

PROBE PRICE OF FARM IMPLEMENTS

(By Guardian's Special Wire) OTTAWA, May 12.—Three experts of the Bureau of Statistics presented briefs to the House committee on agriculture today providing data to assist the committee in reaching a decision on whether farm implements cost too much in Canada.

One of the outstanding opinions expressed today was that of J. B. Rutherford of the agricultural branch of the Bureau of Statistics. He produced charts to show that when depression hit the world, the farmers kept on producing at about the same rate as heretofore.

On the other hand secondary industries such as the farm machinery manufacturers cut their production drastically but at first made comparatively narrow reductions in price.

W. H. Losee, head of the mining and metallurgical branch of the bureau presented a brief showing the falling off in production of farm implement manufacturers since the depression. In 1920 there were 32 plants each with an annual output of more than \$250,000.

GO TO OLYMPICS

WELLINGTON, N. Z. — New Zealand's Olympic team has been increased to seven by the addition of C. R. Giles, cyclist, and V. P. Boot, track star.

BIRTHS

MACLEAN—At Summerside, Monday, May 4, 1936, to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. MacLean, a son, Arnold Edgar.

DEATHS

DRAKE—At Cornwall on Monday, May 11, 1936, Mrs. Samuel Drake, aged 78 years, funeral from her late residence on Wednesday May 13th, service starting at 2 o'clock.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Everett Birt, Malpeque, drowned May 13, 1935. One sad year has rolled around, but still the vacant chair.

Card of Thanks

Mr. J. Eric MacMurdo wishes to thank his many friends and neighbors for their kind messages of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes received during his recent bereavement.

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We wish to sincerely thank all those who sent messages of sympathy, Mass Cards, flowers, etc. Also our good neighbors and friends who assisted us during our recent sad bereavement.

N. D. MacLean

REMARKS: The six year old gelding, owned by T. S. Cochenour of Hamilton, graduated from a maiden in 1932 and did not enter the winner's paddock again until last summer.

The Central Guardian

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13 3.15 P. M.—Cubs—Social Hall. 7.30 P. M.—Mid - week Service—Hearts Hall.

CONFEDERATION LIFE INSURANCE

GUIDE CONCERT St. James Hall Thursday night at 7.30. L-4754

SEE THE "PUPPET SHOW"

At Saint James Hall Thursday night. Admission 25 cents. L-4754

GENEROUS BEQUEST

The generous bequest of \$350.00 has been left by the late Senator John MacLean, Souris, to the Provincial Sanatorium.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

The Prince of Wales Commencement exercise this year will be held on May 29th.

AUXILIARY MEETING

The Evening Auxiliary of Trinity United Church held its May meeting last evening and continued the study of Africa.

ARRESTED FOR SHIP LIFTING

A young man was placed under arrest by the City Police yesterday and will appear in court today on a charge of shop-lifting.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ambrose Duncan of Charlottetown announce the engagement of their daughter, Edna Pricella, to Mr. Arthur Donald Scaman of Alberton, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Scaman.

FERRY TO GO TO PICTOU

The new motor ferry-boat, Fairview, operating between Charlottetown and Rocky Point is to go to Pictou, N. S., next month to be copper-bottomed.

RESERVE BID

The Navy League property, situated on the Esplanade was put up by auction yesterday afternoon and after the bidding reached \$5,100 was withdrawn.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

At the meeting of the Charlottetown School Board Monday it was decided to close the schools for the midsummer vacation on Tuesday, June 30th and reopen on Tuesday, September 8th, the day after Labor Day.

H-Y GRADS DANCE

The H-Y Grads Club held an enjoyable invitational dance at the Oddfellows Hall last evening. Over one hundred guest couples were present to enjoy the program dance sponsored by this popular organization.

DOUBLE BEREAVEMENT

Sincere sympathy will be extended to Mrs. E. H. Norton, 202 Prince Street, who only a week ago yesterday was called upon to mourn the death of her son Harry, in Crapaud, and who yesterday morning received news of the death of her sister, Mrs. Lester Hayden, formerly of Vernon River, who passed away in Calgary.

AT GYRO

There was a large attendance at the Gyro meeting Monday night, and a most interesting talk was given by Gyro Dr. Murchison, Medical Superintendent of Falconwood Hospital.

Personals

Mr. W. O. Davey, ex-Conductor, C. N. R. and Mrs. Davey, left yesterday morning on a visit to friends in Boston.

Mrs. Jane Bears of Alliston accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Bert MacDonald, Peter's Road, were visitors to Charlottetown yesterday.

Mr. James Matheson, Alliston was in Charlottetown on business yesterday.

Papalico Missing In Guineas Entry

(By The Canadian Press) TORONTO, May 12.—One familiar name in 1933, 1934, and 1935 King's Plate starters will be absent when the historic race is run over Woodbine Race track here May 23.

Trinity United Church

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Four Nurses Of P. E. I. Hospital

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Reading, "Fate of Mr. Jones", Miss Margery Hicks. Violin Solo (1) "Souvenir", Dordia; (2) "Romance", Svendsen, Mr. Harry Gomez.

VALEDICTORY ADDRESS

The following was the text of the valedictory address delivered by Miss Anna Bennett: "Your Honor, Your Worship, Mr. Chairman, Members of the Medical and Nursing Staffs, Classmates, Ladies and Gentlemen,—

"We come before you tonight, another graduating class of the Prince Edward Island Hospital, and ask your kindly forbearance while for a few brief moments we endeavour to say a fitting farewell to you, our friends.

Three years ago the ambitions of earlier years were realized when, as probationers, we entered the training school of our alma mater, and how swiftly those years have passed, years with their memories of arduous work and study and sometimes bitter discouragement; but also years brightened by the appreciation and gratitude of the sick, and by the wise and sympathetic counsel of our beloved superiors.

"We believe that many causes have contributed to any success we may have achieved. For three years our lot has been cast in this beautiful city of Charlottetown, with its many opportunities for social and recreational activities, for mental and cultural development.

"Her life is one long example, for the graduating nurse. It was not gain that prompted her work, nor was it fame. From the sum of money subscribed as a memorial to the noble exertions of Miss Nightingale and her associates in the hospitals of the east; she founded the Nightingale training school for nurses at St. Thomas' Hospital in London.

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Study The Patient

"The human organism is very interesting when seen through the window of the laboratory and operating room, but of great interest to the nurse should be the human understanding. Each patient should be to you a book which you must study as well as possible. Through a thorough understanding of the individual, his or her likes and dislikes, habits and mental outlook, you will be able to render your best in the interests of the patient and physician.

Post-graduate Work Necessary

"Might I here suggest that every nurse should take a post-graduate course whenever the opportunity offers itself. In fact, will this fit you for special work when the occasion arises, but it will give you many advantages in private nursing. One can only do one's best when properly equipped, and training in observation, thinking and reading, will enable you to better perform your duties in whatever branch of the profession you may be engaged. This course may be selected in a branch of nursing in which you have found yourself particularly adapted.

"Each of you have a certain individuality, a personal charm, sometimes called a 'bedside manner.' This may be natural to some people

COMING

NEW GLASGOW ARTISTS MARITIME FESTIVAL PRIZE WINNERS TRINITY HALL, MAY 14, 8.15. Mary Benzie, David Lloyd, violinists.

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Her Excellency, Lady Tweedsmuir, who since her arrival in Canada has graciously consented to become the Honorary President of the Ottawa Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society, spoke last night in commendation of the work of the Canadian Red Cross Society, inaugurating the Publicity Period of the Annual Campaign conducted by this Society.

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QUARTERLY SESSION OF PRESBYTERY

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