

LOWER WORK STOPPAGES

The number of work stoppages arising from industrial disputes in Canada during 1952 was considerably lower than the figure for 1951...

HALF SAFE

Motorist—Hey, there, why's only one half of this crossing gate down? Gatekeeper—We're half expecting a train.



THE GREEKS

HAVE A WORD FOR IT

... WE MEAN the magic word that tells a mule to get going. It probably worked better than usual recently, when Greek mule-drivers had to transport into the isolated interior, roofing materials needed for the construction of refugee shelters...

Another nice thing about aluminum's lightness is that a given poundage goes two to three times as far as with other metals. It also means that aluminum, with all its advantages, actually costs less, too...

Makes Windbreak Mulching Trees

Comparative results of three years' investigations at the Forest Nursery Station, Indian Head, Sask., indicated that proper mulching of trees may be a satisfactory method of establishing windbreaks...

Data obtained during the growing seasons of 1948, 1950 and 1951 indicated that mulching of trees grown since 1942 at the Station, in belts 4 x 4 feet, tended to increase the water content of twigs...

Results of these investigations have also indicated that the effects of mulching appeared to be more pronounced following more prolonged and lighter application of artificial mulch as compared to heavier application but of shorter duration.

It is of considerable importance to note that no evidence was found to indicate that the various mulch treatments delayed the maturity of the twigs during the growing season.

Proper control of rodents is essential, however, if mulching is to be used successfully.

TYPICAL

It was Parents' Day at a small country school. Mrs. Smith was sitting with her eyes glued on the curtain when it suddenly rose on little Harry Jones attired in a toga.

Ninety per cent of Canadian milk production moves to market by truck.

FASHION HINT



The new slim, narrow look is beautifully interpreted in this rayon crepe dress with its figure glorifying lines. The trouble is, you need a figure that's worth glorifying before you try buying any of these extremely slim dresses.

Spring and summer are the best times of year to inaugurate a reducing scheme, though, for fresh fruits are coming into the market and it's a pleasure to give up fattening desserts for fruit, and meat and potatoes for a fresh salad.

CURIOS HEN

He: What are all our chickens hanging around the front of the house for? She: Just curious. They heard you were going to lay a sidewalk.

CLEARING AUCTION SALE

of Reg. and Grade Shorthorn Cattle, Horses, Poultry, Ford Tractor, Farm Implements and Furniture

The undersigned have received instructions from J. A. STOKES to sell by Public Auction at his farm, 3 miles north of Nelson Village, 2 miles south of Lowville, in the township of Nelson, on SATURDAY, APRIL 4...

REG. AND GRADE SHORTHORN CATTLE

1 Red Cow, calf side, 4 years old; 1 Red Cow, calf at side, 5 years old; 1 Blue Cow, calf at side; 1 Red Heifer, due June 15; 1 Red Heifer, due May 5; 1 Holstein Heifer, due May 5; 1 Holstein Cow, milking, bred Feb. 11; 1 Red Cow, milking, bred Feb. 27; 1 Red Heifer, 18 months old; 1 Fat Steer, 2 years old; 1 Baby Beef.

POULTRY, POULTRY EQUIPMENT, HAY AND CLOVER SEED

200 White Sussex Hens, laying 80% per cent, blood tested, fisher's breed; 19 Breeding Roosters, same breed; Electric Brooder; 2 Coal Brooders; Brooder House, 10x12, wired for hydro; Brooder, House Rack; Water Fountains; 2 small Brooder Houses; Feeders; Etc.

FARM IMPLEMENTS, TRACTOR, Etc.

Ford Tractor, with lights and tires loaded, 3 years old; M.D. Hay Loader; Deere Plow, 2-furrow; Cockshutt Double Disc; M.D. 3 section Deere Cultivator; Cockshutt Manure Spreader; Cockshutt Dump Rake; Bain Wagon; M.H. Grain Binder, 6 ft.; M.H. Mower, 5 ft.; Flat Hay Rack; M.H. Hay Tedder; Slush Scraper; M.H. Seed Drill, 11 row; Root Pulper; M.H. Land Roller, steel; Bag Truck; Team Disc, 14 plate; 3 section Harrow; 4 section Harrow; Hay Fork; M.H. Wheel Cultivator; 2 Fleury Plows, No. 21; Wheelbarrow; 2 wheel Trailer for car; Extension Ladder; 2 Single Scufflers; Fanning Mill; Car, Ropes and Pulleys; Hog Troughs; Steel Water Trough; Hog Crates; Wood Water Trough; Fence Stretchers; Hand Power Clippers; Grain Bags; a no. of Cedar Fence Posts; Post Hole Spoon and Bar; Oil Drums; Electric Fencer; Cyclone Seeder; Quantity of heavy Poultry Feeds; Quantity of Lumber; Cross Cut Saw; M.H. Cream Separator with motor; Electric Pail Heater; Milk Pails; Plank for Gravel Box; Forks; Shovels; Chains; Doubletree; Necessaries; Etc.

FURNITURE

Mendelssohn Piano; Extension Table and 6 chairs to match; Kitchen Cabinet with high glass top; Moffat Electric Stove, 4 burner, high oven; Finlay Circular Heater, coal or wood; McLary's white enamel Escoort Cook Stove, coal or wood; Steel Bed; Wood Bedroom Suite with Dresser and washstand; Crosbey Heater; Electric Washing Machine 25 cycle; Old Fashioned Chest of Drawers; Daisy Churn; Glass Churn; Butter Bowl and Ladle; A few odd Dishes and numerous small household effects.

TERMS: Cash Settlement with Clerk day of Sale.

No reserve as the farm is sold and Proprietor is giving up farming. Refreshments Booth.

Finder & Elliott, Auctioneers Ph. Rockwood 193 or 171J Milton L. McMillan, Clerk b-2-38

Chronicles of Ginger Farm. Written Specially for the Acton Free Press by Gwendoline P. Clarke. My column this week, will, I hope, be of special interest to W.I. members everywhere...

Poet's Corner GOOD FRIDAY 1953. If we should harbor malice in our hearts, How could we kneel, commune with God in prayer...

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MANNING ELECTRIC. The lowly gummy sack is on the comeback trail, reports the Financial Post. But Canada's kraft manufacturers, nurturing an ambitious \$10-\$12 million a year competitive bag industry are far from happy about the trend...

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Where's your glass of milk grandpa? Dairy Foods Service Bureau. 'Well, Cathy, it's out in the kitchen, and I'll get it before we have our story. Folks my age need to drink milk too, just as much as you young 'uns. A wise old doctor, who knows a lot about it, says milk keeps my bones strong and straight... just like it's helping yours to grow.'