

PROHIBIT EXPORT OF BREEDING STOCK BEING ADVOCATED

Quebec Agricultural Minister
Says Government Should.

REDUCE FARMING FREIGHT

Cheaper Tariff for Implements
and Fertilizers an Essential
Need.

QUÉBEC, Nov. 2.—That the time is opportune for the federal government to pass an order-in-council prohibiting the sale of breeding cattle from the Dominion to the United States and that farmers should have a special minimum rate on railways on the transportation of farm implements, manure, etc., was pointed out by the Hon. J. E. Caron, minister of agriculture for the province of Quebec, in his testimony before the Dominion's royal commission in session at the Parliament Buildings.

The minister of agriculture gave a very lucid and interesting address on the different phases of agriculture in the provinces, and that his testimony was considered by the members of the commission of great value could be judged by the scores of questions put to him by the chairman and other members of the commission.

Mr. Caron laid great importance on the matter of having a measure passed by the Dominion Government to prohibit the export of cattle used for breeding purposes. He is not at all opposed to the export of other cattle used in the United States for food purposes, but the present state of affairs requires remedying, he declared. Other wise the efforts of the department and Government in endeavoring to raise the standard of cattle by imports for breeding purposes will be of no avail.

In advancing the argument for cheaper freight rates on railways for the transportation of farm implements, etc., the minister cited one case in point. He had a short while ago purchased a quantity of malt for his own farm and was obliged to pay 25c on the 100 lbs. This rate was a quarter of the value of the product, and certainly was no inducement to the farmer who is endeavoring to improve his stock. If a minimum rate were established on agricultural requirements, it would be greatly beneficial in stimulating interest in agricultural development.

CAPT. C. E. DOWDING HAS PAYMASTERSHIP

CLINTON, Nov. 2.—Capt. C. E. Dowding, who was ordered to England some weeks ago, has been appointed paymaster of the Canadian Military School at Shorncliffe, and, according to latest reports, has between nine hundred and one thousand men on his pay roll. For the time being he has all the work to do himself, though assistance has been promised him.

WINGHAM HOSPITAL DIRECTORS.

WINGHAM, Nov. 2.—The directors of the Wingham General Hospital have been elected as follows: R. Clegg, president (re-elected); other directors, J. A. McLean, R. Vanstone, Dr. A. J. Irwin, Dr. E. C. Redmond, Dr. J. P. Kennedy, C. P. Smith, T. C. King, H. B. Elliott, A. H. Musgrave, M.P.P., and Mayor J. W. McKibbin.

LEGISLATOR DRAWS 18-MONTHS' TERM IN SASKATCHEWAN

Convicted of Bribe-Taking This
and Sentenced.

DECLARES HIS INNOCENCE

Chief Justice, However, Ex-
presses Conviction of Guilt
and Imposes Jail Term
and Fine.

REGINA, Nov. 2.—Herbert C. Pierce, Liberal member of the legislative assembly of Saskatchewan for Wadena, was sentenced today to eighteen months' imprisonment without hard labor in Regina jail, and to pay a fine of \$500, or in default serve an additional six months in jail.

Pierce at the last sitting of the supreme court was found guilty by a jury on a charge of having received a bribe from the Saskatchewan Licensed Victuallers' Association for his influence in abolishing the bar to be withdrawn from the House in 1913. Sentence was passed by Chief Justice Sir Frederick Haultain, who presided at the trial.

The chief justice asked the prisoner if he had anything to say why sentence should not be passed on him. "Nothing, your lordship, except that I am innocent," replied Pierce. Sir Frederick addressed a few words to Pierce, pointing out to him that he had been found guilty.

"I myself am absolutely convinced of the justice of the verdict and I believe there were others guilty with you. I believe there was a conspiracy at that time to corrupt the members of the Legislature and that you, not only yourself, accepted the bribe, but acted as agent for others," said the judge.

STATES FINDS CANADIAN WHEAT IS COSTING LESS

Minneapolis Millers Buy 1,000,000 Bushels
From Dominion.

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 2.—More than one million bushels of Canadian wheat were purchased yesterday and today at the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce by local millers and elevator interests at lowest prices, freight and duty paid, than was being paid for American-raised wheat of the same quality. One large elevator company purchased nearly 500,000 bushels of Canadian wheat, which pays 10 cents a bushel import duty.

