

A Feature for Every Friday—

Among The Farmers

Federation Of Agriculture News

Farm Diversions

This is the week when most farm people try to keep the more serious problems of farming in the background and relax with friends and neighbors at old home week.

Young and old of both sexes find in the varied program offered something is bound to educate, amuse or entertain, the side shows, fine livestock, exciting races and the skill of the handicraft department. All add up to a well rounded exhibition that has earned for it recognition as one of the best in Canada.

The casual visitor quite likely does not realize the immense amount of work and careful planning that is necessary for months before-hand to produce a smooth running week of this sort. Directors and officials are to be complimented on the fact that the large crowds which attend the fair are handled smoothly and it is only occasionally that minor vexations occur and these are usually forgotten in the remembrance of a happy holiday.

The People Speak

The results on August 10th leaves no doubt that the majority of Canadian Citizens are firm believers in stable Government and have come to the conclusion that we are crossing a stream which does not permit any changing of horses. Very few Canadians will have any real concern as to the welfare of the country from a political standpoint but many will be concerned on the point of the failure of the other parties to develop sufficient strength as an effective opposition. While election campaigns may be the highlight in democratic processes it is important that voters continue their interest and careful scrutiny of all things public at all times between elections. Citizens are similar which imposes responsibilities and these responsibilities are of a nature which demand not only loyalty and effective work but also a realization that the ideals of the people shape the future of the country.

The Place Of Organization

The past 50 years have seen the development of numerous farm organizations which for the most part confine themselves to groups within Agriculture having similar interests in the production of the particular commodity.

Usually these groups confine their activities to their own particular problems and it is only since 1935, that progress has been made in welding all these groups into one for the purpose of obtaining the advantages and increased influence of unity. At various times farm people have experimented with political parties as a means of improving the position of the industry but history has demonstrated that political parties based on class do not long command general support. 1935 marks the beginning of the first truly national farm body in the Canadian Federation of Agriculture whose expressed objective

was the co-ordination of the activities of all the different groups with the hope that farm policy would be developed on a national basis.

Those who have been able to attend National CFA meetings are perhaps in a better position to realize the programs that have been made and to appreciate the advantages to all farmers that have come about as the result of delegates from all branches meeting and discussing problems which effect industry in general.

Crop Prospects

For the haymaker the last month has turned into one of the most unsatisfactory on record and everywhere in the province hay has been lost and much of it seriously impaired in quality. Pastures are excellent and have been improving during the past month, grain appears to be a heavy crop but is ripening slowly, potatoes and roots are making excellent progress and fortunately blight has not appeared to any extent. In some localities haying, harvesting, potato digging, turnip pulling, berry picking, and fall plowing are going on together.

Silos

The past two years may in the future be known as the age of Silos. In many parts of the province these structures are appearing in sufficient numbers to prove that farmers have accepted ensilage as a part of their feeding program, certainly the storing of a green crop protects the farmer against the hazards of the weather—the bug bearer of making dry hay.

Butter Production

Island dairymen are currently producing over 20,000 pounds more butter per week than at this time last year. This means at least \$10,000 a week extra and while not a great amount to divide among so many yet it does help out. On most farms the cream cheque or the milk cheque is the standby to cover farm running costs during the summer months.

Hog Grading

A perennial topic at CFA meetings has been hog grading, rail or alive and changes in standard for the farmer. Western Canada is still putting forth claims for optional grading on alive basis and with Quebec has opposed any change in rail grade standards. In other Provinces acceptance of proposed changes has been conditional upon definite information on when premium would apply and upon differentials between grades.

Card Of Thanks

I wish to extend my sincere thanks to the people of North Tryon and surrounding districts for their kindness and help in my loss, during a recent fire.

Miss Mildred Dawson,
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ST. JOHN'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Belfast.—Sunday, August 16th. Sunday School 10 A. M. Service 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Rev. James E. Heathwood, M. A., Minister.

YORK PASTORAL CHARGE.—The United Church of Canada. Minister: Rev. J. M. Sproule, Sunday, August 16th, 1953, 9:30 A. M., York, 11:00 A. M. Central, 7:30 P. M. Brackley.

NORTH RIVER UNITED BAPTIST PASTORATE.—Sunday, August 16th. Fairview 11:00 A. M. North River 3:00 P. M. Long Creek 7:30 P. M. Sunday Schools as locally announced. Rev. H. Barber, Pastor.

CAVENDISH PASTORAL CHARGE.—United Church of Canada. Services, Sunday, August 16th. New Glasgow 11 A. M. Cavendish 7:30 P. M. Special service at New Glasgow 7:30 P. M. at which Rev. E. White of Edmonton will be the preacher. Rev. F. W. Sawdon, Minister.

BREADALBANE PASTORAL CHARGE, The United Church of Canada. Services Sunday, August 16th. Pleasant Valley 11 A. M. North Granville 3 P. M. Rose Valley 7:30 P. M. Rev. W. B. MacPhail, Minister.

