THE
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MILLIONAIRES GOOD CROP

We print elsewhere a lamentable picture of crop conditions in Saskatchewan from the pen of Mr. E. LeGard. This is a picture that has not been shown us before and one which must be deplored. The truth about this has evidently been suppressel in the interest of financial "bulls," who are in the game to make money.

The writer charges government inspectors with issuing false reports. Is he sure that these were government inspectors? We would rather imagine that they would be representatives of financial interests who were gathering information for the purpose of speculation in futures. If the real facts could be suppressed until their employers loaded up with futures at a low price a nice pot could be made. This is probably what happened, and while the wheat crop is poor the millionaire crop will be good.

WHY TITLE IS DISCARDED

The Prince of Wales is coming to Canada again this month to visit his farm in Alberta, and is travelling by way of New York. While on the sea he will retain his title, but on landing will adopt the title he was known by when on his last visit here, Lord Renfrew.

Many people look upon this as nonsensical acrobatic philandering, but there is a very good reason why it is done. Royalty carries with it certain duties and regulations as inviolable as the laws of the Medes and Persians, and by discarding these claims and reverting to common manhood the Prince avoids a great deal of red tape and the demands made upon royalty. In other words, the Prince may go fishing if he wishes to, and even dig his own worms.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The extremely wet weather we are having is very depressing for the farmers. But then it is also depressing to the grasshoppers. "There is no cloud without a silver lining."

When the lawyers get through with Leob and his precious offspring a considerable hole will be be made in his millions. The only danger is that his family will remain intact.

The Middle School examination results appear elsewhere in this issue. Flesherton did excellent and the plucking which was announced did not materialize, so far as our school is concerned.

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Gives Picture Of Western Conditions

Dear Mr. Thurston:

Here I am again. I felt I would like to let you know the true condition of this part of the country. There are inspectors coming through the country and saying there will be an average crop. They must be either blind or trying to mislead the people, as the crop here is almost a total failure. All stubble crops were gone a month ago, and the oat crop is gone, excepting late oats. We had a heavy rain last night, rained all night. The only grain left is a summer-fallow that was plowed early in 1923 and well-worked. That has held its own fairly well, but late and poor summer-fallow will only average about 5 bushels per acre, some say three. People are wondering what they are going to do. We had wheat that was a foot high, a promise of thirty bushels per acre; now you would think a fire had been over it. Out of 200 acres of stubble some small spots held out. We may cut ten acres. We have 50 acres summerfallow wheat, about five bushels per acre. It is a sickening sight. I made a trip of 24 miles and the crops are all the same.

Some men left here for Swift Current. The papers gave it as a good crop there, but when they got there the crop had gone the same as here. They wrote no work there. They then went on to Assiniboia, but when they got there the hail had destroyed from 50 to 75 per cent. of the crop.

No harvest help will be needed from Ontario this year. Men are leaving here to look for work. Farmers have let their hired men go; some will not leave until they get their wages, and the farmers have no money to pay them, and are in a bad fix. A person cannot depend on the press of this country for accurate reports. One inspector said on the 27th of June, heavy rain at Outlook; prospects average crop. On that date the crops at Outlook were gone and they had a 20-minute rain. The crop outlook is very serious. Elevators are being closed, men discharged and starting out to look for work in harvest, if they can find any, but it is hard to find out the actual truth, and men are being fooled.

Every person thought the Hudson's Bay railway would be completed, as there is an abundance of men. It would have been a great relief to this country, besides to those poor settlers who have been looking for that railway for the West. So much for our Senate.

Spring was very late and backward, but very cool. No rain, only a couple of snow storms to delay work. It was not the amount of snow that fell that delayed us, but the drifts. It came with terrific wind then it came in warmer, grain grew rapidly for a short time, and the country looked beautiful. Then came terrific heat and wind and kept it up. One field after another kept going. One funny thing about it was that it looked like rain clouds right up, then all disappeared, then another clear, hot day, etc., etc., One man from here motored to Banff and Calgary and said the crop is the same all the way, and north of Saskatoon they are gone, but I don't know how it is further north. Three men walked from Regina here to look for work. They thought there was a good crop here, but they left our place for the west, but I hear the crop is worse as far as Rosetown, about 100 miles west.

