

\$24,000 Damage When Fire Razes New Barn

A Whitchurch Township fire which did \$24,000 worth of damage to a barn which was just nearing completion and \$19,000 to grain stored in the building and to farm implements, was discovered recently by the farm

manager, Ed. Dow. Apparently the fire broke out on the main floor of the concrete and metal barn and had gained such a head-way by the time Aurora firemen arrived that there was little they could do to save the building. The barn is owned by James McLeod, R.R.2, Aurora.

Locust Hill Grand Champion Goat Is Quite Ill

A little girl of two got sick and had to be taken home from the Royal Winter Fair Thursday night just after the greatest moment in her life. She was Kerrycroft Patch of Locust Hill, a Toggenberg goat who stands as high as a collie dog.

Patch had only a short while before won the grand championship doe class when she was stricken with shipping fever. She was given some shots of serum and bundled up in blankets with her short legs barely kept off the floor of her pen.

Although Allen Michell actually owns little Patch, her former owner, Katherine McCausland of Orono, a former RCAF nursing sister, hovered over her in great concern. Katherine thinks quite a bit of little Patch, though the stubby-legged little descendent of Swiss mountain goats caused her considerable embarrassment.

Katherine sold her to Michell when she was small.

"I was culling my herd," she explained. "I didn't like the dark brown goat so I sold her. I kept Kerrycroft Sheila (little Patch's half sister) because I liked her color and looks better."

But Katherine has been kicking herself ever since her own Sheila and little Patch turned up together in the big fair's judging ring. Little Patch won.

And now that little Patch isn't feeling too well—even after her victory—Katherine got her release from the fair signed and the winner is now at home resting from all the hubbub and clamor of the big city fair. Ordinarily owners are bound by the rules to keep their animals on display until the fair is officially over.

But though Patch's health suffered somewhat from her trip to the Royal—she helped do a tremendous job in boosting goat prestige in their first appearance at the big farm show. For goats and goats' milk have a great future in the country, say breeders. It was in recognition of this that the Royal was opened to exhibitors this year.

The reserve grand champion Southdown lamb shown at the fair by Lloyd Ayres was raised on goats' milk. The milk sells for about 60 cents a quart. Goat meat (chevon on the menu—but it's unlikely you'll find it) will cost you around \$1.50 a pound.

Bible Questions And Answers

Question—Please tell me what the Bible teaches about the judgment.

Answer—In Romans 2:3, Paul asks the pointed question: "Think-est thou this, O man, . . . that thou shalt escape the judgment of God?" God keeps a perfect record of our lives in a record book in heaven. Every deed, every word and act, every thought, is faithfully recorded. When our names come up in the investigative judgment, those records will be checked. If it is found that our sins have been confessed, they will be marked forgiven. Then, when the work of judgment is completed, those sins will be blotted out. This is the time of refreshing spoken of by the prophets when God's Spirit will be poured out on all flesh. "Repent ye therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out, when the times of refreshing shall come from the presence of the Lord." Acts 3:19.

Q.—I have been told that God will grant each person a second chance. Is this true?

A.—If a person dies in sin, he has no more opportunity for repentance. "They that go down into the pit cannot hope for thy truth." Isaiah 38:18. All repentance must take place in this life, and after death a person's standing with God remains the same until the judgment day. Therefore, the Bible says: "Behold, now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation." 2 Corinthians 6:2.

Q.—Will the wicked actually burn forever?

A.—No, the eternal and everlasting fires which will destroy the wicked are of the same nature as the eternal fires which destroyed the wicked cities of Sodom and Gomorrah. (See Jude 7.) The wages of sin is DEATH—not eternal life in fire. (Romans 6:23.)

Q.—Why was it necessary for the Son of God to come to this earth and die in order to save the human race from sin? Could not Adam have died for his own sin and then been raised to everlasting life?

A.—Adam could not die for his own sin, any more than we can die for our sins. It takes someone greater than we are to atone for the broken law of God. If man should die for his own sin, he would remain in the grave. It was necessary for God Himself to die in our stead in order that the claims of the law might be met. God's law is His character, and someone equal to that law had to die in order to atone for man's sin. God was not forced to give Jesus for us, but "God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life." John 3:16.



Peaches, halves, 20 oz. tin	.21	Raisins, 14 oz. cello pkg.	.23
Cream Style Corn, 20 oz. tin	2 for .27	Currants, 14 oz. cello pkg.	.25
Aylmer Fancy Strawberries, 15 oz. tin	.33	Almonds, 1/4 lb. cello pkg.	.25
Aylmer Fancy Tomato Juice, 20 oz. tin	2 for .31	Walnuts, 1/4 lb. cello pkg.	.25
		Cut Mixed Peel, 8 oz. pkg.	.21
		Dates, 14 oz. pkg.	.19
		Red Emperor Grapes, 2 lbs.	.23
		Washed Parsnips, 1 1/2 lb. bag	.19
		Washed Carrots, 1 1/2 lb. bag	.15

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Thanking you,

Elmer R. DANIELS

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Ontario Plowmen

Seeking Big Match

Officials of the Ontario Plowmen's Association have to look a long time ahead in planning for the annual International Plowing Matches, and at the present time Ontario County plowmen are making plans for a concerted effort to bring this major agriculture event to this country in either 1955 or 1956.

The location of this big plowing match has to be fixed two or three years in advance so that the proper

crop rotations to provide plenty of land for both sod and stubble plowing can be arranged during that period.

The 1953 plowing match is to be held in Cobourg, and will be the first large-scale international match ever held in Canada, with the world's championship competitions being held there. In 1954, the International will be near Breslau in Waterloo County.

Location for the 1955 match will be decided at the annual meeting of the Ontario Plowmen's Association to be held in Toronto in February, and both Essex and Ontario Counties will be making a strong

bid for the match that year. Should Essex County, as at the moment seems likely, secure the match for 1955, then Ontario County will be first in the field for the 1956 event.

The International Plowing Match is the biggest agricultural event in Ontario each year, this year's match at Carp having drawn some 100,000 spectators.

Federal agricultural authorities at Morden, Man., are testing what is believed to be the hardest known raspberry variety. It is a cross between Chief and Indian Summer.

MARKHAM TOWNSHIP ELECTORS

Are You Fed Up, Too?

VOTE



Mrs. Kathleen JAMES

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