

The Community's Social Side of Life

Visitors to and From Town During the Past Week, as Gleaned by The Free Press

Miss Agnes Range, of Guelph, is visiting friends in Acton. Mrs. John Lawson, of Toronto, visited Acton friends last week. Miss Urana McDonald is holidaying with friends in Toronto. Mrs. Frank Kelly spent the week-end with friends at Tillington. Master Cambral Cooney is visiting with relatives in Toronto. Mr. Wm. Kaley has returned to Owen Sound again for a few weeks. Miss Maude Grieve, of Windsor, spent last week at Mrs. Thos. Scott's. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Landsborough spent Sunday with relatives in Galt. Mr. Boyd Clark, of Tupper, Alta., is home for a few weeks' holidays. Mr. Burton-Wiggins, of Port Colborne, spent Sunday at his home here. Mr. Eugene McPherson was home from Toronto for a few days this week. Miss Lenore Carlisle, of Toronto, visited Acton friends over the week-end. Mrs. E. H. Vincent and Billie are holidaying with relatives in Hamilton. Miss Marion Toroungue of Burlington, is visiting her friend, Miss Frances Kelly. Mr. and Mrs. Roy McIntosh, of Oshawa, spent the week-end at the home of his parents. Mr. Jack Robertson has returned to Windsor after spending his holidays at his home here. Mrs. H. Harwood and family, of Windsor, have returned home after visiting with Acton friends. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Denny and Mrs. Fred Cooper spent the week-end with friends in Meaford. Mrs. L. G. King and Dorothy are holidaying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dutchburn in Paris. Mrs. C. Tait and Miss Isabel, of Toronto, are holidaying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. McGeechie. Dr. and Mrs. Collard, of Toronto, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brownlow, "Hillside Farm." Mrs. R. Bruce Johnstone, of Delaware, Ontario, is spending a few days with her father, Mr. C. A. Conway. Mrs. R. L. Unwin and Master Bruce, of Rochester, N. Y., are visiting with Acton relatives and friends this week. Mr. Angus McDonald and sons, Sandy and Kenneth, motored to Durham, last week and spent a few days with friends. Mrs. Hazel Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver and daughters, of Guelph, called on Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davidson last week. Mrs. Russel E. Salmon and daughter, Joan Marie, are spending a month's holiday in Muskoka, with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Salmon. Mrs. Gordon MacKay and Bruce, of Toronto, visited her mother, Mrs. R. H. Wansbrough, and some other friends, a couple of days last week. Mr. Uno Larsson, who sailed from Montreal on Wednesday for his home in Sweden, visited with Mr. and Mrs. August Anderson for a few days. Misses May Hoberlin and Alice Law, of Toronto, Miss McDonald and Mr. Braas, of Niagara Falls, N. Y., visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Arnold over the week-end. Mrs. (Rev.) H. L. Bennie and family, and Mrs. H. Mainprize and family are enjoying a holiday camping out on the banks of the Credit River, near Terra Cotta. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lambert and Mrs. Cripps spent Sunday at Oshawa and Port Whitby, and with Miss Doris Lambert, R. N., of Whitby. Rev. E. Ryerson Young, B. A., of Toronto, who was the minister in the United Church here on Sunday, was the guest of Mrs. Peter Smith at "Hillcrest," during his visit in Acton. Mrs. Wansbrough, and Mrs. Frank Day, of Rockwood, visited at Mr. Gordon MacKay's, in Toronto, over the week-ends. Mrs. Wansbrough visited her brother, Mr. Wm. Swackhamer, who is in poor health. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crewson and sons, Freddie and Eddie, and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Davidson spent Sunday in Streetsville. Miss Isabelle Crewson, who had been holidaying for two weeks with cousins, returned with them. Rev. M. M. Bennett and daughter, Catherine, of Toronto University, and Misses Fannie and Ella Bennett, of Saskatoon, Mrs. Burtland Conover, of Etobicoke, were the guests of Mrs. Robt. Bennett this week. Mrs. J. H. Stephens, of Hornby, Ontario, announces the engagement of her eldest daughter, Margaret Evelyn, R. N., to Clifford Sifton Wrigglesworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wrigglesworth, of Hornby, the marriage to take place early in September.

