

Studebaker Co. Is Barred From Further Car Imports

OTTAWA (CP)—The Studebaker Co. of Canada is barred from bringing any more duty-free cars into Canada under the Canada-U.S. auto pact, Revenue Minister Benson said here.

In an interview, he described as wrong a suggestion in the Commons Thursday by NDP Leader Douglas that Studebaker might be able to import another 75,000 Volkswagens duty-free under the pact.

The company lost its rights to bring in cars as soon as it stopped making cars in Canada, he said.

Opposition members have criticized the government for not preventing a deal under which Studebaker, before it folded, imported 10,000 Volkswagens a duty-free and then resold them to Volkswagen of Canada.

Mr. Benson also said that an investigation by his audit division into that deal has been completed. Officials now were studying with the justice department whether duty should have been paid.

INQUIRY COMPLETED

He said the investigation started several months ago and was completed in September.

Mr. Benson told the House Thursday that the auto agreement permits a car maker to import cars duty-free if its Canadian production is increased by a matching amount.

Studebaker had chosen to import Volkswagens because its parent company in the U.S. had stopped production.

Churchill Falls Contract Let

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP)—Premier Smallwood has announced awarding of the first contract for work on the \$700,000,000 Churchill Falls hydro project in western Labrador.

Dufresne Engineering Co. of Montreal and Mannix Co. will build a 16-mile, \$1,000,000 road joining the Churchill River bridge above the falls to the downstream site of the power house.

"This road will be a continuation of the Brigno road already built and measuring over 100 miles from the railway," running to Schefferville, Que., from Sept-les on the Gulf of St. Lawrence, Premier Smallwood said.

The companies both were experienced in working in Labrador and Dufresne had done most of the work on the Twin Falls power development located on the Unknown River. They had demonstrated their eagerness to employ Newfoundland labor wherever there were Newfoundlanders willing and capable of filling the jobs.

EASE WORKER'S LOT

A Danish firm has begun mass-producing a motorized wheelbarrow which can carry 800 pounds of cargo.

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This Angus steer owned and shown by George Kelly, Morrell may well be the grand champion steer of the Atlantic Winter Fair and qualify for the tremendous \$8,000 per pound price paid for the grand champion by Dominion Stores. The Kelly steer placed second in the live judging Saturday afternoon. On top was another Angus steer owned by C.S. Woodworth, Lawrencetown, RR 1, Nova Scotia. Hamilton Watts and Son, Hampshire had the fifth place steer on the hoof, and Frank Mutch, Cherry Valley had the animal standing seventh.

Sampling, Pinching, Snitching Adding To Supermarket Prices

By SALLY RYAN

NEW YORK (AP)—Shoppers are sampling, pinching, switching and snitching their way through U.S. supermarkets these days, leaving behind a trail of empty cookie packages and licked lids.

"If we don't catch 10 people a day at breaking open packages, we're kind of disappointed," says Fred Gallant, manager of a store in Dallas.

"People switch labels on meat to get 20 or 30 cents off, mash the tomatoes and pull the leaves off the lettuce," he said.

An Associated Press survey of supermarket managers and shoppers found numerous reports of melon-pinching, cookie-licking, jelly-tasting shoppers sampling the grocer's wares on an eat-now, pay-later (if at all) plan.

CAUSES HIGHER PRICES

The supermarkets complain it can cost them millions and contribute to higher prices.

"We've had women open a peanut butter jar and dig their fingers in it for a taste," said an Atlanta, Ga., supermarket manager.

A shopper in Atlanta said: "I even saw one woman break open a jar of preserves from a vacuum-sealed jar, lick the underside of the top and then put it back on and return it to the shelf."

A Santa Ana, Calif., market claimed it lost \$1,100 in two months through the switching of meat price tags.

"A customer will take two meat packages out of the refrigerated bin, one low-priced and the other high," said an A and P manager in Dallas.

"She'll walk up and down the aisles until she's in a secluded spot and then change the labels."

DAMAGE PRODUCTS

Phillip White, a Dallas grocer, said some shoppers are "so picky they do more damage to the fruits and vegetables than was done in the entire shipping process."

"People will take an 8-cent sticker off a round steak and put it on a \$1.50-a-pound steak," said Bill Simmons, manager of Ralph's Market in Arcadia, Calif.

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