

## Among The Farmers

(Federation of Agriculture News)

### THE PEOPLE HAVE SPOKEN

The results of last week's plebiscite suggest that there was not the clear, strong ring of finality in the voice of the producer which gives strength in any democratic system.

Those who voted "Yes — Yes" we can understand; those who voted "No — No" we can also understand, certainly they were consistent; those who voted "Yes — No" were perhaps a bit puzzling. We would not say that such voters were inconsistent, more careful study of the issue involved might have produced a clear-cut opinion.

However it is clear that the majority of our producers see the necessity of having an authoritative body to act on behalf of the industry, the majority see in the board the possibility of effective work being done in advertising, promotion and in the raising of funds for disease control, and it may also be that in years of distress, the board will be looked to for the development of assistance programs which may also involve fairly complete control of marketing.

The plebiscite indicates that the idea of one desk selling and pooling of returns was not distasteful to as many growers as the opponents were suggesting. Statements had been made to the effect that 80 per cent of the growers opposed central selling, if this were ever the case then certainly a rapid change of opinion must have taken place.

### MEET THE COW

The cow is a mobile, armored machine housed in unprocessed leather. On one end it is equipped with a mower, grinder, and other standard equipment in a bumper, headlights, wing flaps and fenders. At the other end there is a milk dispenser, a fertilizer spreader, and an insect repeller. Centrally located is a combination storage and fermentation vat, three converters in series, and an intricate arrangement of conveyor tubes. The other end includes a device for self-reproduction at yearly intervals and a central pumping system. The machine is mysterious and secret, but unpatented, and is available in various colors, sizes and qualities, ranging from one to twenty tons of milk production yearly at prices ranging from fifty dollars up.

### THE FEDERATION RECOMMENDS

As the result of a meeting of the Board of Directors held Monday evening, the Federation board is recommending that the Potato Marketing Scheme be amended to provide for three producers from each County, for nine men board in place of the present ten.

It is further suggested that the Potato Board will, at frequent intervals as considered necessary, release information which will give the farmer definite information as to what should actually be received for potatoes in a given period.

### COUNTRY MEETINGS

Towards the last of November and early in December the regular annual County meetings of the Federation will take place. Such meetings provide members with the opportunity of making known public opinion on any or all questions affecting Agriculture. It is possible that farmers may be interested in making recommendations as to the best policy for the Potato Board to pursue.

It will likely be possible by this time next week to announce the exact date and location of the three meetings.

### NEW HEADQUARTERS

LONDON (CP) — Airways House, present headquarters of British Overseas Airways Corporation, has been sold for a reported £750,000. New headquarters will be at London airport.

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TRYON UNITED CHURCHES—Sunday, November 21st, Tryon 11.00 a. m. Cape Traverse 3 p. m. Crapaud 7.30 p. m. Rev. Lloyd Archer.

BREADALBANE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Services Sunday, November 21st, at 11 a. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m. All are welcome. Goodwill MacDougall, Student Minister.

BATTERY SPECIALS. Regular Auto-Lite 17-plate battery \$28.95, today's special Auto-Lite Vitez battery 17-plate \$15.95 with old battery. Batt & MacRae.

MARSHFIELD PASTORAL CHARGE.—The Presbyterian Church in Canada, Sunday, November 21st, Mount Stewart 11 a. m. Marshfield 3 p. m. Harrington 7.30 p. m. Rev. Lee M. MacNaughton, B. A., Minister.

COVEHEAD CHARGE.—United Church of Canada, Services Sunday, November 21st, Stanhope 11.00 a. m. W. Covehead 3 p. m. Covehead Road 7.30 p. m. Rev. Norman R. Green.

TRYON-BONSHAW BAPTIST PASTORATE.—Dr. Ernest J. Barra, Minister. Services for Sunday, November 21st, 11.00 a. m. at Westmoreland, 3.00 p. m. Tryon, 7.30 p. m. Bonshaw, Sunday Schools 10.00 a. m. at Westmoreland, 1.45 p. m. at Tryon. All welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA. Schedule for Sunday, November 21st, Wood Islands 11.00 a. m. Caledonia 3 p. m. Murray Harbour South. Communion Service 7.30 p. m. Minister, Rev. E. S. Hales.

CAVENDISH UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA.—Services Sunday, November 21st, Cavendish 11 a. m. Stanley Bridge 3 p. m. New Glasgow 7.30 p. m. Rev. J. E. Cotton of Northport, N. S., will be the preacher at these services. Rev. F. W. Sawdon, Minister.

NURSES' MEETING.—The Charlottetown District of the Association of Nurses of Prince Edward Island will meet on Monday, November 22nd, 7.45 p. m. at Red Cross House. Interesting program arranged. "Scattered Showers" will be presented by Little Theatre members.

