

Deficiency Payments Can Be Dangerous

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DEFICIENCY PAYMENTS what is considered to be a desirable level for the producer and then giving an undertaking to make up the difference between that figure and what the market actually returns.

It is, of course, generally understood that the supporting of agricultural prices has generally been the responsibility of the Federal Government, this being the case prices are set on a national level and deficiency payments made when they are below the level of the country. From time to time there have been demands that deficiency payments should be made on a provincial or regional basis.

Some thought on this proposition will reveal two hidden dangers. For example if Alberta got into egg production in a very large way, it could dump its surplus in British Columbia at fire-sale prices and the Federal Government would then be expected to make up the difference. It is quite clear that chaotic conditions can develop. Quebec could also dump its butter into the Maritimes undermining our price structure and leaving the Federal Government holding the bag.

The second danger under a system of national support levels and regional deficiency payments would be to remove the incentive for farm producers to market to the best advantage and to, in addition, pretty well destroy the competitive spirit among the buyers.

The fact that no deficiency payment is to be made on 1965

The history of Rome during the period of its decline indicates quite clearly that Government policy was to provide bread to keep the mind of the individual of his personal problems and to provide circuses which would keep the collective mind off community and national issues. Holidays almost outnumbered working days and when "All were for the party and none were for the state" Rome fell. While it may be quite possible to be in error there are indications that Canada which is still a very young country, in fact, almost pioneer has far outstripped Rome in getting on the gravy train of welfare, cruises and long weekend holidays where the butcher takes place on the highway rather than in the arenas.

In capsule form our little province also follows the historical pattern particularly at election time. Political meetings which in years past provided a forum for the discussion of issues now like the form of leas, hootenannies and as a finale bring the most popular artists to entertain the already committed (in most

cases) voter. In settings such as these which would indeed be a very churlish fellow who would raise questions of policy and would even suggest that the deeper issues were being shoved into the background and masked by the persuasive artistry of Don Meyer and Cathy Mackinnon.

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Early in the week we noticed the first appearance of grain in its regular rows and delicate green. Certainly seeding is earlier this year and in some cases we understand grain has been in the ground for nearly a month. We would expect that last week would see a large acreage of grain sown and by the end of this one perhaps 75 per cent of that crop would be in the earth.

The potato spends considerable more time before appearing above ground but no doubt the early birds will be watching with some concern over possible ill effects from the squaw winter in the early days of May.

of life and interest, the trees are breaking forth in leaf, the meadows have greened with the promise of pastures and another hay crop. In parallel rows the newly appearing grain crop greens the fields and the long rows of the newly planted potatoes march on the fields.

Cattle are going to pasture for a season of warmth and sunlight after confinement, cold and darkness.

New insect life is appearing, the first lone bee hums by and in the trees the nesting birds have their morning and evening concerts, blackbirds and crows carry on their endless warfare in protection of the former's nests. More than any other bird perhaps the swallow has learned the art of defensive nesting, neither cat, crow or blackbird is able to prey upon it.

Admittedly the northern winter is difficult to enjoy but the contrast between it and early summer is one of nature's greatest miracles.

Ford Co. Officials Predict Strong Growth For Industry

NEW YORK (AP) — Officials of Ford Motor Co. predicted Wednesday a strong growth trend is ahead for the automobile industry.

The forecast was contained in a presentation at the annual conference of the Financial Analysts Federation by Henry Ford II, chairman; Arjay Miller, president; and J. Edward Lundy, vice-president.

They estimated 1966 passenger car sales, including imports, at 9,000,000, which would make the year's total second only to 1965.

"We are projecting a strong growth trend ahead," the executives said. "As in the past, sales will be above normal when the economy is especially strong (as has been in the last two years) and below normal in recession periods."

"Averaging the up years with the down, we project industry sales to increase at a trend rate of 3.4 per cent a year. This would mean normal levels of about 40,000,000 cars by 1970 and about 11,500,000 by 1975."

The officials said that on top of the growth projected in unit sales, they expect that there will be about eight-tenths of one per cent a year increase in expenditures a car. This, they said, will come from improvements in basic car features, more options and a richer mix of models.