Various Items of Local Interest

Canadian Bacon to Receive Preference Canadian farmers will be assisted not only by the removal of British restrictions against live cattle, but also by the concessions which are to be made in respect to pig products. It is understood the United Kingdom delegation at the Imperial Conference have given assurance that bacon will not remain on the "free" list, but will be dealt with in such a manner as to give Empire producers a preference as against countries like Denmark. This action is to be taken when the Fox-Lane Commission, now investigating the British agricultural industry, completes its report. In pre-war years Canada enjoyed a profitable market for bacon in the Old Country. The United Kingdom also is dealing with the demands of Australia and New Zealand by the introduction of quantitative restrictions in respect to foreign meats, which will assure the overseas Dominions of a reasonable quota of British buying orders. The Supply of Wild Ducks About 75 per cent. of North America's wild duck supply is hatched and raised each year in Canada. In the sloughs and marshes of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and in a small portion of the Northwest Territories, the principal hatching grounds are located, and any adverse condition in this area affects the wild duck supply of the whole continent. Unprecedented weather conditions in parts of the prairie provinces during 1931 greatly curtailed the ordinary supply of this very attractive game bird. Conditions were considered so serious that in the United States, as well as in Canada the open season for duck shooting was shortened and the fear existed that the wild duck was actually in danger of extermination. Reports this year from waterfowl observers in the prairie provinces indicate an improvement in breeding conditions although it may take some years for the supply of waterfowl to reach its former abundance. Co-operation by sportsmen and by legislative means in the United States and in Canada is the most important factor in maintaining the supply of wild ducks. Canada's Principal Manufactures In a review of manufactures based on vegetable products, just issued by the Canadian Bureau of Statistics, flour milling is rated as the leading industry of the group from the point of gross value-of-products. This industry, which has existed to meet domestic needs for more than 300 years, has within recent times shown a spectacular development. There are 383 flour mills in Canada, many of them of the most modern type, and their capacity is far in excess of Canada's demands, amounting as high as 121,000 barrels per day. In 1930 Canada exported 7,514,788 barrels of wheat flour, and the Dominion is one of the leading world-factors in the wheat-flour industry. Singularly enough the rubber industry is another which has been developed to high importance in Canada. In 1930 Canada was the fifth largest importer of raw rubber in the world, ranking after the United States, the United Kingdom, France and Germany. Nearly \$70,000,000 is invested in the rubber industry in Canada, and the products of this industry find their way to the remote parts of the world. Spain, Peru, Dutch East Indies, Portuguese Africa and China are but a few of the countries where Canadian automobile tires are sold. The fruit and vegetable canning industry also occupies a position of importance with an output valued at over \$43,000,000. It is an industry which has made great progress in recent years, the volume of fruit and vegetable preparations produced having increased 321.4 per cent. during the period of 1923-29. Sugar refining is another large industry. In 1930 sugar refineries had a production valued at \$43,000,000. The Canadian tobacco industry in that year was credited with a production valued at nearly \$88,000,000.

THEY DECEIVE THEMSELVES By Arthur B. Rhinow The man who told me the story vouched for the truth of it, incredible though it may seem. In a little town in Pennsylvania the Salvation Army had helped a poor family for more than a year, supplying it with food, fuel and clothes. On their charitable visits these benefactors had noticed that the mattresses in the beds were old and soiled. So they decided to surprise the family with new mattresses. When they brought them, only the children were at home. Quickly the good Samaritans removed the old mattresses and burned them in the empty lot next to the house, and substituted the new mattresses for the old, all of which the children watched with delight, including the fire. When the father came home and was told of what had been done, he became frantic, and amid ravings confessed to the neighbors that he had hidden the savings of a lifetime, eleven thousand dollars, in those old mattresses. And yet he had passed as a poor man and had accepted charity. Stories like this undermine our confidence in human nature, and make it harder for us to continue our benevolence; for continue we must, especially when suffering is really acute. We dare not stop helping because we meet with deceivers. For they deceive themselves more than their fellowmen; they deserve pity more than punishment. They impoverish their souls. They will always live a small life, in spite of eleven thousand dollars hoarded away in a filthy mattress. We cannot be rich without the honesty of soul that links its interests with the interests of all mankind, and touches God.