CORNWALL UNITED CHURCH. Services August 16th, will be as follows and will be conducted by Rev. W. A. MacQuarrie, D. D., of Hopewell, N. S. Cornwall 11:00 A. M. New Dominion 3:00 P. M. and Kingsway 7:30 P. M. Sunday Schools at Cornwall at 10:00 A. M. Kingston at 10:30 and New Dominion at 2:00 P. M. Rev. A. S. Weir, Minister.

MARSHFIELD PASTORAL CHARGE.—The Presbyterian Church in Canada. Mount Stewart, Friday, 8 P. M. Preparatory Service, Sunday, 11 A. M. Communion Service, Harrington, Sunday School 10 A. M. The Annual Memorial Service will be held at Clyde River at 3 P. M. Sunday School 2 P. M. Nine Mile Creek 7:30 P. M. Sunday School 11 A. M. Rev. Donald Nicholson, Minister.

ORWELL-VERNON UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA.—Services Sunday, August 16th. Orwell 11:00 A. M. Cherry Valley 2:30 P. M. (Sacrament of Baptism and Vacation Church Program.) Vernon River 7:30 P. M. Sunday Schools at regular hours. Rev. John F. MacKay, B. D., Minister.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA.—Central Parish. Services next Lord's Day are as follows: Canoe Cove 11 A. M. Sunday School 10 A. M. The Annual Memorial Service will be held at Clyde River at 3 P. M. Sunday School 2 P. M. Nine Mile Creek 7:30 P. M. Sunday School 11 A. M. Rev. Donald Nicholson, Minister.

HAMPTON PASTORAL CHARGE.—The United Church of Canada. Services Sunday, August 16th. Victoria 11 A. M. Rev. J. Milton Bell, B.A., B.D., Th.M., Minister of Christ-West Hope Church in Philadelphia will be the preacher. Miss Donald MacLeod will be soloist. Hampton 3 P. M. Bonshaw 7:30 P. M. Rev. H. J. Bell, M.A., B.D., Minister of Zion United Church in Kingston, Ontario, will be the preacher. Rev. R. H. Baxter, Minister.

ST. PETER'S BAY PASTORAL CHARGE.—The United Church of Canada. Services for Sunday, August 16th. Greenwich, Sunday School 10 A. M. Service 11 A. M. St. Peter's, Sunday School 11 A. M. Service 7:30 P. M. This will be a song service with the Charlottetown Male Octette as guest singers. The annual cemetery service will be held in Midgell cemetery at 3 P. M. The guest preacher will be Rev. Roy E. Webster of Orillia, Ontario, and there will be special music also. Rev. Russell A. MacLeod, Minister.

Personals

Miss Jeanette Ladner and Miss Kaye MacFadyen returned home Saturday after spending a pleasant holiday visiting friends and relatives in Massachusetts.

Mr. Douglas Gardiner and Arthur Gorges, Keene, New Hampshire, are visiting friends in Charlottetown.

Strange But True

By F. H. MacArthur

A Sunday School class started 80 years ago by Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Hea in Queen Square Church, Saint John, N. B., recently celebrated its 80th birthday. There have been only four teachers in the 80 years of its existence. Name: Mrs. Hea for 35 years, Mrs. John Sealy for 20 years, Mrs. C. F. Sanford for 13 years and Miss Ella Gale, who has taught for 12 years.

It is interesting to note that one of the class members attended until she was 90. Two former members have recently celebrated their 90th birthdays. Eight of those still in regular attendance were introduced on the occasion of the celebration, and each member received a rose.

We wonder if any Island Sunday School class can equal or surpass this fine record.

Two soldiers discharged from the Army on Friday 13, were killed on the same day when the automobile in which they were riding crashed into a bridge just outside of Manchester, England. Each man had exactly \$13 on his person when police found them.

Ten minutes after he ate some large halibut that fell during a thunder storm, Carl Coats of Tima, Alberta, 4, died, in a hospital. Six times in less than 20 years, five kings have married commoners, and instead of living happily ever after the five lost their crowns. They are:

King Farouk of Egypt, Edward VIII, Farida Sulicfar, Carol II of Romania, Leopold III of Belgium. So, acquiring a queen in the traditional fashion does not appear to be a good idea these days.

According to a world census report some 75,000 more persons have to be breast fed or bottle fed each morning; or, 75,000 more are born each day throughout the world; the number of births over deaths each year would populate a city four times as large as London, England.

If this birthrate remains at its present high standard, the world will have three times as many inhabitants in another century than it has today. The present global population is estimated at approximately 2,400,000,000.

Now assuming that man has been on this earth for about 100,000 years and assuming that his numbers increased to only 300,000,000 by the time of Christ. This pre-Christian period would represent about 98% of man's existence.

Since 1650 the inhabitants of earth has risen to roughly 2,400,000,000 and if the estimates are correct (and there's no reason to doubt them) this means that in 300 years the world has gained almost 10 times as many people as it did in its first 100,000 years. The declining death rate across the world due to medical science and other factors is the chief reason for this remarkable increase.

