SUGAR BEETS ARE

Have Been Harvested Under **Ideal Conditions**

FALL WHEAT DOES WELL

Acreage on Whole Is Less Than

Last Year

TORONTO, Oct. 27.—The following is a summary of the weekly reports made by the agricultural representatives to the Ontario department of agriculture:

The heavy crops of spring grains demanded more time than usual for harvesting and threshing, and the mild, open weather of October has been perfect for the large amount of cutting and siloing of corn which has been hurried along to escape possible frost, for the digging of potatoes and roots and other field work.

Fall plowing, however, has been somewhat neglected on this account, and also from the fact that lack of rain has rendered clayey and difficult to penetrate. It is estimated that fully half the necessary fall plowing still remains to be done.

More apples are being handled than in recent years, yet the quantity of this and other fruit going to waste in Ontario orchards this season is deplorable. Lack of containers and reliable help are given as the chief reasons.

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Middlesex reports Spies as selling at from \$2.25 to \$3 a barrel on the trees. Elgin states that dealers have been offering from \$2 to \$2.50 a barrel for apples, "and are not keen to get them at that," while evaporators are paying 40c a cwt. Lennox and Addington cites sales at from \$3 to \$4 a barrel in the dealer's container. Prince Edward reports nine carloads being shipped out in bulk and one carload in sacks for Winnipeg. Canning factories in that county are paying 1 cent a pound for handpicked tree run, delivered at the factory.

Welland reports grapes as selling at from \$85 to \$100 a ton, chiefly for shipment to the United States.

Sugar beets are reported to be an excellent crop, and they have been harvested under ideal conditions. The sugar content is generally high.

Brant states that at an auction sale last week both sweet clover and mixed hay sold at \$22 a ton.

Fall wheat is said to be coming along pretty well, although with hardly as heavy a top as usual. The acreage on the whole will be less than that of last year.

year.
Some farmers in Eastern Ontario are complaining of the scarcity of water in the wells.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

COUNTRY LIFE IN ONTARIO Beworr Stock Farm Builds

Ideal Dairy Barn To Shelter

Fine Herd of Grade Holsteins Fine Features of 360-Acre Farm in Bend of Thames at

would you erect? That is not at all a plant in that county is fattening chickens, which are sent in from the surrounding townships. They have handled about 3,000 birds this fall, or an average of about 300 a day.

such a sum would purchase two farms of average size, buildings and all, yet an outlay of this size would seem to be justified in the case of at least one farm in Middlesex County. New barn estimated they will also prove profitfarm in Middlesex County. New barn estimated they will also prove profitbuildings valued in round figures at \$20,- able. 000 have just been completed on Belvoir Stock Farm, at Delaware. At first THE MARKET READY

> First it should be known that the Belvoir Stock Farm is the property, and has been for two years, of Major Gordon Ingram, G. F. Pearson and His worship Mayor E. S. Little. It is organ-First it should be known that the zed on a business basis and it is pro- the cream direct to the city from Belosed to carry on an extensive dairy voir farm. industry in the most up-to-date fashion.

It is not a hobby. is, could have been made a paying third. lairy proposition with the old buildings TAX REMISSIONS \$14,477.—Soldiers' acres are ideal pasture. The rest can itself for this reason.

tax remissions for the year 1920 now grow excellent crops of wheat and oats When the inspector of the city milk

Up-to-Date Structure of Steel White Oak, is farm manager, and with two assistants in winter and three in and Cement Only One of the summer, will be in charge of the farmng operations.

Just now there are a number of stockers on the farm, but it is planned to get rid of these. There are also many young cattle, but the rearrangement will probably result in fixing the standard number of milking cattle at 5 If you had \$20,000 with which to However, in a good year, crops would build a barn, what kind of a structure leave a surplus after feeding these, and as the principal product of the farm will be cream, there is likely to be fanciful question, because, although a lively by-product trade of beef and such a sum would purchase two farms pork when the place gets into its stride. tion with the dairy business and it is

blush it might seem that such a figure ought to include many things, but the voir farm is already in existence. The Belvoir barns are built with utility as Smallman & Ingram store is the marthe premier idea and not in any effort ket. Until recently there were three o spend money on architectural trim- dairymen supplying that store cream for the soda fountain and kitch-

The dairy venture in connection with argument for the store farm. the Smallman & Ingram store evolved the aim is the production of milk and itself from the fact that the output of ream for profit. It is more than doubt- two whole dairies was consumed by the ul if the farm, admirably situated as store, and part of the output of a

that were on it. Hence the new barn. the quality of the cream which came as the main barn, being placed at right angles for convenience. The framework on the bend of the Thames, just at been ideal for cleanliness, and the plan is arched steel and the covering sheet the Ontario burley is concerned, but is arched steel and the covering sheet the Ontario burley is concerned. The foundation is high and the open of having a big dairy farm in connecting the foundation is high and the covering passible to ship to Europe in extent, and a great many of these tion with the store seemed to commend

and corn, as demonstrated by the yield supply was asked what dairies he would this fall. Charles Lawson, formerly of recommend as patterns of cleanliness

THE MILKING OF COWS.

