

AID TO THE MOTHERLAND

Dairymen Can Render Valuable Assistance By Increasing Output

A despatch from Peterboro says: It was a "call to duty" to the farmers to rally to the Empire, that Mr. C. C. James, Director of the administration of the special Federal grant to agriculture, made to the members of the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Association. Within six weeks all the Association will ring the appeal which has been fitted into the phrase, "patriotism and production." Within a week, according to Mr. James, flaring posters from ocean to ocean will bring home to the Canadian farmer the responsibility of the duty, the privilege he has in the maintenance of life in the Empire. It will be a call no less important than the call to arms. It is projected by the Dominion Government, working in co-operation with the Provinces, the first appeal—the poster—will be followed by conferences in all the counties of the Dominion, when farmers will be impressed with the necessity of doing their part in helping Canada and the Empire in the present crisis. Mr. James started the appeal to eastern Ontario's most prominent dairymen.

Send Food as Well as Men.
The first appeal was for recruits," said Mr. James, "and posters were up all over the country. Recruits wanted; now there will be another poster, 'Patriotism and production.' We are developing something in Canada we never thought we had. We are waking up for the first time to the fact that the Canadians are a people. Britain to-day sends another message: 'Send up not only men, but food.' The farmers will be as loyal along his

line of work as any other class in the community. If we stay at home, and somebody must stay at home, let us solve the problems at home. We have an equal responsibility with those who have gone to the front, with those in the trenches. Every man must bring it home to himself on his own farm."

"It's not doing your duty simply to read the paper. If you don't take the advice and increase production you are not doing your duty to yourself, the Dominion or the Empire.

"What would you think of the soldier in the trench who dropped his rifle and ran? If you farmers know how you can produce more and don't do it, you are in the same class as the man who would drop his rifle and run."

Meeting All Over Province.

"We propose to hold meetings all over the Province. We call them conferences. We will go over the old lessons and bring them home to the farmers, so they will set themselves to produce the food the Empire calls for."

VIOLET RAYS FOR FROSTBITE.
Will Be a Great Boon to Soldiers in the Trenches.

A despatch from Paris says: Violet rays are prescribed for frostbite by Dr. Pougnet in a paper to the Academy of Medicine. He says suffering soldiers are rapidly cured when taken from the trenches to allow their affected members to be passed through violet rays of medium intensity.

FULL MOOSE ON FENDER.

Discovery Made When C.P.R. Train Reached Fort William.

A despatch from Fort William, Ont., says: When the C.P.R. train from Winnipeg arrived in Fort William on Tuesday night an enormous bull moose was found lying across the fender. The big animal had been struck when the train was a few miles from the city, but the engineer thought it had been thrown to the side of the track.

KING ALBERT'S BRAVERY.

Personally Led His Troops in St. Georges Operation.

A despatch from Paris says: The victory of St. Georges is another military feat to be emblazoned on the standard of King Albert, who, it has just been disclosed, personally led his troops in this brilliant operation. The King is now directing the artillery fire against the German batteries, and when these have been silenced will again lead the allies' advance.

GERMANY'S FOODSTUFFS.

Being Exhausted at Rate of 200,000 Tons Daily.

A despatch from Paris says: Germany will actually begin to starve by the end of next May, says Charles Richet, the scientist. Today the reserves of foodstuffs are enormous—but are being rapidly exhausted at the rate of 200,000 tons daily.

UNITED STATES MARKETS.

Montreal, Jan. 12.—Coch. American bacon, 1 lb. 12c.; ham, 1 lb. 12c.; oysters—Canadian, No. 1, 16c.; No. 2, 14c.; No. 3, 14c.; extra No. 1 feed, 12c.; No. 2 feed, 14c.; No. 3 feed, 14c.; No. 4, 16c.; No. 5, 18c.; No. 6, 20c.; No. 7, 22c.; No. 8, 24c.; No. 9, 26c.; No. 10, 28c.; No. 11, 30c.; No. 12, 32c.; No. 13, 34c.; No. 14, 36c.; No. 15, 38c.; No. 16, 40c.; No. 17, 42c.; No. 18, 44c.; No. 19, 46c.; No. 20, 48c.; No. 21, 50c.; No. 22, 52c.; No. 23, 54c.; No. 24, 56c.; No. 25, 58c.; No. 26, 60c.; No. 27, 62c.; No. 28, 64c.; No. 29, 66c.; No. 30, 68c.; No. 31, 70c.; No. 32, 72c.; No. 33, 74c.; No. 34, 76c.; No. 35, 78c.; No. 36, 80c.; No. 37, 82c.; No. 38, 84c.; No. 39, 86c.; No. 40, 88c.; No. 41, 90c.; No. 42, 92c.; No. 43, 94c.; No. 44, 96c.; No. 45, 98c.; No. 46, 100c.; No. 47, 102c.; No. 48, 104c.; No. 49, 106c.; No. 50, 108c.; No. 51, 110c.; No. 52, 112c.; No. 53, 114c.; No. 54, 116c.; No. 55, 118c.; No. 56, 120c.; No. 57, 122c.; No. 58, 124c.; No. 59, 126c.; No. 60, 128c.; No. 61, 130c.; No. 62, 132c.; No. 63, 134c.; 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