Well, I must close, as you will get tired reading it.

Yours truly,
—E. D. LeGARD.

Took The Census Of County And Prov. Roads

On Tuesday evening of last week at ten o'clock the census taking of the traffic on the Provincial and county highways for one week was finished. The census was taken from six o'clock in the morning to ten o'clock in the evening, and was in two shifts from 6 a.m. to 2 p.m., by A. E. Bellamy, and from 2 p.m. to 10 p. m. by Ed. Best. Just why the census was being taken we do not know, but we suppose it was to geta line on the volume of traffic going through town on both highways. The following is the number of cars passing through town during the day and shows the large volume of motor traffic that Flesehrton enjoys. The first column are the totals for the totals for the whole of the cars passing along the Provincial Highway and the second coulmn are those going over the County Highway. The count commenced on Wednesday, July 30th:—

	Prov.	County
Wednesday	568	528
Thursday	463	515
Friday	417	397
Saturday	630	569
Sunday	703	721
Monday	563	492
Tuesday	512	492
	4246	3674

Conservative Picnic At Eugenia, August 21st

Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, on Thursday afternoon August 21st, will address the people of the Georgian Bay District at a picnic to be held at Eugenia Falls Park. In view of the fact that much important legislation was in the limelight during the past session at Ottawa, Mr. Meighen will have many subjects of interest to discuss and, granted fair weather, several thousand motorists will no doubt be headed for the Grey County Park on Thursday of next week. Hon. Geo. S. Henry and others are also billed to speak. Band music community singing and a baseball game will round out the program. This is a basket lunch picnic with no admission charge. Hot water, tea and milk will be available without cost.

GARDEN PARTY AT MAXWELL

The L.O.B.A. of Maxwell will hold their garden party at Maxwell on Friday evening, August 15th, in place of the 14th as advertised last week. Please take notice and attend the garden party in force.

Administrators' Sale!

The undersigned has received instructions from the Toronto General Trusts Corporation, the Admistrators, W. W. A., of the estate of William Hodgson, deceased, late of the Townshp of Osprey, to sell the householdhold furniture effects, together with farm chattels, consisting of wagon, buggy, harness, binder, 2 plows, 2 cultivators drill, and sundry other articles; also 5 horses, 13 head of cattle, 13 sheep, 12 hogs, situate at his late residence, Lot 17, Concession 13, Township of Osprey, on ng real estate belongings to the said estate :—

Tuesday, August 19th

at 1 p.m., and also at the same time and place, to offer for sale the following real estate belonging to the estate:—

PARCEL 1—S. ½ Lot 16, Concession 13, Township of Osprey, County of Grey, 50 acres.

PARCEL 2—Lot 17, Concession 13, Township of Osprey, County of Grey, 100 acres, on which there is erected a freme dwelling house containing six rooms, and a large barn about 45x50 feet.

PARCEL 3—Lot 18, Concession 13, Township of Osprey, County of Grey, 100 acres, on which there is erected a substantial barn.

PARCEL 4—Lot 19, Concession 12, Township if Osprey, County of Grey, 100 acres.

TERMS OF SALE—Household furniture, chattels, etc., cash or approved joint note at three months, with interest at 6 per cent. per annum; real estate, 10 per cent. on day of sale, 30 per cent. on closing of sale, balance to be secured by first mortgage, the terms to be arranged.