THENEST HIS THE CONTRACTOR OF THE STREET

Shall cows be milked twice or three times a day? To the average reader this may seem of small concern. To the farmer and dairyman it is a question of considerable interest. Tests have recently been made in Nova Scotia, Quebec and Ontario. Professor Barton, of Macdonald Col-lege, says that it has been found from the standpoint of economy and safety that a cow giving 6 pounds of milk a day should be milked three times. Both Prof. Trueman, of the Nova Scotia Agricultural College, and Prof. Barton are agreed, however, that unless the udder is over distended there is little or no advantage to be gained by milking three times a day. These authorities are quoted in the September number of The Agricultural Gazette of Canada. Prof. Wade Toole also contributed to a solution of the same problem by giving results of tests made at the Ontario Agricultural College. The tests are to be continued and Prof. Toole hopes to be able to give a more definite opinion another year than he does at present. In the meantime he shows that three high-class pure-bred eows gave more by thrice than by twice milking a day. His

and sanitation, he replied that it would be a pretty hard thing to do. Another SOME BARN

present conclusions, however, are

the same as those of Prof. Bar-

ton and Trueman.

But about this barn. It is in two sections, the main part being 38 feet by 100 feet. The adjacent section is possible to dispose of the amount of to about 38 by 70 and is of the same type bacco that might be left over. sturdy, of solid cement.

Imagine a high-ceilinged, cement platform, and with the latest ideas in stabling and stanchions, brightly lighted with many-paned hing-ed windows, fitted with electric lights, individual water bowls and easily-cleaned feed troughs, and you have an idea of what the main stable at Belvoir is like. The section at right angles is simlarly equipped, except that the stabling s for young cattle and calves, while at the end there is a row of stalls for horses. The stanchions throughout are of the same pattern and altogether a more convenient set of fixtures could not be devised. The cattle have not as yet enjoyed their new home, but be occupying the stalls in a day or Electricians were finishing their work this week. Electrical milking machines will be part of the equipment at

Two his siles, of concrete, 14 feet by 40 feet, are located just at the end of the main barn. A feed room is located just here, and the feed will be prepared nere and run along the feeding plat-

ing room and next to that, but sep-arate from it, the milk room, both fitted with the most improved appliances.
As an evidence of the solid construction of the place, the driveways to the second floor of the main barn are of concrete, filled in with earth. On the grain floor are two main sections, just now nearly filled with unthreshed oats. A granary, capacious and well built, connects the two sections under the central mow. Electrical equipment for silo-filling and other work about the barn will be part of the equipment

At right angles to the main barn, opposite the young cattle stable, is an implement shed, about to be metal-inclosed, and completing a rectangle, which will make an ideal stable-yard, which will make an ideal stable-yard, is a horse stable composed of five box stalls. These are for brood mares with which Mayor Little proposes to start a worthy experiment in breeding fine

also a neat stucco cottage for the farm manager. There has been a noticeable improve-ment in the farm recently. Presently

the old frame barns and stables will disappear and Belvoir will be one of the show places of the county. Under capable management as it is, too, there is no reason why the farm should not be successful in the dairying business. It has the appearance of being able to make a fine showing, and its prospects seem to justify the expenditure on the barns and stabling. By the way, the dairy herd will be grade Holsteins. The present herd will be culled out and improved and the improvement will be continued in-definitely. The herd sire is a fine type of thoroughbred black-and-white.

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ST. GEORGE'S LODGE MARKS HALLOWEEN

was a most enjoyable Halloweer and supper that St. George's Lodge, No. 42, A., F. & A. M., tendered to their members and friends at the Masonic Temple last night. About 150 couples spent a merry evening.

The hall was prettily decorated with pumpkins, as befitted the occasion, and colored lights added to the touch of color of the gowns of the ladies. The tables in the banquet hall in the basement of the temple were set off with coverings decorated with symbols of Halloween—black cats numbring and witches ride. black cats, pumpkins and witches riding on the well-known broom.

