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### THE POOREST CHEESE

MADE WITHIN SHADOW, OF KINGSTON DAIRY SCHOOL

George G. Publow, Chief Dairy Instructor Made Some Pointed Remarks at First Meeting of the Frontenac Cheese Board.

The first meeting of the season of the Frontenac Cheese Board was held in the police court room, on Thursday afternoon, with the president, Herbert Sly, in the chair, and a goodly attendance of members.

It has been the custom of the board to elect officers at the first meeting, but it was decided to put off the election of officers until the first meeting in June. Alfred Alexander made the suggestion, stating that this method had been adopted by the board in Napanee and had been found most satisfactory. The members felt that the suggestion was a good one, and, on motion of Richard Moore, seconded by George Porter, it was decided to act on it.

The following buyers were present: George Smith, Alfred Alexander, George Thompson, George Gibson, L. W. Murphy.

Messrs. Alexander and Moore were elected to audit the books of the secretary. The members had no cheese to board at this meeting, so a general discussion on cheese conditions in this district followed.

G. A. Publow, chief dairy instructor for Eastern Ontario, was present, and addressed the members on the conditions in this district. He spoke of the work of the instructors and asked that the members keep in close touch with them regarding complaints.

"The outlook for cheese at the present time is good," he added. "In fact, I do not think I ever remember it being better." He further stated that the price paid for cheese was not the true food value. If the true food value was paid, there would be no complaints from the dairymen. The dairymen should aim to have the conditions in their district just as good as possible. If all would do just a little better than last year, conditions would continue to be improved.

Mr. Publow stated that in connection with the work at Kingston Dairy school, deputations were being taken on a trip of inspection in this district. The poorest conditions prevailed within the shadow of the Kingston dairy school. Deputations going on an inspection had to be taken as far as fifty miles away from this district. If the price for cheese was not sufficient the speaker would advise having the price raised. The Kingston district should be made as good as the best. He appealed to them to do their best.

William Pillar, speaking on conditions, stated that the patrons of factories should instruct all their salesmen to board all their cheese on this board. The salesmen were simply standing in their own light,

and just so long as they continued to sell off the board, the board would be a failure.

Joseph Gramer also held that the salesmen not to board cheese, and not sell on the street, then the buyers would have to do business on the board.

Charles Goun held that the buyers were to blame. He said that just long as the buyers paid more on the street for the cheese, than they did on the board he would not put his cheese on the board.

George Smith said the trouble was in the fact that each salesman wanted to beat his neighbor, in securing a better price. If a buyer knew he could make a good deal off the board, he would do business off the board.

Mr. Alexander said the Peterboro board had a good rule, which prevented the salesmen from selling off the board. In case an offering from a factory was on the board, then the salesman was given permission to sell on the street.

Mr. Pillar gave it as his opinion that the board should have its business incorporated, and recommended such action be taken. In addition, he suggested that the rules of the board be revised.

There was considerable discussion up till 2:30 p.m., when the members adjourned to attend the meeting in the Board of Trade rooms, to be addressed by J. A. Rudlick, dairy commissioner. The board will meet again in two weeks, when the question of having the cheese board incorporated will be discussed.

### STOCK MARKETS

F. B. McCurdy & Co., 86 and 88 Brock St.—H. W. Nelles, Manager. 2:45 p.m., April 16th.

#### Montreal.

Cannons	54
Cement pdl.	91 1/2
Cement com.	30
R. & O.	91 1/2
Toronto Railway	136
Brazilian	80
Textile	75 1/2
Shawinigan	130 1/2
Detroit	69
Macdonald	10
Dominion Steel	28 1/2
Twin City	106
Hell Telephone	146 1/2
Ottawa Light, Heat and Power	142

#### New York

Coppers	72 1/2
Smelters	69 1/2
S.P.R.	200
Reading	164 1/2
Union Pacific	134 1/2
United States Steel	37 1/2
Erie	28 1/2
Soo	216
Atchison	95 1/2
Northern Pacific	108 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	30 1/2
Rubber	148 1/2
Lehigh Valley	27 1/2
AmericanCan.	68 1/2
New Haven Railway	91 1/2
Southern Pacific	91 1/2

#### Ottawa

May	1245
July	1233
Dec.	1160

#### Grain.

Wheat—	
May	91 1/2
July	80 1/2
Corn—	
July	65 1/2
May	66 1/2
Oats—	
July	37 1/2

### QUEEN'S EXAMS. RESULTS

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### Case Was Dismissed

At the court house on Thursday afternoon, Judge Madden of Napanee, dismissed the case of H. O. Day vs. Frederick Ferguson, of Inverary, \$262.25, due under an agreement for hire as a cheesemaker. Day, it appeared, was hired by Ferguson for the sum of \$640 for twelve months. During the time that he was employed the cheese factory was burned, and the plaintiff was thrown out of work. The plaintiff claimed that he was entitled to the wages after the factory was burned. He held that a defective wall around the boiler was the cause of the fire but the defendant had witnesses to prove that the wall was not defective.

