

News and Information For the Busy Farmer

Annual Conventions
Ontario Growers' Association—Feb. 1, King Edward Hotel, Toronto.
Ontario Field Crop and Seed Growers—Feb. 2, King Edward Hotel, Toronto.
Class "B" Fairs Association—Feb. 2, King Edward Hotel, Toronto.
Ontario Agricultural Societies—Feb. 3, King Edward Hotel, Toronto.
Seed Display—Feb. 1 to 4, King Edward Hotel, Toronto.
Ontario Cheese Producers' Association—February 16-17, Peterborough.
Ontario Egg and Poultry Association—Toronto—February 17-18.

The Hay Market
DEMAND: Movement is still quiet in Eastern and Central Ontario and active in Northern Ontario.

Southwestern Ontario
DEMAND: Hay is in fair demand and there is some prospect for export to the United States.

Ontario Seed Grain
After a careful survey of the seed situation for the spring of 1938, the Department finds that there are sufficient oats and barley in the province to look after the seed requirements.

LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT
Labor, as the term is commonly understood, has more than a theoretical interest in the movement afoot to stimulate the sale of Produced in Canada merchandise.

Green Feed for Poultry
At all times of the year an abundance of green feed is essential to the health of the poultry flock.

High speed traffic slips in front of a school at the corner of the Middle Road clover leaf, north of Port Credit, but no fears for its 180 children are felt by parents or teachers.

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COUNTY COUNCIL

THE inaugural meeting of Halton county council was held in Milton on Tuesday, January 18. There was no change in the 1938 council except for Esquimaux township, where Neil Robinson succeeded George Currie as Reeve and W. A. Wilson succeeded Neil Robinson as Deputy Reeve.

The Warden-elect made his declaration of office before His Honor Judge Munro, who complimented the Warden on the honor accorded him.

Moved by Mr. Gordon, seconded by Mr. Wilson, that the ex-Warden and Warden be appointed as Commissioners to the House of Refuge.

Moved by Mr. Hall, seconded by Mr. McNiven, that Mr. Gordon be appointed to the County Roads Committee for the years 1938 to 1942.

It was moved by Mr. Byers, seconded by Mr. Irving, that Mr. J. B. L. Grout be appointed to the Oakville High School Board for three years.

Members of the standing committees were as follows: Finance—Irving, Hall, Allen, Robinson; Education—Robinson, Gordon, Blair and Davis; Printing—McCutcheon, Kerns, Gilbert and Buyers; County Buildings—Allen, McNiven, Irving and McCutcheon; Special Communications—McNiven, Buyers, Gilbert and Gordon; Hospitals—Buyers, Kerns, Davis and Blair; Railway Legislation and Agriculture—Gordon, Kerns, Gilbert, Blair and Wilson; County Roads—Hall, Robinson, McNiven and Hewson; County Bridges—Davis, Wilson, Blair and Gilbert.

The council will meet again next Tuesday.

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Cynthia Finds Her Heart

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WHEN the Chiltons moved into the city, and left the old house, occupied by strangers, the young people breathed sighs of relief that the dullness of country life was to be succeeded by the wider life of the city.

Even Mrs. Chilton was stirred by the change, though, sometimes, when Cynthia and Robert had gone gaily away on pleasure bent, she would dream of the old days before her husband died.

CYNTHIA brushed her tears away and told the story that had marred her perfect enjoyment in the business world.

"Why, Mother," said Cynthia's trembling voice, "he asked me to marry him last week, and I wanted to wait a little longer—to be sure just where my heart was—and while I waited for him to ask me again,"

"At the supper table Robert announced that he was going to change his job. 'There's a man in Washington market who needs a young fellow to keep books and I can get forty for it—I won't work for that sly old fox.'"

"Will you like the market as well?" asked his mother. "Don't I sneak down there as often as I can?" confessed Rob. "I like the smell of green vegetables and fruit—the apples make me think of the orchard back home—Gee, Mother, why did we ever rent it? I wish we could go back—I had a letter from Jim Jones and he says his folks don't think our place is big enough for them—he says his married brother in Terryville is coming to live with them—"

MR. CHILTON looked up eagerly. "Oh, I hope so, dear—I do hope we may be able to go back to the old place again—I have never been really happy since we left it."

"Mother, dear, I know you have been lonely here with no friends—little brother," Cynthia addressed Robert, who looked panic-stricken at sight of his mother's joy. "I'm afraid you and I have been very selfish since Dad went."

Rob laughed relievedly. "Gee, but I've been homesick, but I kept thinking this is lots better than Marbury—Cynthia's so pretty she'll marry a bank president and I'll have a big job in his office."

They all laughed at Rob's ambitions, but Mrs. Chilton was thinking about how lovely it would be to rearrange the furniture in the old house, Cynthia was planning to get another school position. Rob rattled on. "I'm going to keep chickens and run a truck farm. Saturdays I'll work in Hoskins' store until I don't have to any more. Mother, Jimmy says to tell you that Roger keeps our cemetery plot all fixed up, and the other day he put some pansies on Dad's grave. Roger's a good sport, believe me."

Cynthia looked startled at the mention of Roger and what he had done, and that evening her mother wrote to Jimmy Jones, father about the old house, and begged him not to mention it for the present. It was late summer when the Chiltons left the city; Cynthia was glad because the impossible Sidney Fox had returned and her position was intolerable. The day she came home from the office for good, she sighed happily.

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GENERAL NEWS
Hand injuries received by Provincial M. R. Hodgson, Brampton, while arresting two transients last week will keep him off duty for a week. The two men, Albert Morris, Collingwood, and Herbert Oulton, Toronto, appeared before Magistrate L. J. C. Bull charged with being intoxicated in a public place.
Trafalgar public utilities commission finished the year with a balance of \$2,082, according to the report just issued to subscribers. Cost of power was \$8,821; maintenance and rebuilding, \$3,261; construction, \$770; administration and general expenses, \$1,585; principal and debentures and interest, \$1,673. Sale of power to residents brought \$13,973, and commercial sale \$645.
Mayor Edmund Syer, Milton will mark a quarter of a century of municipal service to Milton with the inaugural of this year's council. He was acclaimed mayor at the recent nominations to fill the vacancy created by retirement of Dr. G. A. Martin. Mr. Syer's long experience includes six years as mayor, two as reeve and 17 as councillor. With the exception of two years he has been a member of the council since 1910. He was elected by acclamation for each of his six years as mayor.
Harry Hilson, Jr., Milton Heights sentenced to serve 10 days in jail at Milton, was removed to Hamilton General Hospital last week. He is believed to have bronchial pneumonia. According to Governor Frank McNiven, Hilson contracted an extremely heavy cold before the trial.