For the coming five years, the Ford executives said they expect unit growth outside the United States to be at a rate of six per cent a year, tapering to four per cent in the following five years. This compares with the projected 3.4-per-cent rate in the United States for the 10-year period.

ONE DROP IS FATAL

There is no known antidote to the bite of the kokoi frog, the world's most deadly animal.

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SUMMERSIDE STORE
Monday thru Thursday 8:30 - 5:00
Friday 8:30 - 9:00
Saturday 8:30 - Noon

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LADIES' WEAR - - - Charlottetown

Quantity	Orig.	SALE
1 Hi Bulk Orton Coat, white, small	14.95	3.37
1 Wool Slims by Ricci, Olive Green, 10, 12, 16	12.95	6.77
1 Cotton top and short set, print, 12	8.98	2.97
1 Cotton blouses, yellow and white, 14	3.98	1.77
1 3/4 length sleeve, cotton blouse, 10	2.67	1.37
1 Boucle, cardigan blue, 61	5.98	1.87
1 Tweed coats, ass. colors and sizes	22.95	6.87
1 Wool tweed coats, brown and grey, 10 and 14	69.98	9.17
1 Wool cloth coats, red and brown, 6 and 10	39.95	6.17
1 Koret Suit, black, 16	44.95	5.97
1 Black and white wool suit, 14	29.95	8.87
1 Maternity Jumper, 12	10.95	2.27
1 Brocade suit, beige, 14 1/2	39.95	8.97
1 2 piece silk crepe, blue, 11	29.95	9.97
1 Wool jumpers, ass. colors, 8-16	14.98	3.97
1 Silk organza party dresses, pink, white and yellow, 13 and 15	29.95	6.67
1 Lace and crepe dress, dusty rose, 11	44.95	3.67
1 White uniform, 12	4.98	2.97
1 Sheer over taffeta dress, blue and green, 12, 14, 16	19.95	6.67
1 Handbag, white	7.95	1.87
1 Silk organza and lace dress, beige, 14	49.95	14.97
1 Two way stretch girdles, L and M	5.00	2.67
1 Lycra girdles, small	8.50	1.17
1 Nylon peignoir, blue, medium	8.93	2.67
1 Cotton Dusters, small	4.98	1.37
1 Assorted cordova and flannelette sleepwear	3.98	1.77
1 Flannelette jump suit, 32-38	6.98	3.17
1 Cotton Slips, 36	2.98	1.87
1 Nylon Slips, blue and black, assorted	3.98	1.97

FURNITURE - - - Charlottetown

Quantity	Orig.	SALE
1 Box Springs - single size	49.95	19.97
1 Box Spring - single size	59.50	13.27
1 Steel woodgrain full panel Bed, 4 ft., damaged	24.95	11.07
1 Trilium Runner, gold, 27 in. by 3 yds. 35 in.	25.85	16.97
1 Crib Mattress 28" x 52" vinyl, covering torn	12.95	7.97
1 21" Weekend Case, blue	29.95	13.27
1 Picture 15" x 38", grey frame	29.95	7.17
1 Mirror, Plate Glass, walnut and brass edging	34.95	16.47
1 Kitchen Chrome Suite, 5 piece black & white table 30" x 38" (no leaf)	59.95	26.67

LADIES' WEAR - - - Summerside

Quantity	Orig.	SALE
15 Pr. Nylon Gloves, assorted sizes	1.98	.87
18 Mantillas, black	2.98	1.27
47 Pcs. Jewellery, assorted	1.00	.27
1 Evening Bag, white	3.98	2.97
1 2pc. Dress, lace, green, size 9	19.95	6.87
1 Dress, wine, size 12	16.95	5.87
1 Dress, white, size 11/12	14.95	2.97
2 Crepe Dresses, 1-14, 1-15, blue, gold	34.95	6.67
2 Jackets, evening wear, gold, beige	19.95	6.67
2 Skirts, pink, white, small, large	6.98	2.67
1 Blazer, navy, size 10	34.95	11.17
5 Blouses, white, size 12, 14	1.97	.37
1 Coat, blue tweed, size 15/16	29.95	4.77
1 Coat, blue tweed, size 7	34.95	7.77
7 Girdles, white, M, L, XL	5.00	2.97
5 Corsets, color peach-1-28, 2-32, 2-38	9.00	5.97
5 Brassieres, ass't. sizes	2.97	1.31
6 Brassieres, ass't. sizes	3.49	1.37
1 pr. Baby Doll Pyjamas, pink and blue, S, L	3.97	2.97
1 pr. Bloomers, size XL, white	1.49	.47
12 Cotton Vests, ass't. sizes, white	.79	.27
1 Bedjacket, small, blue	4.98	1.07
2 Panty Girdles, navy, pink	12.50	3.77
3 Panty Girdles, white, size XL	10.00	3.97
4 Maternity Half Slips, medium, white	1.98	.87
3 Nylon Slips, pink and white, size 32	1.98	.77

