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### A NOTABLE ADMISSION

In its last issue the Farmers' Sun, in making reply to a recent discussion of its antagonistic attitude toward the factory industry, says:

We remind the News Record that we did not attempt to refute the statement that 80 per cent. of all our farm products are consumed in Canada.

It then proceeds to say that it only claimed that the persons employed in the manufacturing of Canada do not consume 80 per cent. of all the farm products. Since the Record did claim this, it would be threshing straw to dwell on it.

There is however satisfaction in having gained the admission from the Farmers' Sun that 80 per cent. of all the farmers grow, raise and produce is consumed in Canada.

When its audience allows this fact to sink in, it may realize the folly of attempting to destroy those industries which directly employ more than 700,000 persons and who with their families comprise well on toward fifty per cent. of Canada's population.

In having the assurance that \$4 out of every \$5 worth of its products will be disposed of in Canada, our farmers are in a strong position. In peacetime, this means larger returns for them than if they were exported. For 80 per cent. of their outputs they do not require to compete in Liverpool, with the Argentine, Australia and India, not to mention Russia, nor pay the commission house's profit, the long rail and ocean hauls.

Longing eyes are often cast on the big United States market by our graingrowers. There, between 90 and 93 per cent. of the things produced are consumed by its own population. Their home market was built up under protection. Farmers and manufacturers across the line, alike value the home market. They work together to retain it. Shoulder to shoulder against the world.

The Canadian home market will again and shortly come into its own. The relations between agriculture and industry ought not to be antagonistic. The prosperity of the farmers hinges on the ability of townspeople to buy the bulk of their production. Their buying power is based upon the ability of our factories to sell the greater proportion of their products in Canada.

For forty years, the majority of farmers and manufacturers, and those dependent upon them, have worked together to establish the home market, which in essence means the development of the country's resources, the farm, the forests, fisheries and mines and the conversion of raw materials into the things we eat, wear, and the furnishings of the home and conveniences of life.

Any other course would have meant the exporting of the bulk of our farm products and selling abroad our raw materials, to benefit the factories and the workmen of other lands. But Canadians are not Chinamen.

It is to be hoped that the principle of selling finished products instead of raw materials will be further applied in Canada. Carried to the point where even our wheat is sold in the form of flour and the offal fed to stock, to the end that the productivity of the land may be increased and a larger percentage of the money represented in a barrel of flour, as compared to its equivalent in wheat, may be retained in the country.

Canada has too many commitments to lightly change its fiscal policy. It is inopportune to experiment, and particularly so when the proposals will beyond peradventure injure its leading industry.

Were agriculture and industry to get together and discuss their differences, they would soon see that they are mutually interdependent; that one cannot be crippled without injuring the other.

Providing they pull one way, there will be many services that can be secured to make agriculture continuously profitable. The establishment of a national mercantile marine will materially assist in securing lower freight rates for farm and factory; the construction of an ocean waterway from Montreal to Port William is a strong plank in the platform; national cold storage houses for farm products is another; electric railways and good highways do not exhaust the list of services which will alike benefit agriculture and industry. But if we are to import manufactured goods and export the greater proportion of our farm products, the money will not be available to construct anything of import. We cannot both build up other countries and our own.

No fault can nor is found because that section of the electorate which the Farmers' Sun represents has as a class decided to enter the political field. After the next general election, it is probable that there may be a number of practical farmers in the cabinet. When there, responsibility will open their eyes to the extent and importance of industry in the affairs of the country and they will be slow to suggest radical changes.

In concluding its reply to our article, the Farmers' Sun says that if the News Record will consult the farmers hereabouts, "it would learn how fallacious its home market argument is."

The farmers of North Waterloo would not hesitate to say that our city market is to them a valuable one. For butter, eggs, vegetables and other produce, they receive between \$300,000 and \$350,000 per annum. The sister town of Waterloo, similarly expends between \$60,000 and \$75,000. There are instances where farmers hereabouts have purchased and paid for farms with "butter and egg money."

Last week we read of farm produce in the Winnipeg district going to waste, because the interruption to train services prevented farmers sending it to that city.

