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OUR FARMERS' CLUB

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PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
KING'S CO., P.E.I.
CARDIAN, Sept. 15.—Harvest is backward owing to wet weather. Cutting about completed. A lot of grain out in stock yet. Grain in a good crop. Oats are worth 60c a bush. Potatoes promise to be a good crop, the early varieties bringing \$5 a bu.—H.P.

QUEBEC.
RICHMOND CO., QUE.
DANVILLE, Sept. 15.—Grain is looking die but we are having poor harvest weather, cold and wet. Root crops are doing fine. Potatoes are a fairly good crop, not many to a hill, but large. Corn crop poor. Beef and pork high in price. Butter, 25c; eggs, 25c.—M.D.B.

ONTARIO
GLENGARRRY CO., ONT.
WINSLOW, Sept. 15.—Wet weather has had a bad effect. A great deal of grain exposed. Some sprouting. There will be considerable loss.—G.A.V.

STORMONT CO., ONT.
CORNWALL, Sept. 11.—The wet weather has been very bad. Considerable grain damage has been exposed. Have heard several reports of sprouting. Could not estimate the damage done.—M.D.C.

GREVILLE CO., ONT.
MERRICKVILLE, Sept. 10.—The continuous rainy weather has had a bad effect on all crops. Some say rain and heat caused rust and many of the crops are almost ruined. Pops that have been out and bunched are getting green. Very few have much grain in barn. Even straw has become blackened and almost unfit for feed. Some are apprehensive of potato rot, but we hope their fears will not be realized.—E.H.P.

LEEDS CO., ONT.
NEWBORO, Sept. 14.—The wet weather in this vicinity has done considerable damage to the grain. Many farmers who cut grain a month ago have been unable to get it in their barns. A great deal of it has to be windrow and shaken out. In many places it has turned black and sprouted in the stocks. Some farmers had to draw the grain from low places to high in order to get it dried at all. Not a farmer in this locality but has some damaged, and most of them have lost nearly all. My loss will be about

\$400, and there are some that will lose more. Threshing has not started yet.—J.A.M.

PETERBORG CO., ONT.
WARSAW, Sept. 13.—I would judge from my own experience that there will be about one-quarter of the oats, peas and barley crop damaged. Quite a lot of oats are sprouted and badly colored. A lot of farmers around here rushed their grain into the barns too soon, and will cut grain badly.—W.J.K.

HALIBURTON CO., ONT.
HALIBURTON, Sept. 15.—Grain is good crop but badly weathered. Some sprouted and blackened. Cannot tell what damage will be.—H. Bain.

KEWING MOUNT, Sept. 14.—The fine weather of the last 10 days has put all the harvest in, except buckwheat, of which the early sown is good. Blight has killed all the potatoes. The indications are for no better crop than last year. Potatoes are good. Cattle are beginning to move, buyers paying 4% and 5c for cattle of all kinds; lambs, 50c; hogs, \$7.00 per cwt. calves, \$8 to \$10; hay, per ton \$10; potatoes, 70c a bush; butter, 25c; eggs, 25c; chickens, 15c.—J.M.

DURHAM CO., ONT.
BURKETON STATION, Sept. 11.—The damage to barley will be considerable. Oats have suffered considerably, too. Earlier grain not much damaged.—P.M.

BRUCE CO., ONT.
TRESWATER, Sept. 11.—Some of the oats and barley were sputred on account of the wet weather. Some of what is in now, as we have had four dry days of good weather. Some grain was put in in bad shape as the people were afraid of the rain.—J.F.

SIMCOE CO., ONT.
ALLINTON, 8-pt. 10.—The late grain—oats, barley, etc.—were exposed to the damp weather, and reports were heard as to sprouting. Would estimate damage to coarse grains at 25 per cent. The weather has been better for a week or two. The greater portion of grain will be housed. Some damage would be done to fall wheat from the fact that it was wet when taken into the barns. Crops on the whole are yielding a fair average.—W.M.L.

WELLINGTON CO., ONT.
QUELPH, Sept. 10.—This is one of the latest harvests on record here, owing to the continued wet weather in August. Old September weather, is behaving very well. Yesterday (Sunday) many took advantage of the fine weather and drew in considerable grain, and nobody blamed them. Fall wheat was only a fair crop. Barley was good, and oats very good. Fall wheat and barley that were caught by the rains were in the shock to a greater extent than did the oats. The latter shelled out considerably and the straw has been badly bleached for feed purposes. Pastures have been much improved by the rains and all kinds of crops. Our country is trying to solve the labor problem in connection with drainage. A large traction ditcher has been recently purchased by the county, and is doing good work. Another large ditcher of the same make is at yet further north in the county near Dryden.—C.S.N.

SOUTH OXFORD CO., ONT.
NORWICH, Sept. 12.—A great deal of damage was done to the oat crop by the wet weather. Much of it is badly sprouted and musty. Many drew in before it was thoroughly dry, and that is in bad shape.—J.M.

NORFOLK CO., ONT.
S. MIDDLETON, Sept. 11.—We had wet weather from July 25th to September 5th. Peas, oats and barley badly damaged. Straw almost worthless. Very little grain sprouted. The loss will probably be the labor bill and the straw.—W.N.P.

KENT CO., ONT.
BLENHEIM, Sept. 12.—The wet weather through August has caused a considerable loss in oats and a very slight diminution in the bean crop. There are also reports of rot in potatoes in the grounds. The tobacco crop has not done very much in the past month, also, but will likely be the largest ever raised in southern Kent and Essex.—A.D.

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