BUILDING SUPPLIES - - - Summerside

Quantity	Orig.	SALE
1 2 1/4 x 6 1/2 x 1 1/2 Ribbon Stripe Door, slightly damaged	10.98	7.67
1 2 1/2 x 6 x 6 x 1 1/2 Rotary Cut Door, slightly damaged	7.98	5.37
1 2 1/2 x 6 x 6 x 1 1/2 Rotary Cut Door	7.98	5.57
1 1 1/2 x 6 1/2 x 1 1/2 Ribbon Stripe Door, slightly damaged	7.98	5.87
1 2 1/2 x 6 1/2 x 1 1/2 Douglas Fir Paint Grade Door, slightly damaged	15.98	11.17
3 Sheets Woodgrain Panelboard 1/4 x 4 x 8 Provincial Cherry, slightly damaged	7.40	3.97
1 Sheet 1/2 x 4 x 8 Sheetrock, slightly damaged	2.99	1.97
2 Sheets Prefinished Mahogany Plywood 3/16 x 4 x 8, slightly damaged	6.49	4.30
3 Sheets Luan Prefinished Plywood	6.49	2.97
1 Sheet Hacienda Woodgrain Panelboard 1/4 x 4 x 8	7.98	5.57
3 Sheets Prefinished Walnut Plywood 1/4 x 4 x 8	11.29	7.87

HOME FURNISHINGS - - - Charlottetown

5 1/2 yds. Grey Wool material	5.98	1.27
20 yds. Black and white striped cotton 36" wide	.69	.37
14 1/3 yds. Cotton Print	.98	.57
12 1/2 yds. Nursery prints 36" wide	.98	.27
10 1/2 yds. Yuletide Fabric 36" wide	1.19	.37
12 1/2 yds. Fruit of the Loom cotton red and green	1.49	.47
15 1/2 yds. Multi stripe fabric gold and mauve	1.49	.47
9 skeins Thick and Thin yarn	1.20	.37
3 1/2 yds. Faille crepe, beige, 54" wide	4.98	.77
1 Pr. Cafe Curtains - red and white stripe	3.98	1.97

CHILDREN'S WEAR - - - Charlottetown

1 Dress and Jacket, 12T, Navy with Beige and Red	16.95	5.67
2 Dresses (cotton 8-10T) Ass. colors	12.95	4.27
2 School Tunics 12-14 Navy	5.98	1.77
1 All Weather Coat, 8T, Green	9.98	4.47
8 Baby Dresses and Diaper Sets, 6-18 mos., white, pink blue	4.99	1.07
13 Cardigans and Pullover 12-18 mos., pink, blue and yellow	2.59/ 2.98	.97
5 Hooded T Shirts - 1 1/2, white	3.49	1.77
4 Pram Suits (wool) infants white and blue	7.98	1.77
3 Cotton Cord Jackets (Boy's) 2-3X, navy and green	2.98	1.27
3 Poplin Car Coats 12T-14T Cotton and blue	13.95	4.17
1 Slack Set, 14 1/2, black with coloured top	2.98	2.97
4 Dresses, 4-6X, ass't. cotton	6.98	2.27
3 Dresses - 5 and 6 ass't. cotton	8.98	2.97
5 Dresses - 10T-14T - 8 1/2, 10 1/2	10.95	3.67
4 Pr. Flannelette Pjs 3-4-5	1.98	.87
13 Crinolines 12-14 white	3.98	1.77
5 Crinolines and Slips 12-14, white	2.98	.87

