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This Year's Harvest

In response to the call of the Government, the farmers of Canada have planted a larger acreage of grain than in any previous year. The Bureau of Statistics reports a total area of 12,696,000 acres. This is more by 1,662,500 acres, or 14 per cent., than the area sown in 1914, and more than 2,602,100 acres or 25 per cent. more than the area harvested last year. The explanation of the difference between the sowing and the harvesting of 1914 is that 939,600 acres were unproductive, because of winter-killing or drought. The increase of acreage sown this year is chiefly in the North West Provinces. Manitoba has some 21 per cent. more, Saskatchewan 24 per cent. more, and Alberta 35 per cent. more than last year. It is a fact worthy of notice, that the Province of Saskatchewan alone has more than half of the total wheat area of Canada.

According to the Review of Reviews, the wheat crop of the present war in the United States bids fair to be a record breaker, over the record-breaking crop of last year. The wheat estimate of this year is 950,000,000 bushels, being 59,000,000 bushels more than last year. Observe this refers to the wheat crop alone. The estimate for the yield of oats is 1,285,000,000, the largest on record, and the outlook for corn is also very favorable. The acreage planted is larger than last year, and the increase is general all over the country, excepting limited areas in Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, and Oklahoma. Reports from all the grain-growing countries of Europe are not yet available. In those in which the contending armies are tramping, there will be little harvesting. But in Germany the yield is promising, and the great wheat fields of Russia will tell a good story, as they usually do. To what extent the prices of grain will be affected it is not possible to tell.

The countries which have metal to sell, especially copper, lead and zinc, will probably find the prices mounting above the present high figures. Copper which last August brought 11 cents per pound has been bringing more than 20 cents, and the demand is not satisfied. Lead has reached the highest price attained for 30 years, and zinc is in such demand for war purposes that workers in brass are unable to obtain necessary supplies.

La Marseillaise

A few days since the remains of the author of La Marseillaise, the national hymn of France, were removed and reinterred in Paris, with appropriate ceremonies. President Poincaré embraced the opportunity to speak in very emphatic language of the determination of the nation to drive back the ruthless invaders, at whatever cost of men and money might be necessary. The following is a part of his patriotic address on this occasion.

"No soldier, no citizen, no woman of France, but understands clearly that the whole future of the race, not our honor, but our very existence depends upon the heavy hours of this inexorable war. We have willed to win! We have the certainty of winning! We have as much confidence in our strength and in that of our Allies, as in our right. No! No! Let not our enemies deceive themselves! There is not a sign of a precarious peace or a disquieting fugitive truce between one shortened war and another one more terrible. It is not to remain exposed tomorrow to new attacks and mortal perils that France rose in ardent enthusiasm to the manly accents of 'La Marseillaise.' Already the day of glory for which 'La Marseillaise' is celebrated illumines the horizon."

The name of the author of this celebrated national war song was Rouget de Lisle, an officer of engineers. He composed it in a single night, set it to music, and gave it the name of "The War Song of the Army of the Rhine." The Parisians first heard it sung by a band of patriots from Marseilles, who came to Paris on their way to repel the Prussian invader, and gave it the name by which it has ever since been known. Louis Philippe rewarded the author with a pension. It is interesting to observe that this honor paid to his remains at the present time, is a convincing demonstration of the determination of the French in the exercise of the same patriotic devotion, to drive back the same invader.

Ye sons of France, awake to glory,
Hark! hark! what myriads bid you rise;
Your children, wives, and grandsires hoary,
Behold their tears, and hear their cries!
Behold their tears, and hear their cries!
Behold their tears, and hear their cries!
Shall hateful tyrants, mischief breeding,
With hireling hosts, a ruffian band,
Affright and desolate the land,
While peace and liberty lie bleeding?

Chorus—
To arms, to arms, ye brave!
Th' avenging sword unsheath!
March on, march on, all hearts resolved
On victory or death.

Now, now the dangerous storm is rolling,
Which treacherous kings confederate raise,
The dogs of war let loose are howling,
And low, our walls and city blaze!
And low our walls and city blaze!
And shall we basely view the ruin,
While lawless force with guilty stride,
Spreads desolation far and wide,
With crimes and blood his hand embroiling?

Chorus—
To arms, to arms, ye brave! etc.
With luxury and pride surrounded,
The vile, insatiate despots dare,
Their thirst of gold and pow'r unbounded,
To mete and vend the light and air,
To mete and vend the light and air,
Like beast of burden would they load us,
Like gods, would bid their slaves adore,
But man is man—and who is more?
Then shall they longer lash and goad us?

