



## EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS

by *Don Graham*

Do you think you're too old to achieve success? Have you resigned yourself to a life of mediocre achievement?

Henry Ford was more than forty before he became established on the road to fame and fortune. Yet he was but one of a host of great leaders in all fields who did not make their mark until they reached middle age.

This is not surprising. For there is plenty of evidence to prove that, in almost every kind of work, peak efficiency is only attained after many years of experience. An efficiency test of factory workers showed that top producers averaged forty-seven years of age!

"Ah," says someone, "but

you can't teach an old dog new tricks!"

Nonsense! Modern psychology has exploded this idea sky high. The middle-aged can learn just as well as youth—if they want to. So if you feel that lack of education or technical knowledge is holding you back, don't just bemoan the fact. Start a planned program of study. It's worth the effort!

Practical men of middle-age make definite preparations for their retirement. Millions of people have saved for their old age through life insurance and enjoy basic comforts — and often such "extras" as new homes or travel — which bring happiness in "sunset years".

## Development of Corn Is Ahead of Normal Because of Weather

It's an ill-wind that blows no man good, observed an official of the Crops Branch, Ontario Department of Agriculture, as he considered reports on development of corn in the province. Due to semi-tropical conditions resulting from drought and rain that came too late to save the hay, a bumper crop of corn is now indicated.

"Weather is never standard" this official noted. "We can not be sure that the thermometer will reach 85 on July 10, nor that there will be no frost after June 15 or before September 20. Rain on Thursday, clear on Sunday, is never assured, yet we plan our seed time and harvest on the calendar because of experience and custom."

He pointed out that frost is looked for in mid-May and potatoes are planted around May 24. Wheat is sown about September 1. And nine out of ten years these arbitrary dates are a good and sufficient guide. However, there are exceptions and 1949 has certainly been the exception.

"The same weather, plus rain which came too late to save the hay, has as one agriculturist puts it, created semi-tropical conditions and has changed corn prospects from very poor to very good. In spite of a poor start, corn has made remarkable growth and will be ready for silo two weeks ahead of normal."

At the same time, he remarked, 3,000,000 tons of hay have been lost due to dry weather, and it must be knocked off supply of roughage for next winter's use.

The moral of the story, he observed, is that if the normal date for silo-filling is September 24, in order to ensile the 1949 crop and avoid spoilage due to over-maturity, decks should be cleared for silo-filling about September 14.

"Again," the crop expert says, "it all depends on the weather, but it certainly pays to be prepared." He pointed out that experts say that the right time to fill the silo is when corn contains 70 to 75 per cent moisture. This condition is reached between early and late dough stages in the corn's development.

Too much moisture results in sour silage. Too little means mouldy silage. It is even possible to be fooled by the corn itself, because hybrid types remain green farther into maturity than do the open-pollinated types.

The smash hit picture, "Mr. Belvedere Goes to College," playing this week for six days in Markham Roxy, will play the Stanley Theatre in Stouffville for four big days, Sept. 19, 20, 21, 22. See it at your local theatre.

## Seeks U.S. Help In Fight Against Reds



Philippine President Elpidio Quirino is shown addressing the house of representatives where he called upon the U.S. to co-operate with his government against Communist forces in the Far East. The visiting chief of state addressed the house in the ways and means committee room in which it is now temporarily quartered. In the foreground are reading clerks and page boys.

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Blue Heifer, 3 yrs., due time of sale  
2 Holstein Heifers, 3 yrs., due time of sale

Holstein Cow, 5 yrs., due time of sale

Holstein Cow, 6 yrs., due time of sale

Holstein Cow, 4 yrs., due time of sale

Holstein Heifer, 3 yrs., due Sept. 15

Holstein Heifer, 3 yrs., due Sept. 23

Holstein Heifer, 3 yrs., due Oct. 20

Holstein Heifer, 3 yrs., due Oct. 29

Holstein Heifer, 3 yrs., due Oct. 19

Holstein Heifer, 3 yrs., due Oct. 7

Holstein Heifer, 4 yrs., due Sept. 20

Holstein Heifer, 5 yrs., due Sept. 25

Holstein Heifer, 5 yrs., due Oct. 14

Holstein Heifer, 7 yrs., due Sept. 13

Black Cow, 5 yrs., due Sept. 7

Holstein Cow, 4 yrs., due Sept. 25

Holstein Cow, 4 yrs., due Sept. 10

Holstein Cow, 5 yrs., due Sept. 4

Holstein Cow, 5 yrs., due Oct. 14

Holstein Cow, 4 yrs., due sale time

Holstein Cow, 5 yrs., due Oct. 19

Holstein Cow, 4 yrs., due Sept. 12

Holstein Cow, 3 yrs., due Sept. 15

Holstein Cow, 5 yrs., due Oct. 20

Holstein Cow, 5 yrs., bred in April

Holstein Cow, 6 yrs., bred in April

Red Cow, 4 yrs., fresh, calf by side

Holstein Cow, 4 yrs., fresh, calf by side

Holstein Heifer, 3 yrs., bred in March

Holstein Heifer, 3 yrs., bred in March

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4 2-year-old Holstein Heifers, due in Nov.