If the ruling price differences remain, more Canadian wheat is likely to come here, according to officials of large elevator concerns.

The first Canadian import business of any size, they say, developed when Winnipeg No. 3 wheat was quoted at \$1.78½, and at the same time Minneapolis cash wheat of the same milling quality quoted at \$1.88½ to \$1.96½.

NEW YARMOUTH ELDERS.

YARMOUTH, Nov. 2.—Messrs. A. D. Campbell, Charles McBain, A. E. Bucke, Dugald McIntyre and Donald Ferguson were duly elected to the eldership of St. James Church, Yarmouth.

MARINA'S GUN TO BE BIG CARD IN GERMANY'S HAND

This Is Washington's Ex-
pressed Belief.

NO ACTION FOR WEEKS

Lansing Leaves Capital Be-
cause of Slowness of
Developments.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—Conclusive evidence as to whether Germany violated her pledges to the United States in the sinking, apparently without warning, of the British freighter, *Marina*, with the loss of six American lives, is not expected by the state department before the latter part of next week.

Secretary of State Lansing, before leaving tonight for his home at Watertown, N.Y., to stay until after the election, said information was coming in slowly to the department, that he would not be leaving Washington if anything final were expected immediately, and that at least a week was expected to elapse before full evidence would be at hand.

Even though all information desired from British sources and American survivors of the *Marina* were at hand, any action by the United States Government would be delayed pending Germany's reply to the informal request for her version of the incident. In previous instances where such a request has been made, a week or more has elapsed before the attacking submarine has come in, and several days further have been needed to collect and transmit the information. American officials in England have sent on only a few dispatches in the last 24 hours, not including any affidavits or summaries of affidavits.

Secretary Lansing made a statement during the day explaining that the state department held that Germany's pledges to not sink merchant ships without proper provision for the safety of persons on board, applied to men-of-war as well as to unarmed vessels. Germany's last specific word on armed ships, however, was her memorandum announcing that they could be treated as war vessels, and the fact that the *Marina* carried a four-inch gun is expected to play a conspicuous part in the exchanges that will follow if it is established that she was attacked without warning.

YOUTH IS THE TIME FOR SOUL-WINNING

Keynote of Addresses at S. S.
Convention.

WOMEN BEST TEACHERS

Community Training Schools
Great Help to Religious
Development.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
KITCHENER, Nov. 2.—"Youth is the propitious time for soul winning." This appears to be the one belief and thought of all the speakers at the Ontario Sunday School Association, which is in convention here.

There was no general conference this morning, the forenoon being devoted entirely to departmental meetings.

W. C. Pearce of Chicago was the chief speaker at the secondary division at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. His subject was "Leadership Adequacy Trained." The speaker emphasized the fact that men are greater leaders than women; but better to have a good woman leader than a poor man leader. Women were best as teachers; not as leaders, was the opinion of Mr. Pearce. "Boys coming into manhood," the speaker stated, "want to be helped to boss the job and not to be bothered with too much detail as to how they are to go about each thing. In choosing a leader look out for two or three things. A leader must be a Christian. Choose a manly man. Choose a man the boys like and choose a woman who makes a good confession above his life."

"Train the women also," the speaker admonished, "or they will get softy and hang on the necks of the men. Community training schools are also a great help. These should be combined with regular religious instruction. The organized class is another method and of the greatest help."

"You will never have leaders till you give them a chance to lead; to show them what is being accomplished."

Mr. Pearce stated that in Birmingham, Ala., the leaders of the interdenominational city have been given charge of the juvenile court. The best investment that could be put into boys was "to give them a chance you never had."

C. E. German speaks. In the first English Lutheran Church, where the session of the department of school administration was held, C. E. German of London gave a splendid talk on "Decision Day—Before and After."

"A great many leave the schools before the age of 20 years," Mr. German said. "The purpose of the Sunday school is two-fold: first, to teach a knowledge of the word, and second, to make a decision for Jesus. When the old deal for some time between the old and the new, the general secretary gave a little talk on 'Shall We Go Forward or Back?' and the declaration of the meeting was unanimous to go forward. Contribution, envelopes were passed and pledges for about \$500 were received at once with the almost certainty of more later."