CRAPAUD AND SPRINGFIELD PARISHES.—Services for Sunday, November 21st, Sunday next before Advent. St. John's Church, Crapaud, 10.15 a. m. Holy Baptism, 11.00 a. m. Holy Communion, St. Elizabeth's Church, Springfield, 7.30 p. m. Evening Prayer. Rev. George R. F. Ebsary, Rector.

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POWNAI UNITED PASTORAL CHARGE.—Services Sunday, November 21st, Millview at 11 a. m. Pownal at 7 p. m. Rev. T. R. Gouge, Pastor.

ALEXANDRA-HAZELBROOK — CROSS ROADS.—Services for Sunday, November 21st, Alexandra 11 a. m. Hazelbrook 3 p. m. Cross Roads 7.30 p. m. All are welcome to these services. Rev. A. E. Armstrong, Minister.

ST. JOHN'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Belfast.—Sunday, November 21st, 11 a. m. Morning Service, 7 p. m. Evening Service. Rev. J. E. Heathwood, M. A., Minister.

YORK PASTORAL CHARGE.—The United Church of Canada, Minister: Rev. J. M. Sproule Sunday, November 21st, 11.00 a. m. York, 2.30 p. m. Brackley, 7.30 p. m. Central.

ORWELL — VERNON UNITED CHURCH.—Rev. John M. Sheen, Minister. Orwell 11 a. m. Cherry Valley 2.30 p. m. Vernon River 7.30 p. m.

HAMPTON PASTORAL CHARGE.—The United Church of Canada, Services Sunday, November 21st, Hampton 11 a. m. with Communion. Appin Road 3 p. m. Victoria 7.30 p. m. Rev. R. H. Baxter, Minister.

CORNWALL UNITED CHURCH. Rev. A. S. Weil, D. D., Minister. Services November 21st will be as follows: Communion at New Dominion at 11.00 a. m. Communion at Kingston at 3.00 p. m. Regular service at Cornwall at 7.30 p. m. Cornwall Sunday School at 11.00 a. m.

TENDERED SHOWER — Mauve and yellow were the colors chosen for the decorating theme by friends of Miss Blanche MacLeod, who tendered her a pre-nuptial shower at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James B. MacLeod, Irish-Low on November 11, to the strains of nuptial music played by Mrs. George MacLeod, the bride was escorted to the seat of honor by Mrs. Elton Sharpe. A gaily decorated baby carriage well filled with parcels, was wheeled in by Doreen Adams and Donna MacLeod. Cutting the ribbons were Miss Rona Paynter and Miss Gloria Heaney, while the names and good wishes were read by Mrs. Harold MacLeod. The many lovely gifts were arranged by Mrs. Layton Profit and Mrs. Willard Stewart. Lunch was served and a social hour enjoyed. Bur.

Ruhamah Scheinfeld Frank

## We and Our Neighbors

THE GAME AND THE CANDLE

Congratulations! The reign of the undecorable comic magazine is approaching the zero hour! On this side of the Atlantic comic publishers are promising to be good and cut out all objectionable features. And in England where it seems the same type of vicious comics flourished, the biggest publisher of comics is shutting up shop altogether. "The game is no longer worth the candle," he said last week.

And it isn't censorship that is bringing about the collapse of this unsavory form of Big Business. (In the United States alone about fifty million comic magazines are sold on the newsstands every month.) It is organized public

opinion. And though it may be slower, isn't that the democratic way to correct abuses? It will take plenty of further effort on the part of parents and others interested in young people, to do a thorough job on the comics. It may be, however, that Johnny and Mary now cooling in their cribs will learn to read without spelling out the gory details in big brother's comic magazines.

But the fascination of the comics for our children can give valuable clues to their basic reading interests. Human beings have been interested in stories told with picture long before printing was invented. We find picture strips in

the ruins of the early Egyptians and the cave dwellers. The worst of the comics are the crime and horror stories that cater to the unwholesome curiosity of adolescents and adults. The children's comics are not quite as bad but range from the well-written and imaginative to the ungrammatical, stupid and vicious.

But good or bad, the comics are filled with action — and that is their greatest appeal to young people. Things happen as fast and furiously and with as little subtlety as the pie-planting and cop-chasing of the silent movies. And as in those movies, the villain is un-

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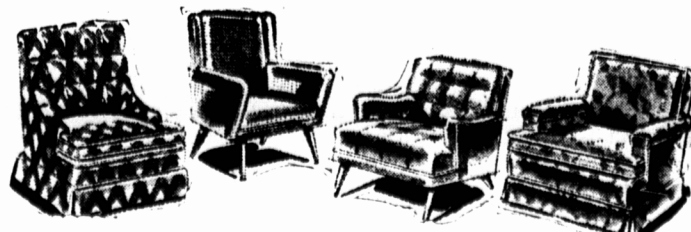
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