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Speaking of naming streets, Mc

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## MAMA, DADDY, NOW BABY, HAVE SAME BIRTHDAYS

From here on there will be a triple birthday celebration in the Fred Talbot home, in Richmond, Indiana.

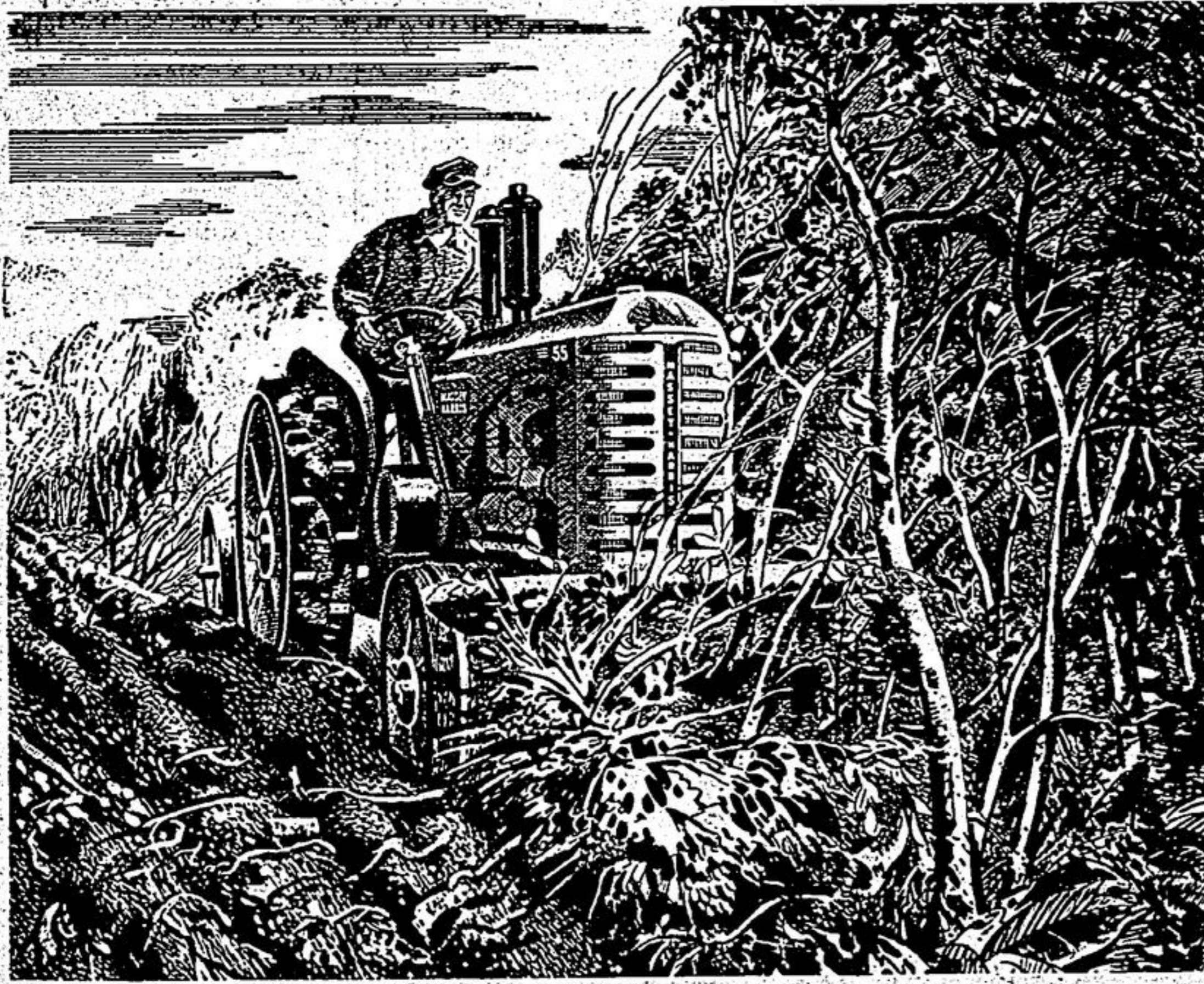
Talbot and his wife each celebrate their birthday Aug. 14. A week ago Sunday Mrs. Talbot gave birth to a baby daughter, Dianne.

The hospital kicked in with a big birthday cake for mama and papa.

## Good Grain Yields Reported Along With \$11 Straw

One of the best grain crops harvested in the immediate locality of Stouffville this season came off the former Mertens farm just west of town. The property, it will be recalled was sold a couple of years ago to Mr. Steve Koteles, who is still employed in Toronto, but is able to operate his farm as well, and do a good job too. Wheat on the farm this year harvested 50-60 bushels to the acre while ten acres of oats yielded 185 bags of grain. Mr. Koteles used a combine to harvest the grain and sold the straw at \$11 a ton, so that it may be said he touched the high spots in good returns all along the line.

Since acquiring this historic old farm, Mr. Koteles has systematically made improvements, bringing in hydro and other conveniences, and intends in due time to modern the barns to fit the kind of farming he intends to pursue.



## Extending the Frontiers of Canadian Farming

Twenty years ago, agricultural scientists looked askance on the idea of farming Canada's vast northland. The brief northern growing season was too short, they said. The number of horses a farmer would need to work his land, and get his crop sown in time to mature, would eat him out of house and barn. But then came power farming!

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