CHINA - - - Summerside

1 Lazy Susan	11.98	3.97
2 Irish Porcelain Covered Box	3.49	2.37
2 Irish Porcelain Ash Trays	1.98	1.27
8 Sportsman Ash Trays	1.29	.57
1 Wall Candle Holder	4.49	1.87
1 Gold Colored Candle Holders	5.98	1.77
1 Anniversary Tray	8.98	1.77
2 Centura Ware Casseroles	12.25	8.17
1 Centura Ware Teapot	14.95	9.97
1 Centura Ware Handle	3.00	2.17
72 Pr. Novelty Salt and Pepper	.39	.27

CHILDREN'S WEAR - - - Summerside

4 Jackets, size 12-14T	13.95	4.67
5 Boy's Raincoats 5-6-6X	7.98	.57
1 Suit, size 8	7.98	5.37
7 Sunsuits, size 1-2	1.98	.87
10 Blouses, size 4-6X	2.98	.87
5 Jackets, light blue, size 10-14	12.95	5.77
3 Girl's Cardigans, size 12-14	2.98	1.37
3 Girl's Pullovers, size 14	2.98	1.37
1 Girl's All Weather Coat, size 14, blue	16.95	5.27
1 Boy's Cardigan, size 6	3.98	1.77
2 Boy's Pullovers, size 4-6	3.98	1.77
1 Boy's Orton Cardigan, size 4, grey	5.98	2.67
4 Girl's Nightgowns, 8-14, red and white	4.98	1.67
2 Arnel Full Slips, size 10-14	2.98	1.97
22 Pr. Pettit-Pants, size 8-14	1.98	.47
1 Hooded Orton Set, size 12M	7.98	2.67

MEN'S WEAR - - - Charlottetown

6 Boys long sleeve Sport Shirts, plaid 2-10, 3-12, 1-14	2.29	.67
6 Boys Shirts with dickie fronts 3-8, 1-10, 2-18	3.98	1.37
2 Boys Suits, grey check, 14-16	24.95	12.97
1 Boys Sport Coat, olive check, 18	29.95	8.97
2 Boys Suits, 1-6 grey, 1-6 blue	18.95	7.97
2 Men's Suits, charcoal check, 1-37, 1-40	49.95	15.17
1 Man's Suit, grey, 36	59.95	12.97
1 Go-Go Sport Coats, black, 2-34, 1-36, 1-38, 1-40	19.95	5.97
1 Men's Sport Coats, grey camel, 1-38, 1-44, 1-40	29.95	13.97
3 Men's Dress Pants, 1-30, 1-32 grey, 1-31 tan, 1-36 charcoal	24.95	8.87
1 pair Men's Chino Jeans - 3-30, 2-32	8.98	2.77
1 Men's Flannel Shirts, small	1.98	.97
4 Hooded T Shirts - 1-M green, 1-M grey, 2-S blue	3.98	1.97
1 Men's Sport Shirts, 2-S, 2-M, 2-L	1.49	.87
2 Men's Coveralls, white, 1-36, 1-38, 1-40	9.49	5.47
2 Men's Jockey Super Briefs, small	1.50	.97
7 Students Sport Shirts, 6-13 1/2, 1-14 1/2	3.97	1.97
4 Men's Walking Shorts - 1-38 brown, 1-36 gold, 1-38 & 1-40 grey	8.95	4.97
9 Walking Shorts, beige, 3-30 4-32 1-44 1-46	4.98	3.37

SPORTING GOODS and TOYS - Charlottetown

10 Gear Saving Bank Toy	1.98	.67
1 Jr. Mike Telephone Set	11.49	2.87
3 Biology Kits	4.98	1.67
1 Growing Walking Lion Toy	6.98	2.27
6 Bagitelli Sonar Toy	4.49	1.47
3 Nail and Hammer Toy Set	3.98	1.27
15 A-200 Penny Brix Toys	4.49	1.57
16 A-100 Penny Brix Toys	2.98	.97