PASSING THIS WAY BUT ONCE

Two young women were engaged in caring for parties of tourists passing along a national highway. They lived on opposite sides of the road, and often when there was not enough room in one house, the party divided and some went to the other. The young women were good friends with mutual likes, but they did not always agree as to the treatment of their transient guests. One believed in giving the promised accommodations and nothing more, while the other "put herself out to be nice to folks," as her friend called it. One argued that as the people were passing that way but once, strict, impartial sticking to the letter of the agreement was all that was necessary. She pointed out that people would easily impose upon the one who provided lodging and breakfast if not held firmly to rules and regulations. The other was sure something extra would not hopelessly spoil the party. "Well, if you return by this route, I'll be glad to have you stop with me," was the parting invitation of each young landlady. As most of the guests were persons of limited means, however, and wanting to get the most pleasure possible out of their brief vacation, they often said they meant to go back by a new way for the sake of the scenery. By the end of the busy season the young woman who took extra care of her guests was still crowded for space, while the one across the way often had empty rooms. "So many people seem to know you by name," she complained to her friend, "and will not stop with me unless you cannot take them." They say they have been recommended by friends to your house. "So it proved. One party after another drove up confidently, often stopping before nightfall to have the place, while others pulled in late and were disappointed if they had to be turned away. Over and over the girl across the way heard the familiar words: "Some of our friends stopped with Miss D. ——— earlier in the year and they simply fell in love with her and her house. They told us to tell her they were sorry they were not going to be able to pass this way for a long time, perhaps never." "And I thought it didn't pay to be anything but plain polite," said the girl across the way from the friendly hostess. "Even if they passed this way but once they are still grateful for kind treatment. Whatever it was, 'no one shall say it next season."

A CLERK'S ERROR

Jamaica reports a slight increase in the export of coconuts for the year 1932 to date. Millions of these tropical nuts reach Canada by Canadian National steamers. The word can be spelled "coconut" or "cocoanut," and the nut has nothing whatever to do with cocoa, which comes from the cocoa bean. Incidentally, it is claimed that cocoa should be spelled "cacao" and that a clerk's error is responsible for the now accepted orthography. Chocolate is produced from the cacao nut or cocoa bean. When does the bravest heart turn to stone? When it is a little boulder (bolder).

DON'T FORGET Your Jars Quart or Pints 79c per dozen We Also Have Two Quart Size. Good for pickling. Per dozen 95c SPECIAL 10 Castile Soap Bars for 25c 23 Piece Tea Set \$1.39 Reg. \$3.50. FOR SATURDAY ONLY Brown's Fruit Store Mill St., Acton Next to Wiles

GREGORY THEATRE FRIDAY, AUGUST 19 "Winner Take All" A breezy pugilistic, snappy story, starring James Cagney. Comedy, "Old Lace," Sports Reel, "Tennis," with Bill Tilden. SATURDAY, AUGUST 20 "Rainbow Trail" Zane Grey western, starring George O'Brien. Comedy, "The Torreador," Cartoon, "So's Your Old Man." Fox News. Silverware Night. MONDAY, AUGUST 22 "When a Feller Needs a Friend" Adapted from the story "Limpy," starring clever Jackie Cooper. Pitts & Todd Comedy, "Red Noses," Chapter 3 of "The Shadow of the Eagle." Dinnerware Night. COMING "ARROWSMITH" With Ronald Colman.