How would you like to have a soup bone for your wedding arch? Well, that's what Stan Richards, butcher shop owner, and his bride had when they left the altar in East Molesey, England, recently. The big arch of big soup bones was held by 14 butchers.

The same electric light bulb has broken the dark hours of Mrs. J. W. Pennell's home in Memphis, Tenn., for exactly 51 years!

An anchor lost for 40 years was brought to the surface in a lobster trap near Lunenburg, Nova Scotia by Bill Heister. It was the same anchor Bill and his father lost in the bay forty years ago.

Another man without a country is poor Ignatz Mezie. That's bad. But worse still, Mezie may have to spend the rest of his days on Ellis Island in New York Harbor. The unfortunate fellow has already spent two years on the island, and the U. S. Supreme Court has ruled that he may be held indefinitely because "Uncle Sam has branded him as a security risk and because 18 other nations have refused to admit him.

Mezie believes he's a Hungarian. He's not sure, however, and, in the meantime he must live behind iron bars.

"Stone walls do not a prison make nor iron bars a cage" is not true in Mezie's case. "The perfect man has not been found. A fact at which we chaff. How else can woman hope to keep the title, "Better half."

Twenty years from now parents will be telling their children what awful times they had as kids walking a few yards to the nearest bus stop, instead of being picked up on the front steps by a helicopter.

In pioneer days in this Province people were too poor to paint their dwellings and too proud to whitewash. This was our grandmother's favorite gag. Yet she scrubbed her floor to a gleaming white with white sand.

It was not Gen. John Pershing who uttered the famous phrase "Lafayette, we are here." Who then? Col. Chas. Stanton in a July 4 talk

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"Many years ago I sounded your lamented parent on the subject of Mount Atajo, Tom, and did not hesitate to tell him that in my humble opinion he was neglecting opportunities and merely playing with an enterprise that might produce something spectacular if developed. I offered to buy his mine but he had no mind to sell, and I urged him then, as I now urge the future possessors, to spend money, recondition a plant and procedure now quite obsolete, and give the mine a chance. I should be inclined to predict from a lifetime of knowledge that the possibilities are substantial, and though all mining is a gamble, there would be plenty of us in Lima quite ready to find capital for Mount Atajo. Is the future position clearly understood?"

"I haven't seen my father's will, Sir; but, so far as I know, the mine will have been left to me. Father was not a man to saddle other people with difficulties when he died, and I expect, after everything had been done to protect my mother, and ensure her income, that she shall be free to do what I may decide."

Signor Fernandez fixed his eyes upon Tom and was apparently satisfied with the scrutiny.

"Well," he continued, "you look like a young man who has his head screwed on pretty tight. And I will ask you to do this if you have no objection. I am going to Panama for the moment on business, but shall return home in a few weeks at latest. Therefore kindly inform me as to how you stand, and what may be your intentions when you learn your precise position."

"Glad to, Sir, I'm sure," declared Aylmer. "I'll tell you just how I stand as soon as I know myself."

"And now ring the bell that we may drink," said Jacob. "And I shall tell you about that incomparable ruffian, Benny Boss."

MYSTERIOUS BENNY BOSS

Signor Fernandez ordered refreshment and proceeded to the subject of the bygone adventurer who had brought them together; but the tale of Benny Boss was destined to be again delayed, for Signor Fernandez touched on a side issue, and, finding it of deep interest to his second hearer, discoursed a little upon it.

"The origin of Benny is hidden in the past. He was ignorant of it himself, and had not the faintest notion as to whom his parents may have been; but he felt sure

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that his father was a white man and believed his mother an Indian. I think the male parent predominated. Benny possessed enormous energy, great physical courage, and indomitable will-power—qualities you may seek in vain among the aborigines of Peru. Indeed, I always say that when one meets a particularly dull, apathetic and feeble soul, the betting is that he has the old blood in him."

"That's a hard saying!" he cried. "I have studied the natives in my small way, because I reverence their story, and I have found them often wiser than—well, wiser than those we call their betters."

"Good!" said Jacob. "I like young people to be interested in anthropology—or indeed in any 'ology' that will help to develop their wits. Are you attracted by our ancient history, Angus?"

"He lives for it, sir," explained Tom. "He loves the Incas better than anything, and says it was one of the great tragedies of history that a lower civilization conquered a nobler one, when Spain allowed up Peru."

"A great tragedy often repeated," said the old man "and nothing gives me more pleasure than to reflect that Peru succeeded in regaining her liberty. If I have a hero, it is Bolivar."

"The history of Inca civilization remains still to be written though rich material awaits the historian. If you are an enthusiast you may know as much about it as I do, however."

"Please go on!" said Angus. "I'm learning Spanish—old Spanish—to read the fine books about it." Signor Fernandez loved to talk, and found his present audience quite to his taste.

"We will leave Benny Boss waiting for a moment, then," he said.

"And that will not trouble him for he was used to waiting, and knew animals with tuberculosis, preyed time to strike. Patience, combined with his other serpentine qualities, served his purpose well. I was cured with such treatment."

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