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### Itinerary of Swine Commission

Ottawa, June 17.—The commission appointed by the Dominion Department of Agriculture to investigate the bacon producing industry of the European countries, which sell their goods in foreign markets, particularly in Britain, held a conference with Hon. Sydney Fisher, minister of Agriculture, prior to leaving. The conference was for the purpose of giving instructions regarding the tour. Owing to the tickets having already been purchased, the commission were unable to act on Farm and Dairy's suggestion that local conditions be investigated preliminary to the tour abroad.

The itinerary will be as follows: The commission sails on the Tunisian on Saturday, June 19th, and on arriving at Liverpool will proceed at once to London and report at the dinner where further information will be secured, as well as letters of introduction to men it will be necessary to meet to carry on the work of the investigation. The first country will be Denmark, which commands a large share of the British bacon trade on account of the high quality of the goods it sends to the British markets. The commission will investigate the breeds, the feeds and the methods of feeding, housing, slaughtering and processes used in preparation for the market. The inquiry will be made as exhaustive and searching as time will permit. The members of the commission will visit many of the breeders at their farms, and the leading packing factories. When the work is concluded in Denmark, the commission will return to London, turning aside a short time to go to Holland. Not much time will be spent there, however, and the principal object of the visit will be to learn something of the methods adopted in shipping fresh pork to the British trade centers. Holland has a very large share of this trade.

Scotland will be the next objective where the travellers will visit the great Highland show. Thence they will proceed to Ireland, where the work will be carried on along the same lines as in Denmark. Returning from Ireland the commission will visit several of the breeders of England and get as close in touch with the farmers as possible. A special effort will be made in the Wiltshire district where the great Wilshire packing houses will be studied, and where it is expected much knowledge of particular value may be gleaned.

Mr. W. W. Ballantyne is acting as chairman of the commission and Mr. J. B. Spencer as Secretary, and also as representative of the Dominion Department of Agriculture.—F.D.

### B. C. Stock Breeders' Association

The Directors of the British Columbia Live Stock Breeders' Association met in the office of the Agriculture Department, Parliament Build-

ings, Victoria, on the evening of June 11th, to discuss the work to be taken up for the season. A. D. Aterson, President, was in the chair. Hon. G. P. Taylor, Minister of Agriculture; R. M. Palmer, Deputy Minister; R. W. Hodson, Live Stock Commissioner; Messrs. G. H. Hadwen, Duncans; Geo. Sangster, S. D. Smith, Durdway; and A. Davey, Ladner, were present.

The Association voted \$500.00 to assist, to the amount of one-half railway fare, in the transportation of live stock and poultry to the Alaska-Yukon Exhibition, the amount expended on transportation of stock not to exceed \$500.00. The Association agreed to assist stock breeders who were members of the Association, in the transportation of stock from the east. Two cups will be given for stock judging to Victoria fair and also to the Westminister fair for the same purpose.

The Association appointed the following committees to deal with their respective classes:—  
Horses.—Light: D. C. McGregor, G. H. Hadwen, J. H. Wilkinson; Heavy: D. Montgomery, Geo. Sangster, Paterson.  
Cattle: R. A. Wells, J. M. Steeves, Mr. Bishop.  
Sheep: Alex. Davie, Sam Smith, G. H. Hadwen.

Swine: Shannon, Thompson, Webb.  
Poultry: W. Baylis, Sec. of the Vancouver and Nanaimo Poultry Associations. R. W. Hodson, to act on each and all the committees.  
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### Jersey Breeders at Moatfield

Saturday last, the members of the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club had a most enjoyable outing when they visited "Moatfield," the splendid dairy farm of Mr. and Mrs. David Duncan, of the Don, York Co. The party left Toronto on the 10 o'clock train and spent the first couple of hours at the farm, the meeting of the splendid Jersey cattle for which the farm is noted. The farm really comprises two farms, inasmuch as there are two different sets of buildings, one of which, however, is occupied by hired help. On this farm some 21 head of Jersey heifers, showing exceptional constitution and true Jerome farm the noted Jersey bulls that head the herd, as well as the mature cows, were examined. The herd bull, which was the winner at Toronto last year, was in better condition than ever. The cows showed plain their milk producing capacity. The splendid watering facilities on this farm came in for general favorable comment. Including the young and old stock about 200 head of hogs were being kept. The cream is shipped to Toronto. This farm is one of those entered in Farm and Dairy's prize farm competition.

A banquet, that would have done credit to any of Toronto's best caterers, was served in a large tent. It was much enjoyed. The toast list included the "King," "Canadian Dairy King," "The Jersey Cow," "Our Parliaments," "The Press," "The Ladies," and the "Host and Hostesses." The speakers were Messrs. R. J. Fleming, W. P. Bull, K. C., and D. O. Bull, of Toronto; W. F. McLean, M.P., Prof. H. B. Dean, of Guelph; Henry Lansing, Esq., of Toronto; G. S. Reid, of Berlin, Warden; G. S. Bull, of L. J. C. Bull, Brampton; J. C. Snell, of the Farmer's Advocates, London; H. B. Cowan, of Farm and Dairy, Peterboro, and E. H. Dorcas, of Don. At the conclusion of the banquet the host and hostess were given three cheers and a tiger. Outlines of this nature are most enjoyable and profitable, and similar events might well be arranged by other cattle breeders associations.

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