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Barber Will Keep "Bobbing"

It has now come to pass that man who supplied the rib to give woman her being, has got to wait his turn in the barber shop with the fair sex, so numerous have the "bobbies" become. It wasn't so very many moons ago that a girl considered it immodest to enter a tonsorial shop but not now no more forever, for it looks as if the bobbed head has come to stay, and the "dear girls" must keep it trimmed. Besides sounding the death knell for the hair-pin industry, this new mode of wearing the locks which the girls have fallen for and keep falling for in larger numbers each day, has hung the crepe on another of man's few remaining privacies. walk into the barbers shop on a Saturday night now and you will find one or more girls waiting for a trim while the barber, wreathed in smiles, is working over a feminine head. Take a squint at the waiting gent. Is he smiling? Not as you can notice. And it is bound to get worse. Very soon the barber will be neglecting his razors and giving his attention to polishing up the electric curling irons and arranging the perfume bottles. Shortly we expect to find the cuspidors missing and be confronted with a sign "no smoking allowed" and another one "remember the ladies, be courteous," which will mean for us "poor fish" when it comes to our turn to climb onto the upholstery and we will be obliged to say "after you, my dear Henrietta." It is sure provoking after having the barber so long to ourselves, but we must say the "dear girls" do look more comely, and it is themselves that know it. So the barber keeps on bobbing, and men will keep on waiting.

ACCIDENT AT WASAGA

On Tuesday night at 11.30 p.m. a Ford motor owned and driven by Harold Ryther of Phelpston with Miss Mary McKitterick of Toronto in the car with him, going east collided with a large seven passenger Studebaker. Ryther's car was wrecked completely. Miss McKitterick had two front teeth broken out and a deep gash on the inside of her mouth, a cut on the right shoulder and badly bruised and was unconscious for over an hour. She was attended to by Dr. J. H. McClinton. The driver of the Studebaker car claimed he could not see and gave all assistance possible. Police Constable Gardner decided that the driver of the Ford car was in fault.—Enterprise.

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Special Prizes For East Grey Fall Fair

The Directors of East Grey Agricultural Society have secured an unusual number of special prizes for the Fair this year, and these ought to attract more thanusual attention. The Fair will be held in Flesherton on September 25 and 26 and promises to be better than ever. The prize lists will be ready in a few days and will be issued by Secretary W. A. Hawken. The following is the complete list so read them over and get busy:—

SPECIALS ON HORSES

1. Best gelding or mare in any heavy class, not to be judged for value alone but for animal that fills the class it represents the best. Special by British-American Oil Co.....5 Gal. Oil, value $6.25

2. Best single turnout, roadster or carrage, driver, buggy and harness considered, lady and gent in buggy, special by Robt. Simpson Co., case of silverware, value $6.00.

3. Best heavy team in any of the 3 heavy classes, ability to fill their class as well as value to be considered. Special by O. W. Phillips, 1st blanket, value $3.00, 2nd, breast straps, value $2.50.

4. Best gentleman driver to show his skill in handling horse. Special by Thos. Clayton. pair of Oxfords, value $5.00.

5. Best Draft or Agricultural colt, foal of 1924. Special by Standard Bank, Flesherton, cash $3.00.

6. Best groomed horse on the grounds, special by Standard Bank, Flesherton, cash $2.00.

7. Best matched team heavy or light, color and conformation to be considered, Scecial by H. S. Howland, Toronto, set of farm tools, valued at $8.00.

8. Best team of farm chunks, special by F. H. W. Hickling, suit of Stanfield's underwear, blue label, value $5.50.

9. Best team most suitable for all kinds of farm work, special by F. Pinder, baker, cash $5.00.

10. Best stepping horse on grounds, light or heavy, special by Spittall Bros., through F. W. Duncan, pair driving gauntlets, value $3.50.

11. Best single driver road or carriage, twice around track, to be judged for style, action and speed, special by G. B. Welton, cash $5.00.

12. All first prize teams in the five classes be raised $2 each, special by Lemon Bros., Owen Sound, cash $10.00.

SPECIALS FOR AUTOMOBILES

Best lady car driver, special by Downs' Garage, 1st 15 gallons gas; 2nd, 3 gal. motor oil.