The music for the dancing was pro vided by a seven-piece orchestra, and a special attraction were the numbers of the Harmonic quartet. The mem-bers of the quartet each added much to the occasion by solos, which received appreciation. There was no doubt that the evening was a most successful one, so much so that there is every indication that St. George's Chapter will brighten the winter season with further parties.

KEEP SAME TIME-TABLE-The all time-table now in effect on the Grand Trunk Railway will not likely be changed for the winter months, ac-cording to the G. T. R. passenger men.

TO SELL GRADED CANADIAN TOBACCO BY AUCTION SCON

holding an auction sale of Canadian tobacco in Ontario this winter. The sale will include a lot of white burley and a lot of flue-cured tobacco. The tobacco is to be graded by quality before being offered.

So far very little tobacco grading has sturdy youngsters destined by birth and training for the noblest and most pabeen done by the Ontario growers. A start was made a few years ago, but during the last few years the practice of grading the crop into three grades to buy hear abandaned. seems to have been abandoned. The experiment will be carried on by the war are, in that most essential with two main objects: First, to ascer-of all industries, agriculture, treading tain how many grades of commercial the same fatal, starvation-bent path as value can be obtained from the average Europe. crop of Ontario burley or of Ontario flue-cured; second, if it will pay the short throughout the nation this sum-farmer to grade his crop into more than mer. A recent investigation farmer to grade his crop into more than mer. two grades, that is to say, sound to- of typical rural communities bacco and trash. In countries where the East showed conclusively that there are tobacco crop is sold by auction through almost no young men left on the land. the open warehouse system, there is a saying that the best graded crops al-ways bring the highest average price to hour day. Are any of us really awake

the grower. Will the case be the same to the magnitude of this peril? STRONG'S DRUG STORE, in Canada? It would also be interesting to ascertain if the grading of Ontario tobaccos could increase the dethrough the fact that they would be able to buy all they want of certain grades without being obliged to stock large quantities of tobacco for which they have no special use, as occurs through the crop-run system.

With a large crop on hand like this year's (1929), it is very likely that the buyers will make a bid for the best grades or for the best crops. It is only through proper grading that it will be

The possibilities for an export trade to England are very limited as far as The foundation is high and may prove possible to ship to Europe with that offered for the same grade floored barn, with 26 stalls on each side, and types of American tobacco. This with the center built up for feeding might take care of part of our surpluand help to stabilize the prices, but such an attempt will be impossible long as the Ontario tobacco is sold crop

COLUMN

Conducted each Saturday by Peggy

A recent ssue of The People's Home Journal (which is, by the way, not a farm publication) contains an editorial that I wish every city person could read, especially those who believe life is so rosy in our rural communities. The article, which is headed, "Save Our Farms," points to a grave danger only beginning to be realized in the United States. Read it and think about it seriously and see if you are not con-vinced that the very same menace hreatens our Canadian farms

food prices than ever, but actually of the ultimate undermining, by hunger and discontent, of our entire social system. . . . Pending other enomic and legislative solutions we m admit that in one respect we are all of us at fault. The luxury craze of the age has put a premium upon energ devoted to production of nonessential There must be a readjustment of demand. Only when we, as a people, are willing to return to the wholesome, frugal, simple life and wants of old, can we hope that the overesti America's own farm lands what would luxury industries will release again the he see? The very same tragedy he throngs of workers that they have deplores in Europe; there are few drawn from the essential tasks of agriyoung men left on our farms to-day! culture and vital food production.

Arrangements have been made by the tobacco division of the experimental farms branch of the Dominion department of agriculture with a view to the average in typical rural districts throughout America to day. Remember

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price of such seed will discourage

year. It is said to be worth only

bout \$4 per bushel at present

Almost every farmer in this dis-

trict had a field of sweet clove:

this year. One man in Brant

grew 90 acres of it this year, and

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Incidentally, Belvoir is the summer home of Mayor Little. The big square brick house has been put in splendid shape, and on the spacious lawn there shape, and on the spacious lawn there is a concrete swimming tank that is only one of the many interesting features of the place. Major Ingram has a couple of summer cottages on the bank of the river, just a mile from the a couple of summer cottages on the bank of the river, just a mile from the road but still on the Belvoir farm. There whose mind are passing these solicitous whose mind are passing these solicitous thoughts for Europe's fate could turn

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