Chorus—
To arms, to arms, ye brave! etc.
Oh! liberty, can man resign thee,
Once having felt thy glorious flame?
Can tyrants' bolt and bars confine thee,
Or whips thy noble spirit tame?
Or whips thy noble spirit tame?
Too long our country wept, bewailing
That falsehood's dagger tyrants wield,
But freedom is our sword and shield,
And all their arts are unavailing.

Chorus—
To arms, to arms, ye brave! etc.

A Love Story

At the time of the retreat of the Allies at the battle of Mons, a British soldier darted into a cornfield where sheaves stood ready for being gathered, and hid himself among them. He heard the patter of German bullets on the corn, but after a time it ceased, and he knew the Germans had passed the field. Coming out of his hiding place he found that most of his comrades had been shot or blown to pieces. His attention was, however, arrested by a moaning which he discovered came from a man evidently mortally wounded. Going up to the dying man he took his flask and gave him a drink, recited a few words of scripture, waited till he died, and then taking off his overcoat reverently covered the dead soldier with it. Then, after some marvellous escapes, he found himself within the British lines. Some months after he was invalided home, and as soon as possible made his way to Manchester where he had been living. Going to the house which he had occupied, he found that it was closed and his wife was not there.

After many enquiries he found his wife. She having given him up for dead was clothed in widow's weeds. His coming was naturally to her like an apparition. When she recovered from the shock, and told her story, he unravelled the mystery.

When he placed his overcoat over the body of the dead man, there was a letter in the pocket which he had just received from his wife. A German soldier recrossing the field had found the coat, and had supposed it belonged to the dead man, and that the letter was from the dead man's wife. He reverently buried the dead man and put the letter in his pocket. Shortly after he was drafted for the Eastern front, and being permitted to visit his home for a few days, before going east, he gave the letter to his wife and asked her to take it to their Protestant pastor and request him to send it to Manchester with the necessary explanations, as to the way in which it came into his possession, and a tender message to the wife of the supposed dead man.

BORN

LONGLEY.—At Paradise, August 4th, to Lieut. and Mrs. H. G. Longley, a daughter, Mabel Folsom.

PHINNEY.—At Bridgetown, August 8, to Sergeant and Mrs. Burpee Phinney, a son.

1915 A. No. 2395

IN THE SUPREME COURT

BETWEEN

Catherine Maria Underwood
(a married woman) Plaintiff

and

John Banks Barteaux, Defendant

TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION by the Sheriff of the County of Annapolis, or his deputy, at the Court House in Bridgetown in the said County of Annapolis, on Thursday the 9th day of September, 1915, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, pursuant to an order of foreclosure and sale granted herein, dated the 5th day of August, 1915, unless before the day of sale the amount due the plaintiff on the mortgage foreclosed, with her costs to be taxed, be paid to the plaintiff, or her solicitor.

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in Torbrook in the County of Annapolis and bounded and described as follows:—

Beginning on the south side of the Torbrook road at the north west angle of land owned by George E. Spurr, thence south sixteen degrees east two chains and twenty links along said Spurr's land, thence north seventy-one degrees and thirty minutes east six chains and twenty one links along Spurr's lands to lands owned by Avard Parker, thence south twenty four degrees east two chains and sixteen links along the west line of the Parker land to a willow tree, thence east two chains along south line of the Parker land, thence south eight degrees and forty-five minutes east forty-two chains along lands of Robert Eston and Andrew Foster to lands of George Parker, thence south eighty-one degrees west ten chains and twenty links along said George Parker's land, thence north eight degrees and forty-five minutes west to the Torbrook road, thence north sixty-nine degrees and fifteen minutes east one chain and thirty links to the place of beginning, containing forty acres more or less.

Also all that certain other lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Torbrook aforesaid, bounded and described as follows:—

Beginning at a point on the north side of the brook known by the name of "Little River," running a northerly course along the west side of the old road leading to Canaan Mountain until it comes to the cross road, thence westwardly along the south side of the cross road to a stake and stone, thence south south east to a stake and stone, thence running south east to a willow tree on the north side of said river, thence running east the several courses of the river to the place of beginning, containing by estimation one acre, more or less.

TERMS:—Ten per cent. deposit at the time of sale, and remainder on delivery of the deed.

Dated at Annapolis Royal in the County of Annapolis the 7th day of August, 1915.

J. H. EDWARDS,
High Sheriff of the County of Annapolis.

EDWIN RUGGLES,
Solicitor of Plaintiff.

St. James Parish Church Notes

The services next Sunday (11th Sunday after Trinity) will be:—Bridgetown, 8 a. m., (Holy Communion) 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. St. Mary's Belleville, 3 p. m.