MARKET REPORTS

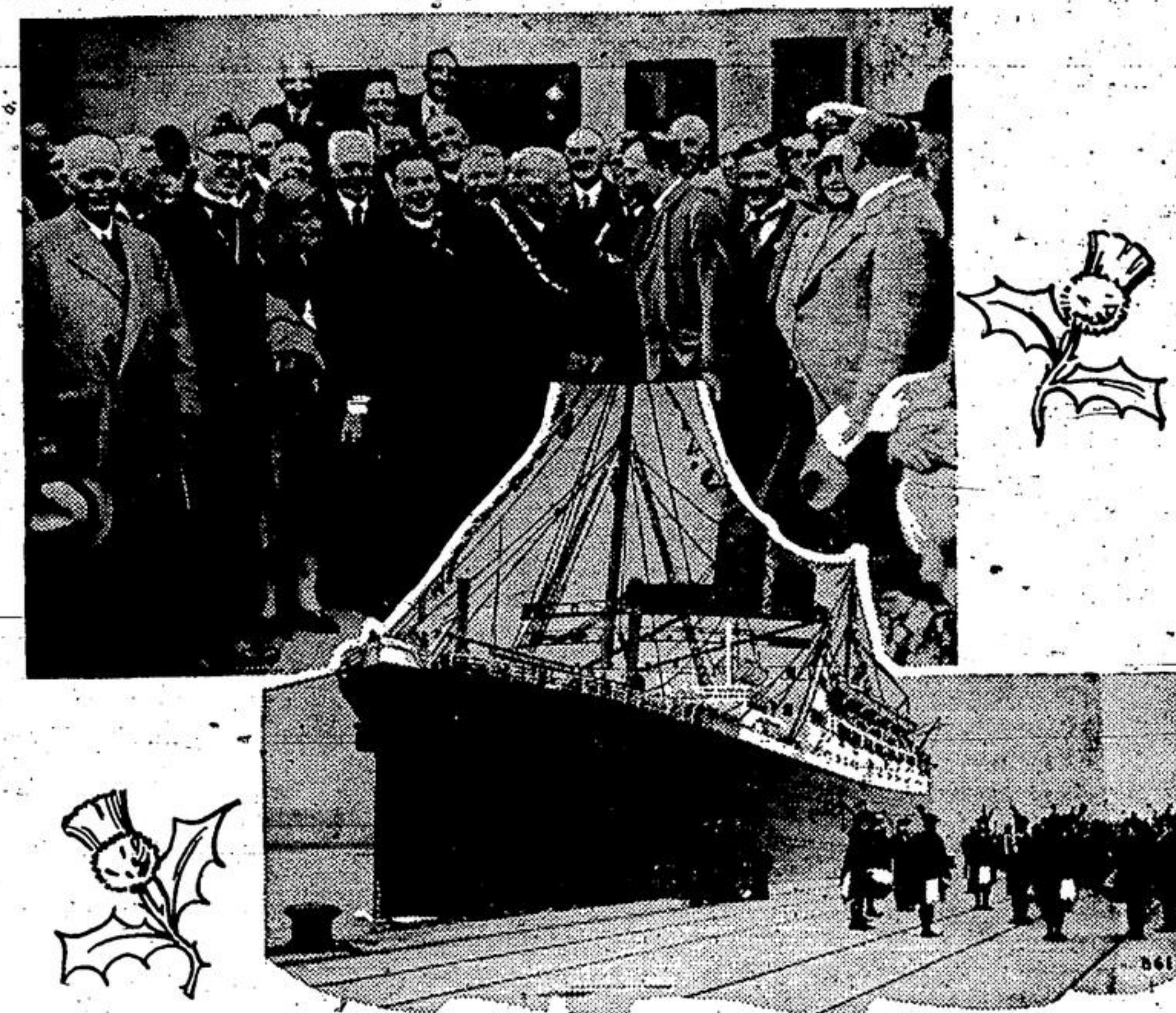
DAIRY PRODUCTS Quotations to Shippers These are Toronto quotations: Butter— Creamery, No. 1 pasteurized 19 to 20 do second 18 to 19 Above prices for goods delivered Toronto. Quotations to Retail Trade Butter— Creamery, prints No. 1 21 to 22 do second 20 to 21 Churning cream, f.o.b. country points— Special 16 to 17 No. 1 15 to 16 No. 2 12 to 13 POULTRY AND EGGS Quotations to country shippers delivered. Fresh extras 17 to 18 do firsts 14 to 15 do seconds 11 to 12 Quotations to Retail Trade Carton, fresh extras 23 to 24 Fresh extras, loose 21 to 22 Fresh firsts, loose 19 to 20 Fresh seconds 16 to 20 Quotations to Shippers Poultry— Alive Dressed Spring Chickens— Hens, over 5 lbs. 11 to 14 do 4 to 5 lbs. 10 to 13 do 3 1/2 to 4 lbs. 9 to 11 Spring Ducklings— Over 5 lbs. each 12 to 20 Over 4 to 5 lbs. each 10 to 20 Colored ducks, 3 cents less. Quotations above indicate the general market range in value to eggs and poultry on delivery basis. DRESSED MEATS Wholesale dealers in dressed meats quote the following prices to the trade— Beef, forequarters 7.00 to 8.00 Carcasses, choice 11.00 to 12.00 do medium 10.00 to 10.50 Calves, choice veal 7.00 to 8.00 Heavy hogs, cwt. 4.50 to 5.00 Light hogs, cwt. 4.50 to 5.00 Abattoir hogs 7.50 to 8.00 Lambs, cwt. 12.00 to 13.00 Mutton 4.00 to 7.00 HIDES AND WOOL Toronto dealers in hides and wool quote the following prices to shippers: City hides, green 1 1/2c; bulls and brands, 1 1/2c; country hides, green, 1c; do cured, 1 1/2c to 1 3/4c; calf, green, 2c; country calf, cured, 1 1/2c; calf veal kip, 2c; country veal kip, do cured, 1 1/2c to 2c; Country grasser kip, 1 1/2c; horsehides, No. 1, 75c; No. 2, 60c; tallow, solid barrels, No. 1, 1 1/2c to 1 3/4c; cakes, 1 1/2c to 2c pound. HAY AND STRAW Extra No. 2 Timothy, in car loads 11.00 to 11.50 No. 3 Timothy 8.00 to 10.00 Timothy, lower grades 6.00 to 6.00 Straw, medium 7.50 to 8.00 do oats 7.50 to 10.00 do rye 9.00 to 10.00 All straw must be good length. POTATOES Ontario, new, bags, 60c to 65c. Prices on car lot, delivered on track, and via truck, respectively, Toronto. GRAIN QUOTATIONS Grain dealers on the Toronto Board of Trade are making the following quotations, c.i.f. bay ports— No. 1 Northern, 62 1/2c. No. 2 Northern, 59 1/2c. No. 3 Northern, 58 1/2c. Ontario Grain—Wheat, 36c to 41c; barley, 35c to 40c; oats, 29c to 30c; rye, 45c; buckwheat, 45c; corn, 47c to 49c. WHOLESALE FRUIT PRICES Fruit on sale at Toronto wholesale houses are quoted as follows: Apples, Duchess, bus. 75 to 1.25 Blueberries, 11 quarts 75 to 1.00 Sweet cherries, 6 quarts 30 to 75 do sour, 6 quarts 20 to 25 do sour, 11 quarts 35 to 40 Gooseberries, 6 quarts 40 to 70 Raspberries, red 60 to 80 do black 65 to 90 Peaches, 6 quarts 40 to 50 Thimbleberries, pint 65 to 80 CURRENT LIVE STOCK PRICES Heavy beef steers 6.00 6.50 Butcher steers, choice 5.25 6.00 do common 3.50 4.00 Heifers, choice 4.75 5.00 do fair to good 3.00 5.00 Butcher cows, good 3.00 3.25 do medium 2.25 2.75 Canners and cutters .50 1.75 Baby beef 6.00 7.50 Butcher bulls 2.50 3.25 do bologna 1.50 2.25 Feeders, good 4.25 4.50 Stockers 3.00 4.00 Springers 35.00 45.00 Calves, good and choice 4.50 6.50 do medium 3.50 4.25 do common 3.00 3.50 do grassers 2.00 2.50 Sheep 1.00 2.50 Lambs, choice 5.50 6.00 do bucks 4.75 5.00 Hogs, f.o.b. 4.65 4.75 do off cars 5.25 5.50 do off trucks 5.00

