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The Self-Feeder with an Established Reputation



The records for astonishing durability being piled up by Ruth Feeders all over America have never before been duplicated in the history of self-feeders. Despite the fact that they are getting the hardest, most constant, most trying use, Ruth Feeders are demonstrating almost every day that there is practically no wear-out to them.

The durability of the Ruth Feeder is as remarkable as its ability to do a wonderful amount of work—more work and better work than any other feeder you can buy.

There are self-feeders that cause all kinds of delays, disappointments, money losses, because they cannot stand up under the work during the threshing season.

We know—and probably you know of feeders that are notorious

for the fact that they rarely run one single season without shaking themselves to pieces. They are built flimsily. Their mechanism is weak. Their entire make-up is a mistake.

Yet—some people buy these other feeders. If one doesn't investigate, one is liable to invest in the wrong feeder—one that you have to replace at the end of the year, or even before the season is over. It may fall down on you right in the middle of the season.

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The "Ideal-Champion" 24 x 36 with Self-Feeder and Wind Stacker.

An outfit with a famous reputation behind it—Brantford "Ideal" Engines and "Waterloo Champion" Separators are leaders and always reliable.

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FARMERS ON CROP BOARD

The special delegation from the Winnipeg Grain Exchange that went to Ottawa to confer with the government on the grain marketing situation were unable to make satisfactory arrangements owing to the excitement in political circles. An order-in-council establishing a grain commission is known to have been drafted. The western men found that the members of the royal food commission were practically at one with them as to how the matter should be handled. It is understood that the western farmers will have two representatives on the commission, the names of President H. W. Woods, of the Canadian Council of Agriculture, and President J. A. Maharg, of the Saskatchewan G.G.A., being prominently mentioned. President Gage and Secretary Magill, of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange, are also pretty certain to be on. It is believed that the commission will operate from Winnipeg and that the existing machinery for handling the grain trade will be utilized.

KELLY OWES \$1,388,351

Thomas Kelly and Sons owe the province of Manitoba \$1,207,351.65 in connection with work on the new parliament buildings. Including the interest on this sum for three years the total will amount, on July 1, to \$1,388,351. This is the gist of the report of the board of appraisal made to Hon. T. H. Johnson, minister of public works, on May 25. The board was appointed on March 22, 1917 and consists of S. C. Oxton, who represented the province; Henry J. Burt, of Chicago, representing the Kelly firm and Robert H. MacDonald, umpire. It was provided, when the board was appointed that its findings would be final and that if the Kelly's were found to be in the debt of the province the balance, including interest from July 1, 1914, should be paid over. The costs of the civil action to date and the costs of the appraisal are reserved to the trial judge upon further directions after the filing of this report. The government holds a caveat against the property of the Kellys valued at a million dollars.

SIFTON GOVERNMENT SUSTAINED

The Sifton government was returned to power in Alberta on June 7 by an ample majority. All the cabinet members were re-elected. The standing of the Liberal party will be within one or two of the last legislature, when the parties stood Liberals 38, Conservatives 18. The new legislature will contain three Independents, two of which were candidates of the Non-Partisan League. One woman, Mrs. McKenny, of Claresholm, was elected, her opponent being a Liberal. Mrs. McKenny is president of the provincial W.C.T.U., and is a sister of Dr. Crummy, formerly president of Wesley College. She ran under the banner of the Non-Partisan League. One Labor candidate, A. C. Ross, of Calgary, was elected. The Conservatives lost two Calgary seats but succeeded in carrying the three Edmonton seats. A big feature of the election was the woman's vote polled for the first time under the new universal franchise act.

One disease that is no respecter of cattle conditions is blackleg, an acute, infectious disease that is quite common in the West, and has wrought many thousands of dollars worth of damage in many parts of the Prairie Provinces. This disease is not, in the true sense, a contagious malady; that is to say it does not spread from animal to animal, but rather the pastures become infected, and the germs are communicated to the animals from a common source. Successful treatment of the affected cattle is not possible, as the disease is so rapidly fatal. Happily, however, the cattle can be protected by vaccination, and the operation may be performed by anyone accustomed to the handling of cattle. The government prepares blackleg vaccine for distribution, at a small charge to cattle owners.

"Well, father, now that I've finished my college course, I've decided to enter the battle of life!"

"Shucks! You're too young yet to be thinking of getting married!"