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CROPS IN CANADA

Ottawa, Aug. 2, 1917—A special press bulletin issued today by census. and. statistics office gives the following report on the condition of field crops throughout Canada, as compiled from telegrams, despatched at the end of July.

Atlantic Provinces—In Prince Edward Island frequent beneficial rains have assured excellent cereal crops, insect damage reducing wheat below average. Hay an average crop. Potatoes promise full crop with 15 p. c. increased acreage. In Nova Scotia all crops made excellent for growth. In New Brunswick weather was excellent for growth. Potatoes and roots are good, grain in a bad color.

Quebec — Rimouski: Rains frequent; all crops have splendid appearance, good hay crop Ste Anne de la Pocatiere (Kamouraska): Frequent showers favorable to all crops. Hay good Grains poor, but better than expected in June. Potatoes promise average crop. Lennoxville (Sherbrooke): Hay crops late, about 40 per cent being harvested. Yield above average. Heat of last few days very beneficial to corn, roots etc. Aubrey (Chateauguay): Hay averages two tons per acre, All grains promise average crops; roots a failure. Potatoes doing well, also corn except on lowlands where drowned out. Cap Rouge: Hay crop very heavy, pastures fine. All grain suffering from excess of precipitation. Roots promise well, corn for silage poor, potatoes fair. Lac a La Torture (Champlain): Wheat, oats and barley good, potatoes very good; corn better than in June; beans promise well; hay abundant; roots fair.

Ontario—Ottawa: Hay harvesting about two weeks late, crop average. Grain and roots promise well. Corn with favorable weather should be abundant crop. Potatoes promise to be above average. Pastures very good. Prescott (Grenville): Hay full crop of good quality; three quarters cut. Grain promises full head and filling well. Corn for husking doubtful, for fodder very promising potatoes good, Peterborough: Fall wheat ripe, thin, but heads well filled, Barley above average, peas best for several years, Oats and mixed grains specially good; potatoes and roots looking fine; fodder corn large acreage and good appearance. Everything ten days late. Oshawa (Ontario): Hay about average, one third well saved, third fairly well, rest poor. Barley, oats and spring wheat prospects above average; corn mangolds, turnips doing well; potatoes big crop if blight does not damage. Farm help very scarce. Conestogo (Waterloo): Hay crop harvested in good condition. Wheat nearly ready to cut, some rust prevalent, Spring crops look well, but need rain, so do roots and potatoes. Hyde Park (Middlesex): Wheat badly infested with ball smut and rust, Oats developing open smut, but look well; peas, corn, barley, potatoes, turnips excellent, though late; hay half wall saved.

Manitoba—Willwood: Cereals injured by drought, about half crop; potatoes and roots late but good; hay and pastures half crop; summer fallows very fair; late crops suffering from great heat. Brandon: Drought continued during July, Wheat will not average more than 12 bushels. Oats and barley worse, hay a failure; cutting will begin about August 20.

Saskatchewan—Indian Head: July very dry with hot southwest winds; crops suffered considerably throughout district. Early sown grain on fallow filling fairly well. Stubble and spring ploughing will be very light. Crops are maturing rapidly. Cutting will commence from tenth to fifteenth and should be general by August 20th. Saskatoon: Crops very short owing to continued drought. Best grain fields very weedy. Yields of hay much below normal Many vegetable gardens almost total failure. Rosthern: No rain since July 12. Hay and corn poor, roots fair, grain good, but needs rain. Yield about 50 p. c., unless copious rains soon. Potatoes promise above average.

Alberta—The Alberta Department of Agriculture reports hot and dry weather generally thruout the province except in a few districts. Grain and roots have advanced well, but all need rain, particularly in southwest portions. Haying general. Barley turning' in many districts. If rain comes soon a big crop can still be harvested. Lacombe: High temperature and dry weather last three weeks of July have hastened maturity and reduced prospective yield of all cereals; some districts not suffering from lack of rain, but all central Alberta would be benefited by good rainfall. Hay harvest 60 p. c. completed. Early varieties of grain will be ripe next week.

British Columbia—Agassiz: July exceptionally dry and hot. No rain fell until the last five days. All hay stored in excellent shape. Grain crops maturing rapidly. Corn growing fast; roots and pastures need rain. Live stock in good condition. Summerland: Apple crop will not exceed that of 1916; it is very patchy. Well kept orchard have held out well during water shortage and heat. Early peaches are just ripe; apricots coming in. Both running small this year. Invermere: Crops under irrigation good, and have made rapid growth. Weather good for haying. Fodder crop promises well. Sidney: Very few areas in the Island district received beneficial rains during the month. In consequences of long drought all spring sown grain, roots and potatoes have not developed as usual. A heavy hay crop. was gathered in excellent condition. Small fruit has given an average crop.

The Germans have been taught to believe that the reason they are fighting is because they were set upon by neighbors. The French-Canadians have been taught to believe that the reason they are not fighting is because their compatriots are not well treated in Ontario and Manitoba.