SHOES - - - Charlottetown

46 Men's Oxfords 1-7 1/2, 1-8, 1-8 1/2, 1-10, 2-10 1/2	7.98	3.37
8 Men's Oxfords 1-7, 2-7 1/2, 1-8, 1-8 1/2, 1-9, 2-10 1/2	10.37	3.37
5 Work Boots 1-10, 4-11	4.98	3.37
8 Men's Sport Oxfords, 1-6 1/2, 2-7 1/2, 2-8 1/2, 1-10	7.98	3.37
31 Girls-Blk. and Red Go-Go Boots 2-5 1/2, 1-6, 3-6 1/2, 2-7, 4-7 1/2, 2-8, 4-9, 3-8 1/2	7.98	2.87
9 Wool Red Carpet Shoes 1-6, 1-7, 1-7 1/2, 1-8, 3-9 1/2, 1-9, 2-9 1/2	16.95	11.27
6 Wos. Air Step Shoes, 2-6 1/2, 2-7 1/2, 2-8	15.95	3.17
17 Child's Shoes 2-9, 2-9 1/2, 2-10, 1-10 1/2, 4-11, 1-12, 1-13, 1-2, 3-3	3.98	1.97
30 Child's Shoes - 1-8 1/2, 1-9 1/2, 1-11, 2-10 1/2, 3-11, 6-11 1/2, 3-13 1/2, 3-1	3.98	2.67
11 Infants Shoes 4-3, 4-3 1/2, 1-5 1/2, 2-6	3.98	2.67

SPORTING GOODS and TOYS - Summerside

1 Golf Cart	29.95	13.97
1 Sleeping Bag	7.98	4.47
1 Sleeping Robe and Ground Sheet	18.50	8.97
1 Golf Shag Bag	3.98	1.37
1 Structural Set	3.98	1.37
12 Lone Star Scenic Set	5.98	1.97
4 Mixim Games	6.98	1.97
6 Bicycle Battery Motors	4.98	1.97
3 Train Sets	12.95	2.97
9 Train Sets	6.98	1.07

HARDWARE - - - Charlottetown

Showerfold Shower Door	89.95	46.17
Skill Drill Sander Attachment	16.95	1.77
pair 7697 26 Cupboard Hinges	.39	.27
pair E408 26 Cupboard Hinges	.39	.27
quarts Moore's Satin Impervo Paint (Maroon)	3.19	2.77
quarts Fabulon Reducer	2.19	1.47

BUILDING SUPPLIES - - - Charlottetown

1 Sheet Prefinished Tacamahac Plywood, 3-16 x 4 x 8	9.98	6.67
3 Sheets Halfwall Plywood, 1/4 x 4 x 8	7.98	5.37
3 Sheets Charter Pecan Prefinished Plywood, 1/4 x 4 x 8	10.95	7.37
1 Sheet Knotty Cedar Prefinished Plywood, 1/4 x 4 x 8	18.95	12.57
1 Sheet Oak Prefinished Plywood 1/4 x 4 x 8	17.95	8.67
1 Sheet Barker Tile, White - black lines	16.98	3.97
2 Sheets Luan Prefinished Salmon Plywood 3-16 x 4 x 8	6.49	3.27
1 28" x 68" Screen Door	10.95	4.77
1 No. 536 2 1/2 x 3 1/2 x 1 1/2 exterior door	32.95	14.67
60 Keenes Cement	1.93	.77
50 Micafil	2.29	.37

HOUSEWARES - - - Summerside

2 Cannister Sets	6.49	2.97
1 Cannister Set	7.98	3.57
26 6 Inch Planters	.69	.37
5 Plastic Trays	1.49	.97
1 Chrome Bird Cage	9.98	6.67
1 Kitchen Waste Can	2.98	1.97
1 Electric Egg Cooker	19.95	9.97
1 Electric Knife Sharpener	19.95	9.97

FURNITURE - - - Summerside

2 Step End Tables, Concord Maple, arborite tops	29.95	6.67
1 Lamp Table, French Provincial, Fruitwood (damaged)	34.95	10.27
1 Table Lamp & Shade, decorated glass base	29.95	8.87
1 Walnut woodgrain steel full panel bed 4-6 (damaged)	24.95	11.07
1 4 drawer Chiffonier Walnut (scratched)	49.95	22.17
1 Step End Table, walnut, arborite top	19.95	8.77
2 Vinyl Covered Crib Mattresses 28" x 52", torn covering	12.95	6.67
1 Bookcase with Hutch Top, walnut	64.85	31.97
1 Table Lamp & Shade	15.95	7.97
1 Piano Bench, mahogany	32.95	22.97

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