WEEK DAYS

Bridgetown, Friday afternoon a service of Intercession on behalf of the war at 4.30. Evening prayer followed by choir practice at 7.30.

Methodist Church Circuit Notes

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8. Epworth League Friday evening at 7.30. Services next Sunday, August 15th, Bridgetown Sunday School and Bible study at 10 a. m. Public worship in the Baptist Church at 11 a. m., in the Methodist Church at 7.30 p. m. Public worship at Granville at 11 a. m., Beville 3 p. m.

Bridgetown United Baptist Church

Rev. I. D. Little will be the preacher at the Union services next Sunday, August 15th, filling the appointments as follows: In the Baptist Church at 11 a. m., Methodist Church at 7.30 p. m., at Centrelea at 3 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, at 8 p. m.
B. Y. P. U. (Consecration service) at 8 p. m., Friday evening.

The Eastern Steel Company have forwarded their first shipment of finished shells. The car contained 3,000 shells consigned to England. This is the second shipment to go forward from New Glasgow, previous to which the McNeil Motor and Machine Company sent a carload. Both shops will now ship regularly in the vicinity of 5,000 per week.

LOCAL AND SPECIAL

Mr. N. E. Chute is making alterations in his building on Granville St. and is fitting a shop for Mr. Joseph McLean in which to carry on his plumbing business.

Mr. Reginald Buckler, Mail Clerk on the D. A. R. running between Halifax and Yarmouth, is spending a three weeks' vacation at his home in Annapolis, he was in town yesterday with a party of friends, motoring from Annapolis with a party of friends in Mr. Frank Ritey's auto. All of the sporting fraternity of Bridgetown and vicinity remember "Reg" when the hockey season is on.

The Camp Meeting at Berwick continues to be a favorite spot, and is attended by large crowds. The Camp this year is favored by having a very powerful preacher in the person of Rev. C. W. Williams of Montreal, pastor of St. James Methodist Church in that city. Among those who attended from Bridgetown were: Rev. and Mrs. A. R. Reynolds, Miss Margaret Todd, Miss Mildred Wheelock, Miss Mabel Marshall, Miss Ena Graves, Miss Marguerite Hicks, Miss Jessie Hart, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Pike, Dr. M. E. Armstrong, Mr. Percy Burns, Mr. B. N. Messenger, E. S. Piggott, Harry Morse, Miss Susie Legge, Fred E. Bath and family, Mrs. C. R. Brooks, Mrs. N. E. Chute and others.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. Stanley Grimm wishes to advise his many friends and customers that he has again opened a Boot and Shoe repairing Shop in the store on Queen St. next to the Royal Bank where he is prepared to do first class work at very moderate prices and solicit a share of your business.

LOST

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18-11

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Public Auction

To be sold at Public Auction on Friday August 13th at 2.30 p. m. a lot of household goods, furniture for parlor, dining room, bedrooms and kitchen, pictures, carpets and rug, sewing machines, stoves, lamps and many articles also ox wagon, sleds, sleighs and farming tools and one Jersey cow in milk. All must be sold, amply moving away.

Sale to be held across the road from former Herman Rice's farm

HERMAN RICE

SHERIFF'S SALE!

1915 A. No. 2353.

IN THE SUPREME COURT

BETWEEN:

ALLISTER A. TAYLOR, Plaintiff

and

GILBERT J. TUCKER, Defendant

TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION by the Sheriff of the County of Annapolis, at the Court House in Bridgetown, in the County of Annapolis, on Monday, the 16th day of August, 1915, at eleven o'clock noon, pursuant to an order of foreclosure and sale granted herein, dated the 3rd day of July, 1915, unless before the date of the sale the amount due to the Plaintiff on the mortgage foreclosed, herein with his costs to be taxed, be paid to the plaintiff or his solicitor.

That certain lot, tract, piece or parcel of land and premise, situate, lying and being at Carleton's Corner, in the County of Annapolis, bounded and described as follows, that is to say: On the South by the main Annapolis Highway; on the East by the lands of Frank H. Fowler; on the North by lands of Frank Nelson and on the West by lands formerly owned by Mrs. Charles Hicks, containing six acres, be the same more or less, together with all and singular the buildings, easements, tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances to the same belonging, or in anywise appertaining.

TERMS: Ten per cent. deposit at the time of sale; remainder on delivery of deed.

Dated at Annapolis Royal, this 6th day of July, A. D. 1915.

J. H. EDWARDS,
Sheriff in and for the County of Annapolis.

Daniel Owen
of Owen & Owen
Annapolis Royal, N. S.,
Solicitor for the Plaintiff.

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