APPRAISES STORM DAMAGE.

KINCARDINE, Nov. 2.—Engineer W. E. Brough of Toronto, sent by the Dominion Government to look at the damage caused by the recent storms to the beach, made his inspection this morning. Mayor Miller and J. H. Scoull, town clerk, accompanied the engineer. He did not give any idea as to how he would report to the department, but he was in bad luck. However, the damage was a great loss to the town. The breakwater is a matter for the engineer to decide.

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—Lloyd's reports that the British steamer *Brierly Hill* has been sunk.

The *Brierly Hill* was formerly the *Nautia*. She was built in 1903 and registered 1,115 tons. She was owned in Hull.

The teacher, according to Mrs. Curtis' idea, in order to be successful in her work, should have three things—intense love for little children, the integrity to get the children's interest; to have the power to set herself aside to become unconscious of self.

Alex. MacLaren, B.S.A., of Guelph, delivered an address on "Community Building and Community Builders," and gave a splendid outline of the need at the present time for closer unity be-

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Caps with Cling Close Bands for winter wear \$1.00 to \$1.75
Heavy Flannelette Pyjamas to keep men in nights \$1.50 and \$1.75
Warm Underwear at old prices 50c, 75c to \$2.50
Stanfield's Heavy Rib Shirts and Drawers, \$1.25
Penman's Natural Wool Underwear, slightly heavier than No. 95. Special \$1.10 and \$1.25
Initial Khaki Handkerchiefs in case. Special .50c
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LIGHTNING CAUSES FIRE NEAR WINGHAM

Barn and Crops Destroyed—
Snow Covers Ground.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
WINGHAM, Nov. 2.—During a terrific lightning, rain, snow and hail storm which passed over this district this evening, the large barn of Steven King on the 4th concession of Turnbury was struck by a bolt and burned to the ground.

Neighboring farmers came to Mr. King's assistance and rescued most of his stock, but all the season's crops and implements were destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$2,000, with insurance sufficient to cover it.

The storm was most disagreeable. Starting with rain, thunder and lightning, the atmosphere cooled rapidly and hail followed. A quarter of inch of snow now covers the ground in Wingham. The sidewalks and pavements are icy.

CHICKEN THIEVES SURPRISED.

BLITH, Nov. 2.—Chicken thieves are again on the go here, another citizen losing twenty fine fowl. The owner, who was awakened by the squawking of his ducks, called his son, and they



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MEMORIAL SERVICE IN AILSA CRAIG CHURCH

[Special to The Advertiser.]
AILSA CRAIG, Nov. 2.—A memorial service for Pte. Sydney Cook, who was killed in France recently, will be held in the Baptist Church on Sunday at 7:30 p.m.

It is reported that Pte. Hugh McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. McDonald, who was with the 5th Mounted Rifles at the front, is in the hospital with a sore leg, the result of an injury received while playing hockey here last winter. He expects to be soon on the firing line again. Hugh is the only boy from here who was with the 5th Mounted Rifles who was not wounded in the recent drive, while Pte. S. Cook and Nelson Pierce, from here, were both killed.

Pte. Alton Shollice, who enlisted with C Company, 15th Battalion, for overseas, but was left at Halifax, being ill with pneumonia, has arrived back to spend some time at his home at Brimsley, and will join another battalion as soon as he has regained his health.

FUNERAL OF JOHN BELL. KINCARDINE, Nov. 2.—The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon to Tiverton Cemetery of John D. Bell, aged 74 years, who died at his home, lot 15, con. 10, Kincardine Township, Park Reg. East. Miss Muriel of Hamilton, and Miss Minnie of Mount Royal.

been a highly respected resident. He married Isabella Cameron, who, with the following children, survive: Donald and Eva at home, Allan, 16th con., Kincardine; John of Detroit; Mrs. McCanahan, Toledo; Mrs. Ed Walker of Park Reg. East; Miss Muriel of Hamilton, and Miss Minnie of Mount Royal. For over 60 years he had resided.

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Potato Pots (white lined) .97c each
Cash Boxes, three sizes .40c each
Enamel Dinner Pails .25c each
Spittoons, japanned, cast iron bottom .25c each
Stove Boards, all sizes \$1.00 to \$2.00
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