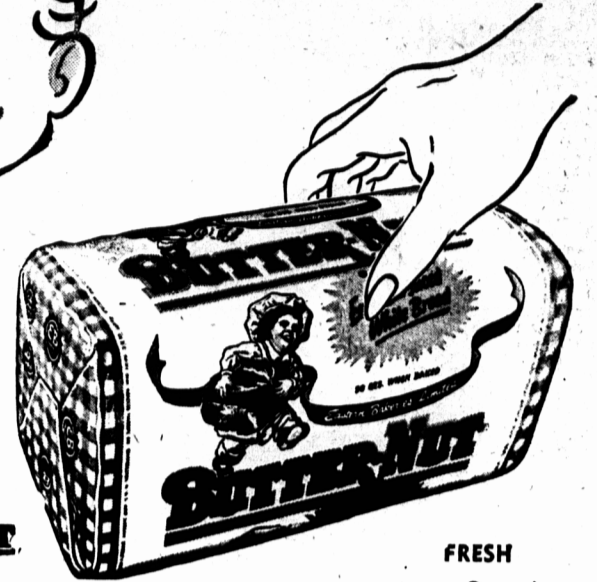
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