The Labor Gazette for May states that the cost per week of a family budget of staple foods is \$15.35. Omitting tea, coffee, primes, sugar and vinegar, the average for Canada is \$12.40. This is for articles solely produced on the farm. According to this, every married mechanic is worth \$629 a year to the farmer.

### THE FOOD TRUSTS

At the inquiry being made by a parliamentary committee in the cost of living, a Toronto butcher named Barton alleged that he and others are unable to buy cattle on the hoof direct from farmers. The farmers cannot sell direct to butchers. He declared they must hand their cattle over to commission men. He alleged further that the Swifts of Chicago control the Union Stockyards at Toronto.

His statements caused Chairman Nielson to remark that the effect of Mr. Barton's evidence was that a combine existed in Toronto to prevent the small butcher getting meat in order to do business.

Were it proved that a combine exists it might at least in part explain why the wholesale price of meats has so sharply advanced. It would also cause further indignation on the part of consumers, who seem to be victims of this alleged combination.

### WAIT A MINUTE

#### GALLI-CURCI DIVORCE CASE

NEW YORK June 16—The troubles which wrecked the matrimonial bark of Amelia Galli-Curci, the singer, and her artist husband, Luigi Curci, will be aired in court here tomorrow, when the divorce suit instituted by the famous prima donna of the Chicago Grand Opera Company will come to trial. The charges filed by the wife and the counter-charges contained in the husband's answer have served to arouse more than the ordinary amount of public interest in the case, and it is expected that a "full house" will greet the famous singer when she appears in court.

It was in Rome, in 1909, that the young singer, who had not then attained to the wide fame she now enjoys, was married to Luigi Curci, a young Italian of title who had won some success as a landscape painter. For a time the married life of the singer and her artist-husband was all that could be desired. The husband traveled with the prima donna during her first tours of America and their friends regarded them as a most devoted couple.

In the early part of last year, however, it became known that serious differences had arisen between Mme. Galli-Curci and her husband. In September last the fact of their separation became a matter of public record when the singer sent a dumpy shirt to her town house in West Sixty-seventh Street to take possession of personal effects she claimed as hers, and which she alleged her husband was withholding from her wrongfully.

In November the singer filed suit for divorce against her husband, charging that he had been a "parasite" upon her income since the day of their marriage. According to her statements the artist had been living upon her income without the slightest effort on his part to contribute anything to the family revenue, notwithstanding the fact that he possessed an excellent university training and was fully capable of earning a livelihood. She alleged that he had many times tormented her mentally, and on one occasion had threatened to use a cane upon her. Incidentally, the singer charged that her husband had been unduly intimate with half a dozen or more chorus girls.

Publication of the charges made by his wife brought Luigi promptly to bat with a series of counter-charges against the beautiful singer. Having previously filed an alienation suit against the singer's manager, the husband now alleged that his wife had been intimate with her accompanist and named hotels in various cities as well as trips in sleeping-cars as a matter of detail in connection with the alleged indiscretions.

In answer to her husband Mme. Galli-Curci issued a statement through her attorney denying all of the charges made against her character. At the same time she filed an affidavit alleging that her husband had \$25,000 in Italian securities which rightfully belonged to her and asked that \$15,000 of this amount be paid to her at once as her support pending determination of her suit, the remaining \$10,000 to be paid when the case is settled.

#### TODAY'S ANNIVERSARIES

1722—John Churchill, Duke of Marlborough, died. Born June 24, 1650.

1819—An earthquake caused the Kutch district in India to sink, smothering up more than 2,000 persons.

1843—Count von Wittgenstein, a Russian field marshal who distinguished himself in the wars with Napoleon, died. Born in 1769.

1896—Austria made a declaration of war against Prussia.

1891—A new Canadian ministry was formed by Premier Abbott.

1896—The Cape Colony steamship Drummond Castle was wrecked on the French coast with a loss of 250 lives.

1915—David Lloyd George took the oath as minister of munitions in the British cabinet.

1916—French Chamber of Deputies entered upon the first secret session to be held under the Third Republic.

1917—Gen. Pershing conferred with Gen. Petain, the French commander-in-chief.

#### ONE YEAR AGO TODAY IN THE WAR

Premier Orlando announced Italy had declined an Austrian peace offer.

