

FARM NEWS

Price Squeeze Creates New Agriculture Problems

J. E. W.
Since 1951, the index of farm product prices in Canada has fallen from 268 to 206 and the index of commodity and services used by the farmer has risen from 230 to 242. The prices of two products which we are most concerned with in Ontario, beef and processed milk, have fallen much more than indicated by the above index.

This price squeeze is going to create many farm problems not encountered for several years. The traditional way of meeting such price squeezes in the past, was to retire as far as possible to self-sufficiency on the farm and clamp down on expenditures. This was possible to a large degree in the days when a farmer raised his own power (horses) and grew his own fuel (oats and hay) and had low taxes, no hydro, and several other cash expenses which are the normal part of farm living now. It is our opinion that many are going to try that method again. It is again our opinion, that after trying it out for a year or two, farm operators too, will find it does not work any more.

Many of the farmer's expenses are of a nature which will not shrink with farm prices as grain did formerly. Consequently the farm operator is going to have to look for economies in the combination of farm enterprises and farm practices.

Farm Management studies reveal that the difference in net returns between farms lies in the following factors:

1. Yield per acre;
2. Yield per Animal Unit (per cow, per sow, per hen, etc.);
3. Output per man;
4. Output per dollar invested;
5. Size of Operation;
6. Combination of enterprises.

The first two are old familiar farm practices. The last four are mainly the result of business organization. The first two have and always will be important factors. Nevertheless as we look at conditions as they are now, it would seem that in the future we must give more attention to the latter four. In them, as we see it, the managing ability of the farm operator is going to play an increasingly important part.

Pipe Band, Church Ladies Have Showers for Bride

Many showers and presentations were held for Mrs. William Staines, who was Mary Carney before her marriage a week ago Saturday in Norval United Church.

Miss Pauline Tyers was hostess when members of Georgetown Girls Pipe Band had a personal shower, and Mrs. Noel Butterworth was hostess at another personal shower which took place at the home of Mrs. Butterworth's mother, Mrs. Roy Bradley, in Georgetown.

Ladies of Norval United Church held a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Norman Laidlaw. The bride's aunt, Mrs. Elmer Carney, had a cup and saucer shower at her home, R. H. 4, Georgetown and the same night a presentation was made by members of the church choir.

Marilyn Cunningham invited a group of friends to a miscellaneous shower at the home of her mother, Mrs. Robert Cunningham, in Agincourt, the groom's home town. Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Risenborough had a party and presentation for the couple, as did Messrs. William and Oliver Dale. Maurice Patterson, who was groomsmen, entertained for the groom at a stag party, when a smoker was presented to Mr. Staines.

Vern Swackhamer Was Native of Limehouse

A former Limehouse man, Vern Swackhamer died in Albany, New York on April 18th. He had been in hospital for a week following a stroke and heart attack.

Son of the late David and Mary Swackhamer, he leaves his wife Jennie, a sister Mrs. Laura McKechnie, Toledo, Ohio, and a brother Fred Swackhamer, New Westminster, B.C.

Bandmaster's Son Wed at Brampton

St. Paul's United Church, Brampton, was the scene of the wedding on April 24th of Ethel Viola Preston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Preston, and John Howard Perrott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Perrott. The groom's father is the bandmaster of the Lorne Scots brass band.

Rev. John McDermid officiated. Mrs. Fulton played the organ and Miss Ellipor Maw was soloist.

The bride wore a gown of white Swiss embroidery, with elbow length veil of nylon net held in place with a headpiece of orange blossoms. She carried red roses. Margaret Preston was her sister's maid of honour, wearing pink Swiss embroidery and a halo of pink roses. Bridesmaid Carol Harnsworth wore a similar ensemble in blue.

Donald Egan was best man and the ushers were Neil Preston, the bride's brother, and Brock Harley, Lindsay, brother in law of the groom.

Receiving in the Legion Hall were the two mothers, Mrs. Preston wearing grey nylon with black and white accessories and Mrs. Perrott in rose crepe and mauve accessories. Mr. and Mrs. Perrott are living in Brampton following a wedding trip to Ottawa and Montreal.

STEWARTTOWN

MRS. L. H. GREENWOOD BURIED AT WESTON

Mrs. Bizard received word Thursday afternoon that Mrs. L. H. Greenwood had died. She had been in the Toronto General Hospital for some months. Burial was at Sanctuary Park Cemetery, Weston, on Saturday afternoon.

The Junior WA meeting was held at Mrs. Baily's home. Gretha Gouslag chose "Mothers of Salem" for the opening hymn and conducted the worship service. The Sunday Pledge was remembered in the prayers. The Sunday School by Post, Thelma Ewins took care of that part of the service. Judy Walker read minutes of the last meeting, seconded by Bette Mae Milham. The girls started the story of Hoosier the Blind Boy and sewed on layette in the busy period.