### Stolen and Recovered

Rome, April 14.—A sensational theft has been committed at the Church of St. Clement, one of the most ancient and interesting in Rome, of which Cardinal O'Connell is the protector. The workmen employed in drainage entered the subterranean water passages and stole a unique and most ancient statue of St. Peter carrying a lamb on his shoulders and two ancient Roman heads. Fortunately the police discovered and arrested the thieves when the latter were trying to dispose of their booty.

### Yorkshire Coal Strike Settled

Leeds, Eng., April 16.—A settlement of the Yorkshire coal miners' strike was reached yesterday, when a ballot of the men resulted in favor of the resumption of work. The strikers, numbering 170,000, left work on April 2, demanding the introduction of a minimum wage scale. A conciliation board was appointed to discuss the points at issue and succeeded in obtaining the men's consent to the taking of a ballot.

Preparations are well advanced for the Imperial Health conference here next month. Amongst the Canadian representatives will be Doctors Charles Hodgetts, Frank Beer, John McCulloch and Helen MacMurphy.

### AMEND ELECTION LAW

BILL INTRODUCED IN ONTARIO LEGISLATURE

Important Changes Are Proposed With Respect to Nomination of Candidates, Registration of Electors and Hours of Voting.

Toronto, April 16.—What might be taken as another forerunner of the near approach of a provincial election was disclosed in the legislature yesterday when Hon. W. H. Hearst introduced a bill to amend the election laws of the province. The bill deals with the manhood suffrage franchise act, the voters' lists act and the Ontario election act.

The first clause provides that where lists for manhood suffrage voters have been prepared under the dominion election act these lists may, with the consent of the first minister of the executive council of Ontario and the leader of the opposition, be used at any election if they have not been prepared more than one year before the date of the writ of election, unless there are lists of voters in unorganized districts to be considered in calling an election, and under the law as it now exists it takes practically three months to complete the lists, so that the amendment proposed will make provision for the use of the old lists if it is the desire of the party in power to order an election on short notice.

The law with respect to the registration of manhood suffrage voters is changed so that the board of registration instead of holding sessions within seven days after the date of the writ shall hold their last of four sittings not less than ten days before the date of the election. Mr. Hearst pointed out that the time now allowed was too short to make the necessary arrangements and the law was being honored in the breach.

The present law is also amended to provide that the registration board shall hold continuous sittings from nine o'clock in the morning until ten in the evening. Hitherto the hours of recess have been inconvenient, and occur at a time when a great many voters are unable to register. It is further provided that the deputy registrar shall keep in the registration booth a copy of the last revised voters' list, so that applicants shall be able to ascertain whether or not their names are entered on the register.

An important change is to be made in regard to the nomination of candidates. The amendment provides that the nominations shall be in writing, on a form to be signed by at least fifty duly qualified voters of the electoral district, and the candidate shall be nominated on a separate nomination paper. If the nominator is not present in person, such absence shall be stated, and the nomination must be accompanied by the written consent of the candidate to such nomination. If a request is made to the returning officer he shall make an examination of the nomination paper to ascertain if it is regular, and his certificate in writing shall be final, and the validity of the nomination shall not be open to question on any ground whatever.

EX-SHAH OF PERSIA Is to Make an Effort to Regain the Throne

Berlin, April 16.—A report from a thoroughly well-informed quarter is to the effect that a fresh plot is brewing for the seizure of the throne of Persia. The scheme, which is said to have been hatched in Russia, aims at replacing ex-Shah Mohammed Ali, who abdicated in 1909 the throne since occupied by his son, Nassir, his regent. The ex-shah has just left Berlin, where he has been undergoing treatment for diabetes.

According to the existing arrangements, Nassir will be crowned shah in July. Only his mother, who is now with the ex-shah, will be invited to the coronation, but Mohammed Ali hopes that his own plans will in the meantime have made such progress that if there is any coronation at all it will partake of the nature of restoring the crown to his own head.

A motion to abolish military training in Ontario public schools was lost at the Ontario Education association Thursday morning in Toronto by a vote of about three to one. Those who supported the resolution said military training in Canadian schools was both unnecessary and wrong.

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