Mederic Martin, Liberal M.P., and Mayor of Montreal, calls Dr Clark an "English immigrant." What business has an Englishman in this country anyway.

Many threatening letters are being received by members who voted for conscription. They come from Quebec. The man who means to kill you is not likely to advise you about it.

Prefers Jail to Service

Le Progres du Golfe, referring to what that paper calls "the muzzling of the press," says; "Before we are strangled and before our editors are thrown behind the bars, we wish at least to say a last word to our fellow-citizens. Not recognizing the legitimacy of the authority which imposes an obligatory military law upon the people we are of the opinion that if our oppressors command us to conform to their sanguinary edict, our strict right and duty to refuse to obey. If we are forced to resist we will be acting in self-defence, and if resistance is impossible, then let us, be arrested and sent to the penitentiary. Better to go freely to jail in order to safeguard a sacred principle than to go to foreign battlefields to fight as slaves to defend the liberty of others."

WANTED—At once a boy to learn trade and do chores. Apply to Box. 103, Kentville.

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MAID WANTED—New Home; Light Work; Good Wages; No children. Capable girls only need apply. Address Box 304, Wolfville.

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BOSTON ROAST

Two cups baked beans, put through meat chopper; from 1-2 to 1 cup of grated cheese, 1 chopped onion, if preferred. Add enough bread-crumbs to shape into a loaf. Grease a bake pan, shape loaf on it, and bake one-half hour in moderate oven. Baste with 1 teaspoon of butter and 8 tablespoons hot water. Serve with Tomato sauce.

Note—The beauty of this receipt is that it may be made of left over beans from the day before, cheese that is past table use, and bread crumbs saved from day to day by the ecomical housekeeper.

WANTED — Ten tons Prime Old Hay at $8 per ton. Address Box 370, Kentville.

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eTHE BUSINESS OF HOMEMAKING.

Here are a couple of tested receipts for the homemaking who is trying to solve the problem of the "meatless day," which everyone is being asked to observe. Each receipt is a meat substitute, and will provide the necessary nutriment;

Auntie (visiting in the country):

"What a lovely morning it is, Nina! I feel as though I should like to make someone supremely happy today?"

Nina (catching the same feeling):

"Yes, auntie, and so do I. Let's go and scratch the pig's back."

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In Connection with   Teddy's Restaurant

When Roller Skating, Dancing, or in attendance at The Arena, don't fail to patronize The Arena Buffet. Everything a little better than usual.

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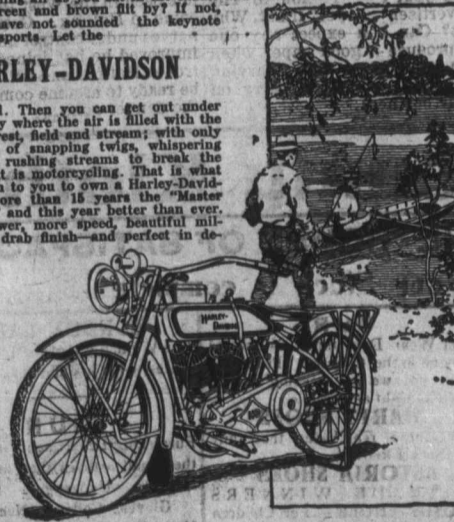
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R. H. Chipman, Kentville, N. S.

Blame the Fathers

London, July 25—Colonel Obed Smith has received a letter from a French Canadian at the front who is recommended for a commission, who after relating incidents of daily life, proceeds to speak of conscription. The question should be handled with steel gauntlets," he says. "Ignorance is rampant in my native province, and the blame rests on the shoulders of the fathers of confederation who allowed two official language begets separate schools, and they beget ignorance. It may require a small army to enforce radical changes after war, but we shall have them. Indifference of Quebec in this struggle will be a powerful lever in the hands of a bold leader."

SIR ROBERT BORDEN HAS HOPES FOR A UNION GOVERNMENT

OTTAWA, Aug 4—Sir Robert Borden, today received the delegation which presented the resolution of the win-the-war convention, in Toronto. They asked for national government, and for an extension of parliament, without an election.

In his reply, the premier, pointed out that an election was necessary, but he expressed the hope that in the near future there would be a union government, without reference to party or race or creed.

WANTED — At once 1 t o 10 H.P. Steam Boiler. Address Advertiser Office,

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MAID WANTED for general house work. Apply to Mrs. H. G. Harris, Kentville.

WANTED AT ONCE—Two competent Kitchen Girls at Nova Scotia Sanitorium. Apply to the Superintendent, Kentville.

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When in New Glasgow he will be at the stable of Dr. J. Heywood Fraser, V. S., and when at Kentville he will be at the stable of the Experimental Farm.

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For full particulars and card, giving breeding of Captain Aubrey, apply to Agricultural College Farm, Truro.

per JOHN M. TRUEMAN,
3a   Superintendent, Truro, N. S.