Car that can go the slowest once around track on high gear, extra man to go in each car, special by McTavish's Garage, 1st 15 gallons gas; 2nd, 10 gallons gas.

SPECIALS FOR CATTLE

1. Best 2-year-old fat steer, special by Union Stock Yards, cash, 1st $5.00; 2nd, $.300; 3rd, $2.00.

2. Best 3 female cattle, any class, consisting of 1 cow, 1 2-year-old, 1 year-old or heifer, special by W. J. Stewart & Sons, box Batcheler cigars, valued at $5.00.

3. Best herd, any breed of cattle, consisting of 1 bull serviceable age, and 4 females, 2-year-old or over, special by Massey-Harris Co., credit note for $10.00 on any piece of machinery, valued $10.00.

SPECIALS ON POULTRY

1. By The Flesherton Advance special for the best bird in the poultry show, cash $2.00.

2. Best pair White Leghorn fowl, cockerel and pullet, from eggs purchased this spring from Mr. Findlay, special by T. W. Findlay, 1st 2 settings of eggs in Spring 1925, valued $2.00; 2nd, 1 setting of egges in Spring 1925, value $1.00.

SPECIALS FOR VEGETABLES AND FIELD ROOTS

1. Best collection of vegetables, special by Christie Brown Co., Toronto, tin biscuits, valued $5.00.

2. Best display vegetables grown from Rennie's seeds, special by Wm. Rennie Co., seed valued $5.00.

3. Best display field roots grown from Rennie's seeds, special by Wm. Rennie Co., seeds valued $3.00.

SPECIALS FOR DAIRY PRODUCTS

1. Best 5 lbs. Butter in blocks, exhibited by a maker who has not won an Eaton prize at any fair since 1921 the choice of the following: Casserole, String of Pearls, Table Cloth, Wringer, special by T. Eaton Co., value from $5.00 to $5.85.

2. Best 10 lbs. butter in blocks donator to get butter, special by W. B. A. Cross, cash $5.00.

3. Best 10 lbs. butter in 1 lb. prints, butter to become property of donator, special by W. T. Findlay, Flesherton, pair pillows, choice goose feathers, value $10.00.

4. Best 2 loaves bread baked from O. Canada Flour, flour to be purchased from our store, special by F. G. Karstedt, bag of O Canada flour, value $3.50.

5. Best 2 loaves bread baked from Sovereign flour, flour to be purchased at our store, special by Henry & Kennedy, bag Sovereign Brand flour, value $3.50.

6. Best cake and pan of biscuits baked from Magic Baking Powder, can of powder to be exhibited with exhibit, special by E. W. Gillette Co., Toronto, cash 1st $3.00; 2nd $2.00.

7. Best collection of 4 pies, custard, raisin, apple, pumpkin; special by Salada Tea Co., Toronto, tea valued $4.25.

8. Best working man's dinner, special by F W. Duncan, goods valued at $2.00.

SPECIALS FOR LADIES' WORK

1. Best collection of 6 pieces Fancy Work, special by W. A. Armstrong & Son, gilt clock, valued $5.00.

2. Best piece of Fancy Work, work to count 75%, by girl under 18 years of age, special by Dr. Murray, cash $2.00, $1.00 and 50c.

SPECIALS FOR FLOWERS

Best dsiplay of Flowers grown from Renne's seeds, special by Wm. Rennie, Co., seeds valued $2.00.

John, fourteen year old son of Henry M. Stockton of Minto township was stung on the ear by a bee. It was not an ordinary sting for in a few minutes a condition arose that required quick action and a doctor from Harriston was hastily summoned. The young lad broke out in a rash that very much resembled blood poisoning but the doctor was able to check the poison that had set in and the boy is now on the road to recovery.

Agnes, five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCann of Adjala, met with a serious accident recently. She and her young brother were playing with matches in an upstair room and somehow her clothes caught fire. He screams attracted attention of members of the family, but before the flames could be extinguished she was very seriously burned about the body, arms and legs.