Exchange of 100,000 French and German prisoners of war began through Switzerland.

London reported great offensive checked after six days of desperate fighting.

#### TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS

Gustav V., king of Sweden, born in Stockholm, 61 years ago today.

Hon. Arthur Meighen, Canadian Minister of the Interior, born at St. Mary's Ont., 45 years ago today.

Sir Charles Allen who was knighted for introducing blue marble into England, born 54 years ago today.

Dr. Joseph Swain, president of Swarthmore College, born at Pendleton, Ind., 62 years ago today.

Rt. Rev. Cornelius Van de Ven, Catholic bishop of Alexandria La., born in Holland 54 years ago today.

### Mrs. McKenney Gains 17 Pounds

Eats What She Pleases and Sleeps Like A Child Now, Says Minneapolis Woman.

"I never thought I would let my name be used in connection with medicine, but if it had not been for Tanlac I would still be a sick woman and I feel that I ought to try to help others by telling them about it," said Mrs. J. F. McKenney, who resides at 3121 Cedar Ave., Minneapolis, recently, in a statement in which one of the benefits received described is a gain of seventeen pounds.

"I had been suffering from stomach trouble for five years," she continued, "and had almost despaired of ever getting relief. My appetite was very poor and I always suffered so much pain in my stomach after meals that I had gotten almost afraid to eat anything. My food would ferment and the gas from it would press on my heart until I would just have to fight for breath. I often had nervous attacks, headaches and was very dizzy at times. I could hardly ever get a good night's sleep, was very weak, and always got up in the morning feeling as tired as when I retired at night. I was with me all the time and I hardly had strength to do my housework."

"Finally I started to taking Tanlac on the advice of my daughter in Minneapolis, Oklahoma. She told me of a minister there who said he did not believe there was ever a case of stomach trouble Tanlac would not relieve, and the results in my case have convinced me that he was right. Soon after I began taking it my appetite improved and I commenced to gain both in weight and strength. My appetite is just fine now, the gas has stopped forming on my stomach and I can eat what I please and all I want without ever having a pain or an uncomfortable feeling afterwards. I sleep like a child every night, get up in the morning feeling rested and refreshed."

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### Elephant Ball Game

Of the many stunts performed by the Sparks Circus herd of elephants the one that probably gets the most appreciation is the game of baseball played by these mighty and unwieldy pachyderms.

Every play is gone through with in the most ludicrous manner, and the laughs furnished by this number will remain as a pleasant remembrance of the circus.

All the accessories—pitcher, batter, catcher, umpire, fielders and their gloves, minks, hats and uniforms—are arranged on "Big Mary" in the rotunda of the hotel. The pitcher is a small boy, and has a home-swing, and has thus established a 400 mark batting record for herself, running the bases and sliding to home. She never fails to bring forth rounds of applause and laughter from the audience. Another funny situation is when the pitcher has two strikes on "Big Mary," he and the catcher get into an animated argument over the next ball to be served by the pitcher and trumpet get into each other's ears. This little piece of by-play always meets with the instant approval of the audience and adds greatly to the already funny number. This act was presented to New York City's delighted millions last winter and came in for more favorable newspaper comments than any animal act seen there in recent years. This feature is positively the program of the Sparks World Famous Shows, which are billed here next Wednesday afternoon and night.

Joe Tallon, Cobalt, pleaded guilty to stealing rum destined for the British navy.

The building trades strike at Halifax is settled, both sides agreeing to arbitration.

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"I might also mention that Dr. Chase's Catarrh Powder has proven of great benefit to me. I had difficulty with a stoppage in my nose and head, but the Catarrh Powder relieved it, and I have not been bothered in this way since."

Mrs. P. H. Veale, 19 William St., Hamilton, Ont., writes: "I can highly recommend Dr. Chase's Ointment, having used it with splendid results where all others failed. My little girl aged 2½ years, broke out in small yellow blisters, which turned into scabs. They came out in different places on her face, and although I tried a great many salves none of them did her any good. I got a box of Dr. Chase's Ointment, and after a few applications, I could see the effect of it. Whenever I saw a new spot appearing I would apply the ointment, and before the box was finished she was entirely cured of these horrid sores."

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