AND THE BATTLE RAGED Little Billy Bilgewater was attending his first grand opera. The dramatic soprano and the motions of the orchestra conductor held the attention of the audience. "Papa, what's that man shaking his stick at the lady for?" the lad asked during the performance. "Shh. He's not shaking his stick at her." "Then," said Billy, still unconvinced, "what's she hollering for?" GOOD FOR THE CROPS "Do you think early rising is good for your health?" asked the languid city visitor. "I don't know 'bout my health," replied Extra Gobbles, "but, next to sun, rain and fertilizer, it's the best thing there is for crops."

The Best Stores in Town

I believe the chances are ten to one in favor of a merchant who is aggressive, modern and probably gaining on his competition town or city and after a little study, pick out the best stores in town. I believe any experienced advertising man could do it. I know of a town where one store always had had the woman's ready-to-wear business. It advertised modestly. Then along came two out-of-towners, established their store, began advertising in vigorous fashion, using twice the amount of space of the older store. In a few months business began to swing. Guess who has the largest business now. Similar opportunities exist in every town today—more of them than ever before.—Copyright 1932.

Welcomed to Scotland



Six hundred Canadians who call Glasgow home, were greeted on their arrival in the Clyde city by Sir Thomas Kelly, L.L.D., Lord Provost, and the magistrates of the city, when they arrived recently in the Canadian Pacific liner "Duchess of Bedford" for a re-union. Gathered together from all parts of Canada, and transported by special train to Montreal, the Glaswegians are making a two-months stay, during which they are being entertained by the City of Glasgow, its manufacturers, and their friends. Proceedings opened Tuesday, July 26th, when the Lord Provost, magistrates and councillors held a reception in the Art Galleries at Kelvingrove. The party, which left Montreal in the Duchess of Bedford, July 6, returns from Glasgow Saturday, August 29, in the same 20,000-ton liner.

Don't Go! Come! "Where shall I go to get it?" mentally asks the man or woman with a want to be supplied. "Don't go! Come!" says the merchant who advertises. "Here are the goods you want; here is the service you need," he adds. Newspaper advertising is the most travelled bridge between supply and demand. That is Why it Pays the Advertiser Who Uses The Acton Free Press