St. John's Guild held a successful euchre and dance Friday evening in Esqueness Township Hall. Thirty tables of euchre were played and prize winners were: Ladies, 1st, Mrs. Hazen Graham, 2nd, Mrs. Manley Denmore; Men: 1st, David Lawson, 2nd, Gloria Zilio. Winners of Luck Prizes: 1st, electric coffee percolator, Betty Garbutt; 2nd quilt, John Stark, Milton, 3rd, cake plate, Jackie Barclay, Stewarttown. Karn's Orchestra played for the dancing.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF William Christopher Reynolds, Office Manager, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of William Christopher Reynolds, late of the Town of Georgetown, office Manager, who died on or about the 2nd day of March, A.D. 1954, are hereby notified to send particulars of same to the undersigned on or before the 29th day of May, A.D. 1954, after which date the estate will be distributed with regard only to the claims of which the undersigned shall then have notice, and the undersigned will not be liable to any person of whose claim she shall not then have notice.

DATED at Georgetown, this 26th day of April, A.D. 1954.
Opal Elizabeth Reynolds, sole executrix of the estate of William Christopher Reynolds, by her Solicitors, Dale & Bennett, Georgetown, 5-12

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Anyone having accounts against the estate of the late Mrs. Francis Coetigan are requested to have same sent the undersigned within 30 days of this notice, and that the undersigned will not be liable for any accounts received after this date. — James Coetigan, Executor.

Margaret Bradley HARDING

Pianist — Teacher
Studio — Main St. South
TR. 7-3203

BRUCE HARDING

Pianist
Teacher
Studio — Main St. South
TR. 7-2578

Neighbourhood Sewing Machine SALES AND SERVICE

PHONE TR. 7-2802

- New, Used and Rebuilt Machines
- Guaranteed Repairs to all Makes
- We can supply parts for any make or age.
- Electrical Conversions
- Budget Terms
- Rentals \$5.00 per month

Every Day Service
808 HARRY SMITH
45 Hilda Street North
Opposite Municipal Hall

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF Arthur George Reeve, Gentleman, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of Arthur George Reeve, late of the Town of Georgetown, gentleman, who died on or about the 3rd day of March, A.D. 1954, are hereby notified to send particulars of same to the undersigned on or before the 29th day of May, A.D. 1954, after which date the estate will be distributed with regard only to the claims of which the undersigned shall then have notice, and the undersigned will not be liable to any person of whose claim she shall not then have notice.

DATED at Georgetown, this 26th day of April, A.D. 1954.
Annie Maria Reeve, sole executrix of the estate of Arthur George Reeve, by her Solicitors, Dale and Bennett, Georgetown, Ont. 5-12

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF Margaret Smythe, widow, deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of Margaret Smythe, late of the Town of Georgetown, widow, who died on or about the 3rd day of April, 1953, are hereby notified to send particulars of same to the undersigned on or before the 29th day of May, 1954, after which date the estate will be distributed with regard only to the claims of which the undersigned will then have notice, and the undersigned will not be liable to any person of whose claim he shall not then have notice.

DATED at Georgetown, this 26th day of April, A.D. 1954.
Aubrey Grant, sole executor of the estate of Margaret Smythe, by his Solicitors, Dale and Bennett, Georgetown, Ontario 5-12



"Careful, Pauline!"

Of course no one would dream of climbing a telephone pole without being especially careful. Yet every time you climb a shaky ladder or stand on a rickety chair you may not realize what a big chance you're taking. Actually more people have accidents right at home than anywhere else.

By avoiding accidents you save more than suffering and worry — you save money, too! In a family the size of ours (we're now over 31,000), these savings are important. That's why our employees are not only thoroughly trained to use safety tools and methods, but continually reminded to take every precaution to avoid injury to themselves and others.

It's another way we help keep costs down so we can provide you with the best possible telephone service at the lowest possible cost.

How to prevent home accidents is shown in "Home Safe Home", a folder available free from the Health Department of your Provincial Government or from the Department of National Health and Welfare, Ottawa.



THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CANADA

"Lucky Dollars"

PAY OFF DAILY in the TELY

\$2,500⁰⁰ weekly!

Match your dollar bills with the list of Canadian one-dollar bill serial numbers published daily in The Tely . . . Anyone can win \$10, \$25, \$50, \$100, \$200 or \$500. Ten new numbers published every day in The Tely. Sixty new numbers published every week in The Tely. See today's Tely for details.

Your Dollar may be worth \$10, \$25, \$50, \$100, \$200 or \$500.

THE TELEGRAM

DAILY & WEEKEND
Toronto 1

Order The Tely NOW from your newsdealer, the carrier on your street, or phone EMpire 8-6011.

For Expert Eye Care

— consult —
O. T. WALKER
OPTOMETRIST
3 Main St. North — Brampton
(Over Abell's Drug Store)
Phone: Office 599 — Res. 830
Hours — 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily
Evenings by appointment

CUT FLOWERS

Artistic Floral Arrangements for all occasions!
WALTER RIGG
Florist
TRiangle 7-3292
Member of Telegraph Delivery Service
"Tell It With Flowers"

MORTGAGE LOANS

under the provisions of
THE NATIONAL HOUSING ACT, 1954,
may be arranged through
any branch of the Royal Bank



Before you discuss the details of your project, save yourself time and trouble by reading our pamphlet "Loans for Home Building". It describes the basic conditions under which loans may be made. Ask for a copy at any of our branches.

THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA