

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

Views of Members

Our invitation to farmers to express their views on organization matters has been accepted by one member. The letter is pointed and frank and certainly does not mince words.

Thank you for this opportunity of having my views on Federation matters published in your Federation news column. I sincerely hope that all farmers will take advantage of this opportunity and express their criticisms and opinions regarding the reasons for the Federation. I am taking for granted, of course, that the letters signed by those with only official status are to be published.

I cannot understand why any common-sense farmer refused to join the Federation for Ontario. I am hoping that a few of the members who are not taking advantage of this opportunity will take advantage of my invitation and inform me through this column their reasons for not being a paid-up member and booster.

I have little respect for any farmer who will not contribute his fair share willingly, and even less respect for those who go to the extreme—which is, attempting to justify the cheapness of having taken something for nothing—by knocking and discrediting their neighbours' organization through which they themselves have benefited.

What sort of reasoning can my neighbour boast of who takes advantage of the many benefits made possible by a neighbour's enterprise in financing and organizing a Federation that has been the means of bringing millions of dollars to P.E.I., and all the while never contributing a single cent to his just share.

Common sense would warn such a farmer that should the Federation (or Union) of Agriculture close-out, that the one replacing it will, without doubt, be operated by a group set-up by the Government. Common sense also warns us that our present \$300 yearly dues would be laughable to such a group.

To those of you who are not members I repeat—There are some so blind as not to see as deaf as those who do not wish to hear. It is not because you have not benefited hundreds of dollars in receipts in excess of your \$8 yearly dues that you refused to pay, but because you are not made to pay your share by some force which would, in the future, be a law of our province or indirect taxation.

Although I have supported Farm Organizations in the past that depended on voluntary dues as a means of financing, I am growing tired of carrying slackers and would welcome a system that will compel those slackers to carry their own weight.

Col. Keith Rogers Memorial Award

QUEBEC, (CP)—Robert Hosie of CKQM, Saskatoon, said Tuesday he regarded as a high honor award of the Col. Keith Rogers memorial to a member of his radio station staff.

The award, in memorial of the late Col. Rogers of Charlottetown, a pioneer in the technical advance made Tuesday night during the annual dinner of the 29th annual meeting of the Canadian Association of Radio and Television Broadcasters to William D. Forst "in recognition of his pioneering efforts in the field of unattended operation of broadcast transmitters."

Mr. Hosie who received the award on behalf of Mr. Forst said the development permits operation of transmitters on an almost automatic basis.

Col. Rogers built and operated Canada's first military portable telegraph set at Petawawa, Ont. In 1920 he constructed the first radio telephone on Prince Edward Island and was granted the first commercial radio license in eastern Canada in 1924 for station CFCY at Charlottetown.

He died Jan. 21 last while planning the establishment of Prince Edward Island's first television station.

Col. Rogers was a past president of CARTB and a director of Broadcast News.

war comes, the calamity is worldwide. Under these conditions John Farmer, as an individual is helpless. His only chance of survival is to get together with all the other farmers, both to seek ways of perfecting the economic machine and to protect his rights. Organization—getting together—is the farmer's only hope.

Potato Plebiscite

The brief presented to the Legislature last week announced the Federation's intention to request the holding of a plebiscite on the potato marketing scheme. The Potato Board has been operating for four crop years and has, during the past year, found it necessary to assume more and more control over marketing, for the most part this increased control has been made necessary by the agreement with Federal authorities.

No definite decision has been arrived at as to the time of the plebiscite or the method of conducting it but it is probable that within the near future these matters will be decided and the information released.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Sgt. James Hayer M.M. and bar, veteran of World War I, who departed this life on March 26th, 1951.

Always remembered by, Edith, Ruth and Betty Lou.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my grandfather, Thomas Cole, who passed away March 26th, 1950.

His smiling way and pleasant face Are a pleasure to recall He had a kindly word for each And died beloved by all.

Lovingly remembered by Oliver and Annie.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my father, Thomas H. Cole, who passed away March 26th, 1950.

This month recalls sad memories Of a loved one gone to rest And those who think of you today Are those who loved you best.

Always remembered by daughter Ella.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Mother and Grandmother, Mrs. John D. MacPherson, March 25th, 1948.

Those we love go out of sight But never out of mind They are cherished in the hearts Of those they leave behind.

Sadie, Billy and Family.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our Mother, Mrs. Ham MacLennan, who passed away on March 26th, 1951 and our Mother, Mrs. S. Lane Boswell who passed away March 4th, 1947.

They say time heals all sorrow, And helps us to forget, But time has only meant to us, How much we miss them yet.

The old home is now broken, And forever there we used to roam, For the hands that rest forever, Are the hands that made our home.

Always Remembered by Son, Charlie.

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ST. JOHN'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, BELFAST, Sunday Mar. 28th. Service 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. Rev. J. E. Heathwood, Minister.

TRYON UNITED CHURCH, Sunday, March 28th. Tryon 11 a.m.; Cape Traverse 3 p.m.; Crapaud 7:30 p.m. Rev. Lloyd Archer, Minister.

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NORTH RIVER UNITED BAPTIST PASTORATE — Sunday, March 28th. Fairview 11:00 a.m.; North River 3:00 p.m.; Long Creek 7:30 p.m. Rev. H. Barber, Pastor.

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CORNWALL UNITED CHURCH — Rev. A. S. Weir, Minister. Services March 28th. Will be as follows: Kingston at 3:00 p.m.; Cornwall at 7:30 p.m.; New Dominion service has been cancelled for the day. Cornwall Sunday School at 11:00 a.m.

MURRAY HARBOUR PASTORAL CHARGE — The United Church of Canada. Services Sunday, March 28th. 11 a.m. Murray River; 2 p.m. Little Sands; 7:30 p.m. Murray Harbour. Sermon: "Human Nature Can be Changed." Rev. D. Wallace MacPherson, Minister.

SILVER MEDAL WINNER — Hampstead Dinah Star, a Jersey cow owned by J. H. Clark, New Wiltshire, P. E. I., has been recently honored by the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club. Star went on test as a junior 3 year old, and in 305 days produced 9,016 lbs. of milk, 523 lbs. of butterfat. For this outstanding performance, she has been awarded a Silver Medal certificate.

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CAVENDISH UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA — Services Sunday, March 28th. New Glasgow 11 a.m.; North Rustico 3 p.m.; Cavendish 7:30 p.m. Rev. F. W. Sawdon, Minister.

VERNON-ORWELL PASTORAL CHARGE — Sunday, March 28th. Orwell 11 a.m.; Eldon 2:30 p.m.; Vernon River 7:30 p.m. Rev. Geo. W. Tilley will conduct the services.

YORK PASTORAL CHARGE — The United Church of Canada. Minister, Rev. J. M. Sproule. 4th Sunday in Lent. March 28, 1954. 11:00 a.m. Central; 2:30 p.m. York; 7:30 p.m. Brackley.

SPECIAL — We have 300 English Bone China cups and saucers. Regular price \$1.50 for this sale 98cts. W. W. Wellner Ltd.

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HAMPTON PASTORAL CHARGE — The United Church of Canada. Services Sunday, March 28th. Victoria 11 a.m.; Hampton 3 p.m.; Bonshaw 7:30 p.m. Rev. R. H. Baxter, Minister.

BREADALBANE PASTORAL CHARGE — The United Church of Canada. Services Sunday, March 28th. Pleasant Valley 11 a.m. Mr. Samuel Gillespie, Speaker; Rose Valley 3 p.m.; conducted by Y. P. U. Rev. W. B. MacPhail, Minister.

WINSLOE PASTORAL CHARGE — The United Church of Canada. Services Sunday, March 28, are as follows. Highfield 11 a.m.; Winsloe N. 3 p.m.; Winsloe South 7:30. All are Welcome, Heber H. Hardy, Presby. Supply.

MARSHFIELD PASTORAL CHARGE — The Presbyterian Church in Canada. Sunday, March 28th. 11 a.m. Mount Stewart; 3 p.m. Marshfield; 7:30 p.m. Harrington. Rev. Lee M. MacNaughton, B.A., Minister.

TRYON-BONSHAW BAPTIST PASTORATE — Rev. Ernest J. Barras, Minister. Services for Sunday, March 28th. 11:00 a.m. Bonshaw; 3:00 p.m. Westmoreland; 7:30 p.m. Tryon. All Welcome.

ST. PETER'S BAY PASTORAL CHARGE — The United Church of Canada. Services for Sunday, March 28th. 11:00 a.m. at Marle; 2:30 p.m. at Greenwich; 7:30 p.m. at St. Peter's. Rev. Russell A. MacLeod, Minister.

ENGAGEMENT — Mr. and Mrs. Aeneas A. MacKinnon, Pisquid wish to announce the engagement of their second-eldest daughter, Eileen Anne, to Carl Leonard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer MacDonald, Tracadie, P. E. I. Marriage to take place in St. Francis Church, Toronto, on May 1st.

SISTER DIES IN EDMONTON — Word was received yesterday morning of the sudden death of Sophia Charlotte Coles, wife of H. B. Wilton, in Edmonton, Alta. She is the sister of Mrs. George W. Hooper and Mrs. Roy Coles, both of Millton, P. E. I.

sail from Canada May 18 for a tour of the farms of England and Scotland. Selected from a group of 29 nominees representing counties and districts of the province they will make the trip under the auspices of the Ontario department of agriculture.

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